

### December 29, 2019

## THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

#### MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 31st New Year's Eve

**5**<sup>pm</sup> **+** Carl Schaum – The Family

Wednesday 1st

9am OLOL Intentions of All Parishioners

11<sup>am</sup> Intentions of All Parishioners

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> at Rainycrest

10<sup>am</sup> + Peter Boon Sr. & + Pete Boon Jr. – The Family Friday 3<sup>rd</sup>

**9**<sup>am</sup> May Jesus protect the families of the Holy Land and remain with them forever.

Saturday 4th

5pm + William Bodnar - Susan Ossachuk & Family

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> (9am at Our Lady of Lourdes)

9am + Patricia Jurivee - OLOL CWL

11<sup>am</sup> + Chris Lowe – Terry & Kathy Mueller

#### **December 29, 2019**

#### The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

**1st reading:** (Sirach 3.2-6, 12-14) **2nd reading:** (Colossians 3.12-21) **Gospel:** (Matthew 2.13-15, 19-23)

# Get up, take the child and his mother, and flee to Egypt.



In your prayers, please remember those who are sick: Shirley Fraser, Ernie McColeman, Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Nicole LePine, Larry Mattson, Noella & Rick Hamilton, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Laura Dillon, Art

Cross, Nicholas Delvecchio, Catherine MacDonald, Father Thomas, David Cross, Keagan Evans, Julie Halvorsen, Patrick McColeman, Bridger Hands, Mary Kolynchuk, Dan Loney, Laura Ahrens & Family, Lori Woodgate, Ewen MacKintosh, Ross Anderson, Jerry Everhart

> Offertory Collection for St. Mary's <u>Weekend Of</u> December 22 – \$2020.55

> > <u>Counting Teams</u> December 30 – Gina



Enjoy a free copy of Matthew Kelly's Book 'Rediscovering the Saints' to help you become closer to your faith.

Your collection envelopes are ready to be picked up in the lobby.





## OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH NEWS

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Jan Adams, Linda Anderson, Doug Cross, George Supinski, Curtis Jourdain, Florence Lampi, Brian McPherson, Mary Lou Parks, Leslie Bauer, Rudy Morrisseau, Shirley A. Bruyere, Sue Foran-Ross, Dale Krueger, Angela Bruyere, Steven "Beaver" Morrisseau

Offertory Collection for Our Lady of Lourdes

<u>Weekend of</u>

December 22 - \$774.30

#### What's going on?!

Dec. 28/29 – Feast of the Holy Family - CWL Rosary - Before masses

Jan. 9 – EDGE Night – 6:30-8:30pm

Jan. 11 – Life Teen Night

Jan. 11/12 – CWL Membership Drive - at masses

2019 Bishop's Diocesan Ministry Campaign This year's theme is "Together on the Road".



OLOL Parish Goal: \$4,000.00

**Donations received: \$3,150.00/79% of our goal** (this amount represents the **14** families who have made donations so far. Just imagine how quickly we can reach our goal if **everyone** made a donation!)

Remaining: \$850.00

Please help us reach our goal. Funds must be at the Chancery Office before Dec. 31, 2019.

The remaining balance will be taken from the Parish General Account. We only have a couple days left!!!

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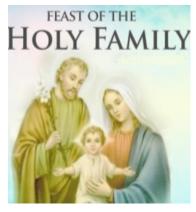


St. Mary's Parish Goal: \$25,000.00

**Donations received:** \$14,095.00/56% of our goal (this amount represents the **75** families who have made donations so far. Just imagine how quickly we can reach our goal if **everyone** made a donation!)

Remaining: \$10.905.00

Please help us reach our goal. Funds must be at the Chancery Office before Dec. 31, 2019. The remaining balance will be taken from the Parish General Account. We only have a couple days left!!!



We pray God will protect the families and give them peace during this Christmas season. We ask Him to show them guidance and lead them to a rewarding life. May Jesus protect the families of the Holy Land and remain with them forever.



Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of us at EDGE!!

Our next EDGE will be on January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020!

Our next Life Teen night is January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

# LIFE TEEN Leading Teens Closer to Christ

#### **DISCOVERY 2020**

Discover the difference our Salt & Light Discovery Camp experience can make in your child's life and yours! Discovery Camp 2020 will be the week of July 13th – 17th at



Sunny Cove Camp on Rainy Lake. **Applications** are available. A great gift idea for that hard to buy for teen/pre-teen!!! We are offering a \$20 discount for the month of December!

53<sup>rd</sup> WORLD DAY OF PEACE JANUARY 1, 2020



The Holy Father has chosen the theme:

PEACE AS A JOURNEY OF HOPE: Dialogue, Reconciliation and Ecological Conversion.

The World Day of Peace was established by Pope Paul VI in 1968 who asked that "every year, this commemoration be repeated as a hope and as a promise, at the beginning of the calendar which measures and outlines the path of human life in time, that Peace with its just and beneficent equilibrium may dominate the development of events to come."

#### <u>Food for Your Journey - Desiring Happiness for</u> Others

David Garroway was one of the first TV talkshow personalities. After he had become quite wealthy, he was asked one day about his sense of Christmas. He said he had noticed that the older one gets, the harder it is to tell people what you want for Christmas.

"I've noticed," he said, "that most people ask for something material for Christmas. This used to amuse me, but it doesn't any more. I happen to be a person who can afford anything he wants. But I find that what I really want, I can't buy at all. I want peace - peace of mind - peace of soul. The kind of peace you have when you don't really want anything.

"Nowadays when I ask that question, I phrase it this way: 'What if you had everything you wanted... what if you had all the money in the world... what if you could buy anything you wanted... then what would you like to Christmas?'

"One little girl stopped me with her answer. She said, 'I'd like happiness,' and then added, 'for others.'

"How Christmassy that is! It's like the little girl who prayed at the end of the day: 'God, I had a great time today,' and then she added, 'I hope you had a good time, too.'"

#### A Smile for Your Journey - Christmas Gifts

A minister preached a very short sermon. He explained, "My dog got into my study and chewed up some of my notes."

At the end of the service a visitor asked, "If your dog ever has pups, please let my pastor have one of them."

#### **NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE**

Tuesday, December 31

5pm Mass @ St. Mary's

Wednesday, January 1, 2020

9am Mass @ Our Lady of Lourdes

11am Mass @ St. Mary's

The office will be closing at noon on December 31<sup>st</sup> and closed for New Year's on January 1<sup>st</sup>.

