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PEACE ON EARTH

MASSES FOR WEEK OF
Jan. 3 - Jan. 6, 2012



Tuesday, Jan. 3, 2012 ~ St. Gregory Site
Mass ~ 8:00 am

All Souls in Purgatory ~ especially deceased
Members of F.O.S.S.
Roy Sauve (4th A) Lorraine & Family
Donald Grant Bob & Barbara Truman

Wednesday, Jan. 4, 2012 ~ St. William Site
Mass ~ 9:15 am

Edward Renaud Sheila & Gilles Marcoux
Sp. Intention of the Zeni Families ... Dr. Thomas & Julie Poisson
Bernice Derix Enrica Ricciotti

Thursday, January 5, 2012
St. Gregory Mass ~ 7:00 pm

Steve Reko (4th A) The Family
Todd Janik Mike Solcz
Tony Del Bianco Marcella Facca

Friday, January 6, 2012 ~ St. Gregory Site
MASS ~ 8:00 am

Donald Wilder Louise & Jack Boyde
Jeannette Lavallée Nora Curnutte
Sp. Intention of Joe & Rose Anne White

La Chaumière Retirement Home ~ 10:00 am

Bob Knobelsdorf Wife, Pati
Giuseppe Armaleo C. Chipero
Sp. Intentions for the Residents of La Chaumiere

Saturday, January 7, 2012

Mass ~ 5:00 pm ~ St. Gregory Site

Special Intentions of All Parishioners
Confessions ~ Saturday 9:00—10:00 am
(St. Gregory Site)

Sunday, January 8, 2012
Epiphany of the Lord



Special Intentions of All Parishioners
(Regular Mass Schedule)

8:00 am; 10:00 am; 12:00 noon (St. Gregory Site)
9:00 am & 11:00 am (St. William Site)

Confessions (Sunday) between 9 & 11 am masses
(St. William Site)



~ Readings for January 8, 2012 ~

Epiphany of the Lord

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6
2nd Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6
Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Prayers for vocations...

Jan. 2 ~ Rev. Mitchell Kaminski
Jan. 3 ~ Rev. Frank Leslie
Jan. 4 ~ Rev. Jozo Cuic, O.F.M.
Jan. 5 ~ Rev. Henryk Chibowski
Jan. 6 ~ Rev. Lawrence Pare
Jan. 7 ~ Rev. Michael O'Brien
Jan. 8 ~ **Epiphany of the Lord**



In Memoriam



We pray for the repose of the soul of **Evangeline George**, Mother of Jack (Bev) George and Grandmother of Cindy (Mark) Barrette and Wendy (Phil) Daniel
May she rest in God's love and peace.

MEETINGS for the Good Shepherd Parish

Tues. Jan. 3	2:00 pm	- Ladies Auxiliary (Hall)
Wed. Jan. 4	9:30 a.m. 7:00 pm	- Faith Sharing (Marian Rm) - Parish Pastoral Council (Marian Rm) - Adoration (St. V. de Paul Rm.) (7 pm Wed—7 pm Thurs)

****Please note: Above meetings are held at the St. Gregory Site unless otherwise specified.**

Holiday Office Hours ~ The parish offices (at both sites) will be re-open **Tuesday, January 3rd, 2012.**

Thank You

Divine Mercy Food Bank says Thank You to the Parishioners of Good Shepherd Parish for all your donations of food, toys and knitted wear through the St. Vincent de Paul Society and the C.W.L. We have felt your compassion for the poor of the inner City of Windsor whom we serve. **Thank You.**



250 meals were served at the **Downtown Mission** for the homeless on Monday, December 19th. It was much appreciated by the Downtown Mission & the homeless. They enjoyed a wonderful meal of ham, scalloped potatoes, mixed veggies & dessert. It made us all feel good. Thanks for your generous support of this ministry.

Dear Friends:

Happy New Year to all and a blessed feast of the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God! Today we remember the Blessed Virgin Mary by celebrating her divine motherhood. As the Mother of God, Mary is known as Theotokos, which means the "God-Bearer". It is fitting to honor Mary as Mother of Jesus, following the birth of Christ. When Catholics celebrate the Solemnity of Mary Mother of God, we are not only honoring Mary, who was chosen among all women throughout history to bear God incarnate, but we are also honoring our Lord, who is fully God and fully human. Calling Mary "Mother of God" is the highest honor we can give her.

"Mary, the all-holy ever-virgin Mother of God, is the masterwork of the mission of the Son and the Spirit in the fullness of time. For the first time in the plan of salvation and because his Spirit had prepared her, the Father found the dwelling place where his Son and his Spirit could dwell among human kind. In this sense the Church's Tradition has often read the most beautiful texts on wisdom in relation to Mary. Mary is acclaimed and represented in the liturgy as the "Seat of Wisdom." ~ Catechism of the Catholic Church 721. Just as Christmas honors Jesus as the "Prince of Peace," the Solemnity of Mary Mother of God honors Mary as the "Queen of Peace". This solemnity, which falls on New Year's Day, is also designated the World Day of Peace. The Holy Father's 2011 message for this day weaves together his concerns for peace, poverty and care for creation.



I pray that this New Year of 2012 will bring you and your family health and happiness and that all of us will work against poverty, care for creation and help bring peace through acts of forgiveness and kindness. May Jesus our Good Shepherd and Mary the Mother of God be with you.

Father Gary

REMINDER

Confirmation Preparation classes will resume on **January 7/8th, 2012** during all masses (except the 8:00 am mass).



FIRST RECONCILIATION / FIRST COMMUNION



reminder that the **preparation classes during mass begin in January**. Please see your package for the dates. If you have any questions, please contact Sue Bitacola at the St. Gregory Site at #735-9517.

C.W.L. NEWS

Ladies of Good Shepherd Parish

Dues for 2012 are now being accepted. Please deposit in the collection basket marked CWL dues.



Upcoming Event

Bottle Drive ~ January 7th/ 8th, 2012 after all masses. Please save your empty beer, wine & spirit bottles for the C.W.L. Fundraiser. All proceeds will go towards our charitable work in the community. Thank you for your generosity & support.

13th Annual Hearts Together for Haiti Charity Gala



Come join us on **Saturday, February 11, 2012** at the Fogular Furlan Club. Dinner, Music, Dancing, Silent Auction & Surprise Raffle. Please come out & support our work in Haiti & learn about our new Orphanage in the Village of Deppe. Tickets are \$55.00 each. To purchase tickets, please contact **Rick Heath** at #519-735-7408 or email at rheath@city.windsor.on.ca

All Cursillistas are invited to the next **Ultreya on Friday, January 13, 2012** at Sacred Heart Parish in LaSalle beginning at 7:30pm. Come join us for a time of prayer & fellowship as we begin the new year.

K of C #9671, 2012 Bingo at Classic Bingo 3, Manning Rd. **Saturday, January 28, 2012** at 5:45 pm, 7:45 pm and 10:00 pm



Gold Rush Days



Please gather all of your old, broken, outdated jewellery, odd bits of gold, silver & place them in the 'goodie bag' & return them in the collection basket. This event will turn jewellery into cash for our 'Good Shepherd Building Fund'! What's in your jewellery box?

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- 2nd Prize ~ 50" Plasma TV & Blue Ray Player
- 3rd Prize ~ Ladies & Men's Watches
- 4th Prize ~ 2 Framed Photographic Prints
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