

Mass Intentions

Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs., & Sat. – NO MASS
Sunday - 10:30 a.m. – Eugene Spinler †

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Lec – Tom Boecker
EM – Bruce Kubicek
Cup – Tom Wencil & Don Kasper
Servers – Tim Boecker & David Huff
Gifts – Chris Deml Family
Ushers – Joe Suchanek & Gordy Spinler
Music – Combo Rosary - Marie Kubicek

We welcome to our Faith Community Tyler Jerome Anderson, son of Troy and Monica, who is being baptized today. May he always walk as a child of the light & keep the flame of faith alive in his heart.

SCHOOL NEWS:

School Giving Calendar Winner:

December 9 – Cindy Kamp

Mark your calendars for St. Isidore School's Christmas musical on Tuesday, December 18 at 7:00 p.m. in the church. "The Unfriendly Beasts" is the name of the play. Everyone is invited! Refreshments will be served after the play. There will be a dress rehearsal at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday. If you are unable to come at night you may come at 11:00 a.m.

St. Isidore's Giving Calendars are now for sale. They sell for \$25 each and \$50 will be given away each week all year. Please ask a St. Isidore's Student (including preschoolers) or check at school to purchase yours.

Once again a **Giving Tree** is located in the back of church and in the school hallway. The teachers and staff have put bulbs on it requesting needed items. Could you pick up a bulb or two and donate that item or items to the school?? Please wrap the items and put the bulb on top and put back under the tree. Please bring to school by Wednesday of this week. Thank you so very much for your generosity!!

Everyone is invited to the Catholic Aid Council #328's annual Christmas Party at the home of Brian and Tara Jones on Wednesday, December 12th. Come anytime after 7:00 p.m. Please bring your favorite appetizer to share. See YOU There!

Christmas Boxes ~~

Twenty three Christmas boxes for the elderly and the ill of the parish will be packed **Monday, December 17 at 12:30 p.m.** Please bring individually wrapped goodies or fruit to be put into them and leave them on the counter in the kitchen. One member of each guild is asked to come and help pack and deliver.

Christmas Combined Choir Rehearsal ~~~~
Monday, December 17, and Sunday December 23
immediately following the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Special thanks ~

To the family of Myron PirkI who gave the following in his memory:
\$500 to Holy Trinity Church, \$500 to St. Isidore's School and \$100 to the Cemetery Fund.
To the family of Jerome Simon who gave the following in his memory: \$228 to St. Isidore's School and also to the Cemetery Fund.
May God reward you for your generosity.

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Mass here at Litomysl for Christmas this year will be on Christmas Eve, Monday, December 24th at 3:00 p.m. with Fr Jon Moore. There will be no Mass on Christmas Day.

Everyone is invited to Bible Study every Sunday at 9:15 a.m. in the church basement. Each week we study the Sunday's readings.

Wednesday, Faith Formation Classes for preschool thru 8th grade will meet from 6:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. in the church basement. Classes for 6th-8th grade will be 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. and classes for 9th-10th grades will be 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. upstairs in the school.

12-9-07 – Adult - \$842, Off. - \$224.54, Youth - \$2.25, Fall Coll. \$2,238.52, Bldg Fund - \$50, Holy Day - \$68

Attention All Youth ~

The Holy Trinity Catholic Aid council #328 is sponsoring a Youth Event on Sunday, December 30 at Southpark Lanes in Owatonna. Bowling at 2:00 p.m. with pizza and pop compliments of the Catholic Aid Council. Car pooling from Litomysl at 1:30 p.m. Call Tara Jones at 455-3004 or Randy Borchert at 455-3225 by Friday, December 28th to reserve your spot.

Our parish is participating in a Parish Exchange Program with Matthew Rysavy's (Paul Rysavy's son) Parish in Mozambique, Africa. Matthew is currently teaching over in Mozambique with the Peace Corp and he's coming home over Christmas break. He's also bringing some gifts with him from that parish. Members from our parish are asked to make something homemade (like rosaries, crosses, etc.) so Matthew can take something back with him to our 'Exchange Parish.' A letter of introduction and parish history has already been sent to their parish and their priest is very excited to participate in this Parish Exchange Program. So please make your items by next Sunday, December 23rd, and place them on the back table labeling them Parish Exchange. If you are unable to bring it on Sunday, contact Troy Anderson at 363-1701, or Albert Rysavy at 451-2978 by December 24th.

For Christmas how about giving your spouse a Marriage Encounter weekend with you?? Learn how to make your marriage better!

Upcoming weekends are at Shalons Retreat Center in Windom the weekend of February 8-10 or April 4-6. Contact Rondi & Jeff Kodet at jrek@redred.com or 507-664-3523.

This weekend is for couples (of any age) who have good marriages, but have a desire to make them better. This is a private weekend where there is no group sharing. All married couples deserve a richer, fuller life together. Call today – you'll be glad you did!!

Wondering what to give for Christmas??

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