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MASS TIMES:

ALEXANDRIA, ST. MARY OF MERCY

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm — only in even months
SUNDAY: 10:00 am — only in odd months
MONDAY: 8:30 am & WEDNESDAY: 6:30 pm

BRIDGEWATER, ST. STEPHEN

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm — 1st Saturday only
in odd months
SUNDAY: 10:00 am — 1st Sunday only
in even months
WEDNESDAY: 9:00 am & FRIDAY: 8:30 am

EMERY, ST. MARTIN OF TOURS

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm — 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th
weekends only in odd months
SUNDAY: 10:00 am — 2nd, 3rd, 4th, & 5th
weekends only in even months
TUESDAY & THURSDAY: 8:30 am

EPIPHANY, CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

SUNDAY: 11:00 am
THURSDAY: 10:00 am

HUMBOLDT, ST. ANN

SUNDAY: 10:30 am
TUESDAY: 5:30 pm; WED. & FRI: 8:30 am

MONTROSE, ST. PATRICK

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm only in odd months
SUNDAY: 8:30 am
WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY: 8:30 am

SALEM, ST. MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm only in even months
SUNDAY: 9:00 am

MONDAY: 5:30 pm; TUES. & THURS: 8:30 am

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY: 4:20 pm for ½ hour
before wherever Saturday evening Mass is.

SUNDAY: Alexandria, Bridgewater, Emery, Mont-
rose, Salem; confessions begin 40 minutes before
Mass and go for ½ hour. Epiphany & Humboldt:
confessions after Mass until all are heard.

