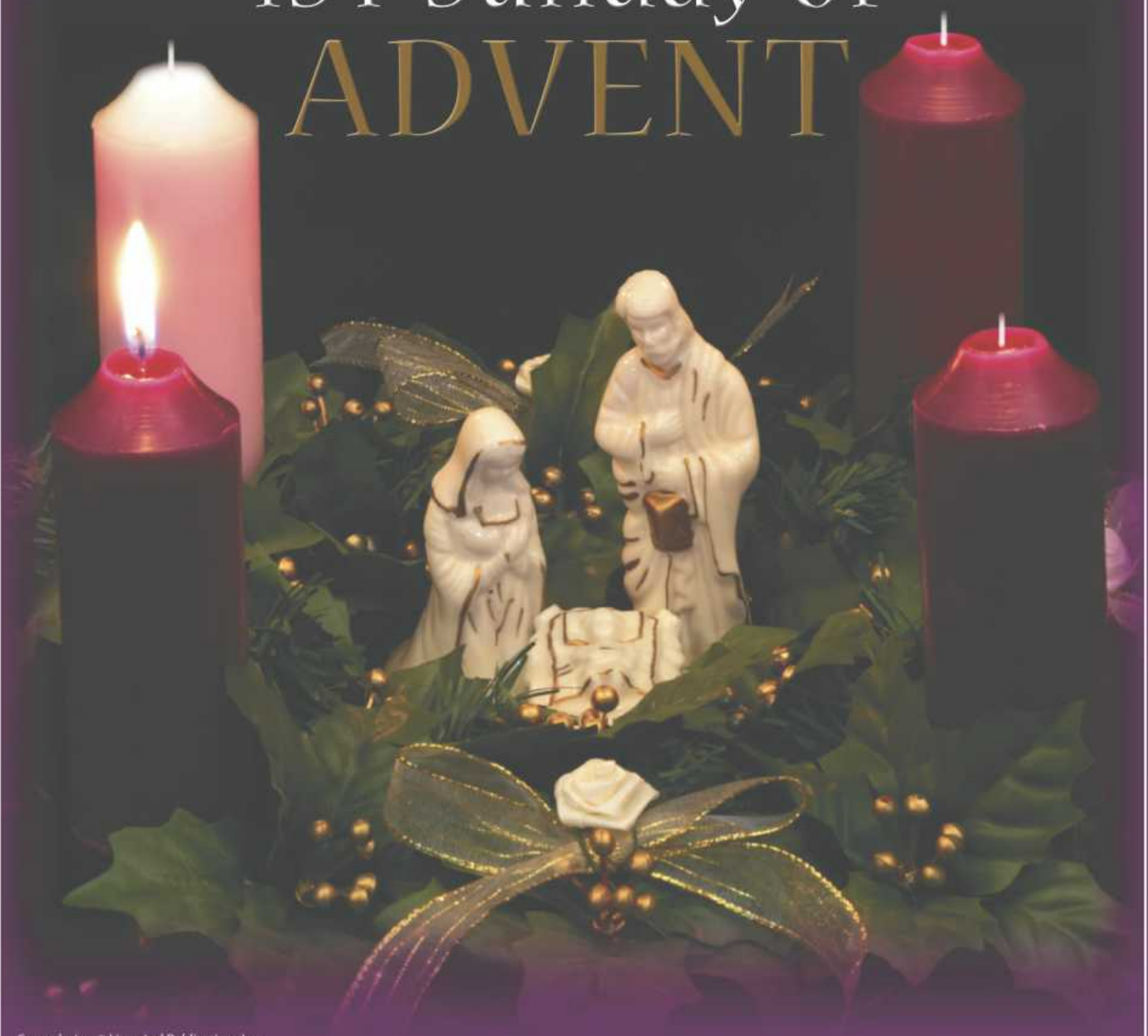


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1ST Sunday of  
ADVENT



*"One in Mind and Heart, Intent Upon God"*  
~ St. Augustine

## MASS INTENTIONS

for the Week of December 1, 2019

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 2

7:45 Beatrice Lapointe Joyce Ragone  
Leo Soulier Susan

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3

7:45 Robert Perry, Sr. Shirley Berthiaume  
Terry Paigo & Diane Dunbar Barbara & John  
Dunbar

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

7:45 Communion Service

### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5

7:45 Anna Landor Ken & Pearl Perrier  
Mary Agnes Sweeney Carol LaPointe

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

7:45 John Veiga & Family Sal & Family  
Sophie Strait & Maria Szewc Barbara & John  
Dunbar  
11:00 Stanley Goyette Tom Malesky




### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

7:45 Living & Deceased of Our Parish Family  
4 pm Rollande Bourgeois (6th Anniv.) Linda, Lisa &  
Maria Manoni  
Anna & Louis Coulombe Family  
David Catallo Frank LaGatto

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8

8:00 Danny Smith Mom & Dad  
Fr. Jack McAtee The Beberwycks  
10:30 Edward Kennedy (Birthday) Joan & Family  
Helen Degnan The Merola Family

If you requested a Mass Intention and would like to bring up the gifts, please see an usher before the start of Mass.

