### DECEMBER 9, 2018 SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

## "A VOICE OF ONE CRYING OUT IN THE DESERT; "PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD, MAKE STRAIGHT HIS PATHS. EVERY VALLEY SHALL BE FILLED AND EVERY MOUNTAIN AND HILL SHALL BE MADE LOW."

Luke 3:4-5

MONDAY	7:00 a.m.	James Lee by Gayan & Lee Families	
TUESDAY	6:30 p.m.	Leo Sr. & Hazel Rice by Delores & Bill Rice	
WEDNESDAY	7:00 a.m.	All Souls by Parishioners	
THURSDAY	7:00 a.m.	Paul Hrabsky by the Scott Family	
FRIDAY	8:00 a.m.	Louise, Harold, James Bauer & Gerry Trumbley by The Family	
SATURDAY	<b>4:15 p.m</b> .	Francis Nault by The Family	
SUNDAY	8:00 a.m.	The Living & Deceased of American Martyrs Parish	
SUNDAY	10:15 a.m.	Don Edens Jr. by The Family	
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE COMING WEEK DEC. 9 THRU DEC. 16			
CONFESSIONS HEARD BEFORE ALL DAILY MASSES			
SATURDAY & SUNDAY - Scrip to be sold after all Masses			
SUNDAY	11:30-12:30 P.M. Celebration Singers Choir Practice		
SUNDAY	6:30 p.m Senior Fireside Chat - Rectory		
MONDAY	6:30 p.m. – Choir Practice		
TUESDAY	6:05 P.M. – Recitation of the Rosary		
TUESDAY	6:00 to 6:20 P.M. – Confession		
TUESDAY	7:00 p.m. – Parent Meeting of all First Communion students		
WEDNESDAY	3:05 to 4	10 p.m. – 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , & 4 <sup>th</sup> Grades – Faith Formation	
WEDNESDAY	6:30 to 7	30 p.m. – 5th, 6th, 7th, & 8th Grades – Faith Formation	
THURSDAY	6:30 TO 6	:50 A.M. AND on the hour throughout the day- Confessions	
THURSDAY	7:30 a.m	. to 4:50 p.m. – Eucharistic Adoration DAY	
THURSDAY	Following	7:00 a.m. Mass – <b>Student Breakfast</b>	
SATURDAY	11:00 to	11:30 a.m. AND 3:00 to 4:00 P.M Sacrament of Reconciliation	
SUNDAY	6:30 p.m	. – 9th – 10 <sup>th</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup> Grades – Faith Formation – School	

SCRIP TO BE SOLD – this weekend, December 9 & 10 after all Masses, scrip will be sold.

Following 10:15 am Mass - Decorating of church

Our Vocation Crucifix Prayer family the week of Dec. 9th is Rick & Maureen Paquin.

SUNDAY

**DECORATING OF CHURCH** – following the 10:15 a.m. Mass next Sunday, Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> we will be decorating the church for Christmas.

**AMERICAN MARTYRS FAITH FORMATION NEWS** - Next Tuesday, following 6:30 p.m. Mass there will be a required meeting for all parents of First Communicants in the Spring of 2019, at 7:00 p.m. in the school building room 103. **REMINDER** all Juniors please get your sponsor sheets in for those who wish to be confirmed May 1, 2019.

# HELLO, WE'RE SORRY THIS NUMBER IS NO LONGER IN SERVICE. WHERE ARE YOU? -

Did you drop your land-line? We are having a lot of trouble in reaching our parishioners who have dropped their line and didn't call the parish office to let us know. PLEASE, call the office and let us know your new number where we can reach you.

The office number is 774-0630.

### **PENANCE SERVICES**

Sunday, December 9th-St. Mary & St. Joseph Church in Iron Mtn. (This will be a Rise UP Eucharistic Event – this will be Fr. Tim's event) @ 3:00 p.m.

Wed., Dec., 12th-St. Mary in Florence @ 7:30 p.m.

Tues., Dec., 18th-St. Mary Queen of Peace @ 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, December 19 St. Anthony – Niagara – Adoration from 4:30 to 5:30 pm, confessions heard during this time and after the 5:30 pm Mass.

Wed. Dec.20th-Immaculate Conception-Iron Mtn. @ 6:30 p.m.

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION DAY**

This single day each month is set aside for us, as a parish family, to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Mass is at 7:00 a.m. followed by Adoration all day and ending at 4:50pm. CONFESSIONS; from 6:30 to 6:50 a.m. and on the hour throughout the day till 4:30 p.m. It is our prayer that every family will participate in this most important day!!!

Salvation Army looking for bell ringers, if interested please give Debbie Floriano a call at 774-7578 or email <u>debbie@florianosearch.com</u>

Advent Table Prayer Week Two Come, Lord Jesus! Bring peace and healing in our family and our world. May we hear again your own prayer "that we may be one." May we prepare the way for you by being generous and forgiving. As we prepare for the coming of your Son, O God, we thank you for the blessing of your generosity and forgiveness. We give you thanks for this food and drink, signs of your gracious love. May this meal strengthen us to be generous and forgiving. May it strengthen us to share our gifts with the hungry and all who look for your justice and mercy. Grant this through Christ our Lord, Amen