

ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH

“Cathedral of the Plains”  
**THE BASILICA OF ST. FIDELIS**

“Pearl of the Prairie”  
ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH



**P a r i s h** 601 10th Street, Victoria, KS 67671 • 785-735-2777 • Fax: 785-735-2779 Catholic Faith Education Office:  
Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30-12:00 and 1:00-4:30 — Friday 8:30-12:00 785-735-9244

<b>Gift Shop Hours:</b> Monday-Thursday: 8:30-noon and 1:00-4:30 Friday: 8:30-noon	<b>Weddings:</b> Couples planning to marry must contact the Parish Office at least 6 months before the wedding date for marriage preparations.	<b>Baptisms:</b> All new parents are asked to complete a Baptismal Preparation class before their child is baptized. For information, please call the Parish Office.	<b>Hospital Visits:</b> To arrange for our pastor to visit someone in the hospital, please call the Parish Office.
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<b>In-Home Mass:</b> Any homebound or hospice family interested in having Mass in their home should contact Bertha Brungardt at the Parish Office.	<b>Holy Communion Brought to Homebound:</b> Holy Communion can be brought to homebound parishioners. Please contact the Parish Office if you or someone you know is unable to come to a Sunday Mass.	<b>EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:</b> <b>THURSDAYS</b> <b>10:00 A.M. TO 11:30 A.M.</b> in St. Fidelis Church Chapel behind the main altar
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[www.stfidelischurch.com](http://www.stfidelischurch.com)

## December 7, 2014 – Second Sunday of Advent

### Masses:

#### St. Fidelis, Victoria

Saturday — 5:00 pm  
Sunday — 10:00 am  
Monday, Wednesday — 7:00 pm  
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday — 6:45 am

#### St. Ann, Walker

Saturday — 6:30 pm — November - April  
Sunday — 7:30 am — May - October

#### St. Boniface, Vincent

Sunday — 8:45 am

### Confessions:

at St. Fidelis — Mondays — 7:30 pm  
or by appointment (contact Parish Office)

### Tri-Parish Prayer Line

Anyone wishing to request prayers for family or friends may call Helen Windholz (735-2508) or Teresa Shepherd (735-9576) to add their requests to the Prayer Line

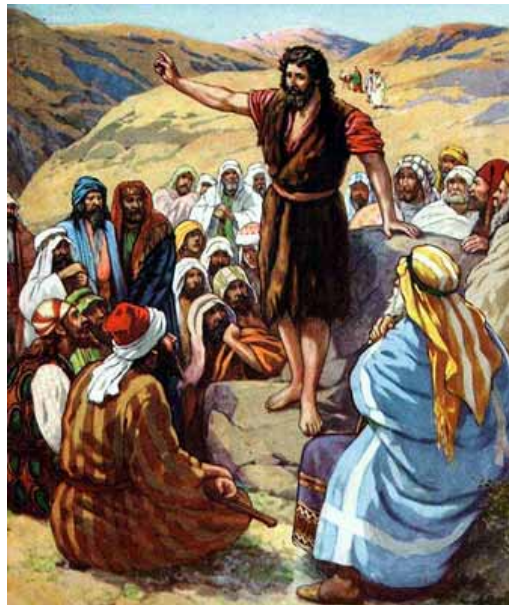
### Dates To Remember

**Dec. 8** — Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation) Masses 7:00 am & 7:00 pm — PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

**Dec. 21** — Winter begins

**Dec. 25** — Christmas Day (Holy Day of Obligation)—PARISH OFFICE CLOSED  
Dec. 24 @noon through Dec. 26

**Jan. 1** — Mary, Mother of God (Holy Day of Obligation) — New Years Day — PARISH OFFICE CLOSED Dec. 31 @noon through Jan. 2



A voice of one crying out in the desert: “Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths.”

(from the Holy Gospel according to Mark 1:1-8)

The Parish Office will be closed tomorrow  
**Monday, December 8, in observance of the  
Immaculate Conception  
(a Holy Day of Obligation)**

Masses will be at 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.



