

MINISTRIES

Date	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server	Money Counters*	Greeters
Dec 17	Dustin	Chris	Cathy	Rob & Deb	The Arbo Family
Dec 24	Lana	Dustin	Anna Q	Rose & Andrew	The Arbo Family
Dec 31	Chris	Anna Q	Shaylee	Sandra & Betty	The Arbo Family
Jan 7	Earl	Tom	David	John & Harold	Earl & Sue Cummings
Sacristans: December—Chris January—Lorraine February—Cindy					

Thank you, Volunteers!
If you would like to serve as a Sacristan, please contact the office.

*Diocese rules call for 2 or more parishioners,
not married to one another.

Lazarus/Consoling Heart Ministry

Fr. Dominic Savio	Jane Cummings	Cathy Duffy
Danny Watson	Lorraine Duffy	Cathy Cyr Duffy
Brenda Watson	Linda Harrington	Justine Hrynick
Cindy Qualey	Anna Robinson	
Betty Elwell	Scarlet McAvoy	
Brittany Arbo	Chris Cunningham	
Rose Rush	Joanne McGillivray	
Anna Q. Robinson		

Parish Council

Fr. Dominic Savio
Anna Robinson (PCL)
Brenda Watson
Cindy Qualey
Rob Meinders
Pat Qualey
Brittany Arbo

Lectors

Brenda Watson
Scarlet McAvoy
Dustin Qualey
Lana Robinson
Chris Cunningham
Earl Cummings

Money Counters

Pat Qualey
John Duffy
Rose Rush
Deb Bryant
Sandra Albert
Andrew Qualey
Harold Robinson
Cindy Qualey
Jane Cummings
Betty Elwell
Rob Meinders

Finance Council

Fr. Dominic Savio
Danny Watson
Anna Q Robinson
Andrew Qualey
Scarlet McAvoy
Jane Cummings

Altar Servers

Cathy Duffy
Anna Q Robinson
David Amirault
Silas Arbo
Shaylee Pelletier
Rob Meinders

Eucharistic Ministers

Chris Cunningham
Dustin Qualey
Anna Q Robinson
Tom Robinson
Rob Meinders
Brenda Watson
Cathy Duffy
Pat Qualey
Lynn Qualey

Worship and Spirituality Council

Fr. Dominic Savio
Brenda Watson
Danny Watson
Rose Rush
Rob Meinders
Joanne MacGillivray
Maggie Wade
Linda Harrington

Greeters

Earl & Sue Cummings
John & Jill Duffy
Ray & Deb Bryant
Mike & Betty Elwell
Tom & Di Robinson
Mike Guiggey
Rose Rush
Ricky & Jeannine Cyr
Mona Craig &
Sandra Albert
The Arbo Family



ST. BENEDICT'S PARISH

December 17th—Third Sunday of Advent

St. Benedict's is a family-oriented community of faith, called through our baptism to give witness to trust, love, understanding and patience.
We are a family that is nourished by the sacraments and led by the Spirit. Welcome to our family!

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 17TH

Sunday, December 17th:	10:30am St. Benedict's: 8:30am St. Peter's: 3:00pm St. Martin of Tours:	Mark McDonald by Cathy Duffy & Reid Stanley Brian Landry by Sharlett Currier Patrick Henry Welch II by Claude & Cecile Martin
Monday, December 18th:	5:30pm St. Peter's:	Ellen Hughes by Mike, Ann, Aidan and Charlotte
Tuesday, December 19th:	5:30pm St. Peter's:	Jim Belanger (in honor of his 85 th birthday) by the Family Followed by Reconciliation from 6 to 7pm
Wednesday, December 20th:	5:30pm St. Benedict's:	Parishioners & Visitors Followed by Reconciliation from 6 to 7pm
Thursday, December 21st:	5:30 pm St. Martin of Tours:	John Levesque, Sr. by Council #680 Followed by Reconciliation from 6 to 7pm
Friday, December 22nd:	8:00am St. Benedict's: 9:00am St. Benedict's:	No Mass No Mass
Saturday, December 23rd:	4:00pm St. Martin of Tours:	Rena Hughes (3rd Anniversary), Husband Al and son Bill by the Children and Grandchildren
Sunday, December 24th:	10:30am St. Benedict's: 8:30am St. Peter's: 7:00pm St. Benedict's: 4:00pm St. Peter's: 4:00pm St. Martin of Tours:	Trina McNally Lento by The Girls Martin & Albertine Gagne by the Family Parishioners & Visitors Parishioners & Visitors Parishioners and Visitors

