

CATHOLIC CHURCHES



ST. BARTHOLOMEW

JANUARY 20, 2019

**SECOND IN
ORDINARY TIME**

Today's Readings:

1st Reading

Is 62:1-5

2nd Reading

1 Cor 2:14

Gospel

Jn 2:1-11



ST. MARY

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The God Who Intervenes

How often our worldview hinders our ability to understand God's presence in our world! Shaped by unquestioned assumptions about the nature of man and physical reality, this worldview ignores not only the evidence, but the possibility, that the reality in which we live is greater than that which can be perceived by purely physical senses. We need a different worldview, a different mindset.

Today's Gospel Acclamation pokes holes in the assumption that God is not actively engaged in our world, neatly harmonizes today's readings, and points us towards the reality of the God who intervenes. It states: "God has called us through the Gospel to possess the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ." 'Glory' here means: a manifestation, or showing, of power or might.

In today's Gospel Jesus provides a super-abundance of wine – 120 to 180 gallons. *That's a lotta wine!* He demonstrates God's super-abundant mercy towards us, foreshadows His role as the Bridegroom of the Church (see the first reading), and reveals His glory, His power, for the first time. St. Augustine says that this new wine symbolizes the gift of the Holy Spirit given to each member of His Church as a share in His supernatural life.

This Gift and these graces (see the second reading) are supernatural, God's expression of His glory, His power. They "directly or indirectly benefit the Church, ordered as they are to her building up, to the good of men, and to the needs of the world." (CCC 799).

Why does God do this? Because He loves us! In these gifts He becomes intimately involved in our lives and gives us His power to bring His love to our world (1 Corinthians 12-14:1). He's a good guest! Will you ask Him today for more of His Spirit? (Luke 11:13).

God bless!

Deacon Kent

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| Envelopes | \$1,481.00 | \$1,063.00 |
| Plate | 200.00 | 206.00 |
| Youth Envelopes | 7.00 | 2.55 |
| Total Offering | <u>\$1,688.00</u> | <u>\$ 1,271.55</u> |

Mass Schedule and Intentions January 21 - January 27

Monday: NO MASS

Tuesday: 6:00 p.m. St. Mary

+ Fred Schwertel

Wednesday: 10:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew

+ Stanley & Frances Eichman

Thursday: 10:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew

+ Gene Eichman

Friday: 10:00 a.m. St. Bartholomew

+ Betty Knepper

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. St. Mary

All the Poor Souls in Purgatory

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. St. Bartholomew

+ Bill Schuth

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. St. Bartholomew

+ Deceased Members of the Lilla Family

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. St. Mary

All the People of Our Parishes

Ministry Schedule For Sunday, January 27

ST. MARY- 4:00 p.m. Saturday

Greeters: LaVonne Peterson, Doreen Emerson

Altar Server: Volunteer

Lector: Sheila Collom

Communion Ministers: Butch Vaughn, Jessica Miller

Ushers: LaVonne Peterson, Doreen Emerson

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 5:30 p.m. Saturday

Greeters: Roy & Monica Bentzen

Altar Server: Volunteer

Lector: Judy Heinz

Communion Ministers: Jeanne Woestman, Suzanne Lane, Anne Bagley

Ushers: Ed Smith, Greg Heinz

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - 8:30 a.m.

Greeters: Jim & Betsy Scherr, Sallymae James

Altar Server: Carter Giemza, Amy Hein

Lectors: Marlene James

Communion Ministers: Marlene James, Darlene Schlessler, Mary Skroch

Ushers: Doug Brenengen, Jason Hilton

ST. MARY - 10:30 a.m.

Greeters: Steve Grover, Tim O'Neill

Altar Server: Volunteer

Lector: Becky Harris

Communion Ministers: Bruce Reedy, Tammy Grandt

Ushers: Steve Grover, Tim O'Neill

**Counters For
The Week**

SBT
Alice Brenengen

SMG
Butch Vaughn

WELCOME VISITORS AND GUESTS

We are happy that you have come to share in this Eucharist Celebration with us. If you have come as a stranger, we hope that you will leave as a friend. You are always welcome.

