

Third Sunday of Advent

Pastor's Corner

Christmas Schedule

December 22nd & 23rd

4th Sunday of Advent

4:30pm (Vigil)

Masses

8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am & 7pm

December 24th 8am Mass

Christmas Eve Masses

5:00pm, 7:00pm, 9:00pm
& 12 Midnight

Christmas Day Masses

9:30am & 11:00am

Masses for the Week of

December 26th -28th

All Masses will start at 9am. There will **NOT** be any evening Masses this week.

December 29th & 30th

Feast of the Holy Family

(Regular Scheduled Mass times)

4:30pm (Vigil), 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am & 7pm

December 31st 8am Mass

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New Year's Eve Mass

5:00pm Mass
8:00pm Holy Hour

Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God

January 1st

10:00am & 11:30am

The Feast of St. Elizabeth Seton

First Friday

January 4th 8am Mass

Friday, January 4th – Mass 7:00pm

Followed by a potluck in Seton Hall bring your favorite dish to share.

*Parish Office will be closed from 12 noon
December 21st and will reopen on January 2nd, 2008*



Liturgical



CHRISTMAS PLANT DONATION

If you would like to donate a potted plant in memory of a loved one for Christmas please bring a plant with the persons name on a card to the parish anytime Friday, December 21st.

Catechisis & Registration for 1st Communion Dates

Parents Only

Meeting/Information and sign up for
1st Communion Mass date/time

Monday, January 21st @ 7pm to 8pm

Wednesday, January 23rd @ 7pm to 8pm

(Please arrive 10-15 minutes early to register)

Confirmation Meeting Dates

Candidates only

Monday, January 28th from 7pm to 8pm

Wednesday, January 30th from 7pm to 8pm

****Please arrive 15 minutes early for all meetings.**

If you are unable to attend the above meeting dates it is very important to notify the parish office to leave a message for Jennifer McAvoy.**

Christmas Eve Mass in French

French speaking Catholics are invited to a

Christmas Eve Mass in French

7:00pm at École Nouvelle-Alliance

249 Anne Street North, Barrie

or 10:30pm at École Cardinal-Carter

210 Bloomington West, Aurora

For more information call 1-877-974-7455

or by email at infor@ccrys.com



Please pray for those who are sick and those who love and minister to them:

Gail Burgess, Mike Welgan, Marta Lou, Tony Coleman,
Fr. Elias Chichati, Frank Kelly, Sara Minatel, Giel

Jonkhout, Debbie Howley, Ben Ternes, Donna Fantasia, Amalia Sirothc, Kevin Fitzpatrick, Alana Brown-Wallace, Teresa Sedore, Martin VanLierop, George Ferguson, Connor Thompson, Peter Chatterton, Gladys Padley, Lorna Hedley, Anne Allen, Stanley Boudreau, Judy Jimenez, Gertrudis Henriquez, Rino Palumbo, Fr. Joe Curcio, Anne Dorian, Jim Marrelli, Mary Sorrentino, Christopher Nabuurs, Vincent Masci, Margaret Williams, Theresa Lim, Kathleen Mann, Joe Pilieci, Jim Tobin, George Leo, Pam James, Liz Law...

Sunday, December 16th, 2007



Organizations & Ministries

- 1. Consolation and Hope:** At this time the Ministry of Consolation and Hope will replace the monthly Drop-in with planned home visits. Please call the office in order to contact the Ministers of Care. We are planning to show some informational videos on grief-related topics in the near future.
- 2. Children's Christmas Pageant:** Rehearsal for the December 24th, 5pm mass Children's Christmas Pageant will be on December 22nd at 10am gathering in the parish hall.
- 3. Youth Group:** The parish Youth Group will be decorating the Church on December 21st from 4pm to 6pm, followed by a pot luck dinner. All Youth Welcome!
- 4. Challenge Club:** The Challenge Club's weekend Advent Retreat will be in place of this Monday's meeting. Meetings will resume in the New Year.



Social & Other

- 1. Countdown Winner:** Congratulations to **Maureen Brosnahan envelope #362** our lucky December winner. They are the recipients of a \$50 gift certificate to Upper Canada Mall.

RELIGIOUS GIFT SHOP

*Looking for that special something!
Don't forget our Religious Gift Shop.
Open after all masses*

- 2. Keep Christ In Christmas:** The Knights of Columbus will be selling religious Christmas cards, in the hall or foyer, after all the weekend Masses.

2007 COUNTDOWN WINNER: GRAND PRIZE

Congratulations to **Henry & Lena Sterling** who have faithfully supported us this past year. They are the grand prize winners of a \$500.00 gift certificate for the Upper Canada Mall.

Mass Intentions

Mon. Dec 17		
8:00am	Elie Bosland (D)	His Wife
Tues. Dec. 18		
9:00am	Michael Boland (D)	Cathy & Dave Brannan
7:00pm	Rita Shibley (D)	Vennie Chittenden
Wed. Dec.19		
8:00am	Nick Grande (D)	Grande Family
Thur. Dec.20		
9:00am	Fr. Colman Mruma (I)	Josephine Hailey
7:00pm	Dominic & Francis Lobo (D)	The Lobo Family
	Michael Boland (D)	Marg Melnichuk
	Fr. Colman Mruma (I)	-
	Ruth Hicks (D)	Marg Melnichuk
Fri. Dec.21		
8:00am	Kristen Patricia Clutterbuck (D)	The Family
Sat. Dec. 22		
9:00am	Mrs. McKenna (D)	Sheila Clotworthy
4:30pm	Fr. Roy Farrell (I)	Josephine Hailey
Sun. Dec.23		
8:00am	Paishioners of St. Elizabeth Seton Parish	-
9:30am	Ben & Rose Ternes (I)	The Senger Family
11:00am	Chris Deehan (D)	Tom & Josie Deehan
7:00pm	Fr. Elias Chachati (I)	Josephine Hailey



Christmas Trees

For Sale

Our Knights of Columbus will be selling their beautiful Christmas Trees again this year. Trees will be available in the Parish parking lot. Reserve yours today.



The Giving Tree

Those who have NOT dropped their gifts off this weekend please bring them to St. Johns Chrysostom Parish Hall

Huron Heights is proud to present its **Third Annual Festive Holiday Dinner on December 19, 2007 from 5-8 PM** in the school cafeteria. The dinner is for any member of the community that might not otherwise be able to have a turkey dinner this holiday season. If you would like to join us, or know anyone that would, please contact David Nagy at Huron Heights Secondary School: (905) 895-2384 x 6715 or david.nagy@yrdsb.edu.on.ca. Transportation is available.



Parish Office Holiday Hours

The office will be closed from Monday December 24th to Tuesday, January 1st and will reopen on Wednesday, January 2nd @ 9am. Ann, Virginia, Jennifer, Nancy and Stanley wish you all a happy, healthy and peace filled Christmas season.