

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH

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St. Philip's Church

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Sister Parish

St. Charles Pennington

Saturday at 4:00 PM

(Fishing Opener to Labor Day)

Newman Catholic Ministries

BSU/NWTC

Events held at various locations on BSU campus. All sacramental events take place at St. Philip's Church.

St. Philip's Clothing Depot

218-444-3835

Tuesday through Saturday
9:30 AM to 3:00 PM

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Norma Himmelright

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Happy Thanksgiving!

November 27, 2016

I pray that all of you have had a wonderful Thanksgiving weekend. This weekend is the beginning of a wonderful time of year. We start off our holiday season by celebrating Thanksgiving. Thanking God for all of the wonderful gifts we have been blessed with in the past year and actually in our lifetime. The other things that make Thanksgiving special for me are the delicious traditional foods, the extra days away from the office to relax with family and starting the decorating of our home for Christmas. This year we have a new home to decorate so we will be doing some experimenting with new options for our special family decorations.

I always enjoy sharing with our neighborhood and community the fact that Jesus is the reason for the season by displaying a large nativity scene in front of our house. By the time you read this I hope to have the display set up in our new yard.

This weekend we are beginning a new church year with the 1st Sunday in Advent. This is the time to prepare our hearts and our minds for the second coming of Jesus. The first and second Sundays of Advent our focus is on when Jesus will come again as ruler and judge to welcome all those who believe in him into eternal paradise. The ultimate goal of every Christian! Then our focus will shift to Jesus' first coming, as a humble baby, laying in the manger.

We have so much to look forward to during this season of Advent and beyond. During these next four weeks I pray that you will make the time to fellowship with family and friends, to enjoy decorating your homes and viewing all of the decorations around our community and most of all to prepare your hearts to receive him, Jesus, Savior of the world.

May you be richly blessed during this Advent!

Deacon Kermit

Your Parish Representatives:

Parish Council Members: Ben Baird, Sarah Bofferding, Kevin Erpelding, Anita Froelich, Jim Gorham, Cynthia Haskin, Brent Rud, Mary Scofield, Drew Weaver

Finance Council Members: Jeff Cwikla, Amy Haskell, Claude Sand

School Council Members: Jaclyn Bergerson, Tiffany Fankhanel, Christine Louvar, James Marcotte, Trudy Peterson, Laura Schwindt

Trustees: Hank Krigbaum, Shannon Schmidt

First Sunday of Advent

November 27, 2016

Marana tha! Come Lord Jesus!

MASS INTENTIONS

For November 28 to December 4

Monday, Nov 28

8:30 AM Mass: +Con Beaulieu

Tuesday, Nov 29

6:30 PM Mass: +Dawn Kern

Wednesday, Nov 30

8:40 AM Mass: +Genny Eisenrich

Thursday, Dec 1

7:00 AM Mass: +John Ovsak

10:30 AM Mass (Havenwood): Herman & Ottilia Kueber Family

10:30 AM Communion Service (Baker Park)