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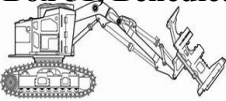
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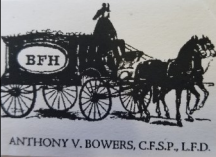
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St. Benedict's Winter Mass Schedule:
Sunday 10:30 am
Friday 9:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration: 2nd Sunday of the
month, from after Mass until 3pm

Confessions: Friday 8:00-9:00
or by appointment

Marriage/Baptism Ministry to the Sick:
Call Parish office, 365-4294

Communion for the Home Bound:
Call Deacon Dan 731-8111

St. Benedict's Parish Office: 365-4294
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The Sanctuary Candle is burning
in loving memory of



Celine Rush



Mark
McDonald

Readings for the Week

Sunday	Is 61:1-2, 10-11 1 Thes 5:16-24 Jn 1:6-8, 19-28
Monday	Jer 23:5-8 Mt 1:18-25
Tuesday	Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25 Lk 1:5-25
Wednesday	Is 7:10-14 Lk 1:26-38
Thursday	Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18 Lk 1:26-38
Friday	1 Sm 1:24-28 Lk1:39-45
Saturday	Mal 3:1-4, 23-24 Lk 1:57-66

"The Lord is near all who call on him."
~ Psalm 145:18



Liz Welch
Nora Gardiner
Dennis "Floppy" Gallagher
Irene Heath
Judy Pelletier
Richard McAvoy

† Families Afflicted by Addiction
† Our Men and Women
In the service

<div>Thank you!</div> <div>....for coming together to make this year's Nativity Shadow Drama such a special evening, and many thanks to the Knights of Columbus for the wonderful dinner.</div> <div><div>@ Holy Night</div></div>		<div>Christmas Eve Mass & Children's Pageant</div> <div>St. Benedicts Christmas Eve Children's Pageant will be held during the Christmas Eve Mass at 7:00pm.</div> <div>As in the past, we welcome grandchildren, neighbors, and all visiting children to join us for this pageant. We will give them costumes and parts as they arrive! Any questions, call Anna 267-0586</div> <div>For all children that can attend and for the youth choir, we will have a pageant rehearsal on Sunday, December 17 during our regular class time at 9:30 am in the church.</div> <div></div>	
<div>DONATION BOX FOR CHILDREN IN INDIA</div> <div>During Advent, a box will be in the entryway, for donations. Please consider donating generously</div>		<div>A 12-step Anonymous Fellowship program will be meeting on Fridays 7:00pm-8:15pm at the Parish Hall.</div> <div>This Fellowship program provides the support for those suffering from addiction to return to a clean, manageable, and meaningful life.</div> <div>A Fellowship program for Families of those suffering from addiction will be meeting on Wednesdays, @6:00pm at the Parish Hall.</div> <div></div>	
<div></div> <div>For your Christmas Card List, please note a new address for: Nora Gardiner Coronado Care Center Room #43 1604 West 18th Street Portales NM 88130</div>		<div>Weekend Offertory</div> <div>November 26th: Regular \$1005.01 Christmas Flowers \$ 296.01 December 3rd: Regular \$1515.00 Heat & Electric \$ 196.00 December 10th: Regular \$ 914.00 Retired Religious \$ 173.00 December 17th: Regular December 24th: Regular December 31st: Regular January 7: Regular</div> <div></div>	
<div>There will be a Prayer Tree in the church during Advent. Parishioners, including children: please take a note off of the tree every Sunday (it could be a prayer, or maybe an action item to do) Childrens notes are pink colored.</div>		<div>"The giver of every good and perfect gift has called upon us to mimic Gods giving, by grace, through faith, and this is not of ourselves." St. Nicholas</div> <div></div>	

