

DECEMBER 20, 2020 - Fourth Sunday of Advent

SACRED HEART PARISH (SH); SAINTS CYRIL & METHODIUS PARISH (SSCM)
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MONDAY, December 21

No Mass

TUESDAY, December 22

No Mass

WEDNESDAY, December 23

Parish Office Closed

6:00 – 6:30 p.m. SH, Sacrament of Penance
(confessions / confesiones)

THURSDAY, December 24

Parish Office Closed

*Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord,
Christmas Eve*

5:00 p.m. SH, Eucharist

6:30 p.m. SH, Eucharist

8:00 p.m. SSCM, Eucharist

FRIDAY, December 25

Parish Office Closed

*Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord,
Christmas Day*

9:30 a.m. SH, Eucharist

SATURDAY, December 26

Saint Stephen, first martyr; feast

Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

5:00 p.m. SH, Sunday Eucharist

SUNDAY, December 27

8:00 a.m. SSCM, Sunday Eucharist

9:30 a.m. SH, Sunday Eucharist

ENVELOPES: Please pick up your parish contribution envelopes. If you do not find your name on a box, please take a box with no name. Be sure to write your name and phone number on the envelopes during at least the first month. Please make updates and corrections on the first envelope used in January 2021.

Por favor de recoger sus sobres de contribución parroquial. Si no encuentra su nombre en una caja, por favor tome una caja sin nombre. Asegúrese de escribir su nombre y número de teléfono en los sobres durante por lo menos el primer mes. Por favor haga actualizaciones y correcciones en el primer sobre que usé en enero de 2021.

FUTURE EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, December 30

Parish Office Closed

THURSDAY, December 31

Parish Office Closed

Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord

Holyday of Obligation / New Year's Eve

8:00 p.m. SH, Eucharist

FRIDAY, January 1, 2021

Parish Office Closed

Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord

*Holyday of Obligation / New Year's Day / World Day of Prayer
for Peace*

No Mass

WEDNESDAY, January 6, 2021

6:30 – 7:30 p.m. SH, CCF Building, Room 5, CCF-Adults
Deacon Jay Vocelka will lead the sessions on the first
Wednesday of each month. The topic for January is the
manifestation of Christ to the world then and today.

FOR THE WEEK

Scripture Readings

Monday: Sg 2:8-14 Lk 1:39-45

Tuesday: 1Sm 1:24-28 Lk 1:46-56

Wednesday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24 Lk 1:57-66

Thursday: 2Sm 7:1-5, 8-12, 14, 16 Lk 1:67-69

Friday: Is 52:7-10 Heb 1:1-6 Jn 1:1-18

Saturday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59 Mt 10:17-22

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 Col 3:12-21 Lk 2:22-40

Remember in your prayers the following Catholic clergy:

Pope Francis, Bishop Brendan Cahill, Bishop Emeritus David E. Fellhauer, Rev. Patrick Knippenberg, Rev. Robert Knippenberg, Rev. Jacob Koether and Deacon Larry Koether.

Mass Intentions

+Rhonda Freytag, +Kenneth Freytag, +Della & Louie Greive, +Agnes & Frank Vybiral, +Henrietta & Henry Mica, +Julia Stryk, +Charlie H. Migl; +Brian Brunner; +Libby Otahal, +Dale Teague; Parishioners of Saints Cyril & Methodius and Sacred Heart; +Edna & George Zimmerhanel, +Lillie & Gary Zimmerhanel, +Helen & John Kocian, +Jossie & Edwin Krametbauer, +Gerald Pospisil, +Leon Krametbauer, +Gene Krametbauer, +Bubba Pritchard; +Gene Syrinek; Parishioners of Saints Cyril & Methodius & Sacred Heart

MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

I encourage each family to review the Mass schedule for Christmas Eve/Day listed in this bulletin, and to decide early as to which Mass is best to attend. Please don't leave the decision to Thursday afternoon. Please note that an additional Mass will be celebrated on Christmas Eve at Sacred Heart Church and the Mass celebrated on Christmas Eve at Saints Cyril & Methodius Church will be earlier than in past years. I praise God for both: those who have been attending while practicing the required precautions, and those who have decided not to attend Mass to remain safe during this COVID-19 pandemic. On that note, if you haven't been attending, I don't think Christmas is the time to return. During this most recent surge in COVID-19 cases and deaths, let's continue what we've been doing until the coast is clear. I would hate to turn anyone away, but we cannot have overcrowding in the churches. I know that Christmas is traditionally an important time to celebrate with the community, but there is no guilt in playing it safe this year by celebrating at home only. A special At Home Liturgy of the Word worship aid will be provided for just that.

