# ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Fourth Sunday of Advent December 22, 2019

December 22, 2019		
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ST. MARY'S			<u>ST. A</u>	GNES
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Dale Parrigon	Tues,	No Mass
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+ Dwight & Laura Rose Severs	Wed.	9:00 a.m.
Monday	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion Service	Thurs.	No Mass
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family	Sun.	10:30 a.m.
Wednesday	12:00 a.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family		
Friday	8:15 a.m.	No Mass		
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Maury McDunner		
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+John Gripka Anniversary		

#### **EVENTS OF THE WEEK:**

Sunday, December 22

St. Mary's All School Mass

Finish decorating the Church for Christmas. Anyone able to stay after Mass and help

it would be greatly appreciated.

**UPCOMING EVENTS:** 

Monday, December 30

8:15 a.m. Rosary & Communion Service

Tuesday, December 31

5:00 p.m. New Year's Eve Mass

Wednesday, January 1

No Mass

Friday, January 3

St. Mary's School Resumes

8:15 a.m. Mass

YOUR GIFT TO GOD LAST WEEK: Collection Counters in January: Bonnie Parrigon and Charlotte Sloan

Our weekly budget is \$7,800.00

Last Week's Collection: \$ 3991.00

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

#### NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

The first half of the school year is officially over. We let out for Christmas break Thursday afternoon. From everyone at the school we would like to wish you and your family and very merry Christmas. School will resume January 3rd.

The school is looking for a part time janitor to handle the cleaning duties of the school. If interested please contact Jason Kramer at 417-476-2824.

Thanks, Jason

### APPOINTMENTS

If you are unable to make your appointment, please find a replacement.

Please note that E.M.: Stands for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Saturday, December 28th 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Beverly Miller, Madline Ceselski

E.M.: Danny Witt, John Witt, Cindy Witt

Servers: Olivia Shewmake, Henry Shewmake, Anna Hogenmiller Ushers: Phil Gollhofer, Bill Seufert, Michael Abramovitz, Terrance Campbell

Sunday, December 29th 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Joe Crowell, Denise Crowell

E.M.: Joe Crowell, Denise Crowell, Julie Witt, Randy Witt Servers: Addison Avondet, Kellen Avondet, Zoe Gurley

Ushers: Levi Cooper, Jesse Cooper, Dustin Avondet, David Elbert

Monthly appointments will run in the bulletin once a month. Then we will run them weekly as we have done in the past,

The monthly list will also be on the bulletin board in the back of church

AFTER YOU COUNT YOUR BLESSINGS, consider sharing them with the church. As the spirit of gratitude to God Permeates our lives at this time of year, please prayerfully consider including our parish in your giving. Your generosity helps to give others the most precious of gifts – the love of God, and the sacraments and ministries of the Church. Remember that the tax laws intentionally encourage charitable giving. By writing a check to St. Mary's Church by December 31, 2019, you can reduce the sting of income taxes if you itemize. Giving is, of course much more than a tax brackets and deductions. Your gifts provide the necessary support for all our parish does. Thank You!

<u>DIOCESAN CHRISTMAS COLLECTION:</u> The Christmas collection will give an opportunity to assist the diocese in funding the formation of our future priests-our seminarians- and meeting the needs of our retired diocesan priests. Please consider generously supporting those clergy who have served and those clergy who will serve. Even though we have recently completed endowment campaign for these needs, many of those pledges will not be completed for a few years, making this collection still necessary at this time.

#### CHRISTMAS FLOWERS

In memory of Louis & Betty Ballay, Ralph & Loretta Carlson, Tim Ballay, Virginia Dierker & all the deceased members of the Ballay & Roder Families- Randy, Melissa, Monica, Jacqueline & Karsyn Ballay

In memory of Leo & Joyce Parrigon, Larry Parrigon, Mark Parrigon, Brian Parrigon, Kristi (Parrigon) Hedrick Dale Parrigon & all the deceased members of the Schembra, Williams & Parrigon Families- Randy, Melissa, Monica, Jacqueline & Karsyn Ballay In loving memory of Grayson Shelfer-Keith & Brenda McCracken Family

