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MASS SCHEDULE:

Weekends: Saturday - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.

Weekdays: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m.

During the School Year-Mass on Fri. 8:30am

Holy Day Mass Schedule:

8:00 am, 7:00 p.m.

St. Francis Xavier Parish

7th and JEFFERSON STREETS, MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA. 26041

Rev. That Son Ngoc Nguyen



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS):

Sat. 3:30 p.m., or any other time upon request.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

By appointment. Contact the Parish House at least six months before the date of the marriage. Pre-Cana is required.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

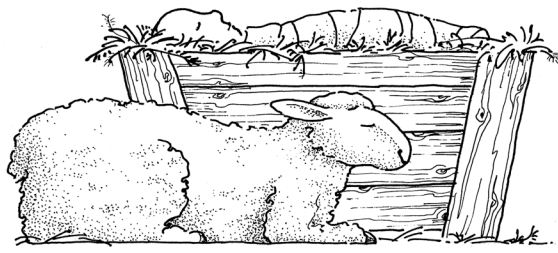
By appointment. The Diocese requires instructions beforehand for the parents. Contact the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (C.C.D.):

Sundays during the school term at 9:00 a.m. to 9:50 a.m. for Grades 1-12.

REGISTRATION AND CHURCH SUPPORT:

Parishioners should be properly registered at the Parish Office



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Fourth Sunday of Advent December 18, 2016

They shall name him Emmanuel,
which means "God is with us."

— *Matthew 1:23*



Mass Intentions for the Week

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- DEC. 17 SATURDAY**
4:00 P.M. **Mary & Fred Nadolski †**
(Nadolski Family)
- DEC. 18 SUNDAY**
8:00 A.M. **Doc Romanoski †** (Artimez Family)
10:00 A.M. **Jo Ann Ferrera Slack †**
(Katherine Ferrera)
- DEC. 19 MONDAY**
8:00 A.M. **Marion Rine †**
(Mark & Jane Helfer)
- DEC. 20 TUESDAY**
8:00 A.M. **Bob Miller †** (Maggie Yeater)
8:00 P.M. **Lupe Hewitt †** (Joan Lemasters)
- DEC. 21 WEDNESDAY**
8:00 A.M. **Stanley Mysliwiec †**
(Jim & Mary Ruth Whorton)
- DEC. 22 THURSDAY**
8:00 A.M. **Don Gordon †** (Linda Parento)
- DEC. 23 FRIDAY**
8:30 A.M. **Mike & Jean Yurisko †**
(Bill & Kim Yurisko)
- DEC. 24 SATURDAY ~ CHRISTMAS EVE**
4:00 P.M. **Georgetta Ledbetter †**
(Joe & Joann Kramer)
10:00 P.M. **Yeater/Estep Families**
(David Yeater)
- DEC. 25 SUNDAY ~ CHRISTMAS DAY**
10:00 A.M. **Benefactors of**
St. Vincent de Paul Society
(SVDP)

Special Collection: 12/24 & 12/25

Catholic Charities of WV ~ CCWVa is inviting all people to join in its vision of hope for West Virginia by contributing to its 'Be With Us' appeal. Proceeds from the annual appeal will directly support the outreach services of CCWVa throughout West Virginia.

WEEKLY SCHEDULES

Extraordinary Ministers of Eucharist/Lectors:

12/24 - 4:00 p.m. Julie Fecat & Libby Magnone

12/24 - 10:00 p.m. Loretta & Phil Remke

12/25 - 10:00 a.m. Cathy Frame & Jonna Kuskey

Altar Servers:

12/24 - 4:00 p.m. Grant Swift & Conner Blatt

12/24 - 10:00 p.m. Will & Andy Kent

12/25 - 10:00 a.m. Braden & Clinton Whitelatch

Gift Bearers:

12/24- 4:00 p.m. Children

12/24 -10:00 p.m. Visitors

12/25 - 10:00 a.m. Georgia Pettit

Sacristy Cleaners December 26th

Linda & Butch Miller

Greeters:

12/24 - 4:00 p.m. Yong Ae Lee Potts, Celeste Evans, Phil Remke

12/24 - 10:00 p.m. Targosky Family

12/25 - 10:00 a.m. Daniel & Heather Blatt Fm.

