

Masses, Confessions and Devotions

(Saint of the day in parenthesis is for the Extraordinary Form)

Saturday, December 31st—OCTAVE DAY OF CHRISTMAS (both)

6:35 am Exposition; 7:35 am Rosary; 7:55—8:10 am Confession

8:15 am Mass—**Int. St. Monica Sodality**

3:00 pm Confession; 3:30 pm Rosary

4:00 pm (OF) Anticipated Mass of the Feast of Mary, Mother of God—**Int. Edward Garvin by Thomas and Carlene Jeroma**

Sunday, January 1st—SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD (Octave Day of Christmas)

6:15 am Exposition; 7:40 am Rosary; 7:35—7:45 Confession

8:00 am (OF) Mass—**Int. Cecelia Smith by Janet Blake**

11:30 am Mass—**Int. For All Parishioners**

Monday, January 2nd—St. Basil the Great and St. Gregory Nazianzen (The Most Holy Name of Jesus) RETREAT BEGINS—SEE RETREAT SCHEDULE

6:00 pm Adoration & Confession; 6:40 Benediction

7:00 pm (OF) Mass—**Int. Edwin Peplinski Family Living & Deceased by Susan Sotak**

Tuesday, January 3rd—The Most Holy Name of Jesus (Feria of Christmastide) RETREAT CONTINUES

8:15 am Mass—**Int. Holy Souls in Purgatory by Brad Nursey**

6:00 pm Adoration & Confession; 6:40 pm Benediction

7:00 pm (OF) Mass—**Int. Cheryl Petroskey by Al & Jean Garvin**

Wednesday, January 4th—St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (both) RETREAT CONTINUES

8:15 am (OF) Mass—**Int. For the Children (Spouses) and Grandchildren of Joe & Margaret Siemiantkowski**

6:00 pm Adoration; 6:40 pm Benediction

7:00 pm (OF) Mass—**Int. Fr. Michael Janowski by Doug & Jan Wigton**

Thursday, January 5th—St. John Neumann (St. Telesphorus) RETREAT CONTINUES

All At Holy Rosary

7:00 pm (OF) Mass—**Int. Ken Tondreau, Jr. by Carol Jones & Jennie Czyrka**

8:45 pm Adoration & Confession

Friday, January 6th—St. Andre Bessette (Epiphany of the Lord) RETREAT CONCLUDES

8:15 am (OF) Mass—**Int. Adam & Loretta (Miser) Panek**

9:00 am Three Kings Epiphany Holy Water Blessing

10:00—3:00 pm Exposition/Adoration

3:00 pm Benediction; 3:15 pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Saturday, January 7th—St. Raymond of Penyafort (Saturday of Our Lady)

6:35 am Exposition; 7:35 am Rosary; 7:55 am Confession

8:15 am Mass—**Int. In Thanksgiving for Greg, Family, Friends, Holy Rosary Parishioners & Graces Received by Christina & Greg Lukas**

3:00 pm Confession; 3:30 pm Rosary

4:00 pm (OF) Anticipated Mass for the Epiphany of the Lord—**Int. Claire Garthe by Emily Couturier**

Sunday, January 8th—The Epiphany of the Lord (Holy Family)

6:15 am Exposition; 7:35 am Confession; 7:40 am Rosary

8:00 am (OF) Mass—**Int. For All Parishioners**

9:15 am Adoration & Confession for Faith Formation Families

10:45 am Confession (for those unable to come other times)

11:30 am Mass—**Int. Timothy Trudeau by the Clint Couturier Family**

For The Coming Week:

4:00 pm Saturday, January 7th

Anticipated Mass for the Epiphany of the Lord

Cantors: Donna Peterson

Lector: Bonnie Barley

Servers: Christopher Ursu, Thomas Barley, Curtis Bunek

Ushers: Kent Zimmerman, Ron April, Felix Rice, Danny Brzezinski

8:00 am Sunday, January 8th

The Epiphany of the Lord

Cantor: Chris Steffke

Lector: Carol Roach

Servers: Dale, Matthew & Jacob Pleva, John Mawby, Micah Thoreson, Sam, Jacob & Isaiah Grant