Monday is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is also a holyday of obligation. In the United States only two of the Catholic holy days of obligation are retained as obligatory when they fall on a Saturday or a Monday: Christmas and the Immaculate Conception. The reason for Christmas is obvious. The Immaculate Conception is retained as an obligation because Mary as the Immaculate Conception is the patron saint of the United States.

In 1854 Pope Pius IX proclaimed the definition of the Immaculate Conception in these words: "The most Blessed Virgin Mary was, from the first moment of her conception, by a singular grace of Almighty God in virtue of the merits of Jesus Christ, preserved immune from all stain of original sin."

In 1892 the Catholic bishops of the United States chose a patron saint for our country: the Blessed Virgin Mary under the title of her Immaculate Conception. Their choice was grounded in history. Long before their decision, devotion to Mary Immaculate was part of America. For example, every school child knows that the three ships of Columbus's voyage to America were: the Nina, the Pinta, and the Santa Maria. The full correct name for that third ship was *Santa Maria de Conception*, The Blessed Virgin Mary of the Immaculate Conception.

When Columbus landed on this continent, he came ashore on an island which he named, *San Salvador*, in honor of Christ our Savior. The second island which he reached, he named *Conception*, in honor of Mary's Immaculate Conception.

In 1673 Father Jacque Marquette, a Jesuit missionary to the Native American Indians, was the first explorer to see the great river running through the heart of America. He wrote in his journal, "I name this river *The River of Mary Immaculate*." We know that river today as the Mississippi.

Catholic immigrants to this country named new churches and schools even towns in honor of Mary Immaculate. In 1854 when Pope Pius IX proclaimed the official doctrine, there were already hundreds of parishes in America named Immaculate Conception.

Even in trivial and amusing matters, secular America is familiar with Mary Immaculate. Every football fan, for example, knows what a "Hail Mary pass" is, and they still discuss the "immaculate reception" of the Steelers' Franco Harris.

This heritage of devotion to the Immaculate Conception is a timely challenge. Mary is called Immaculate because she was free from any mark of sin. We celebrate this feast not only as an honor to her, but also as a challenge to ourselves to live as faithful Christians in a culture where enticement to sin is prevalent. The opening prayer for the Mass of the Immaculate Conception reads:

***Father, you prepared the Virgin Mary to be the worthy Mother of your Son, and kept her sinless for the first moment of her conception. Help us, by her prayers, to live in your presence without sin. Amen.***

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War does not determine who is right—only who is left

## Parish Staff

### Pastor:

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### Secretary:

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### Sacristan:

Katie Scheck

### Housekeeping:

Darlene Dreiling

### Groundskeeper:

Julius Dreiling

### Maintenance:

Joe Brungardt

### Organists:

Kathy Dreiling-Amrein

Lou Ann Hammersmith

### Choir Director:

Kathy Dreiling-Amrein

### Technology Coordinator:

Connie Windholz

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## Council Members

### St. Fidelis Pastoral Council

Randy Leiker 623-6965 (Chair)  
Andy Kuhn 639-2156 (Vice-Chair, B & G)  
LeeAnn Schmidtberger 735-9486 (Sec)  
Wilmer Dinkel 735-2747 (B & G)  
Janea Dinkel 735-9529 (FamLife)  
Peggy Fitzpatrick 735-8186 (RelEd)  
Gail Robben 735-2546 (Liturgy)  
Daren Lang 735-2855 (Finance)  
Bertha Brungardt 735-9490 (SOH)