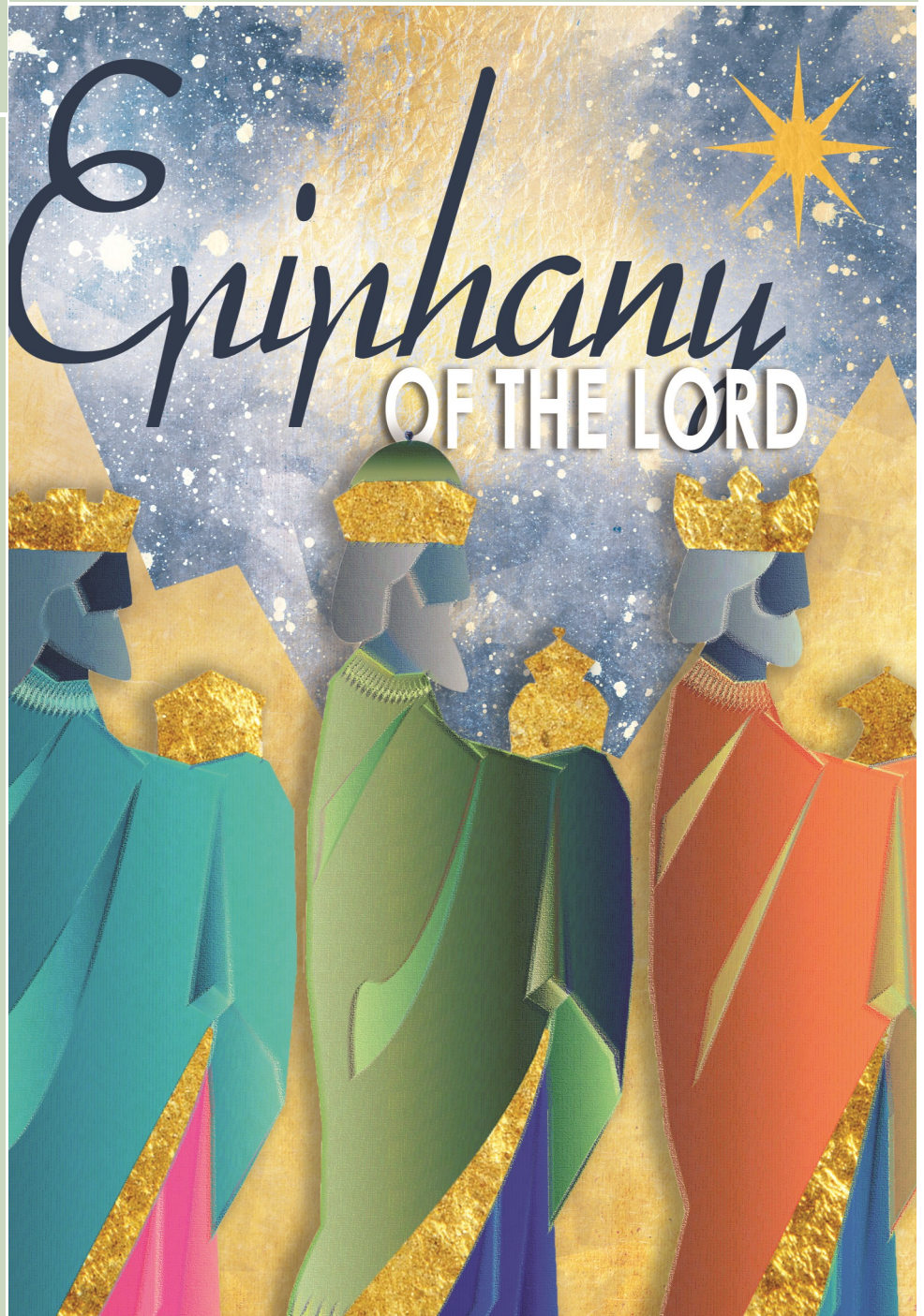
HOLY DAYS: as announced

**BAPTISM/CARE OF THE SICK/
MARRIAGE/RCIA:** Contact parish priest

Welcome to Pastorate 16 and the 7 parishes of St. Mary of Mercy, St. Stephen, St. Martin of Tours,
Church of the Epiphany, St. Ann, St. Patrick, & St. Mary Help of Christians.

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD, JANUARY 7, 2024

This bulletin is for the parishes of: Church of the Epiphany, St. Ann, St. Patrick, & St. Mary



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maryofmercy@sfcatholic.org

ST. STEPHEN: 605.239.4578
351 N. Juniper, Bridgewater, SD 57319

ST. MARTIN OF TOURS: 605.239.4578
342 34rd Ave., Emery, SD 57332

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY: 605.425.2600
106 Jackson St., Epiphany, SD 57349

ST. ANN: 605.425.2600
409 W. 4th Ave.,
Humboldt, SD 57035

ST. PATRICK: 605.425.2600
211 S. Church Ave.,
Montrose, SD 57048
<https://www.stpatrickmontrose.org>

DISCIPLESHIP & EVANGELIZATION:
Maggan Kremppges: 605.425.2600
mkremppges@salem catholic.org

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BULLETIN:
Vicky Huls: mavhuls@triotel.net
bulletin items due Mondays at 2:00 pm,
(deadline changes during holidays)

TO ACCESS THE BULLETIN ONLINE GO TO:
<https://www.salem catholic.org>
<https://www.stpatrickmontrose.org>



There is a **Rosary on Mondays**, 5pm at St. Mary's Church for an end to abortion and
 a **Rosary on Thursdays**, 7pm at St. Mary's Church or Grotto (determined by weather), for the sake of this great nation.



LITURGICAL SCHEDULES

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY—Sunday, Jan. 14

ROSARY Klinkhammers
SERVERS Brooke & Carter Endorf
LECTOR Erica Endorf
EUCH. MIN. Leanne Eich
OFFERTORY Larry Eich Family
MUSIC Kim Miller, Rene Koepsell
USHERS Troy Loundenburg, Bob Wingen,
 Dave & John Schmitt

St. ANN'S—Sunday, January 14

ROSARY Jackie Lofswold
SERVERS Landon & Miles Even,
 Ella Harden
LECTOR Tom Puthoff
EUCH. MIN. Charles Jarding, Paula Jarding
OFFERTORY A Busser
MUSICIANS B
SACRISTAN Elsie Baye
USHERS Mark Harden, John Jarding
\$ COUNTERS J & J Jarding, C Kaffar

