

DECEMBER 13, 2020 THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

**“HE HAS FILLED THE HUNGRY WITH GOOD THINGS
AND THE RICH HE HAS SENT AWAY EMPTY.”**

Luke 1:53

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| MONDAY | 7:00 a.m. | The Krueger Family by Kathleen Parkinson |
| TUESDAY | 6:30 p.m. | Don Edens Jr. (Anniversary) by The Family |
| WEDNESDAY | 7:00 a.m. | Rosemary & Dana Geromini by Dean & Mary Geronimi |
| THURSDAY | 7:00 a.m. | Dorothy Edens by Art & Shirley Viens |
| FRIDAY | 8:00 a.m. | Rodger Palmcook by Gertrude Koller |
| SATURDAY | 4:15 p.m. | Melvin Sanford by Kay LeClaire & Family |
| SUNDAY | 8:00 a.m. | Fred & Diane Schuelke by The Family |
| SUNDAY | 10:15 a.m. | The Living and Deceased of American Martyrs Parish |

LITURGICAL ROLES –DECEMBER 19/20

LECTORS

4:15 p.m. – Gary Benjamin
8:00 a.m. – Ann Hruska
10:15 a.m. – Julie Barthels

SPECIAL MINISTERS

4:15 p.m. – Mary Eldridge, Debbie French

8:00 a.m. – Debbie & Mark Teske

10:15 a.m. – Sally Klingelhutz, Thomas Krueger

USHERS

4:15 p.m. – Chris Wendrick, Burton Armbrust
Mike Eldridge, Charles Campaign
8:00 a.m. – Rodney Olson, Gus Glaser
Tom Phelps, Don Lee
10:15 a.m. – Jerry Pickett, Lee Ellis
Tom Gayan, Lou Schmidt

SERVERS

4:15 p.m. – Veronica Stanchina

8:00 a.m. – Lucca Rizzo

10:15 a.m. – Jacob Koller

SERVERS FOR TUESDAY, 12/15/20

6:30 p.m. – Aidan Coe

SERVERS FOR THURSDAY, 12/17/20

7:00 a.m. – Geno Barinotti

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE COMING WEEK DEC 13 - DEC. 20

CONFESSIONS HEARD BEFORE ALL DAILY MASSES

TUESDAY 6:05 P.M. – Recitation of the Rosary

SATURDAY 3:30 to 4:00 P.M. - Sacrament of Reconciliation

Penance Service

Wed. Dec. 16th–St. Mary & St. Joseph Church in Iron Mountain at 6:00 pm

Sun., Dec. 20th – St. Mary Queen of Peace in Kingsford at 3:00 pm



THANK YOU, to all who have continued to support your parish financially, either dropping your envelope in the mailbox by the office door, mailing it in, or putting it in the baskets in church.

PLEASE PRAY for our parishioners in Nursing Homes, Assisted Living, homebound and those who suffer in silence. If you need prayers or would like to request prayers for someone else, please call the rectory at 774-0630 or Helen Raiche at 779-1184.

Our Food Pantry needs replenishing. Items needed are soups, spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, tuna fish, boxed dinners, and paper products. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – we have several special ministers and lectors that have asked not to use them at this time. Those of you who can pick up an extra weekend, please call the rectory at 774-0630. We are trying to rotate as best we can but your help is needed. The same with Altar Servers. Only one server is scheduled for each Mass. **PLEASE YOU MUST GET YOUR OWN SUB.**

SAFETY GUIDELINES

It is **still strongly recommended** for attending Mass that you:

Wear a mask

Sanitize your hands upon entering church and before receiving Communion

Sit only in the pews that are not taped off

Sit with people from your own household, spread 6ft apart from the next family or individual

The holy water fonts, sign of peace, and distribution of the cup are suspended

These measures are being done for the safety of our vulnerable parishioners.

3rd week of Advent meaning



The Third Week of Advent. Gaudete means “**rejoice**” in Latin. It comes from the first word of the [Entrance antiphon](#) on Sunday. The spirit of joy that begins this week comes from the words of Paul, “The Lord is near.” This joyful spirit is marked by the third candle of our Advent wreath, which is rose colored, and the rose colored vestments often used at the [Eucharist](#).

BISHOP BARAGA RAFFLE DECEMBER

December 8th - Immaculate Conception

1st Place - Bargo's Angels - \$600.00

2nd Place - Jane Moroni - \$300.00

3rd Place - Team ML #2 - \$150.00

4th Place - Mary Lee - \$150.00

REST IN PEACE - American Martyrs Parish Family extends their sympathy to the family of Rev. Paul Nomellini. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.

“SEEING IS BELIEVING, BUT SOMETIMES THE MOST REAL THINGS IN THE WORLD ARE THE THINGS WE CAN’T SEE.”