



Mitten Tree

The Joy of Giving this Advent Season

~Decorating a Mitten Tree~

We are collecting mittens to cover the hands of those who are less fortunate, than we are. We are collecting Hats, Scarves, boots, blankets ,Toys and New or Gentle used Coats for those in need of some Christmas Warmth and Christmas cheer.

Place your donated Mittens Hats and Scarves on the Mitten Tree.

Coats, boots blankets and Toys can be placed at the base of the Mitten Tree. All donations will be packed up on December 11th and given to the

South West Carver County Food Shelf.



St. Bernard Church—December 2016

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | JANUARY 2—PARISH OFFICE CLOSED (NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY) | JANUARY 11-Faith Formation begins at St. Bernard in the school building. | | 1 NO MASS | 2 NO MASS | 3 Church: Roger & Joann Schmitz. Narthex: Kooliman, Storms, Hammers |
| 4 Adult Choir leads singing at 10am Mass | 5 | 6 <i>Out Reach Mass At Ascension-Eucharistic Adoration begins at 5:35 with Reconciliation from 5:40-6:05pm. Mass at 6:15pm</i> | 7 NO MASS EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 8:30AM UNTIL 6PM. SHORTENED BECAUSE OF 6:45PM MASS AT ASCENSION. | 8 <i>IMMACULATE CONCEPTION - HOLY DAY OF OB-LIGATION MASS AT 6:45PM.</i> | 9 NO MASS | 10 Church: Sharon Willems & Donna Cebulla. Narthex: Hammers |
| 11 | 12 Parish Council Meeting 7pm. St. Anne's room. | 13 <i>Out Reach Mass & Light supper- At Ascension -Eucharistic Adoration begins at 5:35pm with Reconciliation from 5:40-6:05pm. Mass at 6:15pm.</i> | 14 | 15 NO MASS | 16 NO MASS | 17 Church: Helen Higers & Carol Wickenhauser. Narthex: Kellie Starky |
| 18 Free Spirit Choir leads singing at 10am Mass | 19 Finance Council meeting 7pm St. Anne's room. | 20 <i>Out Reach Mass At Ascension-Eucharistic Adoration begins at 5:35 with Reconciliation from 5:40-6:05pm. Mass at 6:15pm</i> | 21 | 22 EARLY DEAD-LINE FOR BULLETIN OF 1-1-2017 ALL COPY MUST BE IN BY NOON. | 23 NO MASS | 24 Church: Judy Glander & Peggy Eiden. Narthex: Hammers. Hymns sung at 7:30pm |
| 25 Hymns sung before Mass. | 26 Parish Office Closed (Christmas holiday) | 27 <i>Out Reach Mass At Ascension-Eucharistic Adoration begins at 5:35 with Reconciliation from 5:40-6:05pm. Mass at 6:15pm</i> | 28 | 29 NO MASS | 30 NO MASS | 31 Church: John & Diane Wickenhauser. Narthex: Hammers |

THE MONTHLY PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

ARCHDIOCEASE OF SAINT PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS

--DECEMBER 2016--

| <i>Sun</i> | <i>Mon</i> | <i>Tue</i> | <i>Wed</i> | <i>Thu</i> | <i>Fri</i> | <i>Sat</i> |
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| For subsequent months or extra copies call or write: | Mert Lassonde 20953 Junco Trail Lakeville MN 55044 | Phone: 952-683-9294 Email: mertlass@ usfamily.net | | <u>1</u> POPE FRANCIS | <u>2</u> REV. GREGORY ABBOTT OUR PASTOR | <u>3</u> REV. TIMOTHY YANTA |
| <u>4</u> REV. DENNIS ZEHREN | <u>5</u> REV. KEVIN ZILVERBERG | <u>6</u> REV. JAMES ADAMS | <u>7</u> REV. STEPHEN ADRIAN | <u>8</u> REV. JON ALEXANDER | <u>9</u> REV. PETER ALI | <u>10</u> REV. ROBERT ALTIER |
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WOULD *YOU* PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

PRAYER SUGGESTIONS

Lord Jesus Christ, You ordained the apostles priests at the Last Supper to continue the mission of mercy to the end time.

We believe that every Catholic priest traces his ordination to that first ordination on Holy Thursday night. We know how much You expect of Your priests, and we also know how weak and human they are. Inspire us, dear Jesus, to pray and sacrifice for Your priests, that by their faithfulness to You in this life they may bring countless souls to You in the life to come. Mary, mother of priests, pray for priests that they may love your Divine Son, even as you did unreservedly, all the days of their lives. Amen. (From Fr. John Hardon's Catholic Prayer Book)

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