



INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING

SOVEREIGN PRIEST

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Oratory
of the Immaculate Conception

Sunday,
December 27th,
2009

to

Sunday,
January 3rd,
2010

DIOCESAN
APPROVED
TRADITIONAL
LATIN MASS
APOSTOLATE
FOR THE
IMPLEMENTATION
OF THE
MOTU PROPRIO,
SUMMORUM
PONTIFICUM IN
THE DIOCESE OF
LA CROSSE

SUNDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF CHRISTMAS

Introit: Wis. 18, 14. 15. When a profound stillness compassed everything and the night in its swift course was half spent, Your all-powerful Word, O Lord, bounded from heaven's royal throne. **Ps. 92, 1.** The Lord is King, in splendor robed; robed is the Lord and girt about with strength.

Prayer: Almighty and everlasting God, direct our actions according to Your good pleasure; that we may deserve to abound in good works, in the name of Your beloved Son.

Epistle: Gal. 4, 1-7. Brethren: As long as the heir is a child, he differs in no way from a slave, though he is the master of all; but he is under guardians and stewards until the time set by his father. So we too, when we were children, were enslaved under the elements of the world. But when the fullness of time came, God sent His Son, born of a woman, born under the Law, that He might redeem those who were under the Law, that we might receive the adoption of sons. And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of His Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba, Father." So that He is no longer a slave, but a son; and if a son, an heir also through God.

Gradual: Ps. 44, 3. 2. Fairer in beauty are You than the sons of men; grace is poured out upon Your lips. *V.* My heart overflows with a goodly theme; as I sing my ode to the King, my tongue is nimble as the pen of a skillful scribe.

Alleluia, alleluia. V. **Ps. 92, 1.** The Lord is King, in splendor robed; robed is the Lord and girt about with strength. *Alleluia.*

Gospel: Luke 2, 33-40. At that time, Joseph and Mary, the mother of Jesus, were marveling at the things spoken concerning Him. And Simeon blessed them, and said to Mary His mother, "Behold, this Child is destined for the fall and for the rise of many in Israel, and for a sign that shall be contradicted. And your own soul a sword shall pierce, that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed." There was also Anna, a prophetess, daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Aser. She was of a great age, having lived with her husband seven years from her maidenhood, and by herself as a widow to eighty-four years. She never left the temple, with fastings and prayers worshipping night and day. And coming up at that very hour, she began to give praise to the Lord, and spoke of Him to all who were awaiting the redemption of Jerusalem. And when they had fulfilled all things as prescribed in the Law of the Lord, they returned to Galilee, into their own town of Nazareth. And the Child grew and became strong. He was full of wisdom and the grace of God was upon Him.

Offertory.: Ps. 92, 1. 2. God has made the world firm, not to be moved. Your throne, O God, stands firm from of old; from everlasting You are.

Secret: Grant, we beseech You, almighty God, that the offering made in the sight of Your Majesty may obtain for us the grace of a holy devotion, and the reward of a blessed eternity.



Announcements

TODAY - Traditional Blessing of Wine.

After today's Masses, on the Feast of St. John the Evangelist, you are welcome to bring your favorite wines for the special blessing which is traditionally given on this day. According to tradition, St. John was served poisoned wine, but survived because he blessed the wine before he put it to his lips; the poison rose from the chalice in a shape of a serpent. In his happy memory, Catholics bring wine to church, which the priest blesses, turning it into a sacramental called "Love of St. John." Catholics use this sacramental wine for special occasions throughout the year and to give to the sick.



We are happy to welcome into the Catholic Church, through the waters of Baptism: **Thérèse Fleurette** (Therese Little Flower) December, 26, 2009



CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

Thank you once again for your generosity. Thank you also to our three good ladies of the "Christmas Giving Tree Commission" who so diligently organized it.