### St. Fidelis Finance Council

Curtis Sander 735-2559  
John R. Braun 735-2622

### St. Boniface Pastoral Council

Carol Freitag 735-9282  
Randy Huser 735-4836  
Mike Eckroat 623-9566

### St. Ann Pastoral Council

Helen Windholz 735-2293  
Allen Hammerschmidt 735-2447  
Jerry Nowak 637-5273

## Contributions November 29-30, 2014

### ST. FIDELIS:

Adult 2578.00 Loose 891.25  
Human Development 40.00  
Thanksgiving 243.00

### ST. ANN:

Adult 139.00 Loose 377.00  
Thanksgiving 10.00  
Coffee & Rolls 75.00

### ST. BONIFACE:

Adult 473.00 Loose 292.00  
Thanksgiving 20.00  
Candles 58.00

## Money Counters

**Dec. 9 (Tuesday)** — Doris Weigel, Shirley Weigel

**Dec. 15 (Tuesday)** — Randy Leiker, Tina Rajewski

## Baptism



We welcome into the Christian community of faith **Dorance James Koerner**, son of Evan and Kathryn (Onarheim) Koerner. Dorance James, born August 21, 2014, was baptized at The Basilica of St. Fidelis, Victoria, by Father John Schmeidler on Saturday, November 29, 2014. His godparents are Scott Koerner and Kelly Onarheim.

## With Sympathy

The sympathy of the parishes is extended to the family of **Velma Leiker**, who passed away on Friday, November 28, 2014. Services were held at The Basilica of St. Fidelis, Victoria, on Monday, December 1, with burial in St. Fidelis Cemetery, Victoria.

## Christmas Baskets



The nonperishable food drive for the Christmas baskets got underway on **Thanksgiving Day, November 27**. Collection containers are located at all entrances of the church or you may bring your food donations to the parish office. Please have your items or donations in by **Monday, December 15**.

*If you are aware of any person or family who would benefit from receiving a basket this year, please contact Bertha at the Parish Office at 785-735-2777 or evenings at 785-735-9478.*

ST. FIDELIS PARISH Envelope and Loose Offertory Collections	
Budgeted Loose / Envelopes per week	\$ 5,145.19
Actual received Loose / Envelopes 11-30-2014	\$ 3,469.25
Budgeted Loose/ Envelopes year-to-date	\$ 113,194.18
Actual received Loose/Envelopes year-to-date 11-30-2014	\$ 91,469.80
UNDER BUDGET	\$ 21,724.38

## DIOCESE

### Retirement Fund for Religious

**Give Thanks for Religious.** A parishioner writes, "We thank God today and every day for every religious sister who taught us in school, not only our ABCs, but also to love God." Share your gratitude for the senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests who made a positive difference in so many lives. Please give generously to next week's collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious.



## Eucharist Adoration Time Changing

Due to a variety of reasons, the hours of Eucharistic Adoration at The Basilica of St. Fidelis on Thursdays will be shortened. **Adoration will be from 10:00 A.M. until 11:30 A.M.**

Eucharistic Adoration will not be held on Holy Days, days with funeral Masses, or days when school has been called off due to bad weather. When in doubt, you may call the Parish Activity Center at 785-735-2777.

## DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

### Christmas Party



The Daughters of Isabella members will attend Mass and sit together at 10:00 a.m. today, **Sunday, December 7**, at The Basilica of St. Fidelis, followed by the D. of I. Christmas Party at the K. of C. Hall.

Members are asked to bring a covered dish and a \$5<sup>00</sup> gift if they want to be included in the gift exchange.

### Members to Go Caroling

The Daughters of Isabella will go Christmas caroling on **Sunday, December 14**. Members should meet in the lobby of Via Christi in Hays at 2:00 p.m. They will start the caroling at Via Christi and then proceed to other group residences where D. of I. members reside in Hays.



## ST. ANN

**St. Ann Parish**  
**Christmas Potluck**  
**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13**  
**after 6:30 p.m. Mass**  
**Soup, hot sandwiches,**  
**and drinks will be provided**

**Parishioners are asked to bring a side dish or dessert.**



## LITURGY

### ADULT CHOIR

**PRACTICE:** Every Wednesday until Christmas.

## ST. BONIFACE



### ST. BONIFACE NATIVITY DISPLAY

The Nativity display at St. Boniface will be open for visitors from 1:00-5:00 p.m. on the Sundays of **December 7, 14, 21, and 28**. It will also be open on **Saturday, December 13**, from 1:00-5:00 p.m., as well as on **Christmas Day**.

