

HOLY FAMILY

Catholic Parish

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HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 4:00pm (Tuesday - Friday)

St. Gabriel Archangel

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Rectory Office Hours

8:00am to 4:00pm (Monday - Friday)

Holy Days

Mass times to be announced.

Baptism

Please call St. John's Rectory office.

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December 29, 2019 - The Holy Family

MONSIGNOR CHARLES STOETZEL, PASTOR

DEACON MARK GRUNWALD



THE HOLY FAMILY

“Rise, take the child and his mother and go to the land of Israel, for those who sought the child's life are dead.” - Mt 2:20



St. Gabriel Archangel

HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 5

LeAnn Craig, Theresa Heal

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER-JANUARY 4/5

Saturday 4:00 pm Kathy Schneider, Mary Kirschbaum,
& Laura Meyer

Sunday 8:00 am Dave Hemmer, Joe & Sharon Atkins

SERVERS--JANUARY 4/5

Saturday 4:00 pm Allison & Addison Lindner

Sunday 8:00 am Scout Hall, Logan Kiesau

LECTORS-JANURAY 4/5

Saturday 4:00 pm Mark Gilberts

Sunday 8:00 am Dan Schickert

USHERS-JANUARY 4/5

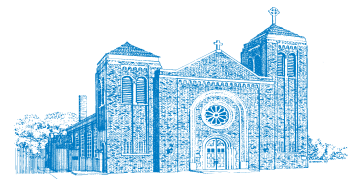
Saturday 4:00 pm Richard Steiner, Bob Ziel, Cliff Stram
& Robert DeFord

Sunday 8:00 am John Chaffee, Jim McGrath, Tom
Hampton, Nathan Mezera

SCRIP WORKERS-JANUARY 4/5

Saturday 4:00 pm Ashley Lindner

Sunday 8:00 am Jennifer Campbell



St. John Nepomuc

HOME COMMUNION MINISTERS FOR JAUARY 5

Ann Quick, Donna Steiner

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS-JANUARY 4/5

Saturday 7:00 pm Tim Steger

Sunday 10:00 am Doris Krogman, Karen Hertrampf &
Patty Schauf-Yager

SERVERS-JANUARY 4/5

Saturday 7:00 pm Madilyn Fisher, Blake Thiry

Sunday 10:00 am Jacob Mara, Kristin Nolan

LECTORS-JANUARY 4/5

Saturday 7:00 pm Pat Mulhern

Sunday 10:00 am Kurt Kravchuk

USHERS-JANUARY 4/5

Saturday 7:00 pm Don Roh, Alex Schaefer, Tyler
Rochleau, & Volunteer

Sunday 10:00 am Merle Frommelt, Mike Mara, Mark
Mara & Dennis Mezera

SCRIP WORKERS-JANUARY 4/5

Saturday 7:00 pm Karen Fisher

Sunday 10:00 am Jeff & Jull Mara

WEEKEND MASSES: MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY REQUESTING THE MASS ARE ASKED TO BRING THE GIFTS OF BREAD AND WINE TO THE ALTAR. PLEASE MAKE YOURSELVES KNOWN TO THE USHERS AND SIT NEAR THE GIFTS. THANK YOU!



Monday, December 30	8:15 am	St. John's Church	Nancy Aschom
Tuesday, December 31	8:15 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Matt Schauf
<u>New Year's Eve</u>			
Tuesday, December 31	5:15 pm	St. John's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish
<u>New Year's Day</u>			
Wednesday, January 1	8:15 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Special Intention
Thursday, January 2	8:15 am	St. Gabriel's Church	Charles & Evelyn Heisz & their living & deceased family members
Friday, January 3	8:15 am	St. John's Church	Charles & Theresa Morel
Saturday, January 4	4:00 pm 7:00 pm	St. Gabriel's Church St. John's Church	Pat Ertel Lora E. Young
Sunday, January 5	8:00 am 10:00 am	St. Gabriel's Church St. John's Church	the Faithful of Holy Family Parish Charles, Clara & Rosanna Dale

