

# **December 13, 2020 Third Sunday of Advent**

#### A Note from our Pastor

Dear Parishioners.

We invite you again this year to donate flowers, via monetary donations, for altar decorations in memory of your deceased loved ones this Christmas season. We will publish their names in the Christmas bulletin to keep their memory alive in our grateful community of faith. Monetary donations can be brought to the office or mailed with the names that you wish to be published.

As we prepare for our Christmas Mass celebrations, please know that we are doing everything we can to safely welcome as many people as possible into our church to celebrate the birth of our Savior. Which is the reason we are requiring sign-ups for all Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Masses.

The sign up is posted on our parish website at www.stolafut.org. You must sign up in order to attend. The 5:00pm Christmas Eve service will be our Children's Mass and there will be assigned seating by family, so it is imperative that you specify the number of people that will be attending on the sign-up.

While our goal will be to not turn anyone away, it is my role as pastor to keep our St. Olaf community safe. We look forward to the day that we can safely welcome large crowds back to our church, but until then please help us spread the word about the sign up requirement for all Christmas Masses.

Thank you, Fr. Andrzej

# **Advent Confession Times**

In lieu of our Advent penance service this year, Father Andrzei will be available to hear Confessions:

Monday December 14th 8:30 - 9:30 am AND 4:30 - 5:30 pm

8:30 - 9:30 am Tuesday December 15th

Wednesday December 16th 8:30 - 9:30 am AND 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Saturday December 19th 3:30 - 5:00 pm

# Spiritual Adoption Baby Shower

Can you believe that our spiritually adopted babies are being born this month? During this month we will be collecting much needed items for the Pregnancy Resource Center and the Park City Gabriel Project. Both of these organizations lovingly assist mothers in need. They are in need of formula, baby toiletries, baby wipes, diapers, diaper rash cream, diaper bags, pack and plays, large or larger maternity clothes, baby hats & gloves, and baby bottles. There will be a donation box in the cry room of the church and one at the church office. If you have any questions, please email Cindy Wilson at stolafrflutah@gmail.com

#### Christmas Giving Tree

We have 2 trees this year! One digital (online) and one live in the church. The digital giving tree is active now and available at https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C044EA9A922ABFA7-christmas

The live tree will be placed in the church on November 28, 2020. These Giving Trees support Utah Foster Care, the Davis County jail ministry and families in our parish and school. All items should be delivered to the school, church or church office by December 13, 2020. Please leave gifts unwrapped. If you have guestions contact Cristal at 801-910-1753 or cristal.vandongen@gmail.com

#### \* Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass Saturday December 12th @ 9:00am \*

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# Mass Schedule

# Saturday

5:30 PM

# Sunday

9:00 AM, 11:30 AM, \*1:30 PM \*(Polish, 1st & 3rd Sunday)

#### Weekdays

6:00 PM Mondays in the Church 8:00 AM Tue - Fri in the Church

# Confessions **Saturdays**

4:15 PM — 5:15 PM in the Church

# **Eucharistic Adoration** First Fridays

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM in the Church

# **Faith Formation** Sundavs

\*10:00 AM-11:15 AM in the School (when school is in session)

# Office Hours

276 E 1700 S

Monday—Thursday

9:00 AM -3:00 PM

# **Mailing Address**

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# Saint Olaf Catholic School

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#### School Staff

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#### School News

1. Heading into the final week of school before the Christmas Holiday Break, we are filled with gratitude to have successfully and safely remained open for our students and family.

We recognize God's protection and provision and ask for continued prayers.

2. The school will be Facebook live-streaming the Christmas Concert class performances next Friday morning. We will also be compiling the performances into a shareable video available after the break.

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3. We are amazed and so very grateful for our families, both in the parish and school. With 4 Casual for a Causes complete and multiple carline drives, the Saint Olaf Community has contributed well over \$2000.00, diapers, stocking stuffers, 275 lbs of dried goods, perishable groceries, and Christmas gifts to charitable causes this Fall. Thank you for helping us live out our original Daughters of Charity Charism of Service!

#### Faith Formation

This Sunday December 13, 2020 is our last class before the Holiday Break. Have a Blessed Merry Christmas and a Safe, Holy, Joyful New Year and we will be back in school January 3, 2021.

