

CHRISTMAS GIFT CERTIFICATES FOR NEEDY FAMILIES

All our gift certificates were passed out on December 17th with much appreciation from the recipients.

We are so very grateful to those who donated in the amount of \$16,213.95, - all of which paid for the certificates. We would also like to thank those volunteers who worked behind the scenes to make this possible: i.e.,

or parishioners, the Quilters, the CWL, Knights of Columbus, and those who donated 'knit' goods and toiletries to fill a gift bag for all those in need.

C.W.L. dues for 2025 (\$32.00) - are now due and if you have not already paid, these may be deposited in the Sunday collection. Please mark "C.W.L. dues" on your envelope. **Deadline for dues is Dec. 31**st.



C.W.L. SHARE THE WORDS - **WELCOME** - My Catholic Women's League is a place of comfort as I share a seat with like minded women of faith and purpose. With councils across Canada - I am confident of a warm welcome no matter where I visit. Our sisterhood spans the nation. Come be a part of our family!

SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES - are at the front of the church.

Please pick them up as soon as possible.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - All classes will resume on January 12th, 2025.

2025 CATECHIST RETREAT - will be held January 24-26, 2025, at the Villa Madonna. To register or for more information: https://forms.office.com/r/tRuMTjxDQK?origin=lprLink

Lighter Moments - Three friends from the local congregation were asked, "When you're in your casket and friends and members are mourning, what would you like them to say?"

Artie replied: "I would them to say I was a wonderful husband and a great family man."

Merle said "I would like them to say I was a wonderful teacher and servant of God who made a huge difference in their lives."

Don said "I'd like them to say 'Look - he's moving."

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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 22nd, 2024 Fourth Sunday of Advent

Masses for the week of December 23rd, 2024

Monday - NO MASS -

Tuesday 4:00 p.m. CHRISTMAS EVE MASS 5:30 p.m. CHRISTMAS EVE MASS

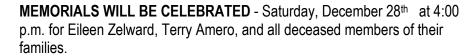
Wednesday 10:00 a.m. CHRISTMAS DAY MASS

Thursday - NO MASS -

Friday - NO MASS -

Saturday 4:00 p.m. - Memorial Mass Sunday 9:00 a.m. - For the People

11:00 a.m. - David Eagles



Regular Sunday Offering (Including PAD) - \$4,943.00 Christmas dinner donations to date - \$16,213.95 Pro Life Offering - \$864.00

BAPTISM - Our next Baptisms will be on **January 19**th following the 11 a.m. Mass. Please call the parish office at (506) 653-6830 to register for Baptism.



CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE – 2024
Christmas Eve – Tuesday – December 24th
4:00 p.m. - Christmas Mass
5:30 p.m. - Christmas Mass
Christmas Day –Wednesday – December 25th
10:00 a.m. - Christmas Mass

NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

New Year's Eve – Tuesday - December 31st, 2024 4:00 p.m. - New Year's Mass New Year's Day – Wednesday – January 1st, 2025 10:00 a.m. - Margot McIsaac (a) & d.m.f.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

For Pope Francis, Bishop Christian and all who lead the Church as we are reassured that God's promises are to be trusted. We pray to the Lord.

For the world: that nations may learn from the Visitation that openness to life brings openness to Christ and His salvation. We pray to the Lord.

For the poor, especially families with children, and for the countless people without homes or shelter.

We pray to the Lord.

For healthcare workers and caregivers at home who bring life and healing through compassion and being present to the sick. We pray to the Lord.

For the safety of travelers who will be heading to their homes and families this week and for those who will be alone. We pray to the Lord.

For those who have died NN and for the many people who are mourning the death of someone they love. We pray to the Lord.

Brian Camick

JUBILEE OPENING MASS – Mark your calendars for the opening Mass of the Jubilee Year – Pilgrims of Hope in the Diocese of Saint John. This Mass will take place on Sunday, December 29, 2024 (Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph) at 5:00 pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception.

MASS FOR THOSE LIVING WITH CANCER – The date for the next monthly Mass for Those Living with Cancer, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, is Tuesday, January 21, 2025 at 6:30 pm. Anointing of the Sick will be offered.

PLEASE TAKE HOME A COPY OF THE SUNDAY BULLETIN