Baptism of the Lord
January 12, 2020

MASS SONGS AND READINGS

***Processional-**Hark the Herald Angels Sing **#245**
***Readings-#804 Baptism of the Lord-Cycle A**
***Psalm-**The Lord will Bless His People with Peace.
***Presentation Hymn-**Baptized in Water **#391**
***Communion Hymn-**Come to the Water **#770**
***Meditation Song-**Immaculate Mary #**370**
***Recessional-**Joy to the World **#240**

Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 12th – 4:30p.m.
~Paul Jones by Angela Jones
~Anita & Leland Lambert by Joe & Sheila Schultz

Sunday, January 19th – 4:30p.m.
~Lauretta K. LaFond by Pat Finney
~Marjorie Chenore Heeler by Don & Phyllis Savoie

Sunday, January 26th – 4:30p.m.
~Tim Newman by Angela Jones

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Parish Need for Operation:	$1,120.00
Offering for Sunday, January 5th	-$1,175.00
Surplus for the Week:	+$(55.00)

41 Envelopes in Offering

Restoration: $396.50-Collection
Christmas-$175 for a total of $3,825.40
Solemnity of Mary Envelopes-$60

~Sunday Offertory Budget Amount for Fiscal Year July 1, 2019-June 30, 2020 is $58,000.
~Sunday Offertory Actual Money Donated as of January 5th is **$33,095.50.**

Bulletin Memorials

Our bulletin company is offering a Memorial section on the back cover of our weekly bulletins. Your loved ones name will be listed on the back of the bulletin in the Memorial section for a year at a cost of $60. This will help pay for our bulletins. We are having a hard time keeping advertisers on the back of the bulletin and this is a way to help offset our costs. If you are interested, please talk to Ryan Loy or call and leave a message at 815-644-6664.

YOGA

We are once again offering Yoga classes in the hall on Tuesdays at 6:30p.m. Classes are $10 each. For questions or more information call Sue Frye at 815-383-4659.

***We need help from adults TODAY to put away Christmas decorations.**

If you purchased a poinsettia for Christmas, please take it home today.

Please Pray For:

***Intentions**: Dale Arseneau, Anna VanHolven, Elaine Lade, Delores Roberts, Robin Stallard, Scot Savoie, Jerry Shortsleeve, Roberta Scolley, Bob Arseneau, Karen Lambrecht, Elaine Arseneau, Mary Kay & Roger Rabe, Phoenix Wilson, Doris Curby, Marie Wilson, Ditty Lynch, Joan Tiarks, Lauretta Lafond, Shirley Arseneau, Diane Houmes, Gary Barnlund, & Special Intentions*

***Our Departed**: Gerald Marcotte, Ron Shepherd*

***Our Service Men & Women**: Maj. Todd Fatka, USAR (Angela Jones's son)*

Please notify the Parish Office at 815-644-6664 if a loved one is admitted to the hospital or would like to be on the prayer list.
We can bring communion to the homebound.

St. Mary's Tidings

CO-MINISTERS FOR:
Sunday, January 19th @ 4:30p.m.
2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
READER: Beth Hanson
SERVERS: Grayson, Aidan, Austin
E.M.: L) Duane Weber
E.M.: Chris Weber, Kathy Webster
USHERS: Delaney, Jim, Tom
MONEY COUNTERS: Angela & Leslie

Collecting Pop Tabs
Please continue collecting pop tabs to give to the Ronald McDonald House Charities.

My Catholic Faith and Life
Our next gathering of **My Catholic Faith and Life** will be on Wednesday, January 22, 2020 at 6:30-8:00 in the rectory. We will be discussing THE CHURCH. Everyone is welcome to join us as we ponder together the mystery and the marks of the Catholic Church.
Upcoming schedule:
Feb. 5: Final and Glorious Things
Feb. 19: Prayer and Sacraments: The Greatest Act on Earth

Mass Intentions
If you would like to have a Mass said in memory of a loved one, please talk to Ryan Loy. Masses are $10 each. You can pick dates you would like the Mass.
***Please note that Masses are given for more than one person most of the time due to having only one Mass each week.**

Church Collection Envelope Boxes
If you don't have one and would like one, please see Ryan Loy.

There will be NO Communion Services until Spring.

Martinton Community Food Pantry
The food pantry serves all of Iroquois County. They are in need of our help. **Please continue to bring in food donations.** They are also looking for monetary donations, volunteers to help unload the trucks, and working on distribution days. If you are able to help, please call Connie Stirling at 815-867-6480.

Items Needed at the Pantry:

Canned meats-tuna, chicken	Paper Towels
Canned Fruits	Toilet Paper
Mac & Cheese	Personal Hygiene Products
Pasta Noodles	Cleaning Supplies

Diocesan Deanery CCW Cookbooks
The long awaited Diocesan Deanery CCW "Heavenly Meals" Cookbook is now available for purchase! The cost of the cookbook is $20. This project is a key fundraiser for the Bishop Blanchette Scholarship. This new edition has lots of yummy recipes and includes recipes submitted by St. Mary's Parishioners. These would make wonderful Christmas gifts. Contact Joyce Arseneau at 815-435-2240

Area Events

DAY OF REFLECTION
Growing in Nonviolence Through Prayer
When: Thurs., Feb. 13—9a.m.-12:00p.m.
Where: One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center
Hosted by Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary
Presenter: Sr. Linda Hatton, SSCM
Cost: Free Will Offering
Register or for more info: Call 815-935-0800
Visit their website at www.sscm-usa.org for more information on upcoming programs.