Friday, Dec 2

8:30 AM Mass: +Mary Ann Dahl

Saturday, Dec 3

5:30 PM Mass: +Roger Lehmann

Sunday, Dec 4

7:30 AM Mass: +Vernon "Spike" Gary

9:00 AM Mass: +Thomas Dunn

11:00 AM Mass: +Chris Rutledge

6:30 PM Mass: For the People

DAILY READINGS

For the Week of November 28 to December 4

Monday, Nov 28

Is 4:2-6

Ps 122:1-2,3-4D,5-9

Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday, Nov 29

Is 11:1-10

Ps 72:1-2,7-8,12-13,17

Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday, Nov 30

Rom 10:9-18

Ps 19:8-11

Mt 4:18-22

Thursday, Dec 1

Is 26:1-6

Ps 111:8-9,19-21,25-27a

Mt 7:21,24-27

Friday, Dec 2

Is 29:17-24

Ps 27:1,4,13-14

Mt 9:27-31

Saturday, Dec 3

Is 30:19-21,23-26

Ps 147:1-6

Mt 9:35-10:1,5a,6-8

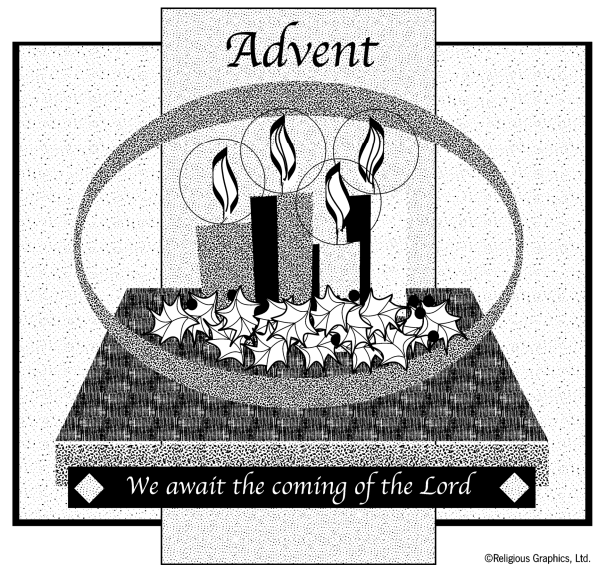
Sunday, Dec 4

Is 11:1-10

Ps 72:1-2,7-8,12-13,17

Rom 15:4-9

Mt 3:1-12



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THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Monday, Nov 28

8:05 AM Community Morning Prayer (Chapel)

9:00 AM to 9:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

5:45 PM Bible Study- *The Prophets* (St. Greg/Grt Rm)

7:00 PM Nightlights (St. Kateri Rm)

Tuesday, Nov 29

6:00 AM to 9:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

8:05 AM Community Morning Prayer (Chapel)

10:00 AM Bible Study- *The Prophets* (St. Kateri Rm)

3:15 PM Little Flowers (Social Hall)

7:00 PM Men's Basketball (Gym)

7:00 PM Newman M&M (Cafeteria)

7:30 PM Marian Devotions (Chapel)

Wednesday, Nov 30

8:05 AM Community Morning Prayer (Chapel)

9:40 AM Rosary (Chapel)

6:30 PM Faith Formation, Grades 1-11

Thursday, Dec 1

8:05 AM Community Morning Prayer (Chapel)

12:00 PM to 9:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

3:15 PM Bible Study- *Consoling the Heart of Jesus* (St. Kateri Rm)

4:30 PM Society of St. Vincent de Paul (Social Hall)

5:00 PM Life Teen Band Practice (Church)

7:00 PM Blessed Sacrament Prayer Group (Chapel)

7:00 PM Christmas Choir Rehearsal (Church)

Friday, Dec 2

8:05 AM Community Morning Prayer (Chapel)

1:30 PM Bible Study- *The Psalms* (St. Kateri Rm)

5:00 PM to 9:00 PM Adoration (Chapel)

Saturday, Dec 3

9:00 AM to 4:00 PM First Reconciliation (Church, Chapel)

4:30 PM Reconciliation (Chapel)

7:30 PM Hurley's Religious Goods for sale (Social Hall)

Sunday, Dec 4

Hurley's Religious Goods for sale after each Mass (Social Hall)

8:35 AM Rosary (Chapel)

9:00 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word (St. Greg/Grt Rm)

9:00 AM Preschool Sunday School (Pre-K classrooms)

10:15 AM Rosary (Chapel)

10:15 AM Baptism Class (St. Kateri Rm)

12:00 PM LifeTeen- *Theology of the Body* (Gym)

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS

Parents or prospective parents who wish to present a child for Baptism are asked to attend a baptism preparation class. The next session will be on **December 4**. Please call the Parish Office at 444-4262 to register, or for more information.

The St. Philip's Catholic Community welcomes through the waters of baptism, **Baya Nove' Jahner**, daughter of Trace & Carly Jahner. May she be filled with the Holy Spirit!



