



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 12th (Our Lady of Guadalupe)

7:30 am Beatrice and James Vascotto (NO)

4:00 pm Kevin Farrell

Sunday, December 13th (Third Sunday of Advent)

7:30 am Sam and Hannah (TLM)

9:15 am Emily Devine (NO)

10:45 am Joseph and Alba Ragno (NO)

Monday, December 14th (St. John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church)

7:30 am President Donald Trump (NO)

Tuesday, December 15th

7:30 am Special Intention (NO)

Wednesday, December 16th

7:30 am Zach and Madison Miskowic (NO)

Thursday, December 17th

7:30 am Special Intention (NO)

Friday, December 18th

7:30 am Kevin Farrell (NO)

Saturday, December 19th

7:30 am Special Intention (NO)

4:00 pm Joanne Steinberg (NO)

Sunday, December 20th (Fourth Sunday of Advent)

7:30 am Elisa Schnur (TLM)

9:15 am People of the Parish (NO)

10:45 am Special Intention (NO)



LITURGICAL ROLES

December 19 and 20

Sacristan

Sat. 4:00 pm Cheryl Leik

Sun. 9:15 am Dennis Breunig

Sun. 10:45 am

Lector

Sat. 4:00 pm Bill Exner

Sun 10:45 am

Ushers

Sat. 4:00 pm Cheryl Leik and Mike Kasianowicz

Sun 9:15 am Gerald and Jolyynn Myers

Sun 10:45 am

If you are not able to fulfill your extraordinary minister role, please find a substitute.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Lori and Jason Lauterbach, Tanner, Logan and Laidyn.

Orest and Linda Kostelyna

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES

Felicity Ann Porter daughter of Todd and Jacy Porter was recently baptized at St. Mary's.

35TH ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE

To help ensure a safe and reliable blood supply as we approach the holidays, the American Red Cross will be inviting the community to give the perfect gift and participate in a long-standing tradition of helping to save patients' lives at the 35th Annual Holiday Blood Drive on Thursday, December 24, 2020 at the Exhibition Hall at the Alliant Energy Center from 7 am to 1 pm. Blood donation appointments can also be made by calling 1-800-733-2767 or online at red-crossblood.org. Enter sponsor code: HBDMadison. Appointments are strongly encouraged. Walk-ins will be taken as space allows to abide with social distancing guidelines.

"O, St. Bakhita, assist all those who are trapped in a state of slavery; Intercede with God on their behalf so that they will be released from their chains of captivity. Those whom man enslaves, let God set free."

USCCB
Prayer to St. Josephine Bakhita

"Rejoice always, pray constantly, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."

This scripture reading sums up Stewardship. "Rejoice always: means place your trust in God; He will provide all that you need. "Pray constantly" means prayer should be a running conversation with God throughout the whole day, every day. "Give thanks in all circumstances: means even in bad situations, thank God. Suffering a little bit helps build empathy for others in similar situations and shows our dependence on God.

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

December 13, 2020

HOLIDAY MASS SCHEDULE

December 24

7:30 am No Mass
4:00 pm * Christmas Vigil (NO)

December 25

12:00 am Midnight Mass (TLM)
7:30 am Christmas Mass (TLM)
9:15 am Christmas Mass (NO)

December 31

7:30 am No Mass
4:00 pm New Year's Vigil (NO)

January 1

7:30 am New Year's Mass (TLM)
9:15 am New Year's Mass (NO)

* There will be carols sung at 3:30 pm

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2021

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CATHOLIC CHURCH

FELLOWSHIP HALL

1 PM TO 6 PM

BLESS OUR PRIESTS

This weekend we will be conducting the Bless Our Priests Collection. This collection provides for the direct support of the retired priests of the Diocese of Madison. This is the only collection in our Diocese for Retired Priests. An envelope and a brochure were enclosed last weekend for your review and convenience. Please be generous.

DIOCESE OF MADISON CATHOLIC HERALD

Every week the Catholic Herald keeps readers up to date with briefs and in-depth articles from Catholic News Service on events around the nation and the world. This week the Catholic Herald also includes a special Senior Section that addresses issues pertinent to senior citizens.

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ST. MARY PINE BLUFF CEMETERY

One Grave Site	\$600.00
Cemetery Services Fee	\$250.00
Marking Fee For Grave	\$ 50.00
Cost to Open Grave (Casket)	\$500.00

Cemetery Contact: Ken Esser 798-2985



Collection Report

December 6, 2020

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Weekly	\$ 8,604.00	\$ 10,300.00	(\$ 1,696.00)
Year to Date	\$144,045.69	\$ 142,350.00	\$ 1,595.69

THANK YOU FOR USING YOUR
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