

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Parishes of

St. Ann, Holy Angels, St. Louis and St. Joseph

December 23-31

Sat. (23 rd)	(SA)	4:00PM	(4 th Sunday of Advent)	+Nancy Seguin
	(HA)	6:00PM	(4 th Sunday of Advent)	+Helen Lambert
Sun. (24 th)	(HA)	4:00PM	(Vigil of Christmas)	For the children of our parishes.
	(SA)	6:00PM	(Vigil of Christmas)	For the families of our parishes.
	(HA)	8:00PM	(Vigil of Christmas)	For the elderly of our parishes.
Sat. (30 th)	(SA)	4:00PM	(Feast of Holy Family)	+Grandparents of Sample and King Families
Sun. (31 st)	(SA)	8:00AM	(Feast of Holy Family)	+Lorna Coupal
Sun. (31 st)	(HA)	10:00AM	(Feast of Holy Family)	+Patti Goldfarb

January 1-5

Monday (Jan 1)	(SA)	10:00AM	(Solemnity of Mary Mother of God)	NOT A HOLY DAY THIS YEAR
				+Julie Forkey
Tuesday	(SA)	8AM		+Doris Trombly
Wednes.			No Mass	
Thurs. (SA)				+Eric Monty
Fri. (HA)				+Marcella Barcomb

Epiphany of Our Lord January 6-7

Sat. (6 th)	4:00PM Vigil (SA)	+Wally Vennette
Sun. (7 th)	8:00AM (SA)	+Marie Fernandez
	10:00AM (HA)	+Janice Lafountain

Giving Report

St. Ann:	\$2,391.10
St. Louis	\$170.00
St. Joseph:	\$1,548.00
Holy Angels:	\$2,250.00

Sanctuary Candle

+Vivian Mashtare
Sanctuary Not Open
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No Donation

**Thank You for your gift to your parish...it keeps us going. We are currently just able to pay our bills and hope that you can be generous over the Christmas holiday. Any gift is a big help.*

News of our Parishes

- **Christmas Mass Schedule:** Christmas is on a Monday this year which can cause some confusion in scheduling the Sunday Masses prior to the Masses of Christmas. Our Schedule will be as follows:
 - **Masses for Christmas**
 - 4PM Vigil Mass of Christmas at Holy Angels
 - 6PM Vigil Mass of Christmas at St. Ann's
 - 8PM Vigil Mass of Christmas at Holy Angels
 - No Mass on Christmas Day

Parish Office Schedule for Christmas: For Christmas the parish offices will be closed Friday, December 22 through Monday, January 1st. Offices will reopen on January 2nd for normal business hours. **Regular weekday Masses will resume on the 2nd of January at St. Ann's 8AM.** (See schedule for weekend of Dec. 30 – 31 and Holy Day of Mary Mother of God to the left.)

Epiphany Party: hosted by the pastor and parish staff in gratitude for all from all parishes who volunteer and help so generously with their time. To be held Sunday, January 7th at Holy Angels Hall. Please call the parish offices and let us know that you are coming. **Can't just show up to this one as we need to plan ahead for all who are coming.** RSVP by phone by January 3rd. If you volunteer in any way please consider coming. Dinner, extraction of saints, entertainment...

Thank You: This Christmas will be the result a great effort on the part of many people to make it as special as it is. Please know that Deacon Monty and Fr. Adrian are so happy to have had to participation and talent of so many in all the parishes who helped. Ernie Barcomb with his generosity in making wreaths for Advent and Christmas and helping with decorating. Tammy Barcomb and George Burliegh by their donation of beautiful Advent candles. Ryan Blondo and the choir members who sang so beautifully for Gaudette Sunday and who will sing again at Christmas. The folk group who labor each weekend and again at Christmas to make it special. Sheila Maneely and her talent on the keyboard. Ryan Mahony's and his talents at Christmas. The choir members and Art Menard in the St. Ann's Choir. All our ministers, decorators, servers, church cleaners...Thank You.

I would also like to especially thank the members of the finance and parish councils for their service this year. We were very busy this past winter and through the summer and were very much a part of making the transitions necessary following the death of Fr. Gilbert. We will continue with more progress in the New Year!

Knowing how Fr. Gilbert especially loved Christmas, I ask those of you who knew him to please say a special Christmas prayer for his soul. Let him know he is still in our hearts and that we love him.