We will still collect non-perishable food items for the "Center of Hope" and we send a VERY BIG THANK YOU to all those who have already donated.

# Women's Bible Study

Please join us for another Walking With Purpose Bible study, "Opening Your Heart" beginning Wednesday, January 6, 2021 in the chapel meeting room. This 22 week study will explore the core questions that we need to wrestle with if we want to experience all that God has for us such as... What is the role of the Holy Spirit in my life? What does the Eucharist have to do with my friendship with Christ?

For more information or **to sign up, please email Annie Yates at annieyates1@gmail.com or call or text** 801-725-3261. The cost of the study book is \$40.

In order to ensure delivery of the books before January 6th, please sign up ASAP.

# Annual Stocking Stuffer

The Council of Women would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to the parish and school for the generous donations received to support our annual Stocking Stuffer. Donations will be delivered to Catholic Community Services to directly support the homeless community.

# Monthly Council of Women Meeting

Women of St Olaf's Parish! Join us for our monthly Council of Women meeting on *Monday, December 14 at 7:00pm.* Enjoy a social hour, sharing your favorite Christmas books, movies, music, recipes, and traditions. Join at <a href="https://meet.google.com">https://meet.google.com</a>, meeting code <a href="https://meet.google.com">akd-uccj-src</a>

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#### Assistance

During this holiday season if you or anyone you know is in need of assistance (ie. Groceries, clothing, Christmas gifts, etc) please contact the parish office at 801-295-3621 or email jennifer@stolafut.org.



Thank you for your generosity in supporting our Parish and school!

Online: \$3,621.53 Envelopes: \$5,788.00 Loose: \$99.31 Maintenance: \$665.00 School: \$615.00 Single donation: \$5,000.00

To support the Diocesan Development Drive visit our website @ www.stolafut.org

#### **Prayers Needed**

Please remember the sick of our parish in your prayers that they may be healed, strengthened, and know the love of God during their suffering:

Rose Ziegenmier **Tammy Tonneson Timothy Thomson** Andy Lawson **Tom Smith** Pat Murphy **Darlyne Lawson** Family **Nash Schouten** Tom Evans Robert Lawson **Brian Sheperd Luke Garrick** Stella Obrien **Gary Parkin Lorraine Reyes Bill Robertson** 

These names will be printed in our bulletin for the next 4 weeks. Call the office at 801.295.3621 to make changes, remove or add a loved one to the prayer list.

# **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, December 12 Our Lady of Guadalupe 9:00 AM

5:30 PM

† John Finnigan (Betty Byrne)

Sunday, December 13

9:00 AM

† Deceased members of the Comins & Ward families

11:30 AM

† Lauren Chapin (Steve & Jennifer Karrick)

Monday, December 14

6:00 PM

† Rosie Robertson (Cheryl Koontz)

Tuesday, December 15

8:00 AM

† Marilyn Larrabee

Wednesday, December 16

8:00 AM

† Erik Mathiesen (Ralph & Kathy Carson)

Thursday, December 17

8:00 AM

Chrisie Lund - Birthday Blessings (Veronica Markisich)

Friday, December 18

8:00 AM

John Cunningham - Birthday Blessings (Gene Cunningham)

Saturday, December 19

5:30 PM

Living and Deceased Members of the Divin Family (Barrett family)

Sunday, December 20

9:00 AM

† Mr. Lynn R. Brooks (Delores Brooks) 11:30 AM

> † John W. Droubay (Pat Droubay) \*1:30 PM

\*(Polish Mass)

# **Weekly Scripture Readings**

Sunday, December 13

Isaiah 61:1-2a, 10-11/1 Thes 5:16-24/ John 1:6-8, 19-28

Monday, December 14

Numbers 24:2-7, 15-17a/Mt 21:23-27

Tuesday, December 15

Zeph3:1-2, 9-13/Mt 21:28-32

Wednesday, December 16

Isaiah 45:6b-8, 18, 21c-25/Luke 7:18b-23

Thursday, December 17

Genesis 49:2, 8-10/Mt 1:1-17

Friday, December 18

Jeremiah 23:5-8/Mt 1:18-25

Saturday, December 19

Judges 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25

Sunday, December 20

2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12,14a,16/

Romans 16:25-27/Luke 1:26-38