Our Goal for Church

Windows Renovation is: \$50,000

Windows Renovation. Please, make a donation toward our church windows renovation. This is our next big project to fix broken windows and make our church better look. It was suggested by our Parish Committee to put extra \$10 a week toward this project. It will be very appreciated. Last time we received another \$365. Now we have \$23,120. Thank you for all your donations.

Happy Birthday to all our December birthday people!

2 Tyler Mulville

12 Emily Oxley

25 Stanley Placzek

25 Darryn Roy

26 Devon Dempsev

26 Mariann Tirrell

29 Dolores Lak

30 Scott Caney

\$47.500 \$45.000 \$42,500 \$40.000 \$37.500 \$35,000 \$32,500 \$30,000 \$27,500 \$25,000 \$23,120 \$22.500 \$20,000 \$17,500 \$15,000 \$12,500 to \$10,000 celebrate everyone's birthday. If you like \$7,500 please tell about your to \$5,000 Pawel or Bunny. Thank you. \$2,500 **\$0**

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If anyone at Holy Mother of the Rosary Parish wishes to contact Fr. Pawel or to add something to the Sunday Bulletin please call at Rectory 413-592-2032 or email at: paulus75 75@yahoo.com

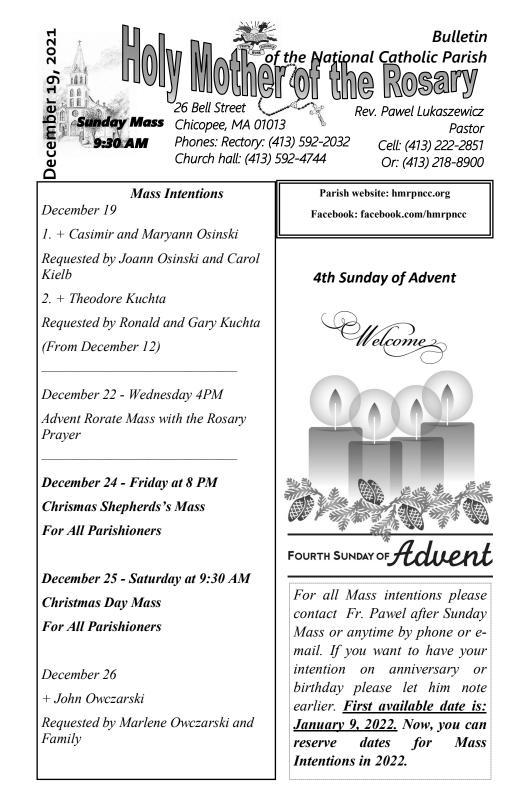
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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Francis Galat - Vero at South Hadley, MA Joseph Janick - 86 Talmadge Dr., Springfield, MA Theresa Kwatowski - at home Cyndi Michon - 18 Patrick St., Chicopee, MA 01020 Ellen Mierzewski - Ruth's House Assisted Living, 780 Converse St., Longmeadow, MA 01106 Marlene Owczarski - at home Valeria Paters - Arbors et Amberst, 120 University Dr. Amberst, MA 0

Valeria Peters - Arbors at Amherst, 130 University Dr. Amherst, MA 01002 Stanley Placzek - at home

PLEASE SAY A SPECIAL PRAYER AND SEND A CARD PASTORAL CARE AT HOME AND HOSPITAL

Farher Pawel will visit people who are in nursing homes on every 1st Friday of the month. If you or your family member want to be on this visitation list please let him know.

If you have a family member at hospital or home unable to take part in Mass and Sacraments, please notify Father Pawel as soon as possible to set the day and time for pastoral visit. In case of emergency you can call Fr. Pawel at any time to ask for visit.

Advent Mass honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary

with the Rosary Prayer

Wednesday, December 22 at 4PM

Join us!

Christmas Season Schedule

Friday, December 24—Christmas Shepherd's Mass - 8 PM

Saturday, December 25—Christmas Day Mass—9:30 AM

Sunday, December 26 - Humble Shepherds Solemnity—9:30 AM

Saturday, January 1 - New Year Mass—9:30 AM

Sunday, January 2 - Holy Family Solemnity - 9:30 AM

Please join us to celebrate together this wonderful Christmas season

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Today is the 4th Sunday of Advent. The fourth week of Advent we remember the gift of Love we have in Christ. The light of the candles is meant to remind us of the love that God has for us. Jesus shows us God's perfect love. He is God's love in human form. The Bible says that "God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that whoever believes in him should not perish, but have eternal life."
- Christmas Oplatek (Christmas Wafers) are available for the Christmas celebrations. See Bunny after church.
- Please help to decorate our church for Christmas.
- CRAFTERS will meet on Tuesday at 9:30 AM

Reflection for Sunday

It is appropriate in this season of Advent that we consider the role of Mary in God's plan of salvation. Elizabeth describes Mary as the first disciple, as the one who believed that God's word to her would be fulfilled. Mary's faith enabled her to recognize the work of God in her people's history and in her own life. Her openness to God allowed God to work through her so that salvation might come to everyone. Because of this, Mary is a model and symbol of the Church. May we be like Mary, open and cooperative in God's plan for salvation.

Act of Spiritual Communion

(Please say it privately, if you are not receiving Communion today)

Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. Inflame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior. Amen.