PARISH LIFE

NIGHTLIGHTS

Nightlights, a nondenominational support group for anyone who has a loved one with mental illness will hold its monthly meeting at 7:00 – 8:30 PM, Monday, November 28, 2016 in the St. Kateri Room at St. Philips Church, 7th Street and Beltrami Ave. With questions, please call 218.444.4262.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

If anyone is interested in learning more about Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament to contact Monica Arel at 243-3880. Adoration hours are Monday 9AM - 9PM, Tuesday 6AM - 9PM, Thursday noon - 9PM, and Friday 5PM - 9PM.

HURLEY'S RELIGIOUS GOODS

Hurley's Religious Goods is coming back to St. Philip's the weekends of November 27/28 and December 3/4. This is a great opportunity to grab some quality items for your home, family, or as a gift for Christmas. Stop by any of the Masses and take home something that will provide a lifetime of memories.

Blessed Sacrament Prayer Group

Come to the Chapel on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of every month at 7 PM to take part in charismatic prayer with music. All are invited to participate!

FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY

All are invited to join praying the Rosary at Neilson Place (Chapel) on Saturday, December 3 at 10:30 AM. If you know someone at Neilson Place that you would like to invite, please call/text their name to Anita Froelich at 766-4692.

Advent Books and the new St. Philip's 2017 Calendars are now available in the Narthex. Be sure to take one as quantities are limited.

Happy Anniversary!

Congratulations and best wishes to **Gene & Judy Hendrickson** who are celebrating **50** years of marriage on November 26! Also, **Craig & Suzanne Bergren** are celebrating their **25th** Anniversary on November 30th!



THE ADVENT GIVING TREE

The Giving Tree is an opportunity for adults, children, individuals, families, or groups to do something for others during the Advent season. Local service organizations have provided us with lists of items that will brighten the lives of their clients during the holiday season and you are invited to participate.



To do this, choose one or more of the ornaments from the Giving Tree. Purchase the item/items listed on the ornament. Do not wrap; rather, tape the ornament to the item/items. Bring the gift to St. Philip's and place it under the Giving Tree. All items need to be returned by Tuesday, December 21, so that they may be distributed during the Christmas season.

Thank you for bringing a gift to Jesus.

Retirement Appreciation for Ann Welch December 4 ~ 9:00 Mass

Ann Welch, who has been at the helm of the Funeral Committee at St. Philip's for the past 20 years is ready to hang up her apron! In thanksgiving of Ann, all are invited to stay for Hospitality following the 9:00 AM Mass on Dec 4.

If you are a current or past member of the Funeral Committee, please plan on attending the 9:00 AM Mass (pews will be reserved for you in the sanctuary).



St. Mary's Mission Appeal This Weekend

St. Mary's Mission Appeal (SMMA) second collection takes place today. Bishop Hoepfner and Fr. Jerry Rogers thank you for your generosity and your concern for the children and families that St. Mary's Mission, Red Lake, MN.

Again, thank you for your care and your generosity to St. Mary's Mission Appeal. As Fr. Jerry always says, "Never underestimate



You may view the lively and colorful **2016 St. Mary's Mission Appeal Video** on the Diocese of Crookston website at www.crookston.org/smma or you can swipe your smart phone over this QR code and it will take you to the video:

(If you need a QR READER on your smart phone, go to the APP store on your phone, type "FREE QR READER" in your browser and you can very simply install a QR reader for this video and lots of other fun things.)

FAITH FORMATION



Just a reminder First Reconciliation Prayer Partner Cards are due to the Parish Office by November 28th. Cards can be put in the Sunday Offering - outside of the envelope should be marked Kris Jensen - Faith Formation. Having difficulty finding a card? The Parish Office has Reconciliation Cards. Thanks for your Prayer Support!!

Many thanks to the parents who helped make First Reconciliation Activity Morning a fun-faith filled morning!!



