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*"Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties." (1 Corinthians 7:32) How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future. Then spend your time praying instead of worrying.*

**READINGS:** Deuteronomy 18:15-20 Psalm 95 1 Corinthians 7:32-35 Mark 1:21-28

## Welcome to Our Parish Community!

**Weekend Masses** Sat. 4pm (Live on Facebook) — Sun. 7 & 10:15am

**Weekday Masses** Mon, Tue and Wed – 8:30 am

**Confessions** Sat. 3:15-3:45 pm or by appointment

**Food Pantry Hours** Mon 4-6 pm and Wed 1-3 pm

**Appointment Hours:** Tues—Thurs, Noon—3 pm or call to schedule a time



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# Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Date	Time	Intention
Saturday January 27	3:15 pm 4 pm	Confession † <b>Paul Desrosiers</b> By: Janet Brule
Sunday January 28	7 am 10:15 am	† <b>Miguel A. Pagan Sr.</b> By: Fr. Miguel † <b>M/M Arthur St. Andre</b> By: The Family
Monday January 29	8:30 am	† <b>The People of St. Denis</b>
Tuesday January 30	8:30 am	<b>Communion Service</b>
Wednesday January 31	8:30 am	<b>Communion Service</b>
Thursday February 1		NO MASS
Friday February 2		NO MASS
Saturday February 3	3:15 pm 4 pm	Confession † <b>Richard Rosbook</b> By: Jim O'Brien
Sunday February 4	7 am 10:15 am	† <b>Kathy Daige</b> By: Lee Lyons <b>Mark &amp; Debbie Ducharme</b> By: The Family



We light this week's Tabernacle Candle to pray for Paul Desrosiers

## Weekly Offerings

### Weekend of January 20 & 21

Envelopes & Cash	\$ 2,224
Online	\$ 1,180
Weekly direct deposit	\$ 310
Debt Reduction	\$ 185
Maintenance	\$ 190
Fuel	\$ 148
CASH Raffle	\$ 60
Catholic Home Missions	\$ 15
Food Pantry	\$ 140



Thank you to all who help support our parish!! Your donations are much appreciated and help to maintain the ministries that are our mission of evangelization.

## Happening This Week

**If you have been away— Welcome Back!**

**If you're here to stay— We're glad you're here.**

### SATURDAY January 27

**10:30 am Altar Server Training—C**

**3:15 pm Confession**

**4:00 pm MASS**

### SUNDAY January 28

**7: 00 am MASS**

**10:15 am MASS**

**11:30—1:30 Confirmation Discernment Orientation**

### MONDAY JANUARY 29

**8:30 am MASS w/ ROSARY TO FOLLOW**

**9 am R.C.I.A—GR**

**4—6 pm Douglas Food Pantry OPEN**

**5:30 pm R.C.I.A—R**

**6 pm Girl Scouts—H**

### TUESDAY January 30

**8:30 am Communion Service**

### WEDNESDAY January 31

**8:30 am Communion Service**

**1-3 pm Douglas Food Pantry OPEN**

**5:30 pm AA Meeting—H**

### THURSDAY February 1

**3:30-4:30 Children's Choir Rehearsal—C**

**6 pm Cubs 316—H**

**7 pm Al-Anon—GR**

### SATURDAY February 3

**1:30 pm Burial St. Denis Cemetery**



**Cross Catholic  
OUTREACH**

### Welcome Fr. Richard Kunzman from the CROSS CATHOLIC OUTREACH

**3:15 pm Confession**

**4:00 pm MASS**

### SUNDAY February 4

**7: 00 am MASS**

**10:15 am MASS**

**3 pm Adult Confirmation at St. Paul's Cathedral**

As always your continued support enables us to support our parish ministries as well as maintain the upkeep of our properties.

**If anyone is in need of a letter of donations for tax purposes, please call the Rectory and one will be mailed to you.**





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**Homemade  
Soup to Go**



**January 27th & 28th**

# Clam Chowder

**Just reheat and eat!**  
**\$8 per Container (16 oz)**

## CASH CALENDARS

ONE OF OUR BIGGEST FUNDRAISERS FOR THE YEAR IS OUR CASH CALENDAR.

**SELL 5 TICKETS AND THE 6TH ONE IS FREE!**

WE NEED ALL PARISHIONERS TO HELP WITH THIS EFFORT!

**100 SHEETS SOLD AT \$100/SHEET = \$10,000 !!**

## Communion under both species



Before we begin the distribution of communion under both species, we will be offering training and refresher opportunities for any parishioner interested in becoming an Extraordinary Minister of

If this is a ministry that you are called to, please call the Rectory. Training sessions will be set up for new ministers and refresher sessions will be set up for our current ministers of Holy Communion.

We are blessed with many dedicated parishioners to this ministry, please consider joining us on this journey.

## DAY OF PRAYER & ADORATION

**9am– 5:45pm**

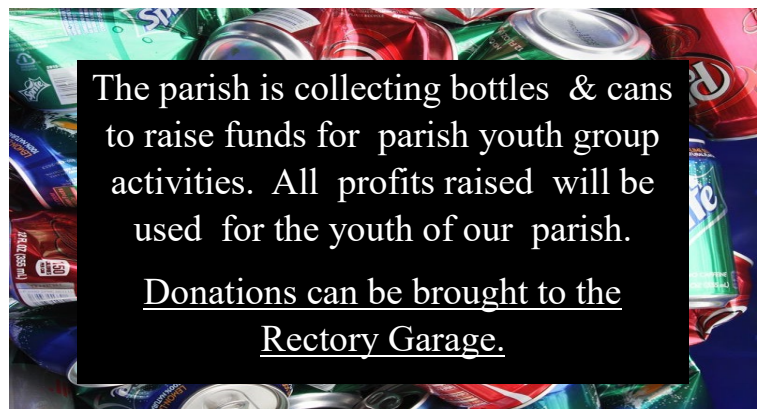


Our next Day of Prayer and Adoration will be on Wednesday **FEBRUARY 7**. There is a sign-up sheet in the vestibule for anyone who can come and spend some time with the blessed sacrament.



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Fr. Richard Kunzman will be here to speak at all Masses on February 3 & 4 to enlighten us about his ministry.



The parish is collecting bottles & cans to raise funds for parish youth group activities. All profits raised will be used for the youth of our parish.

Donations can be brought to the Rectory Garage.



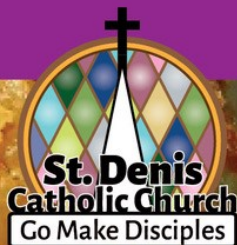
**CHILDREN'S CHOIR REHEARSAL**  
**THURSDAY FEBRUARY 1st 3:30-4:30**

Children in grades 2 or older, come join us in praising God by singing in our choir. The more the merrier!! Come share your gift!!



LENTEN

# *Fish dinners*



**Most Fridays During Lent**

Dine In or Take Out - 5:00 to 6:30 pm

**Feb. 16<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>, Mar. 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>**



**Baked fish, coleslaw, tartar sauce**  
and choice of  
**baked potato or rice**  
**\$18**

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John McPherson Jr.	The McPherson Family
The Begin Families	The Pechie & Neslusan Families
Pauline Richard	David & Nancy Goodfellow
H. Edward Phelps	Lori (Manyak) Cyr
Gerard & Mary Picard	Tim Guertin
Francis Gavlak	Helen Fox
Julius Gavlak	Susan Gavlak
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