



We are so humbly thankful for the generosity and love that St. Mary's Parish has blessed our little community with. The Christmas Season brings such a wealth of happiness to many ... and, yet, a wealth of sadness and frustration to others.

Your gifts of love to the less fortunate have blessed them this Christmas in many ways you will never know. Seeing smiles with tears of appreciation just tugs at my heart. Thank you so very much for this Christian act of kindness and love.

To those who worked many hours planning, shopping, wrapping, and delivering the food boxes, ham and fruit and then the gifts, may God bless you richly for those hours you spent away from your own families to bless others.

On behalf of me, my staff and our community, we would like to wish you the precious gifts of peace, joy and serenity during this most holy holiday season.

It is in this spirit that we express our sincere gratitude and wish you all a beautiful Christmas in God's love.
Sharon, Property Manager

MASS INTENTIONS

January 14 - 20, 2019

Monday, January 14—Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. †George Bernhardt by Adrian & Ginny O'Hanlon

Noon †Mary Lockhart by Mary Callahan
(Bilingual) *Hebrews 1:1-6; Mark 1:14-20*

Tuesday, January 15—Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Intentions of Sandra Clemens by Randy & Carolina Christopher

Noon †Lorena Scoggins by Keith & Anna Nelson
(Bilingual) *Hebrews 2:5-12; Mark 1:21-28*

Wednesday, January 16—Ordinary Time

9:30 a.m. †Bob Fair, Sr. by Joe & Katie Engle
Hebrews 2:14-18; Mark 1:29-39

Thursday, January 17—Saint Anthony, Abbot

8:00 a.m. †Don Martin by Sharon Vrla
Hebrews 3:7-14; Mark 1:40-45

Friday, January 18—Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. †Jackie and †Zach Alvarez by Jack Chiles
Hebrews 4:1-5, 11; Mark 2:1-12

Saturday, January 19—Ordinary Time

4:30 p.m. †Evelyn Stafford by Skotnik Family
Isaiah 62:1-5; John 2:1-11

Sunday, January 20—Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. †Msgr. Gerald Hughes by Ed Szafranski

10:30 a.m. †Charles Whaley by Knights of Columbus, Council #1289

12:30 p.m. Intentions of Fr. Jeremy by Parishioners
Isaiah 62:1-5; John 2:1-11



Gifts wrapped and ready to be delivered.

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



Almighty ever-living God, who, when Christ had been baptized in the River Jordan and as the Holy Spirit descended upon him, solemnly declared him your beloved Son, grant that your children by adoption, reborn of water and the Holy Spirit, may always be well pleasing to you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Please remember in your prayers all the sick and suffering, especially Kahlan Malacara, daughter of Sean & Sofia Malacara. May she know the healing and loving presence of God.

Please remember in your prayers all the faithful departed, especially Dee Beaver, who died last week. May God grant her peace and eternal salvation.

We want to wish a happy anniversary to all couples celebrating a wedding anniversary this week, especially Tom & Mary Jonse and Stephen & Melissa Sandoval. May their love for each other grow with each year.

St. Mary's School wishes to thank all parishioners for supporting the school by participating in our Run Run Rudolph Fun Run. Over \$15,000 was raised in support of Catholic education. May God bless you all.



St. Mary's Middle School and High School Youth Groups will meet this Sunday, January 13th, from 5 to 6:30 p.m., in the Upper Room. Bring a friend, and come find out what is happening in youth group in the new year! Email heidischeibmeir@gmail.com

for more information, or if you'd like to help with youth group.

Women's Guild will meet this Monday, January 14th, at 9:30 a.m. in the Parish Center. Hostesses will be Rosa Hancock and Coralee Zdeb.

The Senior Citizens Potluck Luncheon is this Wednesday, January 16th, at noon in the Parish Center.



Spanish Baptismal Preparation Class is this Wednesday, January 16th, at 7 p.m. in the Parish Center.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP

BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 9-14

All boys and girls ages 9 to 14 are invited to participate in the local level of competitions for the 2019 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship. The local competition will be held this Saturday, January 19th, at 4:30 p.m. in the McCullough Center at St. Mary's School. All boys and girls age 9 to 14 years old are eligible to participate and will compete in their respective age divisions. Participants are required to furnish proof of age so a copy of birth certificate is required. Registration can be completed before the contest or on the day of contest. For additional information or to pre-register, contact Andy Marak at 903-814-0800. Sponsors are Sherman Knights of Columbus, Council #1289, and Denison Knights of Columbus, Council #830.

STEWARDSHIP FOR JANUARY 6, 2019

NEEDED TO MEET BUDGET	\$14,500.00
RECEIVED	<u>\$17,017.50</u>
DIFFERENCE	\$ 2,517.50
DIFFERENCE YEAR TO DATE	\$ 2,517.50

Blessings and gratitude to you for your generosity.

"We know the sacrifice that God gave to us to show how much he loves us. How we use our time, talent and treasure shows God how much we love him."

Author Unknown



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