THEOLOGY CLASS: Wed., January 13 at 6:00 PM
CATECHISM CLASS: Fri., January 8 at 4:30 PM

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 12/27/2009 - Sunday in the Octave of Christmas
 - Low Mass with organ at 8:00 AM
 - Blessing of the Wine (Scholz Hall)
 - High Mass at 10:00 AM
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- 01/01/2010 - Octave Day of Christmas
 - Low Mass with organ at 8:00 AM
 - High Mass at 10:00 AM
 - **(No Holy Hour this Friday)**
- 01/02/2010 - First Saturday— High Mass at 4:00 PM
- 01/03/2010 - Most Holy Name of Jesus
 - Low Mass at 8:00 AM
 - High Mass at 10:00 AM
- 01/06/2010 - Choir Practice at 7:00 PM
- 01/08/2010 - Catechism Class at 4:30 PM
- 01/13/2010 - Theology Class at 6:00 PM
 - Choir Practice at 7:00 PM
- 01/17/2010 - Pro-Life Rally
- 05/02/2010 - First Holy Communions

St. Mary's Hours

From now on, the church will be closed, every day, shortly after each service. We kindly ask your cooperation. (More details of this new safety program will be explained from the pulpit.)

PRO-LIFE RALLY

Please help us make a warm welcome for babies!

The *Altar and Rosary Society* and the *Company of the Immaculate* are making baby quilts to be distributed at the Pro-Life Rally on January 17. The quilts will go to the *Hope Pregnancy Resource Center* in Wausau and the *A&A Alexandrina Center* in Green Bay for mothers and babies in need. Donations of 100% cotton fabric and/or money for supplies are needed. Please contact Mrs. Joan Putzer or Mrs. Cindy Boudreau. God bless you!

ANGEL'S CHOIR

There will be NO Angel's Choir practice this Sunday. Next practice: Sunday, Jan. 3rd, after the 10:00 am Mass. Attendance is exceedingly important in preparation for the January 17th, 2001 Pro-Life Rally. Looking forward to seeing my little ones again. God bless you! Sr. Rosemary



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Calendar

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<i>Date/Time</i>	<i>Dedicated Feast</i>	<i>Offered For</i>	<i>Servers</i>
Sun 12/27 8:00 AM	Sunday in the Octave of Christmas (2nd Class, White) (Blessing of Wine) Comm.	Canon Fragelli's intention	Abbé Kevin Kerscher Nathanael Rudquist
Sun 12/27 10:00 AM High Mass	Sunday in the Octave of Christmas (2nd Class, White) (Comm: St. John Apostle & Evangelist) (Followed by Blessing of Wine)	Joe Leitermann, Sr. By Laurel Leitermann	Mc: Michael Dehnke Th: Quintin Gruetzmacher A1: Dylan Hellberg A2: Joseph Dehnke
Mon. 12/28 6:00 PM	Holy Innocents (2nd Class, Red) Comm: Day in the Octave of Christmas	For all the little ones of our Parish. Asking the Good Lord to protect their Innocence. By Canon Fragelli	Christian Anderson Houston Gerbig
Tues. 12/29 8:00 AM	5th Day in the Octave of Christmas (2nd Class, White) Comm: St. Thomas Becket	Souls of Larry & Jean Stevens By Anna & Jake Jennings	Ben Kluck Cody Kluck
Wed. 12/30 8:00 AM	6th Day in the Octave of Christmas (2nd Class, White)	Special Intention By the Dominic Gruetzmacher Family	Andrew Hale Michael Dehnke
Thu. 12/31 8:00 AM	7th Day in the Octave of Christmas (2nd Class, White) Comm: St. Sylvester I	Sarah Connolly By Kathy Reinhard	Zachary Schluender Tyler Schluender
Fri. 1/01 8:00 AM Low Mass	Octave Day of Christmas (1st Class, White)	For all the Faithful of St. Mary's. That each may grow closer to Our Eucharistic Lord and in the devotion to Our Lady in this year of 2010. By Canon Fragelli	Dylan Hellberg Joseph Dehnke
Fri 1/01 10:00 AM High Mass	Octave Day of Christmas (1st Class, White)	Canon Fragelli's intention	Mc: Quintin Gruetzmacher Th: Ben Kluck A1: Silas Mahner A2: Tyler Schluender
Sat. 1/02 4:00 PM High Mass	Immaculate Heart of Mary (3rd Class, White) First Saturday of the Month	The Leitermann Children, Living & Deceased By Joe & Laurel Leitermann	Raymond Schmidt Simon Whitaker
Sun 1/03 8:00 AM	Most Holy Name of Jesus (2nd Class, White)	Canon Fragelli's intention	Zachary Schluender Kerri Kremer
Sun 1/03 10:00 AM High Mass	Most Holy Name of Jesus (2nd Class, White)	The Serafino Family By Mr. & Mrs. Engemann	Mc: Andrew Hale Th: Raymond Schmidt A1: Cody Brancato A2: Anthony Brancato