Ushers: Bob Novak, Fred Peplinski, Mike Mawby, Dan Petroskey

11:30 am Sunday, January 8th

The Epiphany of the Lord

Servers: Jack & Matthew Bardenhagen, Jake, Isaiah, Joshua, Levi & Elijah Belanger, Nicholas

Dubravec, Anthony Evich, Danny, John & Joseph Freundl, David Witkowski

Ushers: Alfred Corp, Basil Bardenhagen

Catholic Radio is Back on the Air!

88.3 FM, Catholic Radio for Northern Michigan, was down for a week while the transmitter was moved on the tower. Let people know we're back on the air!

Holy Rosary Books & Gifts

Beautiful 2012 Calendars with both the EF and OF Mass feast days and the guides for the Liturgy of the Hours are now available! **Hours are this Saturday from 9 am-12pm; we will not be open after the weekend's masses due to New Years.**

Rosary Society Social

The Rosary Society warmly welcomes all Band Leaders, Band Members, and all the women of the Parish who are contemplating membership, to our annual gathering. We will be meeting on Tuesday, January 10th at 6:00 pm for hors d'oeuvres, coffee, punch, and a social hour. This is time set aside for the entire Society to come together to share experiences with each other, to welcome the newly elected Officers, and to offer a warm thank you to the Officers leaving their positions. If you are thinking of joining, please come and meet our members and learn more about the Society...and bring a friend!

Potluck-Liturgy-Documents of Vatican II

Second & Fourth Sundays of the Month: Potluck 12:45 pm, Documents on the Liturgy at 1:00 pm, Adult Catechism at 2:15 pm, all concluding at 3:15 pm. **The next Class is Sunday, January 8, 2012. Please note there will not be potluck/class on January 22, 2012**

This Week:

Monday, January 2-6: Parish Retreat—details below

Looking Ahead:

Sunday, January 8: TAG 3-5 pm

Monday, January 9: Michigan Blood Cedar Hilltoppers 3-7 pm

Tuesday, January 10: Rosary Society at 6:00 pm

Wednesday, January 11: First Sacraments Class 6:15 pm

Your Delicious Recipes Are Needed!

Please turn in your recipes for our Parish cookbook in the plastic container located in the Guadalupe room by January 31, 2012. All profits will benefit our Capital Campaign. This is our chance to **shine forth** our cooking talents to the community so please turn in as many recipes as you would like! Questions: Please call Joan Garvin: 228-6557 or Caroline Bardenhagen: 271-3369

6th Annual Respect Life Presentation

Sunday January 22, 2012 at Immaculate Conception Church from 2:45—4:30 pm. Greg Robinson will be the Master of Ceremonies for our presentation “Putting our Lives into the Hands of God.” Guest speakers will be Mrs. Trish Zamarron on Theology of the body by Blessed John Paul II and Mrs. Anna Couturier on Divine Mercy. Hors d’oeuvres will follow. Please call 944-6937 for more information.

Grand Traverse Area Right to Life is hosting a funeral procession lead by Covell Funeral Home, departing from St. Francis Church at 1:30 pm marching to the Tomb of the Unborn at Oakwood Cemetery for a memorial service beginning at 2:10 pm to conclude at 2:30 pm.