### Vincent Open House

The Vincent open house weekend will be **Saturday and Sunday, December 13-14**, from 1:00-5:00 p.m. Come visit the "Little Town of Bethlehem" Nativity at St. Boniface Church and the former schoolhouse owned by Eric and Pat Austin. Enjoy holiday treats, apple cider, and coffee.



### 24-Hour Adoration

The 24-Hour Adoration at St. Boniface Church will begin **Saturday, December 20**, at 8:00 a.m. and end **Sunday, December 21**, at 8:30 a.m. Families of the parish will take turns an hour at a time around the clock.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

### Needing a Place to Gather?

If you are looking for a place to host a reception, baby or bridal shower, family reunion, or a get-together, 1867 Memorial Home in Victoria is available for you to rent. For more information, call Jeff at 785-650-1640.

### Monthly Meeting

The Knights of Columbus will meet **Tuesday, December 9**, at 7:30 p.m. at The Memorial Home.

### Cash Giveaway

The winners so far in the Knights of Columbus "30 Days of Cash Giveaway" are:

Day 20—Robert Stramel	Day 26—Bob and Sandra
Day 21—Roger Boland	Budke
Day 22—Joe Hare	Day 27—Anita Dreiling
Day 23—Bonnie Werth	Day 28—James Pfanenstiel
Day 24—James Pfanenstiel	Day 29—Paul Baier
Day 25—Maureen Axelson	Day 30 —Dick Werth

### Winners received:

Days 1 through 25 — \$100  
Days 26 and 27 — \$250  
Day 28 — \$500  
Day 29 — \$750  
Day 30 — \$2,000

## CATHOLIC FAITH EDUCATION

### Calendar of Events

**Wednesday, December 10** — K-6 Classes — 3:30 — 4:30 p.m.  
**Wednesday, December 10** — 7-12 Classes @ 7:30 p.m.  
**Sunday, December 14** — Jubilee Choir Sings @ 10:00 a.m.  
**Sunday, December 14** — 2<sup>nd</sup> graders celebration First Reconciliation @ 1:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday, December 17** — No Classes K-6  
**Wednesday, December 17** — No Classes 7-12  
**Wednesday, December 17** — Pageant Practice with Marge Rome @ 3:30 p.m.  
**Wednesday, December 24** — Christmas Break - No Classes K-12  
**Wednesday, December 24** — Children's Christmas Eve Liturgy and Pageant @ 5:00 p.m.  
Jubilee Choir Sings during Mass  
**Wednesday, December 31** — Christmas Break — No Classes K-12  
**Wednesday, January 7** — K-6 Children's Liturgy @ 2:30 p.m.  
K-6 Classes follow until 4:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday, January 7** — 7-12 Classes @ 7:30 p.m.

# The 2011 Centennial History/Church Directory is set to be shipped on December 15.

(Initially it was supposed to be  
December 10).

If the books arrive on time,  
arrangements will be made  
to distribute the free books  
at the parish office after the  
5:00 p.m. and 10:00 a.m.  
Masses on the weekend of  
December 20-21 to those  
families/individuals who  
posed for pictures for the  
book.

**Others may purchase a  
book for \$20.**

Copies will also be available for  
pick up at the parish office  
during office hours.

*An announcement will be  
posted on the church website  
and made at all Masses as soon  
as the books are here and  
ready for disbursement.*

**www.StFidelisChurch.com**

## Holiday Schedules

### IMMACULATE CONCEPTION MASS

*(Holy Day of Obligation)*

**Monday, December 8** • 7:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.  
at St. Fidelis  
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**PARISH PENANCE SERVICE** at St. Fidelis  
**Monday, December 15** • 7:30 p.m. (after Mass)

### Confession Schedule for Advent

**Sunday, December 14** • 1:00 p.m.

2nd grade First Reconciliation

**Monday Evenings at St. Fidelis**  
after 7:00 p.m. Mass (around 7:30 p.m.)  
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### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

at St. Fidelis

10:00 - 11:30 a.m. • Thursdays during December  
*(No Adoration on Christmas Day, Thursday, December 25,  
or on New Year's Day, Thursday, January 1)*  
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### CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