St. Patrick's

Saturday, January 13

SERVERS Cody & Lane Hanisch,
 Kellen Kueter
LECTOR Charlotte Thompson
OFFERTORY Jordan & Elizabeth Plooster Family
EUCH. MIN. Sarah McAreavey
USHERS Steve Zimmer, Bob Condon
SACRISTAN Barb Spicer

Sunday, January 14

SERVERS Jake & Nathan Merrill, Zaidee Huls
LECTOR Kathy Binder
OFFERTORY Jeremy & Jane Wiebersick Family
EUCH. MIN. Deb Raap
USHERS Leo Hoiten, Bob Erickson
SACRISTAN Denny Vogel
\$ COUNTERS Robert Hoiten,
 Jeremy/Charlotte Thompson

St. Mary's

Saturday, January 13

HOMEBOUND Karla Blindert

Sunday, January 14

ROSARY Brian Krempges
SERVERS Quenton Gessner,
 Joe & Jules Grady
LECTOR Josh Horstman
EUCH. MIN. Bill Roth, GERALYN SHERMAN
HOMEBOUND GERALYN SHERMAN
USHERS Dan McKillop, John Scheier,
 Pat Scheier, Kurt Bies
\$ COUNTERS Marlene Aden & Charlie Eich

ST. MARY'S VISITS FOR THE LEGION OF MARY PILGRIM SHRINE



☞ For information on the Shrine call 425-3000.

Dec. 27-Gene & Julie Streff,
Jan. 3-Andrew & Vicki Streff,
Jan. 10-John & Hannah Streff.



CHURCH SUPPORT

for the weekend of 12/31
 was not available.

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

For the weekend of 12/24:
 Adult: \$1,615.00, Loose: \$656.00,
 Christmas Memorials: \$20.00,
 Total: \$2,291.00.

St. ANN'S

For the weekend of 12/24:
 Adult: \$2,910.00, Loose: \$139.05,
 Total: \$3,049.05.

St. PATRICK'S

For the weekend of 12/24:
 Adult: \$1,895.00,
 Loose: \$132.00, Direct Deposit: \$50.00,
 Holy Day: \$250.00, Building: \$25.00,
 Total: \$2,352.00.

St. MARY'S

For the weekend of 12/24:
 Adult: \$3,918.00, Loose: \$1,515.25,
 Maintenance: \$50.00,
 Initial Offering: \$10.00,
 Total: \$5,493.25.

We look back
 and thank God.
 We look forward
 and trust God.

Happy New Year to all.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Lord hear our prayers



☞ Church of the Epiphany, St. Ann, St. Patrick, St. Mary Parishes
 for more information call St. Mary's Office.

St. PATRICK'S

Donna Jorgensen, Sherry VanderZwaag,
 Duane Bartmann, Vince Bartmann,
 Jarad Deters, Chad Gordon, Paul Gordon,
 Larry Hohn, Bob Kerkhove,
 Jim & Kay Miles, Dianne Struck,
 Mary Ann (Healy) Tuschen.

St. MARY'S

Dan Westhoff, Raya Koch, Jim Tuschen,
 Jarad Deters, Lori Erikson, Pat Huls,
 Jean Schneider, MaryAnn Tuschen,
 Merlin Ziegmann.

100 YEARS

Happy Birthday!

OPEN HOUSE 100TH BIRTHDAY PARTY

for Marcella Bartmann
 will be held on
 Saturday, January 13th from 1-3
 at the Montrose Legion Hall.



BIBLE STUDY:

**Lectio - Eucharist:
 Unveiling Scripture
 and Tradition**

**with Dr. Brandt Pitre
 January 7th at St. Mary's
 School with Mike Heumiller
 10:10am for the Adult Study;
 4:00pm for the Men's Study**

In this study, you will discover
 the Jewish roots that connect
 the scripture with the Jewish
 tradition. It takes you into a
 deeper level of understanding
 the power of the Mass and what
 it holds in our faith.

14 day candles are available (\$10.00).
 Call or see Emily at St. Mary's Office.