STEWARDSHIP OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Fiscal Year July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017

Goals

- Weekly goal to meet budget: \$ 16,355.00
- Increase needed weekly to meet the Roof/AC project over 36 months: \$ 1,722.00
- Increase needed weekly for maintenance escrow account over 5 years: \$ 1,126.00
- New weekly goal total: \$ 19,203.00**

Week #21	Envelopes	\$ 13,709.00
Actual Contributions	EFT Env.	\$ 8,022.50
(received the	Loose Plate	\$ 917.76
weekend of 11/20/2016)	Children's	\$ 53.30
	Total	\$ 22,702.56

STEWARDSHIP ~ A HABIT OF THE HEART

Last Week's Mass Attendance

Nov 19	5:30 PM	229
Nov 20	7:30 AM	197
Nov 20	9:00 AM	330
Nov 20	11:00 AM	339
Nov 20	6:30 PM	98

Agassiz Valley TEC 40th Anniversary

If you have participated on an Agassiz Valley TEC weekend please join us as we celebrate our 40th anniversary! Mark your calendars for Sunday, January 15, 2017 at St. Michael's Church in Mahanomen. The celebration will begin at 3:00 PM with time catch up with old friends. Mass will be at 4:00 PM with supper at 5:00 PM followed by a program and praise & worship. If you would like more information or would like to get your name in the TEC database please contact Terry Steen by e-mailing sjchurch-lady@yahoo.com.

ST. PHILIP'S SCHOOL

Class Notes:

November 26/27

- It's the first week of Advent. Our Advent prayer theme is "Names of Jesus". We will begin our Mondays and Fridays (until the last week) with Advent Prayer in the gym at 8:35. You are cordially invited to pray with us.
- St. Philip's School will host a Math Meet on Monday, November 28, at 1:00 in the Social Hall.
- School Mass is on Wednesday, November 30, at 8:40. Students from Mrs. Swartz's sixth grade will be our Mass ministers. Please join us
- Another 90th Anniversary celebration – This time we travel back to the 1970s. On Friday, December 2, wear your polyester or your 90s T-shirt. What a great way to learn about another historical time period.
- Mid-term grades for the second quarter will be sent home in December.
- Students will have the opportunity to celebrate the sacrament of Reconciliation on Friday, December 9. This Day of Reconciliation, from 7:00 AM until 8:00 PM is available to all.
- Our Christmas Program is scheduled for Wednesday, December 21. There will be two performances that day. Get in the spirit of the season!
- Go online to complete your Safe Environment Certification for 2016-2017. If you were certified during the 2015-2016 school year, you need to again be recertified this year. Please go to: www.crookston.org and following the prompts for Safe Environment. [You may have to "refresh" your cache once or twice.] This certification must be done annually and BEFORE you volunteer.

"Tubs of Christmas Love"

St. Philip's Church is again filling, "Tubs of Christmas Love" during Advent. The food and gifts collected will be shared with local low-income families or those experiencing hardship.

- ✦ From Nov 26th - Dec 11th there will be green/red plastic "Christmas Tubs" near the Advent Giving Tree that will serve as Christmas Baskets.
- ✦ The lid on each tub will have a label identifying the number of family members, ages of the children and may have some other specific information.
- ✦ The tub can be filled with items appropriate for a holiday meal, and/or a gift certificate for perishable food including items such as turkey, pie, etc. A family game or small gift items could also be included.
- ✦ Simply take a tub, fill it, and return it to the tree (on weekends) or to the parish office (during the week). Keep the label attached to the lid. **Return the filled tub by December 12th.**
- ✦ Please detach, and fill out the information slip on the side of the label, and drop in the box or collection plate.
- ✦ Feel free to partner with another family or your workplace to fill one!

Bi-Cap, CEP, Headstart, Hope House, and Churches United (reaching out to smaller organizations in the community) have provided the names this year.





Prayer to End Abortion

Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of my life,
And for the lives of all my brothers and sisters.
I know there is nothing that destroys more
life than abortion.
Yet I rejoice that you have conquered death
By the Resurrection of Your Son.
I am ready to do my part in ending abortion.
Today I commit myself
Never to be silent,
Never to be passive,
Never to be forgetful of the unborn.
I commit myself to be active in the pro-life movement,
And never to stop defending life
Until all my brothers and sisters are protected,
And our nation once again becomes
A nation with liberty and justice
Not just for some, but for all,
Through Christ our Lord. Amen!
www.priestsforlife.org/novenas

Priests for Life invites every Christian to say the above prayer each day for an end to abortion. The prayer emphasizes our personal commitment to speak and act on behalf of the unborn child. Rather than simply asking God to do something, it acknowledges that God wants to accomplish His will through us.

