

Building Fund Second Collection Today

The recent second collection for the Ordinariate Priests' Retirement fund displaced the typical First Sunday collection for the Building Fund later than usual, to this weekend. If you gave for the Building Fund last weekend, thank you! Those contributions were duly allocated to the Building Fund. If you waited until today (for which this month's envelopes were dated), we will happily receive them at today's second collection. Thank you for aiding us in retiring the debt incurred for the renovation of our buildings in 2012.

Fresh Florida Fruit for Sale After Mass

Maria Kaupas Academy recently conducted a successful fundraiser featuring fresh fruit from Florida. Many thanks to all who participated! **Extra oranges and grapefruits were ordered** in order to meet a quota for free shipping, and are now on sale – competitively priced – after this weekend's Masses. We invite you to stock up on fresh fruit for the holidays, and to help us sell out of all our inventory to boot!

Daily Office Books

There has been a generous response to our appeal for the purchase of soon-to-be-published books for the recitation of the Daily Offices of Morning & Evening Prayer. Thank you! Our latest information is that orders by Ordinariate Parishes and Communities have exhausted the first printing of the books; a second printing is planned for additional sales to individuals desiring books for home use. We will keep you informed when they again become available.

Christmas Pageant Rehearsal

As always, the annual Christmas Pageant will be offered by the children of the Parish on the Fourth Sunday of Advent – **next Sunday, December 20** – during the 10:00 a.m. Mass. **Rehearsal will be Saturday the 19th at 9:00 a.m.** Parents, please bring as many costume items as you can gather from home for the usual cast of characters (no Three Kings this year, as the Gospel is from Luke, not Matthew).

Holiday Worship Schedule

Special liturgies for the holiday season are listed below. *In addition to these, Said Masses and 7 PM Sunday Masses will continue to be offered according to the usual weekly schedule.*

Saturday, Dec. 19, 9 AM	Pageant Rehearsal
Sunday, Dec. 20, 10 AM	Christmas Pageant
Thursday, Dec. 24, 7 PM	Christmas Eve Sol. Mass
Friday, Dec. 25, 7 AM	Christmas Day Said Mass
Friday, Dec. 25, 10 AM	Christmas Day Sung Mass
Sunday, Dec. 27, 10 AM	Holy Family Sunday
Thursday, Dec. 31 5:30 PM	Mary, Mother of God
Friday, Jan. 1, 7 & 11:15 AM	MMG Said Masses
Sunday, Jan. 3, 10 AM	Epiphany Sunday

Mary, Mother of God Masses Dec. 31 & Jan. 1

The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (January 1) is a Holy Day of Obligation. Solemn Vigil Mass will be on New Years Eve at 5:30 p.m.; Said Masses will be on January 1 at 7:00 and 11:15 a.m.

2021 Parish Calendars

Our handsome liturgical calendars for 2021 are available at the back of the church for \$5, which can be deposited in the adjacent secure cash box. Providing our contact information and complete schedule for Masses, Confessions, Sunday School, etc., these are a great way to share information about our Parish and our liturgical traditions with friends and family. Pick yours up while supplies last!

Bishop's Appeal

God bless all who have so generously responded to the 2020 Bishop's Appeal, which provides for services and programs that will widen the Ordinariate's ministry to those who seek full communion with the Catholic Church. If you have not yet responded, please do so today; pick up a pledge card, or visit www.ordinariate.net/bishops-appeal to give.