PRAYER CORNER

God, grant healing and peace to the sick of our communities and those who have requested our prayers. Please pray for: Eileen Sutton, Mary Ann Heisz, Janet Dickman, Peg Stoeffler, Michael Hinrich, William Blake, John & Cheyenne Messling, Peyton Kraushaar, Earl Nye, Ethel Sebastian, Tara Pellock, Edith Ritchie, Scott LaBonne, Debbie Eden, Ken Fleshner, Graham Shedivy, Lorna Porvaznik, John Rink, Dale LaBonne, Diane Fernette, Stacey Johnson, Frank Tiller, Carl Shedivy, Rosanna Mayer, Marilyn Rybarczyk, Pam Waller, Jackie Cherrier, Jennifer Gilman, Rose Miller, Art Boxrucker, Nora Vickerman, Barbara Schwant, Tyler Gillitzer, Lynette Reichmann, Gerald Stram, Joe Barrette, Sally Ann White, Scott Sklenar, Richard & Shirley Ambrose, Don McFarland, Phyllis Waller, Sandi Herreid, Melinda Neumann, Don Ritchie, Sally White, Carol Kalish, Matilda Flansburgh, Joan Marie Tiller, Joseph Hamann, Janet Kahler, Judy Mezera, Owen Price, Kathy Leard, Scott Yeomans, Dorothy Gilkes, Andra Meana, Gaije Hatlin, Avalo A. Berns, Doris Bohnenkamp, Lyle & Rosella Ahles, Marita (Hoeger) Conley, Jeffery Scott DuCharme, Gina Buettner, Audrey Mara, Sister Suzanne Gallagher, Nancy Knutson, George Kahler, Terry Zinkle, Charles Barney, Bonnie Boland, Steven Richard DuCharme, Rick Hamann, Justina Koresh, Darlene (McKillip) Murana, Patricia Coorough, John Gillitzer, Carol Mullikin, Doug Dickman, Loren & Diane Fishler, Wayne Mitchell, Shanen Kazynski, Matthew Stubbe, Robert McCarty, Phyllis Tichenor, Kathy Powers, Virginia A. Walz, Jennifer Lessard, Joe Prew, Kathy Hawes, Linda Sweeney, Brian Osterhaus, Jeanelle Westerfield, John Forst.

If you have a special intention or loved one who is in need of prayers, please let us know so we can include them.

Dear parishioners and visitors,

The new year will be here as we await to close out the old. There is always so much optimism when a new year is coming. We look forward to the beginning and hope it will be better than the old. For some, the old year has been a challenge concerning money, job and health. Globally, we hear of violence, war and terrorism. We can only hope and pray these and all other evils will lessen so that peace and tranquility will reign.

As the new begins on Wednesday, please note that it is a holyday of obligation celebrating Mary, the Holy Mother of God. It is the most ancient title given to her by the Church. Not only is she the Mother of God but she is the mother of us all. Please note the Mass schedule for this day. Let us pray as one for the blessings to come upon us, our families, our parish family, and world for the success of a new year filled with the promise to be a better one through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Thank you, and God bless you.

Msgr. Stoetzel

Mary, the Mother of God, January 1st

Holy Day of Obligation

Vigil Mass on Dec. 31st at St. John's at 5:15 pm

Holy Day Mass on Jan. 1st at St. Gabriel's at 8:15 am

The sign of peace has been suspended as the flu season is upon us. It will resume once the season is over.

Announcements

Please give to the 2019 Diocesan Annual Appeal if you have not done so. The parish family needs the support of all parishioners to reach our target amount of \$59,310.00. As of December 19th, we are at 68.20% of our goal in pledges. There is \$18,860.00 yet to be pledged in order to reach our target. If we do not reach this amount, the balance has to be paid anyway with money from the general account which is designated to pay bills.

PARISH SUPPORT

	This Year	Last Year
Envelopes for Dec. 15th	\$7,139.00	\$8,094.00
Plate for Dec. 15th	<u>753.50</u>	<u>597.63</u>
Total	\$7,892.50	\$8,691.63

The second collection came to \$916.56 and will be used for Prairie Catholic School and our Religious Education Program expenses.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

The Collection for December 22nd and the Christmas collection will be posted in the January 5th bulletin because we had to go to press early.