DECEMBER BREAD	DECEMBER SANCTUARY CANDLE	DECEMBER MOTHER OF GOOD COUNSEL
In Memory of ANTHONY & HELEN MEROLA Given by FAMILY	In Memory of ANNA M. WELLS Given by DR. ANNE MARIE WELLS	In Memory of JASON SOCHIA, LAURA & JOSEPH IZZO
WINE In Memory of ANTHONY & HELEN MEROLA Given by FAMILY	In Memory of JACK O'BRIEN Given by FAMILY	Given by NANCY IZZO
		



## December Calendar of Events

- 12/3 St. Anne Society Mtg. 6 p.m. (Lower Hall)  
Altar Society Christmas Gathering 6 p.m.
- 12/8 **Second Sunday of Advent**  
St. Vincent de Paul Collection
- 12/9 Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
7:45 am, 9:30 am & 7:00 pm masses
- 12/10 Altar Society Advent Church Cleaning 6:30 p.m.
- 12/11 St. Vincent de Paul Mtg. Rectory basement 6:30 pm
- 12/12 Penance Service ~ St. Mary's 6:30 p.m.
- 12/15 **Third Sunday of Advent**  
Final Day for Giving Tree Gifts
- 12/17 Penance Service ~ St. Augustine's 6:30 p.m.

Birthright extends a sincere "Thank You" to all parishioners who participated in our Respect Life Sunday Baby Bottle Boomerang. There are still 25 outstanding bottles. If you have not returned your bottle, please do so now, regardless of whether you are able to make a donation. We are seeking simply to collect and return all the bottles to Birthright. Thank you for your assistance.

## St. Mary's Altar Society

The Altar Society will be hosting its Christmas Party on Tuesday, Dec. 3rd at the Halfmoon Diner at 6 p.m. All are welcome. Please r.s.v.p. to Sharon at 237-9207



## Church Cleaning~

The Altar Society will gather on Tuesday, December 10th at 6:30 p.m. to clean for Advent and Christmas. All teams are needed and parishioners are welcome to join us. Cleaner and rags will be supplied, but additional buckets are needed and appreciated. Thank you.

## Sacrificial Giving

Offertory 11/10 \$ 6513



Thank You

Thank you for your continued generous offerings.



The Sacrament of Reconciliation is a Sacrament of mercy and love, in which Christ extends to us the loving embrace of forgiveness. There will be several priests available at each Church. We hope you will take advantage of the services offered this Advent Season.

Thurs. Dec 12 St. Mary's, Waterford 6:30 pm  
Tues, Dec 17 St. Augustine, Troy 6:30 pm

### St. Mary's School News

Thank you to all parishioners who have supported this year's Christmas Calendar Raffle. For those still seeking to submit a calendar into the raffle, it is not too late. Calendars will be accepted this week also.

### Knights of Columbus

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### Adoration Chapel at St. Augustine's

Constant adoration of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament takes place in St. Augustine's Perpetual Help Chapel. There are several time slots needing to be filled, day and night, regular hours or on a substitute basis. For additional information, please call Cathy Curtin at 518.274.5925.

**Please pray for all the sick and suffering and for anyone close to death; for those troubled in body, mind, or heart, and for their care givers in a special way:** Ellen Sheehan, Rose Bix, Carol Travis, Anna Papperman, Alexa Papperman, Marcia Trombly, Margaret Rose DeLucia, Robert Wittemann, Connie Laviolette, Muriel Smith, Renal Goulet, Patricia Komoroski, Jack Neumann, Mary Beth Woodard, Carol Hervieux-Potts, Althea Alger, Sandee Murphy, Irene Marra, Maria Pascarella, Robert R. White, Terry Coloney, Judith M Hervieux, Cathy Powers Vanina, Andrew Melville, Christopher Goyette, Alice Lahue, Brady Sullivan, John Daly, Bill Dame, Michael Clune, Maria Pascarella, Jacob Ward, Joan Fontaine, Rosemary Gavitt, Donald Berthiaume Jr., Claire Neilson, Father Joseph Getz O.S.A., and Father John Byrnes, O.S.A.,

**Please help us keep our list up to date, and call the office (518.237.3131) with any changes.**



Christmas Eve Masses: 4 p.m., 6 p.m., 8 p.m.  
Christmas Day ~ Nativity of the Lord 10:00 a.m.

St. Mary's Choir will be performing "The Glory of Christmas" by Lloyd Larson at 7:30 p.m., as a prelude the 8 pm mass on Christmas Eve. Experience the beauty of the incarnation story through the musical blend of familiar and original songs.



### St. Vincent de Paul Society



The St. Vincent de Paul Society will once again be placing a Giving Tree in the side Altar area in the front of Church to share our blessings with those in need of assistance this Christmas season. Angels have been placed on the tree. Parishioners are encouraged to take an angel, purchase the item, and return the item **no later than Sunday, December 15th** as the gifts will be given the following day. The item should be **WRAPPED** with the angel securely attached to the wrapped package. If possible, please include a gift receipt in the package in case size exchanges are needed.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society thanks you for your generosity in assisting others this Christmas.

**The next meeting of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will take place on Wednesday, December 11th at 6:30 p.m. in the rectory**

### Wintertime Reminder:

In the event that St. Mary's School is closed or delayed due to inclement weather, **the morning mass is cancelled**. Please check your local stations (Channels 6, 10, or 13) for school closings and delays **BEFORE** venturing out for the morning mass.





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