



November 29, 2020

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 1st

6^{pm} + Denis DeGagné – Greg & Kathy Mercure

Wednesday 2nd

10^{am} + Souls in Purgatory - Queenie

Thursday 3rd

10^{am} + Gertie Bujold – St. Mary's Catholic Women's League

Friday 4th

10^{am} That robotics and artificial intelligence always serve humankind.

Saturday 5th

10^{am} + Robert Morgan – Dan & Anna Pierroz

5^{pm} Intentions of the LePine Family

Sunday 6th (9am at OLOL) **SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

9^{am} + George Supinski – Artina & Les Gurski

11^{am} + Perpetua & + Rommel Jessie Blase – Nissa & Family

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First Sunday of Advent

1st reading: (Isaiah 63.16b-17; 64.1, 3-8-17)

2nd reading: (1 Corinthians 1.3-9)

Gospel: (Mark 13.33-37)

Keep alert, for you do not know when the master of the house will come.

Ministry Schedule

Nov. 28 – Miranda (Lector), Monique (EMHC)

Nov. 29 – Marie (Lector), Susan F. (EMHC)

Dec. 5 – Gemma (Lector)

Dec. 6 – Jeremiah (Lector)



In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Shirley Fraser, Ernie McColeman, Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Larry Mattson, Noella & Rick Hamilton, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Laura Dillon, Art Cross, Nicholas Delvecchio, David Cross, Keagan Evans, Julie Halvorsen, Patrick McColeman, Bridger Hands, Mary Kolynchuk, Lori Woodgate, Ewan MacKintosh, Betty Plumridge, Jon Fryer, Joan McTavish, Frank Strain, Kathleen DeGagné, Nora Paulenko, Father Ben Hadrich, Rommel Blasé, Kathryn Pierroz

Offertory Collection for St. Mary's

Weekend Of

November 22 – \$4945.15

Counting Teams

November 30 - Evelyn

PAPAL BLESSING FOR YOUR LOVED ONES

If you or a loved one is celebrating a milestone in life and would like to get a Papal Blessing, please contact the Parish Office at 274-5233



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

PARISH NEWS

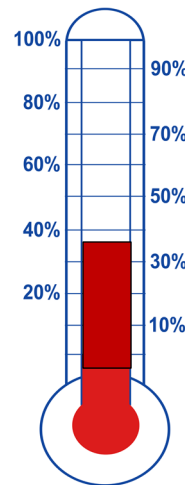
In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Linda Anderson, Doug Cross, 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, Janice Parks

Offertory Collection for Our Lady of Lourdes

Weekend of

November 22 - \$325.00



**OLOL
Goal:
\$4,000.00**

**Received:
\$1,450.00**

**THANK
YOU!!**

Diocesan Ministry Campaign 2020

The campaign reaches out to many of our struggling parishes and responds to the needs of many families, refugees, and the poor in our area. Your sharing in this campaign helps our diocese to continue the work of Jesus by reaching out and sharing generously

with others. Please help us by picking up your envelopes in the lobby, so we don't have to mail them out. Donations have to be at Diocese office by December 31, 2020. Please get your donations in soon.

If you have not renewed your OLOL CWL memberships for 2020 and 2021, please do it now! Dues are \$25.00. Contact Marie or deposit in collection plate in an envelope marked CWL dues. All ladies of the parish are invited to join us!

**KEEP
CALM
AND RENEW
YOUR MEMBERSHIP
TODAY**

What's going on?!

Dec. 1 – Parish Council Meeting – 6:30pm

Dec. 2 – CWL Christmas Mass – 6:00pm

Dec. 8 – K.C. Meeting – 6:30pm

For the families of the parish

There is an advent devotional available for you and your children to take home. It is available at the back of the church. Follow Joseph and Mary along the nativity trail from Nazareth to Bethlehem. Spend time reflecting on the psalms and praying together as a family as we journey towards welcoming Jesus with open hearts on Christmas Day.



All are invited to attend the CWL Christmas mass on Wednesday, Dec. 2 at 6pm. It is important to gather together with others so we can bear one another's burdens and grow in spiritual strength as we prepare to

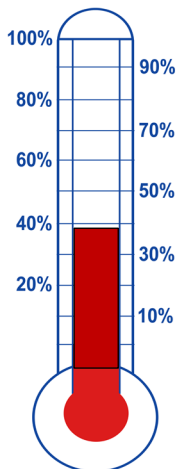
celebrate the birth of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. "They all joined together constantly in prayer, along with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with his brothers." Acts 1:14 We are sorry that we are unable to have a Christmas supper this year due to the distancing restrictions. This is not the time to let down our guard. Be careful, be safe. Blessings!

CWL raffles and sales: thank you to Evelyn and Mitzi for organizing these efforts and to those who have donated items and sold tickets. Some are concerned that the price of the 50/50 tickets (\$2) is costly but think of the amount that members usually donate to and spend at the bazaar. (The CWL 50/50 tickets are available at the parish office or from CWL members.) All money from this raffle goes out to worthy causes in our community. Thank you also to those who have made donations to the "Wanna Be Christmas Bazaar". Your generosity is appreciated!

(Please return sold books to the parish office.)

The Christmas Beauties Raffle items are on display and tickets are available before and after the weekend masses and at the Parish Office. Tickets are \$2.00 each for 3/\$5.00. Christmas Wreath donated by M. Armstrong. Christmas Tree donated by A. Zucchiatti & L. Blanc. Stained Glass donated by K. Mueller.

CWL Memberships for 2021 are now available for renewal. With the current COVID restrictions and safety measures, the annual January Registration Drive is unlikely to proceed. Forms and envelopes can be picked up in the church foyer. For those who have not renewed their 2020 memberships, it is not too late! Thank you to all those who continue to support our CWL and the programs we in turn support. If you are currently not a member and wish to become one, we would love to have you join us!



**St. Mary's
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\$25,000.00**

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\$9,960.00**

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FROM THE PASTOR'S



Dear Friends in Jesus Christ!!

As you may know, with the beginning of Advent in our Church, we also celebrate the liturgical new year. Advent is a quiet season of change. In our St. Mary's Church, these are the changes which will take effect next week December 1, 2020.

Saturday Confession

Father will be available in the church for confession from 3 pm till 4:30 pm.

(To accommodate more people in the advent season)

Weekday Masses

Wednesday to Saturday at 10 am. (Tuesday still at 6 pm) (Saturday morning mass is not observed as Sunday obligation)

The Anointing of the Sick

Fr. Gino would like to visit, hear confession, pray and anoint the sick. Kindly book these visits through the office.

Office

Father Gino will be available in the office 9 am -12 pm, Tuesday to Saturday.

Thank you for your great support.

In Love and Truth

Fr. Gino Mathias

CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

Thursday, December 24

5pm Mass @ St. Mary's
8pm Mass @ Our Lady of Lourdes
11pm Mass @ St. Mary's

Friday, December 25

11am Mass @ St. Mary's

Thursday, December 31

5pm Mass @ St. Mary's

Friday, January 1, 2021

9am Mass @ Our Lady of Lourdes
11am Mass @ St. Mary's

We will have a sign-up sheet at the back of the church for you to choose which mass you plan to attend. We need to determine if we need to have an overflow area in the basement for any of the masses.