

A LOOK AT OUR STAINED-GLASS WINDOWS



As part of the 175th Anniversary Year, the fourth look at our stained-glass windows will take place on Thursday, April 19th, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the Cathedral Church. Our fourth presentation of the Cathedral's Munich stained-glass windows will feature the

“Anointing of the feet of Jesus” window. This window was donated by Mrs. Feliciane Schaub.

JESUS IS THE FULFILLMENT OF SCRIPTURE

The risen Christ made himself known to his disciples. After having revealed himself in Emmaus in the breaking of the bread, he encouraged the disciples in Jerusalem to look at and to touch his wounds. He reminded them of what Scripture had foretold, just as Peter reminded the community in the first reading.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The SVdP provides assistance each Tuesday from 9-11:00 a.m. For those wishing to make regular contributions, envelopes are located in the vestibule. We also value your one time gift! Your continued support helps to ensure SVdP is able to provide support for those in need.

RCIA

This week our new Catholics will be studying about sacramentals and popular devotions, including the Rosary, with Deacon David Allen. Please pray for them as they continue to learn the traditions of our faith.

CCD

Thanks for your support of our CCD program and for bringing your children to CCD! For more information or any questions, please contact Barbara Ziz, 228-918-9778.

CONFIRMATION AT NATIVITY

The Sacrament of Confirmation for our young people will take place on Sunday, April 22, 2018 at the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please come and support our teenagers.

MUSIC FOR THIS WEEKEND

ENTRANCE HYMN	#171
OFFERTORY	#529
COMMUNION	#354
SENDING	#552

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

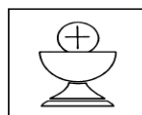
Mon Apr 16	Acts 6:8-15, Jn 6:22-29
Tues Apr 17	Acts 7:51-8:1a, Jn 6:30-35
Wed Apr 18	Acts 8:1b-8, Jn 6:35-40
Thur Apr 19	Acts 8:26-40, Jn 6:44-51
Fri Apr 20	Acts 9:1-20, Jn 6:52-59
Sat Apr 21	Acts 9:31-42, Jn 6:60-69
Sun Apr 22	Acts 4:8-12, 1 Jn 3:1-2, Jn 10:11-18



YOUR SUNDAY TITHING AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Regular Collections	\$	8,216.51
Capital Improve.	\$	195.00
Maintenance	\$	1,323.00
Nativity Elem.	\$	489.00
Misc.	\$	1,674.95
TOTAL COLLECTION	\$	11,898.46

COMMUNION VISITATION



Jesus says of you and me, “You are the salt of the earth”. No one should be deprived of the Most Holy Eucharist because they are homebound, elderly, have no means of getting to Mass and/or sick in their home. Sister Jackie Tarrant, RSM will gladly bring the Eucharist to you in your home. Together we can be “salt of the earth”. Sister can be reached at the rectory at 228-374-1717.

MUSIC NOTES:

SANCTUARY CHOIR SCHEDULE:

April 22nd: 9:00 a.m.
April 29th: 11:00 a.m.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION:

Much “Thanks with Appreciation” to the Cathedral Musicians for their many efforts and long hours of rehearsal/preparation to make our Holy Week Spiritual Journey as beautiful and enriching as it was this year. From the parents and choristers of the Cathedral Children’s Choir to the members of the Cathedral Choir, Choral Society and Cantor Corp – much was given in the effort to serve and minister to our congregation and to love and serve our God. I am most grateful to all and “Thank God” for their dedication, devoted and giving hearts and love for this Church Home and Family! May God Be Praised and Glorified! All interested individuals wanting to inquiry/participate in the Music & Fine Arts Ministries Program should contact Terry Maddox – Minister of Music @ 251 406-1454 &/or @ terrydalemaddox@gmail.com

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS
Apr 21 4:00 pm 1. Dale Dorcik 2. Sondra Ahern 3. Kalin Lloyd 4. Andrea Gilich 5/ Liz Joachim	Apr 21 4:00 pm Michael Bruffey	Apr 21 4:00 pm Cayden Cannon Sabree Puz
Apr 22 7:00 am 1. Vicki Howard 2. Colleen Kavanagh 3. Danny Kavanagh	Apr 22 7:00 am Marcia Mayfield	Apr 22 7:00 am Clayton Stoddard Ava Stoddard
9:00 am 1. Michael Kessler 2. Bobby Weaver 3. John Brauchle	9:00 am Liz Wilkinson	9:00 am Brennan Tarrant Aiden Tarrant Annabelle Tarrant Bailey Joy Tarrant
11:00 am 1. John Sherman 2. Marianne Sherman 3. Robert Moniot 4. Susan Toche 5. Rhonda Clark	11:00 am Peter Abide	11:00 am Makayla Pfarrer Greyson Ross McRae Ross Nicholas Gruich
5:30 pm 1. Teresa Ballinger 2. Mary Townsend 3. Kristy Arguelles	5:30 pm Youth Ministry	5:30 pm Jacob Arguelles Nicholas Arguelles Sydni Wills
	CANTORS	
	Apr 21 4:00 pm William Endicott	
	Apr 22 9:00 am Nicholas Rodolfich	
	11:00 am Rocky Greathouse	

