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*The Epiphany of the Lord*

January 3, 2016

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK January 4 - 10**

Mon. 7:55 am	Fr. Joseph Schell +
Tue. 7:55 am	Howard Shurts +
Wed. 7:55 am	M/M John Kessler +
Thurs. 7:55 am	Alice Werts +
12:10 pm	Oscar Schilling +
Fri. 7:55 am	Ed & June Weismantel +
Sat. 5:00 pm	Leo & Mae Kallas +
7:00 pm	Gerald Lapka +
Sun. 8:30 am	Kay Nikolas +
10:30 am	All members of the Parish



**Lectors**

Sat. 5:00 pm	Amanda Lynch
7:00 pm	Jeff Hanson
Sun. 8:30 am	Terry Dosch
10:30 am	Michele Titus

**January 9 - 10**

**Mass Servers**

Sat. 5:00 pm	Maleah & Victoria Eschenbaum
7:00 pm	Neil Schaunaman
Sun. 8:30 am	M. Winegar, A. Dix, B. Livermont
10:30 am	E. & J. Hammrich, R. Johnsen

**January 9 - 10**

**Music Ministry**

Sat. 5:00 pm	RES Choir: "Mary's Music"
7:00 pm	Tim Baustian
Sun. 8:30 am	Matilda Grobe
10:30 am	St. Mary's Choir: Joni Lammon

**January 9 - 10**

**Extraordinary Ministers**

<b>Sat. 5:00 pm</b>	<b>Sun. 8:30 am</b>	<b>Sun. 10:30 am</b>
Anthony Andera	Debra Dix	Kalen Day
Marilyn Batch	Bailey Dix	Mary Ann Guthmiller
Linda DeWalt	Steve Kohles	Nancy Glungseth
Kristina Dosch	Scott Kuck	Jon Olson
Scott Kram	Keith Schumacher	Connie Reuer
Terry Moffenbier	Marie Schumacher	Mike Russell
Sam VanOrman	Jim Uhrich	
<b>Sat. 7:00 pm</b>		
Kenny Awe		
Terry Kline		
Janie Waltman		

**This Week at St. Mary's**

**Roncalli Nearly New** We are open on Tue, Wed, Thurs and Sat from 12-4 pm. We appreciate your donations & your business.

**Visit us at:** [stmarysabr.tumblr.com](http://stmarysabr.tumblr.com)

**The Knights of Columbus** will be serving breakfast this Sunday, Jan. 3rd from 8:00-12:00 in the parish hall.

**Community News**

**The annual Salad Luncheon and Card Match** will be held on Sat., Feb. 20 from 11:30am to 3:00 pm at the Roncalli High School cafeteria. Tickets are \$10 per person and may be purchased by calling the Development Office at 226-2100. The event will fill up, so make your reservation soon.

**A special thank you** to Carol Ginsbach for contributing to the purchase of Communion Vessels in memory of her husband, R. Lee.



**Server Training** - Fr. Michael will be training anyone in grades 5-10 who is interested in serving Mass here at St. Mary's. Training will be on Wednesday, Jan. 27 at 7:00 pm in the parish hall.



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**Congratulations:** Our parish rejoices in the baptism of Aubrey Renee Anderson, daughter of Nicholas and Jessica.



**Parish Prayer Group** - If anyone has a prayer request for their family, relatives, friend or themselves, please call Nancy Tiffany, 229-4642, and she will place your intentions on their prayer list.

**Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration** is available 24/7 at Avera St. Luke's Hospital. Open hours are: Sun., 11 a.m., Mon. 3 a.m., and Thurs., 2 p.m. Call Theresa at 226-0838 or Mary at 225-6001.

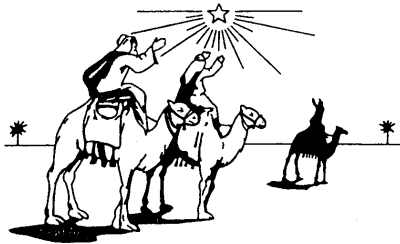


Instilling Catholic values and promoting academic excellence by nurturing mind, body and soul

**Excellence is our average**

- Mon., Jan. 4 - NO SCHOOL - Staff Development
- Tues., Jan. 5 - SCHOOL RESUMES  
- Girls Basketball vs. Frederick - 6:30 pm
- Wed., Jan. 6 - RHS Mass - 9:24 am  
- RES Mass - 12:10 pm - Sacred Heart
- Thurs., Jan. 7 - RPS Mass - 12:10 pm - St. Mary's  
- JH Basketball vs. Redfield - 3 & 4 pm  
- Boys Basketball vs. Redfield - 5:15 pm  
- Gymnastics at Pierre Triangular
- Fri., Jan. 8 - K-6 Report Cards go home  
- Semi Formal at RHS
- Sat., Jan. 9 - Gymnastics at Brookings Invite

**A HUGE THANK YOU...**to everyone who worked so hard to make this Christmas Season such a thing of joy. Decorators, Servers, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Ushers, Musicians, what a gift each ministry is for us. Each of you remains the star leading to Jesus!!



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### FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Wed. Jan. 6 - Confirmation Class at 7:00 pm

First Reconciliation for all second grade students is Saturday January 16. Students with last names A-H will be at 9:00am and I-Z will be at 10:00am. Please continue working weekly in your workbooks & bring them completed on the 16th.

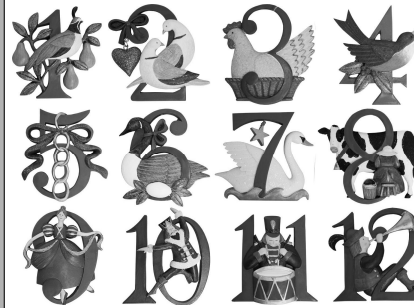
Sun., Jan. 17 - Family Ed at 9:30 am

### Church Support: Dec. 24-25, 2015

Envelopes: \$ 19,582.50  
Loose: \$ 3,994.00

The word Epiphany means "Manifestation" or to make known.

We celebrate these beautiful days when Christ is made known to us. The Feast of the Epiphany is traditionally celebrated on January 6 (we transfer the feast to Sunday), meaning that the days between Christmas and the Epiphany



ARE the 12 Days of Christmas!

Of course, that reminds us immediately of the gifts our "True Love" brings to us these holy

days.

Be sure you receive each of these gifts with joy!

It is also said, in Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," that the Spirit of Christmas Present walks the earth, blessing each joyful home and heart for each of the 12 days, and then he passes on.

What a beautiful reminder that the Spirit is still among us...inviting us to rejoice.

You are so loved!

-Fr. Michael Griffin

### REGIFTS OF THE MAGI



*Just a Thought...*

Myrrh is nice, but not compared to Chex Party Mix.

### Church Support: Dec. 26-27, 2015

Envelopes: \$ 11,611.00  
Loose: \$ 1,046.00  
Children's: \$ 89.00