

**ANNOUNCED MASSES**

**Saturday, November 30, St. Andrew, The Apostle**

4.00PM Zofia & Alexander Jakubowski by The Family

**Sunday, December 1, First Sunday of the Advent**

9.00 AM Deceased Members of the Ciuffreda Family by

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11.15AM Albert Stierheim by St. Anthony's Rosary Society

**Monday, December 2**

8.30AM Albert Stierheim by Margie Granese

**Tuesday, December 3, St. Francis Xavier, Priest**

8.30 AM Maureen Marshall by Elizabeth & Ted Nied

**Wednesday, December 4, St. John Damascene, Priest & Doctor of the Church**

8.30 AM No Mass

**Thursday, December 5**

8.30 AM All Souls Day Novena

**Friday, December 6, St. Nicholas, Bishop**

8.30 AM No Mass

**Saturday, December 7, St. Ambrose, Bishop & Doctor of the Church**

4.00PM Stephania & Frank Puzio by The Daughter & the Family

**Sunday, December 8, Second Sunday of the Advent**

9.00 AM Naomi Fulfree by Jerry & Lee Rowdycz

11.15AM Caroline Fraccio by St. Anthony's Rosary & Altar Society

**LECTOR SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30**

4.00 PM Kathleen Johnson

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1**

9.00 AM Marsha Sereno & Rose Paolini

11:15 AM Andrew Valenti

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7**

4.00 PM Kathleen Johnson

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8**

9.00 AM Ed Kennedy

11:15 AM Andrew Valenti

**PARISH PRAYER LIST**

Please Pray for Don Tedesco, Marilyn Pizzonia, Michael Dean, Michele Griesbaum, Lisa Donohue, James Valenti, Kathleen Quinn, Vincent Russo, Aliya Rachlin, Tara Byrne, Anthony Giordano, Bob Einterz, Andrea Fedoruk, Nicky Castagna, Jane Schneider, Michael and Matthew Mclean, and Samantha. For Our Military Personnel: Michael Donnelly, Vaughn Schlott, Ana Lucia Teran-Stasilli, Arianar Severf, Larry Weiss, Martin Kamen, Peggy Connolly, Mary Ann, Kimberly Chatfield, Isabella Marchese, Ira Glickler, Rose Infantino, Cathy Gerrard, Linda Bozza, Margaret Payne, Stephanie Freer Greyden Freer, Collen Kent, Karen Fullone, Carol Scott, Eileen Hoynes Hope Traver, Louise Smith, Karen Fullone, Stephen Scognamiglio, Pam Kocher, Anne Hellevig, Gabriella Francesca Maria Paolini, James Vincent Paolini, Janice Mutia, Rose Ann Donnadio, Steven & Kelly Spencer, Spencer Michael Rose, Pastor Linda Bohs, Jeanne Boyar Arniery.

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**First Reading: Isaiah 2:1-5**

The words of Isaiah urge all people to forsake war and to live in peace forever. The tone reaches a climax in the words, "One nation shall not raise the sword against another, nor shall they train for war again."

**Second Reading: Romans 13:11-14**

Paul invites us to put away all the things of darkness and sin and to prepare for the coming of Christ.

**Gospel: Matthew 24:37-44**

A comparison is made between the destruction caused by the flood in Noah's time and the need to be prepared for the second coming of Christ. "You must be prepared in the same way. The Son of Man is coming at the time you least expect."

Rejoice and be glad that so great and good a Lord, on coming into the Virgin's womb, willed to appear despised, needy, and poor in this world, so that men who were in dire poverty and suffering great need of heavenly food might be made rich in him.

- Saint Clare of Assisi

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP**

**We are grateful to all who contribute so generously**

**Sunday Collection \$ 1617.00**

**Fuel Collection \$ 70.00**

**Thank you for your continued support & generosity**

## ADVENT AFTERNOON OF PRAYER

Sunday, December 8, 2019

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

BKT Religious Education Center  
16 Frankie Lane, Liberty, New York

Conducted by:

Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, S.C.

Mass:

Rev. Joselin Berkman, MMI

Be watchful!!! The four weeks of Advent are for remembering this important advice. Each day we are given 24 precious hours to live. How many of those hours do we spend working for material success and all the problems it brings: worry, anxiety, greed, envy, and anger to name a few? As Advent begins, let us make an effort to reclaim some of these valuable hours by putting ourselves in the hands of God and spending them on faith, love and concern for others.

**Please join us for an afternoon of prayerful reflection**

**Confession at 3:30 – Sunday liturgy at 4:00**

Donation: \$4.00

Please mail to: BKT Religious Education Center,  
P.O. Box 1011, Liberty, New York 12754  
845-292-9100

*Please make checks payable to:  
Sisters of St. Dominic*

Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## ADVENT RECONCILIATION MONDAY

December 16th

Confessions are heard from 4:00pm to 7:00pm in our parish. Advent gives us a wonderful opportunity to preach on the importance the Sacrament of Penance, and to remind our people that this Sacrament is the best way to prepare for the joy of Christmas and celebrating the birth of Our Savior. Please come with your whole family and do a worthy confession in order to make our Lord Jesus Christ be born in each and every one of our hearts.

## ADVENT DAY OF PRAYER

We will be having our Advent Day of Prayer on Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> from 1.30 to 3.30 PM and we will be closing the Day of Prayer with Mass at 4 PM.

**Fr. David will be the Preacher on the Day of Prayer and the Celebrant for the Holy Mass.**

**Please come and make this day a fruitful one!**

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS SCHEDULE

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1**

9.00 AM Analucia Stasilli

11.15 AM Nancy Rizzi

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8**

9.00 AM Anna Meyer

11.15 AM Grace Garufi

## CHRISTMAS CAROLING AT PLANNED PARENTHOOD

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13 AT 1 PM IN PRINCE STREET, MONTICELLO**

Bringing the hope and joy of Christmas to a place of such darkness. With such despair inside this facility and inside the hearts of the men and women who go there, this is a beautiful opportunity to bring the good news of the birth of Jesus Christ through peaceful Christmas Caroling.

## SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF OUR BLESSED MOTHER

This year the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of our Blessed Mother falls on Sunday so this Feast is being celebrated on Monday, December 9<sup>th</sup> and it is not a Holy Day of Obligation. However the obligation to attend Mass on this day does not transfer. As usual we will have our Morning Mass at 8.30 AM. Come for Mass and receive the blessing from our Patroness.

## FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

For the winter months we will be having our First Friday Adoration from 9 AM after 8.30 AM Mass to 3 PM. Our next Adoration will be on First Friday, December 6<sup>th</sup> from 8.30 AM to 3 PM. Please sign up for an hour to be with the Lord.

## MASS BOOK 2020 IS OPEN

Mass Book for 2020 is open. If anyone is willing to offer mass for your loved ones, both living and deceased, please fill the form kept at the back of the Church and return it to the Rectory either by Mail or in person or put it in the collection basket.

**We have an obligation and duty to pray for our loved ones by offering mass for them.**

## CARDINAL EGAN LIBRARY

**LIBRARY HOURS: SUNDAY 9.45 AM TO 1 PM**

## 200 CLUB

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