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WE HAVE DINNER "TO GO" TONIGHT!!!

Mexican food will be on sale at the entrance of the church following mass tonight. The funds will be used as a benefit for Adela Barajas, who has terminal cancer.

Tuesday Solemnity of Mary, January 1, 9:00am

Ushers & Greeters: Volunteer

Lectors: Alan & Mary Pat Miller

Servers: Lizzy & Ben Blum, Makenzi Rosenblad

Lay Distributors: Sr. Jodie, Jeff Treinen, Mary Jo Moeller

Collection Counters: Gerald Rens, Cory Stiens

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PRACTICE

PRE-K TO 6TH GRADE STUDENTS:

Sun., Dec. 30—2pm

Wed., Jan 2-6:45-7:45pm

CHRISTMAS SEASON KIDS PROGRAM WILL BE SUNDAY JANUARY 6 AFTER 10:30AM MASS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE NO 9:00AM

MASS -INSTEAD A BILINGUAL MASS AT 10:30AM—followed by a tavern meal & cake for all parishioners. Plan on staying to celebrate the Epiphany!!!

MASS TIMES WILL SWITCH IN JANUARY

English—9:00am on Sunday STARTING JANUARY 13

Spanish—11:00am on Sunday (note the time change)

1st Sunday of every month—Bilingual at 10:30am with NO 9A or 11A masses those Sundays

COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Congratulations to Grant Wynia & Anita Taylor. Thank you for agreeing to serve our parish

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES & CALENDARS

are available on the table at the entrance of the church.

 Faith Formation

**FAMILY FAITH FORMATION CLASSES—GRADES K-6
WEDNESDAY—JANUARY 9 6:45 all parents & students**

SM DAA GOAL: \$8864 TOTAL RECEIVED: \$6985

STEWARDSHIP: December 23
General Fund: \$6594
Catholic Charities: \$245
Total: \$6839

BASEMENT FUND:
Pledges: \$181,697.10
Received: \$102,212.10

 Called to Serve

Sunday, January 6, 10:30am Bilingual

Greeters: Mark & Kathy McGill

Ushers: Matt Den Hartog, Marisa Herbst

Lectors: Heather Rosewall

Servers: Ella Hoogeveen, Olivia Miller

Lay Distributors: David Miller, Tom Miller

Collection Counters: Cory Stiens, Jacob Rosewall

CLOW: Katy

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Mass & Event Calendar for the Week

MO 7:00P Parish Rosary (Sp)
TU 9:00A *Holy Day Mass* All Parishioners
WE 9:00A *Weekday Mass* +Mary Miller
TH 6:00P *Weekday Mass (Sp)*
FR 9:00A *Weekday Mass at Whispering Heights* +Special Intention
FR 5:00P Prayer Group (Sp)
SU 10:30A *Weekend Mass (Bil)* Souls of the Faithful
SU 11:30A Kids Christmas Program

Holy Day of Obligation Mass Schedule

T	Jan 1	9A	Feast Mother of God (Eng)—Holy Day—ROCK VALLEY
T	Jan 1	7:30P	Feast of Mother of God (Sp)—Holy Day—SIOUX CENTER

St. Mary's: Parishioners: Norma VandeMore, Gene Schroeder, Dan Kooima, Madonna Plueger, Richard & Evelyn Richter, Raul Topete
Friends of St. Mary's: Jay Treinen, Jeff's brother, Denise Broders, Maggie Hallman, Beth Finch's niece, Jerry Burgers, Carlotta Vande More, John Zimmerman, Sr. Jodie's brother, Susan Berg, daughter of Bob Sullivan

Christ the King: Thomas Pohlen, Kerrie Summers, Ana Olmedo, Garrett Englin, Austin Reichle, will be serving in Afghanistan, Larry Armstrong, parishioner, Corey Buckholtz, parishioner, Denise Scrutchfield, sister of Vickie Ryan, Mary Landau, sister of Sue & Jean.

Rest in peace: Molly TeSlaa, friend of St. Mary's

 Prayer Requests

At each parish, we will be praying together the Prayer of St. Michael prior to the weekend masses. The extra prayer is said with the intention of our wounded church in light of the clergy sex abuse scandal. The Prayer of St. Michael is on the back of the missal at St. Mary's & on the inside cover at Christ the King.

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Saturday, January 5, 5:00pm

Hospitality: Rohlk, Summers

Lectors: Kathleen Armstrong, Tyler Armstrong

Servers: Gene Bartels, Briggs Friedmann, Jakson Gillespie

Lay Distributors: Tony Rohlk, Kerrie Summers

Collection Counters: Colleen King, Jeannie Scheitler

CLOW: Stephanie

 Called to Serve

Mass & Event Calendar for the Week

TU 7:30P *Weekday Mass (Sp)*
WE 6:30P NO Faith Formation Classes
TH 7:00A *Weekday Mass* +Cecil Boeckman
TH 6:00P Prayer Group (Sp)
FR 7:00P Prayer Group (Sp)
SA 5:00P *Weekend Mass* +Cecil Boeckman
SU 1:00P *Weekend Mass (Sp)*

MASS TIMES WILL SWITCH JANUARY 5 - 6

English—5:00pm on Sunday

Spanish—1:00pm on Sunday (note the time change)

CULVERS TIP NIGHT FUNDRAISER

Tuesday, Jan 15 from 4-7pm. Please come eat & support the Faith Formation program. The children & volunteers will bus the tables. Culver's will donate 10% of the sales to our program.

2019 CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES are available at the entrance of the church.

GOOD DEEDS MANAGER:

Pre-K—6th grades are making paper bag mangers to add straw to each time they do a good deed. This will make Jesus more "comfortable in the stable" & a way to spread love by making Jesus & His birth more present in our lives. All families are encourage to discuss good deeds during meal times & add the straw we provided to your family manger scene or the paper bag manger provided during class.

CHRISTMAS VACATION

There will be no classes Dec. 26 & Jan 2 for Christmas vacation. Classes will resume on Wed., Jan 9, 2019.

FIRST RECONCILIATION PARENT LEARNING CENTERS

are on Sunday, Jan. 13 at 4pm at Christ the King.

PRAYER PARTNER POTLUCK

Sunday, January 13 at 5:00pm there will be a bilingual rosary for prayer partners & the 2nd graders. Families should bring a dish to share for the potluck beginning at 5:30pm.

FAITH FORMATION FUNDRAISERS—SAVE THE DATES!!

in order to keep cost low & still offer "hands on" activities, please plan on attending the following fundraisers:

- * Tues., January 15—Culver's Tip Night from 5-7pm
- * Sat., March 2 6:30-8pm—Baked Potato bake & Escape room after mass

 Faith Formation

CTK DAA GOAL: \$5607 TOTAL RECEIVED: \$3868

STEWARDSHIP: December 23
General Fund: \$1695
Coming Together Campaign: \$1145.90
Peace & Justice: \$35
Catholic Charities: \$100

Total: \$3675.56
Total Pledged: \$824,020.55
Building Fund Cash-on Hand: \$313,367.40