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ST. CYRIL'S MASS SCHEDULE SUNDAY 12/4 – SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT 9:30 am Karen Novak by Jim and Mary Ruth Nauser MONDAY 12/5 – OUR LADY OF PEACE PRAYER GROUP 6:00 pm WEDNESDAY 12/7 – VIGIL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION 6:00 pm +Frances Mikula by Mark Mikula 6:00 pm also at St. Mary's THURSDAY 12/8 – THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION 8:00 am St. Mary's 12:00 pm St. Mary's 6:0 0pm St. Mary's 6:0 0pm St. Ann's SUNDAY 12/11 – THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT 9:30 am For the parishioners of St. Cyril's, St. Ann's and St. Mary's Churches MONDAY 12/12 – OUR LADY OF PEACE PRAYER GROUP 6:00 pm WEDNESDAY 12/14 – FEAST OF ST. JOHN ON THE CROSS 6:00 pm +Mayor Charles B. Wheeler by Vince Salva SUNDAY 12/18 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT 9:30 am +Greg Akers by Mark Mikula	LECTORS 12/4 Tom Topi 12/7 Lisa LeMay 12/11 Stan Salva 12/18 Carol Sheehan EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS 12/4 Jean Loughran 12/11 Amy Salva 12/18 Christy Tapko WEEKLY OFFERING Nov. 20 & 27, 2022 \$ 2,143.00 Donation 250.00 Mass Stipends 110.00 Hall Rental 150.00 Priest Vocation Fund 206.00 PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH: Jim Visnich, Dorothy Lucas, Jeff Workman, Jason Hale, Sophia Halastik, Karen Williamson, James Collins, Dorothy Halastik, Annie Moran, Suzanne Halastik, Jack and Beverly O'Renick, Michael Stefancik, Mary Thomas, Darlene Sampson, Bill Ramsey, Bob and Genevieve Pinter, Alberta Bukaty, Bob Welch, Jim Eschenheimer, Larry Nauser, Mary Ann Olinskey, Howard Kaiser, Corey Cockrell, Teresa Janacaro, Frances Janacaro, Father Carlyle, Bill Davis, Frank I. Calovich and Dave Bulen and Family, Virginia Maglich, Tom McDonnell, Cathy O'Renick Nelson, Tom Caffrey, Mark Stefancik, Bob Mosier, Nancy Lathrom, Karen Novak and Michael Tapko.	 ANNOUNCEMENTS St. Cyril's would like to offer condolences to John and Marian Maglich on the death of her dad, Richard Humm. He passed away November 17, 2022 with his funeral Mass at St. Ann's on November 22, 2022. We would also like to offer condolences to the family of Charles "Porky" Woods. He passed away November 22, 2022 and the funeral was held at St. Cyril's on November 30, 2022. Today, December 4, is Altar Society Sunday, with the rosary being said at 9:00 am before Mass and after Mass the ladies will have their annual Christmas party. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend. The Altar Society would like to thank all workers and people who purchased Chili and baked goods. They made about \$3,000. CCRC Sunday, is also today, December 4. The donation container is in back of Church. Please be generous as all money received goes to needy families in Sugar Creek. Our Lady of Guadalupe: St. Cyril's and St. Luke's Byzantine Catholic Church are having a joint celebration in honor of our Lady of Guadalupe. Sunday, December 11th 11:30 am-2:00 pm @ St. Cyril's. We will begin with the Akathist to Mary at 11:30, and then celebrate with a luncheon. 	Holy Hour of Priests, December 15, 2022, 7-8 pm Sisters of St. Francis of the Holy Eucharist, 2100 N. Noland Road, Independence, MO. Join us in giving thanks for our Priests Asking God's Blessings on them and for vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated life. CHRISTMAS EVE AND CHRISTMAS DAY MASS SCHEDULE December 24 Christmas Eve 5:00 pm St. Ann's 8:00 pm St. Cyril's Midnight St. Mary's (EF) December 25 Christmas Day 8:00 am St. Cyril's 8:00 am St. Mary's 10:00 am St. Mary's (Novus Ordo in Latin) Thursday December 8 The celebration of the Conception of Mary had its origins in the 7th Century but received its present name in the 11th Century. The doctrine of the Immaculate Conception, which teaches that Mary was preserved from all stain of original sin, was developed overtime, but the dogma is rooted in the words of the angel Gabriel. Speaking on God's behalf, St. Gabriel calls Mary "full of grace" (Luke 1:28). Correctly understood, Mary's exceptional holiness reveals the unparalleled goodness of God. She is the patron saint of the United States, Brazil, and Colombia, among many other places.

St. Mary's Outreach Mercy Tree Project

Don't forget to check the gift envelopes for gifts for our adopted families available in basket by handicapped door. Instructions are given at the baskets with the gift tags. Please be sure to hang the ornament included in the gift envelope on the Christmas tree.

St. Mary's Outreach Center

To assist us in our goal of providing 50 families with Christmas food boxes in addition to the Mercy Tree Gifts, we will need some of the same items for our clients' Christmas dinners: Instant potatoes, dressing/stuffing mix and canned cranberry sauce. These items may be placed in the basket in back of church. Of course, any donation in cash or other food items are appreciated. Your contributions are adding up quickly and thank you for your continued generosity. We are also greatly in need of hats and gloves for men, women and children. These items may be left next to the food baskets.



The Lessons and Carols Silent Auction

The Silent Auction begins following Masses on December 11th. This year's items will include:

3 Slate Pool Table
Fooz Ball Table
2009 daVinci Grand Junction Tandem, blue (valued +\$3,000)
Limited edition, on wood prints of Sts. John Paul II and Teresa of Calcutta from St. Mary's chapel. Each measures 24"x10". Only 20 total were made
Dinner with Fr. Ketterlin
Bobby Witt Jr. Jersey
Harrison Butker Signed photo
Limited edition Albert Pujols photo
Special framed edition of Kansas City's MVPs George Brett and Patrick Mahomes
Super Bowl seat back
Chiefs Kingdom plaque
Plaque commemorating the Royals 2015 World Series
Several items, including figurines, from St. Joseph the Worker

Blessing of Nativities/Crèches

We will have a blessing of Nativities at each of the Masses next Sunday, the 3rd Sunday of Advent. Please bring your home nativity for blessing. If it is a large nativity, can bring the infant Jesus (as it is through his birth that all become blessed).