Sunday Ushers: 8:00 AM Tom Schrader, Tim Dobeck
10:00 AM Billy Stoltz, John Schrader, Bruno Susnowski, and Mark Anesko

Collections: Sun., Dec 20: Low Mass: \$ 1518.83 High Mass: \$ 3201.19 Sunday total: \$ 4725.02

Confessions: **Sunday:** Half-hour before the 8:00 AM Low Mass and one hour before 10:00 AM High Mass
Mon. - Sat.: Half-hour before every Mass **Saturday:** From 6:25 PM to 7:25 PM

RECESSIONAL HYMNS

Mon., Dec. 28: # 323 - Silent Night.

Tues., Dec. 29: # 318 - O come, All ye faithful.

Wed., Dec. 30: # 316 - Joy to the world.

Thurs., Dec. 31: # 326 The first noel.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Adam Litwin (19 yrs old – with cancer for the 2nd time) Hilma Folgert, Mark Kreuger, Gilbert Gruetzmacher, Charles Jessel III, William Heidvogel, Rita Wroblewski (dec.), Raymond Maas & Family, Father of Rev. Mother Marie of the Love of God (dec.), Steven Leong, William Burns, Dan & Samuel Nelson & Family, Don Suchy, Alexis Rhea, The Joseph Strehlow Family, Rodger & Karen Beeber, Mrs. Bornbach, Cecilia Falter, Jeffrey Brannon, Molly Pfothenhauer, Amy Eastman, Steve Rajek, The Demski Family, Kay Kropp, Wally Kunz, Tamas Kovach, Kathy & Mary Anne Troyanoski, Eugene Makovec, Virginia Malovrh, the Suchy Triplets (Adam Robert, Logan James, and Timothy John), Aaron Kremer, Andrea Kremer & Family, and Denise Fink, Malissa (sick child).



Monsignor R. Michael Schmitz - Vicar General
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Communion: Matt. 2, 20. Take the Child and His mother, and go into the land of Israel, for those who sought the Child's life are dead.

Postcommunion: O Lord, by the working of this mystery, may our vices be purged away and our just desires fulfilled.

CHOIR SCHEDULE

For all new choir members and anyone interested in joining the choir, we now offer a special choir practice every Sunday in the choir loft from 12:00 PM (noon) until 12:30 PM.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING

Monday, Dec. 21, 2009

"I wish more people were doing on Christmas what you are doing!" said a house owner where we were caroling. "It was the most beautiful Christmas I've had in years" said another neighbor. "It was so much fun, so much joy, lightening up their Christmas." said a participant. "I wish it were not so late so that we could continue for another hour." from another participant.



YEAR CALENDAR

On the respective bulletins boards at *Thomas Hall* you will find the schedules of this year's:

- Monthly meetings of the *Altar & Rosary Society*
- Monthly meetings of the *Holy Name Society*
- Monthly Programs of the *Company of the Immaculate*
- Monthly Programs of *Saint Michael's Patrol*

The dates for the Girl's and the Boy's camp will be published soon.

Envelopes

The 2010 donation envelopes can be found in Scholz Hall, Please feel free to take a box.