*(Christmas is a holy day of obligation)*

**Wednesday, December 24 — Christmas Eve**  
5:00 p.m. • St. Fidelis, Victoria *(Children's Mass)*  
8:00 p.m. • St. Ann, Walker  
10:00 p.m. • St. Fidelis, Victoria  
*Choir will begin singing at 9:30 p.m.*

**Thursday, December 25 — Christmas**  
8:45 a.m. • St. Boniface, Vincent  
10:00 a.m. • St. Fidelis, Victoria  
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### NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

**Mary, Mother of God — (Holy Day of Obligation)**  
**Wednesday, December 31 — New Year's Eve**

5:00 p.m. • St. Fidelis, Victoria

**Thursday, January 1 — New Year's Day**  
10:00 a.m. • St. Fidelis, Victoria

# PEARL HARBOR REMEMBRANCE DAY

## Sunday, December 7

December 7, 1941, a date which will live in infamy...No matter how long it may take us to overcome this premeditated invasion, the American people, in their righteous might, will win through to absolute victory.

~ President Franklin Delano Roosevelt

National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day, which is annually on December 7, commemorates the attack on Pearl Harbor, in Hawaii, during World War II. Many American service men and women lost their lives or were injured on December 7, 1941. Flags are displayed on homes of Americans, the White House, and all United States government buildings in honor of those who died.

On Sunday morning, December 7, 1941, the American Army and Navy base in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, was attacked by the Imperial Japanese Navy. The attack came as a surprise to the American Army and Navy and led to great losses of life and equipment. More than 2,000 American citizens were killed and more than 1,000 were injured. The Americans also lost a large proportion of their battle ships and nearly 200 aircraft that were stationed in the Pacific region. More than 60 Japanese servicemen were killed, injured, or captured. The Japanese Navy also lost five midget submarines and 29 aircraft.

The Japanese military had hoped that the attack on Pearl Harbor would prevent the United States of America from increasing her influence in the Pacific. However, the events in Pearl Harbor actually led to the escalation of World War II. The day after the attack, the United States declared war on Japan and so entered World War II. President Franklin Roosevelt in a speech to Congress stated that the bombing of Pearl Harbor was "a date which will live in infamy". Shortly afterwards, Germany also declared war on the United States. In the months that followed the attack, the slogan "Remember Pearl Harbor" swept the United States and radio stations repeatedly played a song of the same name.

(Source: <http://www.timeanddate.com/holidays/us/pearl-harbor-remembrance-day>)

## COMMUNITY

### American Historical Society of Germans from Russia Christmas Meal

The Sunflower Chapter of the American Historical Society of Germans from Russia will hold their Annual Christmas Program and Banquet **Sunday, December 14**, from noon until 3:00 p.m. at the Munjor Parish Hall, Munjor. The dinner will be traditional turkey with all the trimmings served as a fundraiser for \$10 a plate or \$5 a plate for children 5-12 years of age. *Please RSVP to Dolores Pfannenstiel at 785-625-6452 by December 9.* This year's program "Why the Bells Rang" will take place at the St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Munjor after dinner. Bring the kids and grandkids for a visit from Christ Kind and Belznichel. **DO NOT NEED TO BE MEMBERS TO ATTEND.**



### Prayer Hour for Our Nation

A "Prayer for Our Nation" prayer hour will be held **every third Tuesday** of the month from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. at St. Fidelis Church.



### Expensive Stuff

**Question:** Why is Turtle Wax so expensive?

**Answer:** Turtles have such little ears.



**V.F.W. & V.F.W. Auxiliary  
Christmas Party & Meeting**



**Thursday, December 11**

**Dinner @ 6:00 p.m.**

Gift exchange optional.  
The regular meeting will follow.



