

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Mass Intentions



for the Week

November 25 - November 30, 2019

Mon. Nov. 25 th	8am	+Joao & Maria Cabeceiras
Tues. Nov. 26 th	8am	+Godfrey Felix Dias
Wed. Nov. 27 th	8am	+Bill Pritchard
Thurs. Nov. 28 th	8am	+Anthony LoPresti
Fri. Nov. 29 th	8am	+Rita Murray
Sat. Nov. 30 th	9am	+Maria Viveiros

ADVENT EVENING OF REFLECTION



Our Advent Evening of Reflection will be on Wednesday, November 27 at 7:30pm. We will welcome Sr. Mary Rose Marrin of the Sisters of St. Joseph who will invite us to begin the journey through Advent to Christmas.

The title of her talk will be, "Emmanuel, God's Presence Among Us".

Sr. Mary Rose has fulfilled many ministerial roles over the years, most recently developing and implementing ministry with maturing adults.

All are invited out to this evening of prayer and reflection.

HARMONY CHORALE



Come one and all, and join the **Harmony Chorale** for an evening of both sacred and contemporary music selections of the "Sounds of Christmas"!

Our concert will be held on Saturday December 7 at 7:30pm in Lynett Hall.

Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased at the door.

All proceeds to be shared with Our Lady of Grace Building Fund and Inn from the Cold.

**ADVENT PARISH RECONCILIATION -
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4TH AT 7PM**

CWL RAFFLE TICKETS

The Catholic Women's League annual raffle tickets are back with more fabulous prizes to be won.

This year's prizes include:

Google mini home donated by Rachel Wood

\$100 Petro Canada gift card donated by Caroline Berryman

Dollhouse kit with furniture donated by Loretta Ippolito

Oral Hygiene package donated by Dr. Norman Orschel

Foodie's gift basket donated by Lori Thompson

\$100 Winners gift card donated by Kathy Evelyn

Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00 and will be for sale after masses on November 23/24 and on November 30/December 1.

Draw will take place on Monday, December 2, 2019 at the CWL pot luck dinner. All proceeds will benefit local charities and community groups.

FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION

Letters and enrolment forms for First Communion and Confirmation are available this weekend after mass from either priest or Sandra. Be sure to get the letter as there is a lot of information in it. **Please do not ask an usher or go to the office during the week for the forms.**

WELCOMING ARMS

We have received a request from Welcoming Arms for gently used men's winter coats and boots - specifically large sizes. They could also make good use of women's winter boots.

Please phone 905-726-1483 or email: welcomingarms@live.ca if you have any questions.

CARDINAL CARTER CHS CHRISTMAS FAIR



Will be held on Friday, December 6th from 3pm to 8:30pm at 210 Bloomington Rd. W., Aurora

Featuring over 60 vendors, bake sale, auction, raffle, Santa photos and more!

PAG - CAN WE MAKE IT TO 225?

At present we have 205 households that support the parish through pre-authorized giving. Can we increase that to 225 households?

The advantage for the parishioner is that they know that they give steady support to the parish throughout the year. Some find pre-authorized giving a break with the past, but many now pay bills and other financial commitments through this same practice.

For those who opt for pre-authorized giving there is always the option to increase or decrease their financial support as time goes on. They may also make the decision to step back from it when times change for a family or individual. This can be done easily by contacting the parish office.

To enrol to be a pre-authorized giver use the form tipped into your bulletin today. These forms are also always available on the parish website and by the doors of the church.

You will not need a new box of envelopes for next year if you enroll. Special collection envelopes will be sent to you in the mail.

MISSALS

Missals will be available this weekend. As in other years there is one free to each home. Additional copies we ask you to pay \$5.00 each. Make your payment into the basket by the missals.

Children's missals are also available at a cost of \$10 each.

OLG COMES THROUGH

Thank you to everyone who has brought in toiletries. Your support has been absolutely great. We are committed to making this a regular November undertaking in the parish for Welcoming Arms.

We have been asked if we are having a Jesse Tree this year. The answer is yes. We will once again be supporting Rose of Sharon, Good Shepherd Centre and Streethaven. Rose of Sharon supports young mothers and the other two are ministries to people on the street.

You will be able to get your tags beginning the first Sunday in Advent.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

We have created a Christmas schedule. We are hoping for the active cooperation of all parishioners on Christmas Eve.

We will have masses at 4pm, 5:30pm, 7pm, 8:30pm and 12 midnight. On Christmas Day we will have our regular masses at 8:15am, 10am and 12 noon. There will be no 7pm mass on Christmas Day.

We are hoping all parishioners will recognize that in our more limited space that the early masses on Christmas Eve (4, 5:30 and 7) should be reserved for families with young children. These will be scaled back masses. There will be four hymns and the rest of the mass will be spoken.

Thank you in advance to everyone who will make an effort to make the celebrations as effective as possible.



**Christmas
Poinsettias**

Knights of Columbus
Council 6519 Aurora

6", 8", 10" Poinsettias and Tropical Planters

Prices range from \$10 to \$25

Payable by CASH or CHEQUE

Completed forms with payment can be dropped off after weekend masses until December 8th or at the parish office

Pickup on Sat. December 15th at Lynett Hall

For more information, please email

john@kofcaurora.ca

CWL NEWS

The Catholic Women's League is pleased to announce that our annual Christmas Fair and Silent Auction, held last Saturday at St. Maximilian Kolbe Catholic high school was a great success!

We would like to thank everyone who donated items for our auction, baked goodies for the bake sale, visited our Fair and for our many members that volunteered their time.

Together we raised over \$5,000.