

January 6, 2019 The Epiphany of the Lord

## St. Leonard's Port of Mauritius Catholic Church

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**Sunday, January 6th:** 8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth  
\*Coffee Break today 10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's Coffee in church basement  
12:30pm Misa en San Leonardo  
Confessions after Masses on Sunday

**Monday, January 7th:** NO MASS  
**Tuesday, January 8th:** NO MASS

**Wednesday, January 9th:** 2PM Mass at the high rise

**Thursday January 10th:** 7:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth

**Friday, January 11th:** 8:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's

**Saturday, January 12th:** 4pm Mass at St Elizabeth

**Sunday, January 13th:** 8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth  
\*Coffee Break today 10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's  
12:30 Misa en San Leonardo

### Lay Ministry Schedule January 6th:

<u>Servers</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Collection Counters (2)</u>
	S Hovden	G Kowalski	L Treinen	B Dokken
		L Treinen	C Treinen	J Holt
		D Burnham	C Moerke	
		Sub	J Holt	

### Lay Ministry Schedule January 13th:

<u>Servers</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Collection Counters (2)</u>
	D Hustad	P Waller	A Starkey	S Maresh
		S Maresh	B Weiss	A Peterson
		S Larson	M Stokka	
		sub	J Holt	

**The 2019 envelopes are in the back of church in alphabetical order -- please pick them up today or as soon as you can.** If you do not receive envelopes and should, please contact me as soon as possible so I can prepare them for you. The children envelopes are in a separate box, if you want your child to have envelopes, let me know. (If you typically sit on one side or the other I tried to put your envelopes on that side but check both sides if needed)

**Please remember Fr Henry** – he enjoys hearing from the St Leonards folks! Fr. Henrys contact information: email: [homeike@fordham.edu](mailto:homeike@fordham.edu) cell phone: 347-279-4411 mail: 2380 Belmont Ave Bronx, NY 10458. Please keep him in your prayers.

**Coffee for sale in the back of church, north side,** directly from Guatemalan growers, \$10/bag. Great gift!

**The New 2019 calendars are in the back of church!** Please be sure to thank Phil and Cyndy Stotesbery, and Mark and Brittany Dokken (Larrys Supermarket) for their generosity this year and for many years in providing us the Catholic Calendar in both English and Spanish. This year there is only one calendar—in has both English and Spanish on it.

**The Rosary Group** is meeting at 10am on Sundays to pray the rosary in the Adoration Chapel. All parishioners are invited to join them. They have also purchased the book by Matthew Kelly “The greatest lie in Christianity” these books are free to any parish members that want one and are by the entrance doors. Please help yourself. Thank you to the Rosary group.

**Reminder: If you are purchasing products or services for St Leonards,** please be sure to let me know, preferably before you purchase. I may be able to suggest better ways to purchase OR to make payment, etc since St Leonards is tax exempt and we do have a few accounts set up already. A receipt is appreciated also.

**Confirmation/Religious Education schedule:** classes meet January 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 8:30am

**It is not too late to register your child for religious education:** Student registration forms are in the back of church.

**The next parish ‘coffee break’ will be next Sunday February 3<sup>rd</sup>.** If you are interested in serving please contact Nancy Hilber at 701-731-0193. This is a great opportunity to meet and greet other members—there is usually a good crowd! All are welcome. Thank you to Carol and Lenny Treinen and Mary Bongers for the great lunch today!!

**Please pray for those who are ill:** Julie Severson, Valerie Smischny, Nancy Laird (sister of Gordon Gugel), Allyssa Klinger (Niece of Steve Petersen), Rosemary Johnson (mother of Ann Petersen & Tom Johnson), Cindy Becker, Manuel Godina (brother of Alejandra Mancilla), Ron Benson (spouse of Shirley Benson), Ginny Weis (mother of Bill Weis), Tony Vigen (brother of Rosemary Wiese), Denice Smischny, Kay H. Marge Thorpe (please contact me with updates)

**Chapel** --- Apply for an access card by filling out the half page form found in the back of each side of church and placing it in the collection basket or turn in at the office. Allow 2-3 weeks to have the card prepared.

**Beginning Experience (BE) support group** for divorced, widowed or separated. This is a 10 week session in Fergus Falls “Coping with Life Alone” and begins 1/7/19 at Zion church in Fergus Falls. For more information call 218-998-4300

**Vespers for Life event:** Sunday January 20<sup>th</sup>, St Anthony Church St Cloud, 3:30pm Rosary, 4:00pm Vespers

**March for Life event:** Tuesday, January 22, 2019, register to ride the bus at [www.stcdio.org/2019marchforlife/](http://www.stcdio.org/2019marchforlife/) or call 320-252-4721 meet at St Anthony, bus leaves after 7:15 Mass, March for Life is at the State Capital. Bring a packed lunch.

**Catholics At the Capitol:** February 19<sup>th</sup>, 7am to 4pm in St Paul: River Centre and State Capitol a day of education, advocacy and connecting our faith and citizenship. Learn more and register at [www.stcdio.org/catholicsatthecapitol2019](http://www.stcdio.org/catholicsatthecapitol2019) or call 320-252-4721 Free will donations accepted

**Sisters of the Order of St Benedict in St Joseph MN** invite single Catholic Women under the age of 45 to discover what it means to belong to the Benedictines. Learn their history, celebrate with their community, share a meal, meet and learn about the sisters in greater depth. See the flyer at the back of church. To register- call Sister Lisa Rose at 320-363-7180. This is a one day event starting at 10am ends at 3pm. Dates are over several months.

**American Red Cross blood drive:** Monday January 21, 1pm to 7pm at Lake Region Electric south of town. To make an appointment download the app or call Gloria at 218-731-0846.

**For tax reporting, please make sure that the parish office has your current address on file!** You may fill out a new registration form noting it is a change of address OR notify me through the church email address (on the top of the bulletin). Or you can call or text my cell number (also on top) with the new information. If you are a seasonal member please let me know where to send your report. Thank you!