	6:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
Mon Apr 16	Collins-Sims Fly.	Walker & Irene C. Tucei
Tue Apr 17	Raymond Egers	Andrew Cvitanovich
Wed Apr 18	Brenda Sargent	Alice Griggs
Thur Apr 19	Raymond Egers	Leslie Sherman
Fri Apr 20	Alice Griggs	Herbert & Bertha McDonnell
Sat Apr 21	8_Gabriel/Doris Kasosvich	4 Thomas Andrews
Sun Apr 22	7-Bob Ferguson	9:00 F.T.P
11:00 am	Ann/Harry Schmidt	5:30 Collins-Sims Fly.

PLEASE KEEP OUR SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

Lesa Walker-Kirkman, Nick Wiser, Rose Collins, Elie Hebert, Jerry Ellis, Linda Welter, Hugh Kavanagh, Gerrie Weldon, Lehmon Skrmetti, Buddy Pullen, Annette Luther, Macklin Holloway, Mary Wimberly, Pete Skrmetta, Candy Widener, Tiffany Whitehead, Lena Marchioni, Holly Hill, Georgia Bellais Dominick, Maxine Kiddinger, Marie Manning, Betty Hilton, Mary Lancaster, Mickey Bradley, Cheryl Terry, Gwen Gollott, Greg Hotaling, Jack Joachim, Jr., Michael Zorich,, Sr. Fatima Starks and Karen Skremetta.

SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in celebration of Gwen Gollott's 90th Birthday! From Barbara and Stephen Lyons.

NATIVITY BVM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

*Nativity School's 2nd through 6th graders will be taking the Iowa Assessment during the week of April 16th. The Iowa Assessment, taken throughout our diocesan schools, is a nationally standardized test which provides information about an individual student's achievement as well as measuring the student nationally with his/her peers.

*Registration for the 2018-2019 school year is ongoing. Although several classes are filled, openings remain in many grades. For more information about the school and its programs, please visit our website at www.nativitybvm.org or call the school office

(432-2269) to set up a tour.

*Nativity School will host its 2nd Annual Family Movie Night on Friday, April 20th. This free event is a way to gather children and their families together and have a relaxing and fun evening.

BINGO MANIA

Doors open at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday. The following families are scheduled for April 17th: Lawson (Bill), Lechner (Jeff & Lindsay), Leon (Miguel & Amy), Chereskin (Alan), LoCoco (Nicholas & Talia), Lyons (Patrick & Kimberly) and Mabary (Shawn & Kendra). **REMEMBER! If you are unable to attend, it is your responsibility to secure a replacement.**

St. Michael Catholic Church - \$10,000 Raffle

Tickets on Sale Now!

\$10,000 Drawing Tickets will be sold before and after Masses at Nativity on April 21st and 22nd. The tickets are \$10 each or a book of 11 for \$100 for a chance to win \$10,000! Drawing will be held on June 2nd at the Fais Do Do. Thank you for your support.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Apr 16** Women of Mary, 5:30 p.m.
Apr 17 Men of St. Joseph, 7:00 a.m. – SHC
 RCIA Class, 6:00 p.m.
 Bingo, 5:30 p.m.
Apr 18 Cleaning Team "D"
 CCD Classes, 5:30 p.m., SHC
Apr 19 Greenbriar Mass at 10:00 a.m.
 Stained Glass Window, 6:00 p.m.

NATIVITY B.V.M. CATHEDRAL'S 6TH ANNUAL UNCORKED AND UNCAPPED WINE AND BEER TASTING!

It's time to purchase your tickets!!! Nativity BVM Cathedral's 6th Annual uncorked and uncapped wine and beer tasting is Saturday, April 28th, 2018 – Exotic Wines – Craft Beers – Gourmet Food – Silent Auction and Live Entertainment. Tickets are \$45.00 per person, \$80.00 per couple and \$400.00 for a reserved table of 10.

SILENT AUCTION ITEMS

We are looking for artsy items for our upcoming Beer and Wine Tasting Event scheduled for April 28, 2018. If you have something of interest – an antique item, artwork, crafts, jewelry – that you would like to donate, please call Fr. Colten at (228) 374-1717. All proceeds from your donated auction item will go to the support of Nativity Cathedral Parish.