



# Mass Intentions

## Saturday, December 2nd

8:00 am Leo and Marge Morrissey (TLM)  
4:00 pm June Heilman

## Sunday, December 3rd (First Sunday of Advent)

7:30 am Special Intention (TLM)  
9:15 am Msgr. John Schulien

## Tuesday, December 5th

5:30 pm Donald "Red" Reisdorf

## Wednesday, December 6th

7:30 am Anna Marie Tschumper

## Thursday, December 7th (St. Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of the Church)

7:30 am Doug Breunig

## Friday, December 8th (The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary) Holy Day of Obligation

7:30 am Ginny Dennis  
9:00 am Janet Dahlke (TLM)

## Saturday, December 9th

8:00 am Special Intention  
4:00 pm Ken Laufenberg

## Sunday, December 10th (Second Sunday of Advent)

7:30 am David and Cassandra Schroekenthaler (TLM)  
9:15 am Special Intention

THE CHILDREN'S ADVENT PROGRAM  
DECEMBER 17  
"THE STABLE"  
AFTER 9:15 AM MASS  
ST. MARY PINE BLUFF SCHOOL  
ALL ARE WELCOME

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS AND RELIGIOUS

ADULT FAITH FORMATION  
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### SAVE THE DATE

On Friday evening, December 15th, a Forty Hour Devotion event will be ongoing throughout the weekend with Vespers and Benediction on Sunday afternoon. On Friday, Bishop Robert Morlino will be speaking at a combined Knights of Divine Mercy/Ladies of Divine Mercy event. All are invited. Please plan to attend.



# LITURGICAL ROLES

## DECEMBER 9 AND 10

### Sacristan

Sat. 4:00 pm Cheryl Leik  
Sun. 9:15 am Bill Herriges

### Lector

Sat. 4:00 pm Mary Lou Riphahn  
Sun. 9:15 Joe Leone

### Greeters

Sat. 4:00 pm Cheryl Leik  
Sun. 9:15 am Jack Bertz and Bill Herriges

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

### HOSPITALIZATION

If you are hospitalized or if a family member is in the hospital, please call Father Heilman at 798-4644.

ST. AMBROSE BENEFIT DINNER  
WITH ESTEEMED GUEST  
THE MOST REVEREND ROBERT C. MORLINO  
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2017  
ALLIANT ENERGY CENTER EXHIBITION HALL  
MADISON, WI  
5 PM COCKTAIL RECEPTION  
6:15 PM DINNER  
\$75 PER PLATE  
REGISTER AT:  
[ambroseacademy.org/register](http://ambroseacademy.org/register)  
or call: 608-287-5863

*Take heed, watch and pray; for you do not now when the time will come."*

*Mark 13:33*

We all take things for granted. In particular, we take time for granted. Our lives are so busy, many of us are planning our time—our days, weeks, months, even years in advance. Remember, our time on earth is a gift. None of us knows how long we will be here. Start today and begin thanking God for each and every day. Take time in silence, every day, and listen to what God is saying to you.

**BLESS OUR PRIESTS COLLECTION**

Next weekend we will be conducting the Bless Our Priests Collection in our parish. The Bless Our Priests Collection provides for the direct support of retired priests of the Diocese of Madison. It helps the Diocese in its efforts to care for priests that have faithfully served the people of the Diocese of Madison. Faced with the challenge of rising retirement and healthcare costs, we urge you to say thank you by giving next weekend. The envelopes are addressed to the Diocesan office and may be mailed directly.

**CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S MASSES**

December 23	8 am 4 pm
December 24	7:30 am (TLM) 9:15 am 4:00 pm
December 25	Midnight (TLM) 7:30 am (TLM) 9:15 am
December 30	8 am 4 pm
December 31	7:30 am (TLM) 9:15 am 4:00 pm
January 1	7:30 am (TLM) 9:15 am

**MADISON HOLIDAY BLOOD DRIVE  
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22ND  
7 AM TO 2 PM**

**EXHIBITION HALL — ALLIANT Energy Center  
1919 ALLIANT ENERGY CENTER WAY, MADISON  
APPOINTMENTS CALL 1-800-733-2767**

**HOUSEKEEPING**

If you use the Missalettes, please return them to the cart in the Narthex. This makes it possible for someone else to use them.

**THE CATHOLIC HERALD**

Each week the Catholic Herald includes TV programs of note and movie reviews from the Office for Film and Broadcasting of the US Conference of Catholic Bishops. Every week in her editorial, Catholic Herald Editor, Mary C. Uhler comments on local, national and international issues pertinent to Catholics. If you do not get the Catholic Herald in your home but would like to, please call the Parish Office at 798-2111.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

“Yet, O Lord, you are our father; we are the clay and you the potter: we are all the work of your hands.” As we begin the waiting of advent let us strive to become the work of his hands by enjoying a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are Jan. 26-28 in Brookfield, WI; Feb. 16-18 in Geneva, IL or March 16-18 in Madison, WI. Early registration is recommended. Go to: [alifeteoflove.org](http://alifeteoflove.org) or call 888-574-5653.

**RORATE MASSES**

Saturday, December 9 and 16 St. Mary Pine Bluff will offer Rorate Masses. Rorate Masses are a traditional Advent devotion and offered just before dawn. On these two Saturdays the Mass will be at 7 am. There will be a Holy Hour of Adoration, Confessions, Rosary at 6 am prior to the Rorate Mass. Saturday Masses are Traditional Latin Masses.

**FORTY HOURS DEVOTION  
DECEMBER 15—DECEMBER 17  
THE BLESSED SACRAMENT WILL BE EXPOSED FOR 40 HOURS OUTSIDE THE TABERNACLE AND CONTINUOUSLY ADORED BY THE FAITHFUL**

**BULLETIN SPONSOR THIS WEEK  
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**Collection Report**

**November 26, 2017**

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Weekly	\$ 3,902.60	\$ 4,350.00	\$ (447.40)
Year to Date	\$86,875.17	\$ 86,280.00	\$ 595.17

**THANK YOU FOR USING YOUR ENVELOPES  
OR ON LINE GIVING**



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