LOCAL BAZAARS ETC...

United Methodist Fair Trade Sale.

Saturday, December 3 from 9 to 2 PM and Sunday, December 4 from 11:30 to 2 PM. Shop for high quality, fairly traded gift and home items. Your purchase empowers artisan and farmers around the world to break the cycle of poverty. 9th and Beltrami. Questions, contact De Pickett at 556-8988.

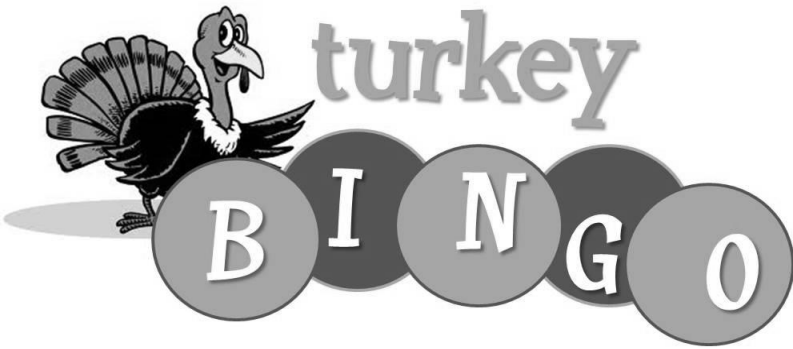
First Presbyterian Christmas Bazaar.

Saturday, December 3 from 8:30 AM to 1:30 PM. One-stop Christmas shopping at a variety of booths: Grandma's Attic, baked goods, Christmas, crafts, silent auction baskets. Complete your shopping experience with a delicious soup lunch from 11 AM to 1:00 PM. Soup luncheon is \$6, which includes choice of soup, bread, dessert, and beverage. 501 Minnesota Ave.

Interested in joining a Bible Study?

✠ *Entertaining Angels*, is a fascinating study on many types of angels, including the fallen angels (demon), and the three Archangels. Some of these sessions cover demons and their evil effects in the world. *Entertaining Angels* is the best choice to study the good angels. **This study will begin on Thursday, January 5 at 3:15 PM.** Materials do need to be ordered, so please contact Blake if interested.

See Blake for more details, 218-441-4907 or email at bquick@stphilipsbemidji.org



Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's Turkey Bingo a huge success!! All proceeds help our youth attend Steubenville Youth Conference, Haiti180 Mission Trip, and gives an opportunity for St. Philip's School's 8th grade students to earn money toward their class trip. A special thank you to all our sponsors:

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Preschool and Elementary Children
and their Families
are invited to

Jesus Birthday Party

Saturday, December 10th

9:00 - 11:30 AM

at St. Philip's Social Hall

9:00 - 11:30 ~ Christmas Crafts and Activities
(come when you can)

10:30 ~ Christmas Carols and Reading of the
Christmas Story

11:00 ~ A Birthday Cake for Jesus

Contact Kris Jensen - 444-4262 for additional information.

Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever

1 Chronicles 16:34

Thanksgiving Blessings from Faith Formation

NEWMAN NEWS

NEWMAN MOVIE NIGHT!!!! DECEMBER 6TH!!!!

For Greater Glory! The story of the Cristiadas in Mexico and the fight for religious freedom! Popcorn, pop, snacks and fellowship. Relax before Finals, kick back and enjoy the movie! BE THERE!!!! VIVO CRISTO REY!!!

RETROUVAILLE

Save a marriage. Are you or someone you know, living in the pain of a marriage in trouble?

Retrouvaille can help. The next program starts Jan. 27, 2017. Call 320-255-5314 or check the website www.helpourmarriage.org for more information. Preregistration is required. Space is limited.