In loving memory of Dwight & Laura Rose Severs-Keith & Brenda McCracken Family

In loving memory of Viola McCracken-Keith & Brenda McCracken Family

In loving memory of Doug Byers-Shelly Wrobleski & Trenton Byers

In loving memory of Dwight & Laura Rose Severs-Mark & Laura Wrobleski Family

In loving memory of Eugene Wrobleski-Mark & Laura Wrobleski Family

In loving memory of John & Gettrude Morciniec-Fr. Peter Morciniec

In loving memory of Stephanie, Teresa, Ann, John, and Alfred-Fr. Peter Morciniec

In loving memory of James J. Sr. & Rose Sweeney, W.E. (Pete) & Agnes Pelsue, &

William (Bill) & Mildred Tucker-John & Karen Sweeney

In loving memory of Dale Parrigon, our husband, dad, and poppsy-Lovingly offered by Bonnie Parrigon, Jill & Nate Schneider, Leo, Jack, Bret, and Sarah Parrigon

In memory of the deceased members of the Parrigon and Copening families-Truly missed by Bonnie Parrigon and family In memory of Dorothy & Gerald Weldy and Francis & Virginia Jasumback-Dale & Jerri Jasumback

In memory of John Gripka Jr., John Gripka Sr., Esther Gripka, Caroline Elbert, Lewey Elbert, Larry Elbert, Helen, Lavern, Rosemary, Sylnia Gripka-Marjorie Gripka

In loving memory of Carl, Margaret & Patricia Pachlhofer-By Family

In loving memory of Ben & Mary Fenske, Paul & Barbara Fenske, Clarence & Mary Fenske & Laverne Fenske-By Family In loving memory of Anna, Dorothy, Robert, Joseph & Henry Witt and Leo & Martha Fenske-By Family

In loving memory of Earnest & Margaret Jackson, Roy Hester, Kathy Newton & Jean Schad-Steven & Peggy Jackson

In loving memory of Bill Miller-From his loving wife Mary Miller

For all those buried at St. Mary's and St. Patrick's Cemetery-Richard & Bernice Cochran

In loving memory of Lewis & Mae Bertalotto-Ben & Marjorie Layton

In loving memory of Ben & Helen Layton-Ben & Marjorie Layton

In thanksgiving for the seminarians & priests of our Diocese

In appreciation for the servers, lectors, organist, choir, and all who help with each Mass

In loving memory of Bob Witt-Dorothy Witt

In loving memory of Frederick & Bernice Wagner and Raymond & Marie Witt-Dorothy Witt

In loving memory of our Dad Bob Witt-Vince & Janelle Witt

In loving memory of our Dad & Mom Fred & Mary Lou Curbow-Vince & Janeile Witt

In memory of my husband James Parrigon Sr. -Caroline Parrigon

In memory of Stan Kahre-Caroline Parrigon

In loving memory of our son Terrance Anthony Campbell-Terry & Kay Campbell

In loving memory of Ben & Freda Kutz, Deanna Kutz and Betty Kutz-Don Kutz

In memory of Charles Kristek, Clarence & Geneieve Frey, Joseph & Sophie Kristek, Vernon & Marie Bunselmeyer,
Alfred Kristek-Dan & Andrea Kristek

In memory of Maury McDunner, Morris & Connie McDunner, Victor & Florence Staponski, John & Ruby McDunner,

Conrad & Margaret Staponski, Virgil Staponski-Dan & Andrea Kristek

In loving memory of Beth & Doug Brittain-Mike & Debbie Goodman

In Loving memory of Louis Fenske-Edana Fenske

In memory of Mary Boursheski-Edana Fenske

In Loving memory of Ralph & Marie Heidlage-From the Family

In loving memory of Edmund Abramovitz-From the Family

In memory of our niece, nephews, and great nephew: Joni Heidlage, Casey Heidlage, Randy John Schad, and Cooper Mercer-Ralph & Mary Abramovitz

In memory of our grandparents: Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Fenkse, Mr. & Mrs, Anton Miller, Mr. & Mrs. John Heidlage,

and Mr. & Mrs. George Abramovitz-Ralph & Mary Abramovitz

In loving memory of our wonderful parents, Lewis & Catherine Witt and Joe & Glenda Forgey-Jerry & Rhonda Forgey and Family

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