



*Merry
Christmas*

December 24, 2019



Mass Intentions

***Tuesday, December 24th – 7:00p.m.**

~ Jean & Harold Loy, Alan Boehrsen,
& Maurice Dowling by the Loy Family
~ Jack Hanson by Rick & Beth Hanson



***Sunday, December 29th – 4:30p.m.**

~ Tim Savoie by Don & Phyllis Savoie
~ Gene Willey by Vesta Metz
~ Dr. John Martin by Angela Jones

Sunday, December 29th – 4:30p.m.

~ Glenn Mize by Rick & Beth Hanson



*We would like to wish everyone a very
Merry and Blessed Christmas!!*

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:

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.*



PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Parish Need for Operation: \$1,120.00

Offering for Sunday, December 15th -\$1,266.00

Surplus for the Week: +\$(146.00)

40 Envelopes in Offering

Restoration:

~Sunday Offertory Budget Amount for Fiscal Year
July 1, 2019-June 30, 2020 is \$58,000.

~Sunday Offertory Actual Money Donated as of
December 15th is **\$29,350.50.**

MASS SONGS AND READINGS

***ALL Songs and Readings can be found in the
Christmas Worship Aide.**



*For today in the city of David a
savior has been born for you who is
Christ and Lord Luke 2:11*



THANK YOU

We would like to thank our Art & Environment committee for the beautiful decorations, our music department for the beautiful music, and our office staff for keeping everything running smoothly.

CO-MINISTERS FOR:

Sunday, December 29th @ 4:30p.m.

Feast of the Holy Family

READER: Andrea Owens

SERVERS: Piper, Joseph, Grayson

E.M.: L) Kathy Wagner

E.M.: Chris Bossong, Leslie Drummer

USHERS: Don, Delaney, Jim

MONEY COUNTERS: Kathy & Emilie



Restoration News

We had our Nativity figurines restored and repainted in memory of parishioner Barb Arseneau. Mona Seaward of Romeoville fixed the many broken pieces by sculpting them and then repainting every piece. We have had this Nativity for well over 50 years and we will be able to use it for many more years to come. Other projects that are still being looked into are replacing the front doors which have been in place since 1911 and are not in great shape, repainting the vestibule in the front and chapel entrances, placing storm windows on the outer dome windows, and fixing the terrazzo floor on the altar. We are so fortunate to have such wonderful parishioners, Preservation Society members, and others who continue to help with our ongoing restoration. With your continued support, St. Mary's will remain a beautiful cathedral. God Bless All of You for your continued contributions!!