Animo a cada familia a revisar el horario de las misas para la víspera de Navidad / día que se enumera en este boletín y decidir con anticipación a qué misa es mejor asistir. No deje la decisión para el jueves por la tarde. Tenga en cuenta que se celebrará una Misa adicional en la víspera de Navidad en Sacred Heart Church y la Misa celebrada en la víspera de Navidad en Saints Cyril & Methodius Church será antes que en años anteriores. Alabo a Dios por ambos: aquellos que han estado asistiendo mientras practicaban las precauciones requeridas, y aquellos que han decidido no asistir a misa para permanecer seguros durante esta pandemia de COVID-19. En ese sentido, si no ha asistido, no creo que Navidad sea el momento de volver. Durante este aumento más reciente de casos y muertes por COVID-19, continuemos con lo que hemos estado haciendo hasta que la costa esté despejada. Odiaría rechazar a alguien, pero no podemos tener hacinamiento en las iglesias. Yo sé que la Navidad es tradicionalmente un momento importante para celebrar con la comunidad, pero no hay culpa en ir a lo seguro este año celebrando solo en el hogar. Se proporcionará una ayuda especial una orden de La Liturgia de la Palabra en el Hogar para eso.

Advent Peace / Paz de Adviento, Eddie Winkler

OUR OFFERING TO GOD

Saints Cyril & Methodius Parish

Various Sunday Contributions: \$448.00
Collection for Retired Religious: \$490.00

Sacred Heart Parish

Various Sunday Contributions: \$1,444.00
Collection for Retired Religious: \$366.00

SAINT ANNE ALTAR SOCIETY meeting has been canceled due to the pandemic. Membership dues in the amount of \$10 may be given to Isabel Martinez. Please make checks payable to Saints Cyril & Methodius Church.

The January birthday celebration at Oak Manor Nursing Center will be sponsored by Saint Anne Altar Society. Since visitors are not permitted, Pat Montgomery will deliver the refreshments.

CHRISTMAS FLOWER OFFERINGS

Saints Cyril & Methodius Parish

Della Mae Urban in memory of the Urban & Gwosdz Families

Sacred Heart Parish

Charlie Bartos, Jr., Angie Hajek & Annette Kocurek in memory of Charlie, Annie & Mary Bartos

Nancy & Paul Jasek in celebration of the 95th birthday of Mary Jasek

Jeanette & Greg Kadlub in memory of Gladys & Edwin Kurtz, Jean & Karl Kadlub

Michael Muras in memory of the Stryk and Muras Families
Don Petrsek in memory of Lillie M. & Tom Petrsek

Sue & Carl Taylor in memory of Bessie & John Pechacek
Carol & Charlie Vrana in memory of Gary Zouzalik, Agnes & Frank Zouzalik, Albina & John Bartos, Tillie & Daniel Zouzalik

Jeanette & Ervan Zouzalik in memory of Ann & R.D. Zapalac, Julia & Eddie Zouzalik

In Memory of Bernice Beale

THERE ARE SPECIAL FLOWER ENVELOPES at the church entrances to use if you want to make a donation toward the flowers that are ordered for the Christmas Season. You can make the donation in memory of a loved one or in commemoration of an event like a birthday or anniversary.

Hay sobres de flores especiales en las entradas de la iglesia para usar si desea hacer una donación para las flores que se ordenan para la temporada navideña. Puedes hacer la donación en memoria de un ser querido o en conmemoración de un evento como un cumpleaños o aniversario.

PLEASE, PRAY FOR THE SICK.

Moe Abdelbagi, Giselle Aguilon, Andrea & Jerry Alvarado, Agnes & Leonard Barta, Carol Barta, J. D. Bartek, Della Bartos, Bennie Beale, Elva & David Benavides, Donald Bennett, Angeline Boehnke, Dawn Bratton, Ted Bratton, Dub Brazzel, Kenneth Brosch, Georgia Brunner, Mario Bye & Family, Barbara Charba & family, Ben Charba, Linda Clabourne, Jackie Coldewey, Analea Del Rio, John Demny, Emma Dunham, Emery Eldridge, Jena Ermis, Mason Ermis, E.J. Filip, Leroy Florus, Cathy Frazier, Doris & Lonnie Garbade, William J. Gosch, Jill Borel Gough, Betty & Raymond Harbich, Lincoln Hardy, Vicki Hartzell, Roy Henderson, Lenore Hernandez, Estella & Ed Hughes, Joyce Hutcherson, Karen Janak, Charlie Jurak, Merlene & Ed Jurek, Greg Kadlub, Sharyn Kahlden, Carolyn Kallus, Daniel Kocian, Ronnie Koncaba, Nadine Krischke, Caitlyn & Tyler Le Pori, Keith Le Pori, Bridget Lev, Georgie & Joe Lev, David Lev, Myrtle Maeker, Maria Angelse Manzano & Family, Tiffany Marek & family, Anthony Martin, Kim McCoy, Chuck Meyer, Margaret & Victor Molnoskey, E. Norma Montoya, Linda Munos, Peggy Napier, Adela Netro, Earline & Bennie Okruhlik, Evelyn Okruhlik, Rudy Patek, William Psencik, Connie Perales, Almeda Poth, Samantha Ramirez, Norm Ratliff, Richard Ratliff, Mariana Reyes, Barbara Richter, Juanita Rosas, Olga Salazar, Mike Schulze, Brandon Smolik, Lynn Stanley, Bradley Stavinoha, Edward Stech, Skylar Stephens, Evelyn Syrinek, Janice Taubert, Victor Tichacek, Jacob Vargas, Bruce Vecera, Felix Velasquez, Stella Velasquez, Julia Webster and Ervan Zouzalik.