**FHSU CATHEDRAL  
CONCERT**



**TODAY @ 3:30 PM**

**The Basilica of St. Fidelis**

**Victoria PTO  
ROAST BEEF DINNER**

**Tuesday, December 16 | 4:30 - 7:00 p.m.**

**Victoria High School cafeteria**

Serving during the basketball games

**Win the Trip of a Lifetime to Rome,  
Cabo San Lucas, or San Diego**

The 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Road to Rome Raffle tickets are now on sale! Three incredible prizes will be awarded. The grand prize winner will receive airfare for 4 to Rome, Italy, and a 7-night stay at winner's choice of a 16<sup>th</sup> century Vatican area penthouse or a Roman countryside castle. Plus, when you buy 3 or more tickets you'll be entered into the Multi-Ticket drawing for the chance to win airfare for 2 to Cabo San Lucas and a 7-night stay at the world renowned Esperanza Resort, an Auberge property. And finally, when you buy at least 1 or more tickets and refer-a-friend you'll be entered into the Refer-A-Friend drawing for the chance to win airfare for 2 to San Diego and a 3-night stay in the Presidential Suite at the San Diego Manchester Grand Hyatt.

Proceeds benefit the lives and ministries of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars who walk in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi and commit their lives to serving those in greatest need. Raffle tickets are 1-\$50, 3-\$135, 5-\$220 and 10-\$400 and can be purchased online at [www.roadtoromeraffle.com](http://www.roadtoromeraffle.com) or by calling 303-433-0296, M-F 8:30am-4:30pm. **Raffle drawings will be held on December 11, 2014.**

**Victoria Schools  
Calendar** 

**Monday — December 8**

AIM period—Students will have directed study  
3:30 pm JH basketball practice: Boys at VES. Girls in tin gym  
3:30 pm HS boys basketball practice  
5:00 pm HS girls basketball practice  
7:30 pm BOE meeting

**Tuesday — December 9**

AIM period—Students will have directed study. 7th grade boys will meet in Mrs. K. Braun's room during AIM  
3:30 pm JH basketball practice: Girls at VES. Boys in tin gym  
6:00 pm Purple and Gold Basketball Tournament @ Wakeeney—Boys and girls play Trego. Departure 3:30  
7:30 pm Boys basketball vs. Trego

**Wednesday — December 10**

AIM period—students will have directed study. KCC survey to select students  
3:30 pm JH basketball practice: Boys at VES. Girls in tin gym  
3:30 pm HS girls basketball practice  
5:30 pm HS boys basketball practice

**Thursday — December 11**

Mrs. Naomi Dinkel's class field trip  
AIM period—Students will have directed study. 8th grade boys will meet in Mrs. K. Braun's room during AIM  
3:30 pm JH basketball practice: Girls at VES. Boys in tin gym  
3:30 pm HS boys basketball practice  
5:00 pm HS girls basketball practice

**Friday — December 12**

AIM period—Students will have directed study  
3:30 pm JH basketball practice: Boys at VES. Girls in tin gym  
TBA—Purple and Gold Basketball Tournament @ Wakeeney—Girls will play at 3:00 if a loss Tuesday; 6:30 if they win. Boys will play at 4:30 if a loss Tuesday; 7:30 if they win.

**Saturday — December 13**

ACT test date  
TBA—Purple and Gold Basketball Tournament @ Wakeeney

**25th Annual**

**National Night of Prayer for Life**

*"And the Word was made flesh and dwelt amongst us." (John 1:14)*

Scripture tells us that: As soon as the Holy Spirit overshadowed the virginal womb, God became one of the human family immediately.

In a like manner, when a child is conceived in his mother's womb, he becomes one of us. This little human being now dwells among us.

That the world may understand this truth, COME PRAY WITH US.

Prayerfully join with us in UNITY OF PRAYER across the country, in our cathedrals, churches, and chapels, highlighting Eucharistic Adoration and the Rosary.



**St. Joseph Church**

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 8**

**8:00 p.m. to midnight**

**National Hour of Unity is 11:00 p.m. to Midnight (Central Time)**

Join us for prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament.