BINGO: DECEMBER 23RD

NO BINGO

COLLECTION: DECEMBER 4, 2016

Envelopes- \$2931.00

Church Renovation - \$35.00

Xavier Hall - \$296.00

Human Development - \$5.00

Immaculate Conception - \$15.00

Loose Offering - \$764.00

Pennies for God - \$31.83

Attendance - 337

Thank You And May God Bless You For Your Continued Support and Generosity.

The church office will be closed for Christmas break December 23rd through the end of Year and will reopen on Monday, January 2, 2017.

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISH-
IONERS, FRIENDS AND FAMILY
MEMBERS:** *Kay McMasters,*

*Semon & Phyllis Prado, Harold
Ray, Susan Wilson, Al Furline, Josh Mathias, Doris
Murphy, Vicki Matkovich, Agnes Gardill, Thelma
Gitlin, Gladys Holmes, Karen Gorby.*



*Today, Dec. 18 - 11:30 Decorating The Church
Today, Dec. 18 - 2:00 pm Christmas Cantata at
Simpson Church
Dec. 27- 11am- 2 pm
Bowling for the youth of the parish.*



*The Sanctuary Candle
Is donated in Memory of
Lupe Hewitt
Requested by Jane Klug*

Are you interested in participating in the life of our parish in a more active way but are unsure how? If so, please consider attending the *Mid-Atlantic Congress - Forming Catholic Leaders for Faith-filled Service*. It's an opportunity to be renewed, enriched and introduced to new material and new ministries. Among other things, this conference can give you the tools to be involved in a ministry that may help others grow in their faith. It will be held February 16-18, 2017 in Baltimore, Maryland. Please contact the parish office to register or for more information.

All Saints Christmas Program

All Parishioners are invited to attend a heart-warming Christmas program performance on Monday, December 19th at All Saints Catholic School (Xavier Hall) featuring our preschool - 8th grades! Performances are at 1:00 pm AND 7:00 pm. You'll be sure to leave with Christmas spirit!

We will be taking the youth of the parish bowling on **Tuesday, December 27th**. If you plan on attending, please call the parish office. We will meet on the church lot at 10 a.m. Lunch will be provided

MASS INTENTIONS ~ ST. MARTIN'S
SUNDAY ~ December 18, 2016
Noon - Kyle Richmond †
Requested by Carl & Eilene Richmond
12/4/2016 ~ Attendance - 18

Our holiday Mass schedule is as follows...please plan ahead so you can be with us as we celebrate this holy season:

Christmas Eve, Saturday, December 24th
Christmas Eve Mass - 4:00 p.m. & 10:00 p. m.

No Midnight Mass

Christmas Day, Sunday, December 25th
Mass will be at 10:00 a.m.

SOLEMNITY OF MARY THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

New Year's Eve, Saturday, December 31, 2016
Mass will be at 4:00 p.m.

New Year's Day, Sunday, January 1, 2017
Mass will be at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST

January 14 - 16, 2017

**Immaculate Conception
Fairmont, WV**

the HAPPINESS you are seeking, the HAPPINESS
you have a right to enjoy has a NAME and a FACE: it is

JESUS OF NAZARETH,
hidden in the **EUCHARIST.**

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There will be a TEC retreat in Fairmont during the Martin Luther King Weekend next January. As you recall, TEC is a retreat experience for high school juniors and seniors and college age freshman. Young people from St. Vincent and St. Michael Parish are planning to attend this TEC weekend. For more information or to register, call the parish office @ 304-845-1593.

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