



MASS Intentions

Sat	01/02	4:00 pm	Sunday Celebration in the Absence of a Priest
Sun	01/03	8:30 am	Sunday Celebration in the Absence of a Priest
Mon	01/04	1:45 pm	Communion Service
Tues	01/05	1:45 pm	Communion Service
Wed	01/06	1:45 pm	Communion Service
Thur	01/07	5:00 PM	Mass: + Pauline & Louis McCluskey by Jean D. Ashley
Fri	01/08	1:45 pm	Communion Service
Sat	01/09	4:00 pm	+ Pauline & Louis McCluskey by Jean D. Ashley
Sun	01/10	8:30 am	For All Parishioners



Magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." - Mt 2:1b-2

Readings for the Week of January 3, 2010

Sunday:	Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12
Monday:	1 Jn 3:22---4:6/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
Tuesday:	1 Jn 4:7-10/Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday:	1 Jn 4:11-18/Mk 6:45-52
Thursday:	1 Jn 4:19---5:4/Lk 4:14-22a
Friday:	1 Jn 5:5-13/Lk 5:12-16
Saturday:	1 Jn 5:14-21/Jn 3:22-30
Next Sunday:	Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or 40:1-5, 9-11/Acts 10:34-38

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Sanctuary Lamp:
St. Agnes January 3rd Burns In Memory of Fr. Martel
by Pat Ouellette

Finance: Weekly Collection Report

The offertory for December 27th will be posted in the next issue due to an early holiday deadline from the publishing company.

Please pray for our sick

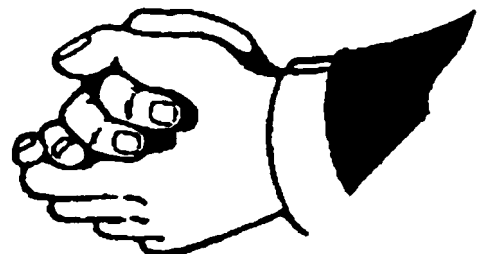


Margaret Baker, Shirley Chadbourne,
Veronette Dechaine, Justin Miller,
Cheryl Ouellette, Rae-ann Paradis, Floyd James

Prayer for the New Year

Dear Lord, at the beginning of this New Year,
I remember that you are a God of beginnings and endings.
You created the world, with all its eternal patterns.
Winter begins in frost, and ends in Spring's thaw.
Spring begins in new, green life, ending in Summer's heat.
Summer begins in sunshine, and ends in Autumn's breezes.
And Autumn's color leads to the white of Winter again.
As another year ends and begins in our lives,
help us to remember that you have made a world of cycles.
When fortune turns to trials, or hardship turns to joy,
help me take delight in the life I've received from you.
Remind me that I will one day pass from this world
and enter a new life like those who've gone before me.
Amen.

Pray for the New Year



Activities for this Week

- Sunday 01/03** **Our Lady's Kitchen** 12-1 PM @ St Anne, Dexter
- Monday** **Disciples In Mission** 9:00 AM @ Clark Residence (938-4856)
- Wednesday** **Bible Study** 6:30 PM @ parish hall
- Sunday 01/10** **Faith Formation** 9:30 – 11 AM
Our Lady's Kitchen 12-1 PM @ St Anne, Dexter

Vocations:

The Epiphany -- January 3, 2010

"Opening their treasure chests, they offered Him gifts." Are you beginning to see your life as a gift to be given to the Lord as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Call Fr. Bob Vaillancourt @ 207-773-6471

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Evangelization consists of proclamation, witness, dialogue and service. It is based on three inseparable elements: preaching the Word, sacramental ministry and leading the faithful. Preaching would be senseless unless it include continuous formation of the faithful and participation in the sacraments. Likewise, participation in the sacraments without sincere conversion of heart, full acceptance of the faith and of the principles of Christian morality is also meaningless. From a pastoral perspective, the primary action of evangelization is, logically, considered to be preaching. From the perspective of intentionality, however, the primary element of evangelization must be celebration of the sacraments, especially of Penance and the Blessed Eucharist. The integrity of the pastoral ministry of priests in the service of new evangelization is to be found, however, in a harmonious fusion of both of these functions. (Pope John Paul II, "THE PRIEST AND THE THIRD CHRISTIAN MILLENNIUM, 1999)

Please Join Us!

Hands Around the Capitol Saturday, January 16, 2010

Augusta, ME 37th Anniversary of Roe v. Wade
 The Maine Right to Life Committee will hold its annual *Hands Around the Capitol* Rally and March on Saturday, January 16, 2010. This event is where we publicly recognize and mourn the Supreme Court decision of Roe v. Wade, while providing an intense impact on those who witness our solemn March. This year marks the 37th Memorial of Roe v. Wade.

Alert your family and friends---encourage them to save the date and join us, along with Bishop Malone and other pro-life leaders!

For more information, please contact:

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Schedule:

(Note: You may join us for part or all activities.)

10:00 AM Mass celebrated by Bishop Richard Malone, Th.D. at St. Mary's Church,

41 Western Avenue, Augusta.

11:00 AM Gather at St. Michael's School Gym, Augusta.

Network with other pro-life

people. Light refreshments will be served.

11:15 AM Rally with prominent Pro-Life Speakers.

12:15 PM March begins. Leave St. Michael's Gym and

March to the Capitol.

12:30 PM Assemble around the Capitol Hand-to-Hand.

The Capitol Bell will ring 37 times, representing the number of years since Roe v. Wade was enacted.

Please join us to provide Witness for the Unborn!

Your Friends at Maine Right to Life Committee



Epiphany

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