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

Low gluten hosts are available at every Mass, daily or Sunday. Sometimes due to a medical condition, individuals are not able to receive the regular hosts that are used in Holy Communion. If you or someone you know needs a low gluten host, ask a greeter, sacristan, information station person, or a priest, we will be glad to assist. In order to receive: enter the communion line that is receiving from the presider. Indicate to the presider you wish a low gluten host. He will present the Body of Christ from a special pyx. For the several weeks, Father Don, and Father Chuck, will be announcing the availability of a low gluten host at every Mass.

ARE YOU REGISTERED WITH THE PARISH?

There are many parishioners who have been attending St. Philip's Parish for years and did not know that there is an official registration process. If you have not received any mailings or other correspondence from us, there is a good possibility that you are not yet registered with the parish. Please stop by the Parish Office any weekday, or by the *Information Station* on the weekends to fill out a simple card. Thank you!

A Night with Our Lady

A Family Faith Night Event

December 7th at 6:00PM

On December the 7th (Vigil of the Immaculate Conception) at 6:00 PM St. Philip's will be presenting a panel discussion about Mary! Talking about her role with the people of our parish, and how you can have a special relationship with Our Lady. You're not going to want to miss this wonderful opportunity, and then join us for Mass directly after! Stay for light refreshments following Mass. All are welcome! Bring your family! For more information contact Blake Quick at (218)-441-4907 or email bquick@stphilipsbemidji.org.





We are very blessed at St. Philip's Faith Formation to have people who are called to help our children and youth grow in the Catholic Faith. They come from many walks of life: High Schoolers, High School seniors, college students, adults with children in Faith Formation and adults who do not. What they all have in common is a desire to guide the children and youth along their faith journey and to share our faith and beliefs with them.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Elli Morin & Family
Lisa Martin & Family
Julie Maus
Libby Hertel
Katie Boell
Matt Boell

Preschool Sunday School

Sophia Djonne
Sarah Djonne
Melissa Brown

Elementary

Melissa Brown
Tracy Blichfeldt
Tami Erickson
Sarah Blumenshein
Stephanie Rupp
Amy Gish
Cory Gish
Jackie Whiting
Michelle Quandt
Jacob Hanson
Jenny Djonne
Peter Hartmann
Angie Nistler
Steve Pfleger
Deb Pfleger
Stephanie McDermott
Amy Zimmermann
Deb Hemstad

Middle School

Brad Arel
Nicole Kieson
Melissa Columbus
Stephanie Bunich
Mark Studer
Kelly Brevig
Toby Glen
Karina Perish
Sarah Bofferding

High School

Stephanie Downey
Sue Hengel
Cathy Lalli
Grant Frenzel
Rich Marsolek
Kelley Hengel
Dave Hengel
Amy Bofferding
Bob Revering
Lorie Erpelding
Kevin Erpelding
Kari Frenzel
Herb Bromenshenkel
David Liedl
Sylvia Grimm

It is God's wish
that we grow in
our faith.

Mother Teresa



SERVANT OF GOD DOROTHY DAY

DATES: 11/8/1897 – 11/29/1980

A WORKER FOR MERCY

At their 2012 annual meeting, the Catholic bishops of the United States unanimously recommended the canonization of Dorothy Day, founder of the Catholic Worker movement. By then the Vatican had already given her the title "Servant of God," the first step in formally recognizing Dorothy Day as a saint. On Ash Wednesday, 2013, preaching in Saint Peter's Basilica in Rome, Pope Benedict XVI spoke of Dorothy Day as a model of conversion.

"Dorothy Day arrived at doing holy works of mercy in a round about way after having lived for many years in a wild search for truth and holiness, which she had never hitherto found. She had been an atheist, socialist, objector and a rebel. Yet in her, it was said, there was also 'the way of life of St. Francis of Assisi, the prophetic courage of Catherine of Siena, the dynamism of Teresa of Avila, the trust in Providence of [Joseph Benedict] Cottolengo and the spirit of hospitality of John of God.' But despite all her peculiar experiences, a desire to pray welled up overwhelmingly within her.