Epiphany Water Blessing

January 6th after the morning Mass at 9:00 am. Please have water ready; **large necked** bottles work best to put in the salt. Chalk may be brought for blessing, too. **NOTE: Please bring to the server sacristy.**

Parish Retreat—“Christmas, the Angels and Our Mission”

Please make plans to attend our Retreat offered by the Canons Regular of the Holy Cross

Monday: January 2

6:00pm Talk for the youth “My Life is in God’s Hands” Fr. Ludwig (Church Basement)
6:00pm Adoration/Confessions Fr. Matthew (Main Church)
6:40pm Benediction
7:00pm Mass (Ordinary form)
7:45pm Talk for everyone “Mary the Mother of the Word” Fr Matthew (Main Church)

Tuesday: January 3

Mass at 8:15am
9:00am Talk for youth Fr. Ludwig “God’s Call Meditations from Holy Scripture” (Main Church)
6:00pm Adoration/Confession
6:40pm Benediction
7:00pm Mass (Ordinary Form)
7:45pm Talk for everyone “Forgiveness” Fr. Ludwig (Main Church)

Wednesday: January 4

8:15am Mass
6:00pm Adoration
6:40pm Benediction
7:00pm Mass (Ordinary Form)
7:45pm Talk for everyone “Angel Communication” Fr. Matthew (Main Church)

Thursday: January 5

7:00pm Mass Ordinary form (at Holy Rosary this week)
7:45pm Talk for everyone “The Holy Cross and Our Life” Fr. Ludwig (Main Church)
8:45pm (After talk) Adoration /Confession

Friday: January 6

8:15am Mass Ordinary Form
9:00am Three King’s Epiphany Holy Water Blessing
9:15am Talk for youth (title TBA) Fr. Ludwig (Main Church)

“Free will donations appreciated”

December 17th & 18th

Envelopes...(97)...\$4155.00
Loose\$295.92
Total.....\$4450.92
Tridentine...(18).....\$550.00
Loose.....\$356.00
Total.....\$906.00

December 24th & 25th

Envelopes...(83)...\$3467.00
Loose\$1011.55
Christmas.....\$2080.00
Total.....\$7222.00
Tridentine...(16).....\$288.00
Christmas.....\$477.00
Total.....\$765.00

If you forget your envelope, please be sure to write your envelope number on the visitor envelope or on your check to receive proper credit.

Merry Christmas,

As the Christmas Octave ends, our focus on the Christ child increases — from birth, to His manifestation this week at Epiphany, and finally to His Presentation as the glory of the temple on February 2nd. Come! Let us adore Him at the crib and in front of the Blessed Sacrament that the fruit of Christmas might last.

Make sure to attend the Retreat this week (see the schedule this page of the bulletin) and meditate on these great points of our faith with the two priests, postulant and sister that will be with us!

As we begin the New Year, the Mother of God directs our gaze in the right direction. Within one week we have celebrated two out of the the four Dogmas of Mary: her perpetual virginity, and today, her Motherhood — not of a human being, but of God. Let us mediate with her at the Crib.

Once again, a big thanks to everyone that helped out with Christmas - so many people in so many ways!

Parish council met last week, with three new members: Patti Keim, Neil Witkowski, and Michael Kelly who will be a great addition to our other six. Welcome to them! We continued discussion on the apse roof, and okayed the work in the convent to save money on heat through insulation and some rezoning of the heating, and soon on to the convent chapel. Also, discussion continued on the electrical update in the school to meet code. Money from the pancake breakfast went to the the capital campaign. The ushers met and duties were reviewed. Jackets will be purchased.

A blessed Christmas Season to you all!
Fr. Libby

Daily Mass Time Change—Winter Hours

The Wednesday morning Mass will move from 7:30 am to 8:15 am, and the Monday and Thursday evening Masses will move from 7:30 pm to 7:00 pm beginning the week of January 9th. The Parish Office hours will then be from 9:00-1:30 on Wednesdays beginning that week also.

Right to Life News

Thanks to all of you who signed up for the Right to Life Ad— Holy Rosary had a good number of signatures for this ad in support of life.

A new Right to Life Contact is being sought to coordinate announcements and activities between the Right to Life and Parish offices. If you are interested, please call Leona Flaska at 228-5934 to learn more.