*"Can you not spend at least one hour with me?"*



# Advent Scripture Reflections Gospel of Mark

Sundays of Advent

4:00-5:00 pm

December 7, 14, 21

Capuchin Center for Spiritual Life  
Fr. Earl Meyer, OFM Cap



Santa will arrive in Victoria  
**TODAY Sunday, December 7,**  
after the 10:00 a.m. Mass  
on the west plaza of  
The Basilica of St. Fidelis.



There will be goodies  
for all the little boys  
and girls who visit him.

## ST. FIDELIS GIFT & THRIFT

Now in 3 buildings: 407, 409, and 411 Main Street, Victoria

### OPEN MORE HOURS:

Monday.....10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Tuesday.....10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Wednesday.....10:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
Thursday.....10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Friday.....10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Saturday.....10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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*St. Fidelis*  
CHRISTIAN MOTHERS  
ALTAR SOCIETY

Blessed are the mothers who  
taught us  
how to pray.  
They will share  
God's  
kingdom.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**MONDAY.....IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.....DECEMBER 8**  
7:00 am For the parishes  
7:00 pm Ellen Gerhardt  
Judy and Evan Brooks

**TUESDAY.....DECEMBER 9**  
6:45 am John J. and Irene (anniv) VonFeldt  
Cyrilla Dinkel (anniv)

**WEDNESDAY.....DECEMBER 10**  
7:00 pm Wilmer, Irene, and Beverly Dinkel

**THURSDAY.....DECEMBER 11**  
6:45 am Virginia Bleske

**FRIDAY.....DECEMBER 12**  
6:45 am Herman, Regina, and Joyce (anniv) Brungardt

**SATURDAY.....DECEMBER 13**  
2:00 pm St. Fidelis Aaron Cline and Renilda Dreiling wedding  
5:00 pm St. Fidelis Craig Gasper  
6:30 pm St. Ann For favorable weather

**SUNDAY.....THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT.....DECEMBER 14**  
8:45 am St. Boniface Wilma Hoffman  
LaVern Braun  
10:00 am St. Fidelis Mary Mae, Alois, and Sueellen Pfeifer

### \* Sunday Rosary Schedule \*

1<sup>st</sup> - Christian Mothers  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Knights of Columbus  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Daughters of Isabella  
4<sup>th</sup> - Family Life

## LITURGY SCHEDULE

### Monday, December 8, 7:00 am

Cantor	Ministers	Servers	Greeters
	Leroy Schmidtberger		Ken / Bertha Brungardt
<b>Lector</b> Verda Werner	Ramona McCarty Det Younger		Louise Robben

### Monday, December 8, 7:00 pm

Cantor	Ministers	Servers	Greeters
Jim / Becky Scheck	Bob Stramel Phyllis Stramel	Hannah Radke Jacob	Randy / Sherry Leiker
<b>Lector</b> Stephanie Broyles	Marge Rome Wilma VonLintel Regis VonLintel	Schroeder Jessica Schroeder	Kathy Kuhn
<b>Comm.</b> Teresa Shepherd	Gib Billinger Carol Billinger		

### Saturday, December 13, 5:00 pm

Cantor	Ministers	Servers	Greeters
John Kenne	Jane Wagner Diane Gross	Eric Braun Justin Braun	Bill / Diana Schmidtberger
<b>Lector</b> Angie Roth	Teresa Shephard Mary Brungardt Fran Robben	New Server	Mary Lou Rome
<b>Comm.</b> Shannon Radke	JoAnn Pfanenstiel Becky Scheck		

### Sunday, December 14, 10:00 am

Cantor	Ministers	Servers	Greeters
Children's Choir	Randy Leiker Anne Dinkel	Quenton Engel	Andy / Wanda Karlín
<b>Lector</b> Yvonne Braun	Angie Roth Joan Wellbrock Norma Keenan	Wyatt Engel New Server	Joan Wellbrock
<b>Comm.</b> Danita Schroeder	JoAnn Pfanenstiel Melissa Schmidt Yvonne Braun		