She converted at the age of 23 when she literally threw herself into the arms of God and the Catholic Church. She renounced all other security and spent the rest of her life supporting her movement in defense of social struggles she considered just. She always reaffirmed that *'to see Christ in the other, to love him and take care of him is synonymous with Heaven, because to live in union with God is a foretaste of heavenly joy. Those who live with this awareness within themselves are saints.'* But she argued with equal vigor that *'those who cannot see Christ in the poor are atheists indeed.'* The workers in her movement were often of different ideological opinions, and so she spoke frequently and only of 'works of mercy.' She didn't know any better term to describe the ideals of the Catholic Worker Movement which she founded in 1933.

She made only one demand: that every house had a least one room for prayer where anyone could go freely whenever they wanted. That important thing was that visitors could clearly see that there was a praying heart in each house: *'We feed the hungry, yes. We try to shelter the homeless and give them clothes, but there is strong faith at work, we pray. If an outsider who comes to visit us doesn't pay attention to our prayers and what that means, then he'll miss the whole point.'*

Excerpts taken from: "Saints in Mercy," Pontifical Council for the New Evangelization – OSV Press 2015.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Week of December 3/4

	Dec 3, 5:30 PM Second Sunday of Advent	Dec 4, 7:30 AM Second Sunday of Advent	Dec 4, 9:00 AM Second Sunday of Advent	Dec 4, 11:00 AM Second Sunday of Advent	Dec 4, 6:30 PM Second Sunday of Advent
SACRISTAN	Deborah Millard	Judy Stai	Jim Gorham	Sue Hengel	Blake Quick
LECTOR	Peggy Neumann Cheryl Christlieb	John Bloberger Carol Schneider	Kari Frenzel Marilynne Hodapp		Andrew Dondelinger
INTERCESSOR	Joe Czapiewski	Pam Murray	John Carlson (sub req.)	Carol Rettinger	HELP NEEDED
ALTAR SERVER	Ella Schwindt Garret Schwindt Charlie McCalip	Abby Arel Matthew Arel Ephram Boucher	Olivea Frenzel Emma Frenzel Lee Walter	Aidan Spaeth Ava Spaeth Ian Spaeth	Mateja Dreyer Emily Dondelinger HELP NEEDED
CAPTAIN	Robb Naylor	Walter Schuiling	Ed Daigle	Dotty Forrest	Blake Quick
EMHC	Laura Schwindt Alice Thompson Eileen Gothman Terry Jones Trish Jones Roslyn Hanson (sub req.) Deborah Millard	Dianne Dockendorf Dan Shea Therese Marie Johnson April Boucher Judy Selby HELP NEEDED HELP NEEDED	Jeff Frenzel Mary Bjerke Megan Luke Tracie Walter George Whalen Kay Mack Larry Mack Sue Lucas Rose Fagerstrom	Rita Lauderbaugh Karen Williams Courtney Haskins Susie Balstad Pat Kelly Renae Donaghue Jamie Hoffman Gary Johnson HELP NEEDED	Susan Dondelinger HELP NEEDED HELP NEEDED HELP NEEDED
USHER	HELP NEEDED Mary Jo Christenson Dick Robinson Mark Moris	Bob Murray Matt Dockendorf James Wiltse HELP NEEDED	Phil Hodapp Paul Nistler Norm Ricard Bob Schlichting	Barbara Fitzgerald Don Pohl LT LT	HELP NEEDED HELP NEEDED
HOSPITALITY FELLOWSHIP		Matt Dockendorf Dianne Dockendorf	Kevin Erpelding Lorie Erpelding Nancy Studer Mark Studer	Karen Schaar (sub req.) Jean Louvar Barbara Fitzgerald HELP NEEDED	
GREETER	Lisa Freise Tom Thompson	Pete Kucera Sandy Kucera	Missy Fagerstrom Darlene Weber	Mary Kinsella Jan Busch	HELP NEEDED HELP NEEDED
INFORMATION STATION	Jack McCalip	Angel Krigbaum	Rose Fagerstrom	Rita Lauderbaugh	HELP NEEDED

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