14 DAY CANDLES AT ST. MARY'S JANUARY 8-JANUARY 21

THE MAIN ALTAR SANCTUARY CANDLE:

For the happy repose of the souls
 of Al & Mary Ann Huls.

ALTAR OF THE HOLY FAMILY-BLUE CANDLES:

(LS) For special intentions
 of Lori Heumiller.

(RS) For the happy repose of the soul
 of Mary Moore.

ALTAR OF St. ALOYSIUS-RED CANDLES:

(LS) Special intentions for St. Mary's
 Parishioners with health concerns.

(RS) For the happy repose of the soul
 of Karen Fendrich.

PRAYER CHAIN: St. Mary's: Monica Anderson-cell 421-1655; Sandy Bies-425-2306. St. Patrick's: Donna Jorgensen-605-941-3068.



IN SYMPATHY

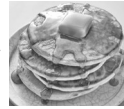
PASTORATE 16 EXTENDS DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES AND FRIENDS OF:

Ken Struck, 75, who passed away Saturday, December 30; **Amie Scheuren**, 99, who passed away Sunday, December 24; **John Rieck**, 76, who passed away Sunday, December 24 and **Donald Schwans**, 84, who passed away Thursday, December 21.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace. Amen.

SALEM KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST

Breakfast and fellowship will be held on Sunday, January 7th, from 9:30 to 11 AM at the Salem, St. Mary's Hall. Serving pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, cheesy hashbrowns, fruit cup, coffee, and orange juice. Free will offering will be taken to help support our sponsored seminarian, Brady Martinez.



SALEM KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FREE THROW SHOOT

Sunday, January 7th
12:30pm registration — 1:00pm shoot
boys and girls ages 9-14 can participate
Location: Salem, St. Marys Hall



St. Mary's
Christmas Memorials
In loving honor/memory of:
Paul Schmit and Family
Ron Chase, Lou Anderson



ST. MARY'S ALTAR SOCIETY check your e-mails for the 2024 Altar Society lists. Printed lists are in the entry way of the church for those who do not have e-mail. "Many Hands Make Light Work", Nehemiah Chapter 3.



Fr. Bob bestowed the sacraments of baptism for these two little cousins at St. Patrick's.

Pictured right is Dorothy Jean Hoiten, daughter of Laura & Robert Hoiten; granddaughter of Paul & Maureen Klaudt and Doug & Rose Marie Hoiten. Pictured left is Pepper Rose O'Hara daughter of Nikholai & Miranda (Hoiten) O'Hara and granddaughter of Doug & Rose Marie Hoiten

Great grandmother, of both babies, is Rose Sieverding from St. Ann's Parish.

St. Patrick's parishioners share in your joy on this Holy Family Sunday and wish Dorothy Jean and Pepper Rose the best as they grow in faith with the help and guidance of their families.

MONTROSE-HUMBOLDT KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will have their annual **TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE** after the St. Patrick Mass on January 13th and after the St. Patrick and St. Ann Masses on January 14th. The Knights will be passing out Tootsie Rolls and collecting donations to help children and adults with special needs.



MONTROSE-HUMBOLDT KC FREE-THROW CONTEST

The Montrose-Humboldt Knights of Columbus free-throw contest will be on Wednesday, January 17th.
Sign-up will be available at CCD on January 10th.

MONTROSE-HUMBOLDT KC RIGHT TO LIFE BREAKFAST

The Montrose-Humboldt Knights of Columbus will be serving a free-will donation breakfast on Sunday, January 21st, from 8 to 10:30 am in St Patrick's parish hall.
Proceeds go towards pro-life work and causes.



We would like to extend an extra special thank you to those who all helped our family after the passing of Lennie Zens our beloved brother, brother-in-law and uncle.

