# First Sunday of Advent

# Parishes of St. Ann and Holy Angels

### December 1-2

Sat.

4:00PM Vigil (SA)

Health of a family member

Sun.

8:00AM (SA)

+Donald LaPierre

Sun.

10:00AM (HA)

+Joanne LaBarge

December 3-7

Mon. 8:00AM (HA)

+Marcel Boire

Tues. 8:00AM (SA)

+Birthday Blessings

Weds

No Mass

Thurs 8:00AM (SA) Fri. **6:30PM** (HA)

+Kelsey Hemingway

+Oveldia & Marie Boulrice

Immaculate Conception

Holy Day

#### December 8-9

Sat. Sun. 4:00 PM Vigil (SA)

+Bruce Sample + Warren Garrand

8:00AM (SA) 10:00AM (HA)

+Frank & Ella Deyo

## **Giving Report**

**Sanctuary Candle** 

St. Ann: **Holy Angels:** \$1,434.11

\$2.764.10

Oveldia & Marie Boulrice

# News in our Parishes:

### Parish Calendar:

Advent Schedule: Before Mass each Advent Weekend we will have the recitation of the rosary beginning twenty minutes prior to Mass. Following Communion at these weekend Masses there will be a brief exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a "Litany of Reparation" said for our own sins and the sins committed against children. This will not add to the length of the Mass.

All Parish Cemeteries are now considered closed for the season. We will begin burials again at an announced time in the spring.

Ladies of St. Ann Christmas Party: Tuesday, Dec. 4 6PM

#### Christmas Mass Times:

Christmas Eve: 4:00PM Holy Angels

6:00PM Holy Angels (Christmas Mass will not be held at St. Ann's due to renovations.)

Boars Head Festival and Dinner Meeting: Tickets to the dinner and the festival are now on sale in the parish office. Please call Mary to reserve them, put your money in an envelope in the collection marked "TICKETS", and they will be mailed to you. If you are attending the dinner with others and want to be seated with them please indicate that when requesting dinner tickets. Raffle tickets are being sold at \$20.00 each for many drawings of cash which will be drawn the evening of the Boars Head festival. \$9,500 dollars will be given away! You do not need to be present to win however these tickets make great Christmas gifts and are a direct support to the event and our parishes. Thank you for all those who are selling and especially to those who will purchase them. There are only 1,000 tickets so get them while you can. The next meeting for the dinner and festival will be December 13th at 6:00P in the parish hall.

Religious Education News: Class #9 will be held Sunday, December 2nd immediately following the 10AM Mass at Holy Angels Church. Please note: St. Ann's and Holy Angels have withdrawn from the "release time" schedule of classes held in Ellenburg. In previous years our programs were combined. That program is now exclusive to the parishioner of St. Edmund's church. Because Fr. Adrian wants to build the community of Holy Angels and St. Ann's parishes our parishioners are asked to participate in our program. Boar's Head dance rehearsal #2 immediately following class on the 2<sup>nd</sup>.

St. Ann's Renovation News: These past days have included the building and tiling of the risers to the west transept. We are also sanding and varnishing the St. Joseph's pews for preparation of installation on the risers when all is ready. Thank you to all who are working so hard.

ST. Ann's Annual Cookie Sale this Weekend! - Saturday December 1st, at St. Ann's church hall 10AM till 5PM and Sunday December 2<sup>nd</sup>, Holy Angels church hall after 10am mass.

### Capital Campaign News

- An update of what has been pledged for the Capital Campaign so far:
  - Holy Angels: \$70,825.00 (64.85% of our goal) 27 donors
  - o St. Ann's: \$114,397 (92.75% of our goal) 55 donors
  - o St. Joseph's: \$12,655.00 (19.10 % of our goal) 12 donors
  - o St. Louis of France: \$1,010.00 (3.28% of our goal) 2 donors

THANK YOU for those who are still giving! Remember, your gift as a onetime gift or as a pledge over four years is most welcome. Some have asked if they can give a onetime gift each of the four years depending on what they can afford that particular year. Of course you can and thank you for doing so!

# News in our Diocese

#### Other Events:

-Seton Catholic Christmas Dinner, Dec. 2nd, at New York Rd. Airbase. 12pm to 5pm. Turkey Dinner, \$10 per person.

<sup>\*</sup>What you are able to give is a great help. Please consider remembering your parish when there is a death in the family, or when you prepare your own estate...any and all donations are very important to us!