



CHRISTMAS GIFT CERTIFICATES FOR NEEDY FAMILIES – once again it is time to be thinking of those needing help with Christmas dinners and - again - we are looking for help with donations. We have placed “pink” envelopes marked “CHRISTMAS DINNERS FOR NEEDY FAMILIES” on the tables at all entrances. We encourage you to use one of these special “pink” envelopes when you make your donation. If there are any questions, please call 653-6830.

C. W. L. NEWS

MEMBERSHIP DUES - in the amount of \$32.00 can be deposited into the collection basket. Deadline for dues is **December 31st**.

**EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT
SUNDAYS**

December 11 - St. Rose of Lima 1-2 p.m.

December 18 - St. Mark's 1-2 p.m.

Benediction & Confession

WEEKLY

St. François de Sales, Fridays, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.,

Cathedral, Monday to Friday for one hour following Mass.

SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES - for 2023 are now on the table at the main entrance. If you do not already use church envelopes and would like to have a box prepared for you, please call 653-6830.

"CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS" CRAFT & BAKE SALE LUNCHEON - will be served at Stella Maris Church, Saint John, Sunday, December 11th, from 9:30 - 2:00. 15 vendors and an assortment of baked goods. Enjoy lunch - Turkey Soup or Chili with all the trimmings cost of \$6.00. Hope to see you there!

"I KNOW MY SHEEP" - All parishes across the diocese are participating in the "I Know My Sheep" census over the next month, when there is typically increased Mass attendance. The goal of the census is to update each parish database with current and accurate contact information for our parish families, to update the diocesan database, and to prepare for a planning study to test a potential diocesan wide capital campaign in 2023. Having updated information will also give our parishes a better idea of who is in our parish and hopefully improve communication. This weekend, and every weekend through to January 15, you will see census cards in the pews. We are asking each family to take just a few minutes to complete a card. These can be returned by placing them in the offertory basket, dropping them off at the parish office or sending them by mail. Thank you for your cooperation in this important effort.

Holy Redeemer Parish

316 Somerset Street

Saint John, NB E2K 2Y4

Telephone: 653-6830

Fax: 653-6864

stpiusx@nb.aibn.com

HolyRedeemerSJ.com

f facebook.com/HolyRedeemerSJ **t twitter.com/HolyRedeemerSJ**

Msgr. Brian Henneberry, V.G., Pastor

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday - 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Weekday Liturgies

Monday - NO MASS

Tuesday - 5:30 p.m. (Novena Mass)

Wednesday - NO MASS

Thursday - 9:00 a.m. Mass

Friday - NO MASS

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil at 4:00 p.m.

Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday - 5:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Saturday - 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment only. Please call the Rectory

Sacrament of Marriage

A six (6) month prior notice is requested

Ministry to the Sick

Please contact the Rectory if you or someone you know would like to be visited at home or in hospital



**December 11th, 2022
THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Our Masses for the week of December 12th Third Sunday of Advent

Monday		- NO MASS -
Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	- Adoration -
	5:30 p.m.	- NOVENA MASS -
		- Redemptorist Priests & Brothers who served St. Peter's Church
Wednesday		- NO MASS -
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	- Marie Corkery
Friday		- NO MASS -
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	- Memorial Mass
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	- Virginia Mabalot
	11:00 a.m.	- For the People



MEMORIALS TO BE CELEBRATED on Saturday, December 17th: *Mrs. Edit Enabudoso, Mrs. Felicia Obidike, Pa Andrew Egbor, Mrs. Veronica Egbor; Dec'd. members of Seaman family; Eileen McCurdy (a); Valma & Mary Landry; Dec'd. members of Brown & Enright families; William & Marjorie Mackin, Reginald & Doris Stoddart; Edward McCullough; Terry Amero (a); Leo (a), Celia & Ned McKenzie; Fr. Gerry Owens, C.Ss.R.; Parker & Audrey Johnston, Joseph & Eileen Healy; Marie McNulty (a)*

SUNDAY OFFERTORY - December 4th - (Incl. PAD) - \$6,182.00
Pro Life - \$757.00

CHRISTMAS DINNER - donations to date - \$10,166.00 - Thank You!



CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE – 2022
Christmas Eve – Saturday – December 24th
4:00 p.m. - Christmas Mass
5:30 p.m. - Christmas Mass
Christmas Day – Sunday – December 25th
10:00 a.m. - Christmas Mass

NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE
New Year's Eve – Saturday - December 31st
4:00 p.m. - New Year's Mass
New Year's Day – Sunday – January 1st, 2023
9:00 a.m. - New Year's Mass
11:00 a.m. - New Year's Mass

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

For Pope Francis and for his prayer intention for December for volunteers and their organizations, that they may work *with* the people they are working *for*.
We pray to the Lord.

For the Church in North and South America as we celebrate our Lady of Guadalupe, patroness of the Americas.
We pray to the Lord.

For Bishop Christian, beginning his fourth year as our Shepherd, and for those who work most closely with him in service to our Diocesan family.
We pray to the Lord.

For the poor, and for families who face staggering food prices and challenges in finding affordable housing.
We pray to the Lord.

For our children and grandchildren and for those who faithfully teach the message of John the Baptist and the Birth of Jesus.
We pray to the Lord.

For anyone who is ill and for each person in need of our prayers.
We pray to the Lord.

For those who have died NN..... and for those who offer comfort and consolation to people in mourning.
We pray to the Lord.

Sam Wakim, Danny Howlett, Donald Coholan,
Lawrence "Bunker" Barry, Ronald Valardo

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - classes will continue until the 4th Sunday of Advent, December 18th and resume on Friday, January 6th and Epiphany Sunday January 8th.



CHRISTMAS FLOWERS – donations in memory of loved ones are being accepted to assist with our **Flowers & Wreaths** display during the Christmas season. Please place your offering in an envelope marked "flowers" together with the names of those who will be remembered during our Christmas Masses. Please include your own name and envelope number. Donations will be accepted until next Sunday, December 18th.