

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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Finance Committee: Debbie Ramey 209-2094, Vickie Ross 209-0709, Mary Jane Cains 518-2144

December 20, 2020

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	December	19	5:00 PM	Stacy Wilson (Val Faught)
Sunday	December	20	9:00 AM	Welfare of Our Parish--Living & Deceased
Monday	December	21	----	No Mass
Tuesday	December	22	----	No Mass
Wednesday	December	23	6:00 PM	Lorene & Haril Stacy (Steve & Phyllis Timmerman)
Thursday	December	24	5:00 PM	Leo, Delores & Mark Wiederkehr (Barbara Culver)
	December	24	11:00 PM	Art Timmerman (Elaine Timmerman)
Friday	December	25	9:00 AM	Poor Souls (Val Faught)
	December	25	10:00 AM	Welfare of Geraldine Leding (Donor)
Saturday	December	26	5:00 PM	Brenda Stacy (Steve & Phyllis Timmerman)
Sunday	December	27	9:00 AM	Welfare of Our Parish--Living & Deceased

SERVICES	
Tues, Thurs & Fri	7:30 AM
Wednesday	6:00 PM
Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	9:00 AM
EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT--7:00 AM	
Tues., Thurs. & Fri	
RECONCILIATION	
30 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment	

LET US CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER DURING THESE TIMES.

SANITIZE**your hands when entering church.

DISMISSAL**The congregation should dismiss row by row from the back of the Church to the front.

CHRISTMAS REHEARSALS**scheduled for 6:00 PM on Mondays. Choir members will be among the congregation.

ADVENT REFLECTION**Look for a Sign! **Look around for signs that God is present with you now.** *Isaiah 7:10-14*

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE**

Christmas Eve -- Vigil Mass at 5:00 PM and Midnight Mass beginning at 11:00 PM Caroling begins at 10:30 PM.
Christmas Day -- 9:00 AM and 10:00 AM has been added to accommodate distancing.

CLERGY WELFARE COLLECTION**at all Masses on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. This fund provides retirement and health care benefits to retired and infirm priests around our diocese. Please mark your specific donations if you wish for Subiaco or St. Scholastica.

FOOD PANTRY**Quarterly collection will be taken up next weekend. Food assistance has increased over the holidays. Thank you for your attention to this need. The Pantry is at The Methodist Church in Ozark, a project of the Ecumenical Council of Churches which St. Mary's is a member.

MINISTERS FOR MASS**Take note of the schedule for holiday masses.

If you are scheduled and can't be there, please attempt to get someone to fill in, call or put a note in the collection basket.

COLLECTIONS

December 13	Donations	Visitors	Total Collections
Regular Collection	\$1,780	\$73	\$1,853
	28		
Thanksgiving /HVAC	\$550	3	\$550
Restoration Fund	\$270	3	\$270
Immaculate Conception	\$168	8	\$168
Retirement Fun/Subi/St Scho	\$670	15	\$670
			\$944

PRAYERS FOR ALL IN NEED

Margie Aich	Keaton Millsap
Easton Archer	Nathan Myers
Gunner Berry	Michelle Nunnelee
Betty Brown	Sonita Pledger
Phillip Dugas	Matt Post
Joey Eveld	Ed & Julie Potts
Theresa Eveld	Phillip Raney
Dr Scott Ezell	Nina Rinke
Val Faught	Sylvia Schell
Tommy Foster	Ashley Selby
Stella Hilton	Tom Sexton
Daxton Hughes	Mary Skolarski
Bobbie Hurst	Richard Smith
Cindy Keith	Cherese Smith
Cathy Lamas	Mary Jane Thornton
Phillip Lamas	Greg Warden
Devon Leding	Dr Wilson
Geraldine Leding	Lora Yother

CHURCH CLEANERS**

Stephanie Melton, Lexie Highfill & Robin Elder