

January 13, 2019 The Baptism of the Lord

St. Leonard's Port of Mauritius Catholic Church

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Sunday, January 13th: 8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth
10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's
12:30pm Misa en San Leonardo
Confessions after Masses on Sunday

Monday, January 14th: NO MASS

Tuesday, January 15th: NO MASS

Wednesday, January 16th: NO Mass at the high rise

Thursday January 17th: 7:30AM Communion Service at St. Elizabeth

Friday, January 18th: 8:30AM Communion Service at St. Leonard's

Saturday, January 19th: 4PM Mass at St Elizabeth

Sunday, January 20th: 8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth
10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's
12:30 Misa en San Leonardo

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 S Maresh S Larson sub	A Starkey B Weiss M Stokka J Holt	S Maresh A Peterson

Lay Ministry Schedule January 20th:

<u>Servers</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Collection Counters (2)</u>
	M Stokka	B Weiss G Kowalski O Shannon L Treinen	K Schermerhorn C Treinen M Stokka sub	B Dokken sub

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. Check both sides.

Fr. Jeff will be in Peru January 14-26th. Fr Stan Weiser will be here for weekend Masses the 19th and 20th. There will be no Saturday Mass at St Elizabeth on January 26th. Fr. Alan from Our Lady of Victory will be the emergency contact during Fr. Jeff's absence. Fr. Alan can be reached at 218-770-3349.

Thank you for the holiday wishes, cards, gifts, and prayers during the past weeks. --- from St Leonards clergy.

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

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

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—it is printed in both English and Spanish.

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.

Confirmation/Religious Education schedule: classes meet today and January 20th, 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.

One day men's retreat—January 26, Little Falls MN "Walking in the footsteps of St Joseph "a righteous man". Ages 15 and up. 830am to 4pm. See flyer in back of church. Free will donation.

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)

Free Radon Kits: The Welcome Place has free radon testing kits available to all residents. The Kits include all the information needed to do a home screening test and the prepaid envelopes to mail them in. Kits were provided by the Minnesota Department of Health. The Welcome Place in Pelican Rapids, is open Tues, Thurs, 10-4 and Fridays from 10-2.

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.

Vespers for Life event: Sunday January 20th, 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/ 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 19th, 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 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!

The next parish 'coffee break' will be Sunday February 3rd. 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 those that provided food for the 'break' in the past!!!