ATTENTION ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

- ♦ **Welcome to Charles Joseph Stegemeyer**, son of Seth & Morgan Stegemeyer who was baptized on Sunday, January 13.
- ♦ Youth Mass is on Sunday, February 3 at 8:30 a.m. Please come with your children and participate in the Mass. Bring a non-perishable food item for the GET Food Pantry. Donuts in the hall after Mass.

ATTENTION ST. MARY PARISHIONERS

OUR MISSION: To love God, love others and go make disciples!

- ♦ **Welcome to Shea Charles Timm**, son of Charles & Megan Timm who was baptized on Sunday, January 13.
- ♦ **PRAYER MEETING:** Sunday, 6:30 p.m. in Rectory. Tonight: **1 Corinthians 14:26.**
- ♦ Pastoral Council meeting on Thursday, January 24 at 6:00 p.m. in the rectory.
- ♦ Youth Mass is on Sunday, February 3 at 10:30 a.m. Please come with your children and participate in the Mass. Bring a non-perishable food item for the GET Food Pantry. Potluck in basement after Mass.
- ♦ We really need more volunteers for the ministries at our Masses. Please prayerfully considered being a lector, communion distributor, usher and then talk to Father and let him know.

COMMUNICATION TO ALL

- ♦ **Please do not tape your envelopes.** It makes it very hard to open them. It adds more time for the counters.
- ♦ **UNBOUND: Freedom in Christ – Sessions 1 & 2**, Monday, January 21st, at 6:30 PM at St. Mary's Rectory. Details can be found on the parish web site.
- ♦ **You're Invited on a Pilgrimage to France with Bishop Callahan and Bob Dolan! Dates: May 27th- June 4th 2019.** This spring, join Bishop Callahan and Bob Dolan (brother of Cardinal Dolan) on a once in a lifetime Pilgrimage to France! Enjoy time in Lourdes where Our Lady appeared to St. Bernadette, and visits to Lisieux, Omaha Beach, Mont St-Michel, and the many sites of Paris including the Shrine of the Miraculous Medal, Notre Dame, and Sacre- Coeur. Daily Mass will be celebrated along the way. For details or to register please call 800-653-0017, or go to <https://www.canterburypilgrimages.com/allpilgrimages/dolan-france>.
- ♦ In the coming weeks, you will be learning more about an initiative called Safe Haven Sunday that will equip parents to protect family from the ill effects of pornography. According to sociologist Jill Manning, research indicates pornography consumption is associated with the following six societal trends. 1. Increased marital distress, and risk of separation and divorce. 2. Decreased marital intimacy and sexual satisfaction. 3. Infidelity. 4. Increased appetite for more graphic types of pornography and sexual activity associated with abusive, illegal or unsafe practices. 5. Devaluation of monogamy, marriage and child rearing. 6. An increasing number of people struggling with compulsive and addictive sexual behavior. Learn more about ending porn exposure at diolc.org/shs Come to church on Safe Haven Sunday – March 10
- ♦ World Day for Consecrated Life will be celebrated in parishes on the weekend of February 2-3, 2019. Please pray for all those in consecrated life, and for many more persons to dedicate themselves joyfully and generously to the vocation of consecrated life.
- ♦ Next week, our second collection will be for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Over 43 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/about/catholic-campaign-for-human-development.
- ♦ Religious Education parents – fun games that can reinforce your child's "Alive in Christ" lessons can be found at: OSV/Alive in Christ/family/games. Our username is: GETCathCom & password is St.Neri!

DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL As of January 16, 2019

ST. MARY (76%)

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| Target: | \$12,065.00 |
| Pledged: | \$ 9,270.00 |
| Under Target: | \$ 2,795.00 |

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