<div>"The poor and the sick are the heart of God. In serving them, we serve Jesus Christ." ~Saint Camillus de Lellis</div> <div></div>	<div>Ministry to the Sick and Home Bound</div> <div>Fr. Dominic will be available to the homebound after Mass on Fridays. Please call the parish office with name, address, phone number and condition of the person seeking a home visit.</div> <div>In case of an emergency, call Fr Dominic on his emergency cell, 207-531-0280</div>	<div>In Memory of:</div> <div>Charlene Taylor (01/07/1943 ~ 02/20/2020)</div>
<div></div> <div>In Memory of:</div> <div>Joseph J. McAvoy (09/10/1933—08/30/2021)</div>		<div>In Loving Memory Of</div> <div></div> <div>Celine Rush (07/08/1936 ~ 11/04/2021) Christopher Rush (4/17/55 ~ 1/8/22)</div>
<div>Wesley "Jim" Cunningham (10/26/31 ~ 01/11/08) Richard M Cunningham (03/14/62 ~ 11/06/21)</div>	<div>In Loving Memory</div> <div>Chris Marston (9/18/1978 ~ 8/24/2018) Aaron Marston (04/04/1975~ 10/19/2022)</div>	<div>In Loving Memory Of:</div> <div>Robert Allen (10/13/46 ~ 10/18/21) Andrew Allen (06/14/65 ~ 12/05/20)</div>
<div>Lovingly Remembered Anders Staats Nielsen 07/07/2019</div>	✠✠	✠ <div>Albert J. Qualey (08/20/1923 ~ 06/11/2012) Rowena Qualey (9/22/1927 ~ 8/01/2017)</div> ✠
<div>Basil & Margaret McAvoy (8/5/1921 ~ 7/31/1969; 9/29/1923 ~ 12/30/2014)  Linda McAvoy Bouchard (2/22/1945 ~ 1/6/1982) Mary McAvoy Lowe (10/15/1957 ~ 2/9/2005) Anna McAvoy (6/28/1964 ~ 7/30/2011)</div>	<div>In Loving Memory Of:</div> <div>Frank Duffy (7/18/37 ~ 03/08/96) Bobby Duffy (3/21/72 ~ 10/08/93)</div>	<div>In Loving Memory</div> <div>✠<div>Martin Qualey (2/16/1984 ~ 7/24/2017)</div>✠</div>
	✠ <div>Arthur Qualey (3/5/1916 ~ 10/24/2008) Rita Qualey (1/13/1924 ~ 9/4/ 2011)</div> ✠	<div>In Loving Memory</div> <div>✠<div>Edward Rush (5/25/1920 ~ 10/17/2013) Mary Rush (12/04/1921 ~ 6/05/2005)</div>✠</div>
<div> Fred Lewis (11/25/1897 ~ 7/05/1995) Ethel Lewis (5/12/1897 ~ 10/07/1981) W. H. Lewis (4/19/1923 ~ 03/28/2001) Helen Lewis (7/23/1926 ~ 10/19/2005) Susan L Brooks (8/01/1954 ~ 1/20/2009)</div>	<div>Lovingly Remembered</div> <div>✠<div>Joan Filanowski (5/26/1935 ~ 6/14/2000)</div>✠</div>	<div>In Loving Memory</div> <div> John W. Allen (1912 ~ 1/02/2004) Margaret L. Allen (4/03/1924 ~ 11/19/2005)</div>
<div>Lovingly Remembered James C. (Buster) Guiggey (4/8/1927 ~ 12/4/2010)</div>	<div>In Loving Memory Of</div> <div>John J. Cummings (8/23/1907 ~ 4/18/1993) Lucile E. Cummings (8/19/1908 ~ 3/15/2003) Cecelia R. Cummings (11/18/1933 ~ 2/18/2013) Earl L. Cummings (7/04/1929 ~ 3/10/2018)</div>	<div>In Loving Memory Of</div> <div>✠<div>Clis M. Hunt (6/15/1936 ~ 5/30/1999) Mary Ellen Hunt (1/30/36 ~ 4/17/17)</div>✠</div>
<div>In Loving Memory Of</div> <div>Lloyd E. Bryant (1928 ~ 1987) Esther Grass Bryant (1931 ~ 1988)</div>	<div>Lovingly Remembered</div> <div>Leo Joseph Crowe (9/5/1935 ~ 1/8/2019)</div>	<div>In Loving Memory Of</div> <div>Francis H. Qualey (5/22/1914 ~ 2/28/2000) Margaret R. Qualey (11/6/1919 ~ 5/07/2018) Peter Qualey (12/17/1948 ~ 09/07/2020)</div>
<div>In Loving Memory Of</div> <div>Joseph P. Rush, Jr. (11/02/1928 - 04/12/2013) Jane M. Rush (02/03/1930 - 09/02/2013) Jacqueline M. Rush-Johnson (05/04/1972 - 03/26/1996)</div>	<div>In Loving Memory Of</div> <div>Leo Crowe (3/19/1893 ~ 12/17/1975) Molly Crowe (2/13/1900 ~ 11/18/1967) Mary Crowe McDonough (2/27/1937 ~ 9/28/2002)</div>	<div>"Oh Jesus, bless those living and dead, who have led me to the Holy Altar." A Remembrance of the Ordination to the Priesthood of Rev. James Clifford Brown (6/6/1936 ~ 4/6/1941) Brother Benedict Brown, O.F.M. (3/23/1891 ~ 7/18/1969) Sons of St. Benedict's Parish</div>