To: Mike Wingen, Hunter Gregerson, Bob & Paul Paradeis, Cory Eich and Kelly Endorf for all helping with the cutting, raking and baling of the alfalfa, Dan Lehrman for the use of his tractor, baler and hydroswing, Kevin & Blake Klinkhammer and Dave & John Schmit for helping with moving our pairs out to pasture, helping with Lennie's cattle—moving them from pasture to pasture, different times sorting the calves to sell, Mike, Julie & Hunter of the Hunter's Den for the delicious food and beverages brought over when we were moving our pairs to pasture and to Kelly & Ben Endorf for mowing the lawn all summer at Mom's place.

We are so blessed to live in a small community of such caring and thoughtful people. It will not be forgotten and all of you will hold a special place in our hearts.

The Zens: Craig & Deb, Josh, Amy & Family, Jeremy, Jamie & Family.

WHEN *Life* GETS TOO HARD TO STAND, *Kneel*



THE LOURDES CENTER

(formerly Catholic Family Services)

- *Living with Chronic Illness;* • *Surviving Divorce Program;*
- *Coping with Stress and Anxiety Program;*
- *Grieving the Loss of a Child;* • *Surviving Divorce;*
- *Grieving the Loss of a Loved One;*
- *Grieving a Loss from Overdose and Addiction.*

For more details call: 605-988-3775

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court St. Thomas #1533 of Montrose and Humboldt has St. Gerard medals for any mother or expectant mother who would like one.



St. Gerard is the patron saint of mothers, motherhood, expectant mothers, childbirth, children, pregnant women, unborn children, the pro-life movement, the

falsely accused, good confessions and lay brothers. He performed many miracles but is best known for his miracles helping children and their mothers, especially mothers giving birth. If interested in a medal, contact any Catholic Daughter member in Humboldt or Montrose or call Elsie Baye at 605-359-3450.

Solve the puzzle with your family and it comes together even faster. God helped the wise men solve a puzzle. They wanted to find the newborn king. Together the wise men read God's promises, did their homework and followed the star. When all of their answers fit, they found baby Jesus.

WISE MEN
STAR
HEROD

MESSIAH
WORSHIP
EXCITED

GIFTS
WARNED
DREAM

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The Week Ahead

1/7, Sunday, The Epiphany of the Lord

8:30 AM MASS IN MONTROSE

For †Tom & †Rose Wheeler

9:00 AM MASS IN SALEM

For †Darlene Lauck

9:30-11:00 am Salem KC Breakfast, St. Mary's Hall

10:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For †Steven Hartle

11:00 AM MASS IN EPIPHANY

For the People of our Parishes (Pro Populo)

12:30 pm Salem KC Free Throw Contest, St. Mary's Hall

1/8, Monday, The Baptism of the Lord

***2:00 pm Bulletin Information Due to mavhuls@triotel.net**

5:00 pm Rosary to end abortion, St. Mary's Church

5:30 PM MASS IN SALEM

For Priest Personal Intension

1/9, Tuesday, Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN SALEM

For †Janelle Anderson

5:30 PM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For †Marcene Redenius

1/10, Wednesday, Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For Holy Souls in Purgatory

8:30 AM MASS IN MONTROSE

For †Ralph & †Agatha Weber

***9:00 am Bulletin Sent to LPi**

1/11, Thursday, Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am Mass in Salem

For †Bob Weier

10:00 am Mass in Epiphany

For All Parishioners

7:00 pm Rosary for our Nation, St. Mary's Church

1/12, Friday, Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For Deceased Members of the Anthony & Edna Even Family

8:30 AM MASS IN MONTROSE

For †Duane Kappenman

1/13, Saturday, Vigil: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 PM MASS IN MONTROSE

For †Tony Armagno & †Randy O'Laughlin

6:00 pm Montrose-Humboldt Tootsie Roll Drive

1/14, Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 AM MASS IN MONTROSE

For Holy Souls in Purgatory

9:30 am Montrose-Humboldt Tootsie Roll Drive

9:00 AM MASS IN SALEM

For Intentions of Eugene & Julie Streff

10:30 AM MASS IN HUMBOLDT

For †Francis Sieverding

11:30 am Montrose-Humboldt Tootsie Roll Drive

11:00 am Mass in Epiphany

For the People of our Parishes (Pro Populo)

