

## <u>December 20, 2020</u> FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

MASSES FOR THE WEEK Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> 6<sup>pm</sup> + Willie Kempf – Bernice, John & Michael Wednesday 23rd **10**<sup>am</sup> + Robert McNay - Anna Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> CHRISTMAS EVE 5<sup>pm</sup> + John & + Lena Duchnicki and + Mary & + Maurice Vaillancourt – Tom & Rochelle Duchnicki **8<sup>pm</sup>** (OLOL) Intentions of All Parishioners **11<sup>pm</sup>** Intentions of All Parishioners Fridav 25<sup>th</sup> CHRISTMAS DAY **11**<sup>am</sup> Intentions of All Parishioners Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> **10**<sup>am</sup> Intentions of the Carlson Family **5**<sup>pm</sup> + Gertie Buiold – Bob & Paulette DeVos Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> (9am at OLOL) THE HOLY FAMILY **OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH 9**<sup>am</sup> + Eugene McPherson – The Family and + Billy Bird – The Family

**11**<sup>am</sup> + Denis DeGagné – The LePine Family

## December 20, 2020 Fourth Sunday of Advent

**1st reading: (**2 Samuel 7.1-5, 8b-12, 14a-16**) 2nd reading: (**Romans 16.25-27**) Gospel: (**Luke 1.26-38**)** 

You will conceive in your womb and bear a

son.

## **Ministry Schedule**

Dec. 19 - Kim (Lector), Susan F. (EMHC) Dec. 20 – Joanne (Lector), Bryan (EMHC) Dec. 26 – Anna (Lector), Monique (EMHC) Dec. 27 – Marie (Lector), Gina (EMHC)



# Your collection envelopes for 2021 are available in the lobby!

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!



## Contact Tracing

We will now be asking parishioners to sign in when they come to mass. There will be a sheet at the entrance to be completed when coming into the church.



As we approach the great feast of the Nativity of our Lord, we, here in St. Mary's church go the extra mile to keep the church safe and comfortable for everyone who comes in these days.

Our custodians keep the church clean and sanitize the pews and common places everyday.

Everyone wears a mask inside the church. Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, the Altar servers, and the Pastor sanitize their hands before sharing communion.

For Christmas masses, sign-up sheets are placed and everyone who has signed up is given a ticket of separate colours for the mass they plan to attend.

Confessions are heard either in the meeting hall or in the confessional. SMS (Sanitization – Masks – Social Distance) is very ritually followed in our church. So, come to worship and celebrate with us in a safe, hygienic, comfortable and spiritual environment. Father Gino Mathias

#### <u>CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR'S MASS</u> <u>SCHEDULE</u> 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

There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church for you to chose which mass you plan to attend. The masses on Christmas Eve are almost at maximum capacity. If you have signed up for any holiday masses, please stop by the Parish Office for a colour coded ticket for the mass you plan to attend. The doors to the parish will be open appoximately one hour before the service. You will need your ticket to get into the church.



Christmas Office Hours



The Parish Office will be closed for the holidays at noon on Thursday, December 24<sup>th</sup>. The office will re-open on Monday, January 4<sup>th</sup>. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. If you have correspondence for the office, please put it in the secure, locked mailbox on the front of the building to the left of the main doors. In case of emergency, contact Father Gino at 807-228-4524.

## Let us not love with words or tongue but with actions and in truth.

Please remember to reach out to members of our community who are alone, especially during the holiday season.

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.

#### ST. MARY'S 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 Blase, Kathryn Pierroz, Yvette Beck

> Offertory Collection for St. Mary's <u>Weekend Of</u> December 13 – \$2858.00 <u>Counting Teams</u> December 21 – Gina December 29 - Evelyn



### 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 <u>Weekend of</u> December 13 - \$900.00

### 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. The remaining envelopes have been mailed out. This is the last week to get donations in so we have time to get them to the Diocese office by December 31, 2020.

## Please get your donations in today.



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 with to become one, we would love to have you join us!



Congratulations to Rochelle Kennett who won the St. Mary's CWL 50/50 draw (\$2990.00) and a huge thank you to Evelyn, Mitzi, Sandra and Micaela and to all who purchased and sold tickets. Well done! Also, congratulations to Karla Stamarski who won Our Lady of Lourdes CWL 50/50 draw (\$685.00). Thanks to everyone who sold and purchased tickets!!