Say **Thanks**
to the advertisers who
support our bulletin

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE DONATED TO THE DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL. We will be listing the names of all who responded. We will begin with around 40 parishioners. If you do not see your name this time it will appear in future bulletins.

Greg & Ann Quick, Terry & Anita Reglin, Frederick & Lynette Reichmann, Lorraine Rice, Laurretta Rod, Nathan Root, Jan Rutter, Melanie Schneider, Timothy & Gayle Senesac, Peggy Smith, Catherine Steger, Greg & Diane Steger, Louis Steger, Terence Steger, Tim & Charlene Steger, Richard & Jeanette Steiner, Russell & Mary Steiner, Msgr. Charles D. Stoetzel, Gerald & Judy Strnad, Mike & Sharon Strnad, Greg & Kelli Taylor, Brian & Shelly Trautsch, Ronald & Arlene Trautsch, Damian & Stephanie Vlaming, Loren Vondrum, Robert & Debra Wachter, Steven & Jennifer Wachuta, James & Margaret Walz, James & Barbara Welsch, Thomas Whetston, James White, Lyle Wilkinson, Elmer Wisniewsky, Gerald & Rose Wright, Phyllis Yeomans, David & Amy Young, Gail Zirngibl.

On Wednesday, January 22nd there will be a special Mass at 6:45 pm at St. John's Church for the Legal Protection of the Unborn Child. All are invited.

LOTTERY SWEEPSTAKE CALENDARS are for sale. Thirty monthly prizes. You can purchase them at St. John's Rectory, St. Gabriel's Rectory and Prairie Catholic School or call John Fischer (326-2827). Six for \$100.00 or \$20.00 per calendar. The profit to benefit our Catholic school.

If you want to have a donation credited to your 2019 contributions - please have the donation to us no later than January 6th, 2020. Thank you in advance. Contribution reports will be mailed out by January 31, 2020. Your contribution statement for the Diocesan Annual Appeal will be mailed out by the Diocese so you will not see it on your report from the parish.

CONFESSIONS

St. Gabriel's 3:00 pm to 3:45 pm on Saturday
St. John's 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm on Saturday

**HAVE A SAFE &
HAPPY NEW YEAR.**

THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

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Sunday, December 29

Monday, December 30

3:30 pm Mass at Prairie Maison

Tuesday, December 31 - New Year's Eve

Mass at 5:15 pm at St. John's

Wednesday, January 1 - New Year's Day

Mass at 8:15 am at St. Gabriel's

Thursday, January 2

Adoration after the 8:15 am Mass at St. Gabriel's
Benediction at 1:00 pm

5:15 pm PCCW meeting in the Fellowship Hall

Friday, January 3

Adoration after the 8:15 am Mass at St. John's

Saturday, January 4

Sunday, January 5

Coffee & Rolls after the 8:00 am Mass at St. Gabriel's;
Drawings for the Lottery Sweepstake Calendar & Holy Name Raffle

Mark your Calendar: JWalkers will host a breakfast at Hardee's on Saturday, January 11 from 7:00 to 10:00 am; Cost is \$6.00. All proceeds go to service projects for our group.

Eucharistic Ministers for Dec. 31st New Year's Eve Mass at 5:15 pm at St. John's: George Eastman, Deacon Mark Grunwald, Linda Moser

Lector: Nancy Eastman

Servers: Max & Elle Schneider

Ushers: Volunteers

Eucharistic Ministers for January 1, New Year's Day at St. Gabriel's at 8:15 am: Merle & Barb Frommelt, & George Eastman; **Lector:** Nancy Eastman;

Servers: Harrison Osterkamp & Jacob Mara

Ushers: Volunteers

Readings for the week of December 29, 2019

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/ Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Mt 2:13-15, 19-23

Monday: 1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [11a]/Lk 2:36-40

Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:18-21/Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 [11a]/Jn 1:1-18

Wednesday: Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

Thursday: 1 Jn 2:22-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [3cd]/Jn 1:19-28

Friday: 1 Jn 2:29-3:6/Ps 98:1, 3cd-4, 5-6 [3cd]/Jn 1:29-34

Saturday: 1 Jn 3:7-10/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9 [3cd]/Jn 1:35-42

Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12