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When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem.—Mt 2:1

JANUARY 3, 2021—THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

SAINT ROSE OF LIMA MISSION STATEMENT

**Glorify God. Follow Jesus.
Love one another. Invite everyone.**

FROM OUR DEACON



2020 Was for the Birds!

If you are reading this – Congratulations! You made it through the challenge of 2020!

While 2020 held many different kinds of difficulties for many people, I hope you also experienced blessings last year. Some of them may have been blessings in disguise:

- Opportunities to slow down
- Realizations of what is really important in life
- Deeper appreciation of others in your life
- Experiencing the wonder of creation
- Connecting with God in new ways

As we have been working at home since March, we have had many more opportunities to enjoy our own yard. We live on an average sized suburban lot. We have 15 trees that we've planted over the years, and another half-dozen trees the squirrels have planted for us. When we built our house we did not put grass in the backyard, but instead filled it with wildflowers, perennials, and bushes. We have a variety of plants rescued from Nancy's grandmother's yard – lilacs, cinnamon ferns, columbine, wild roses, and two maple trees.

All this vegetation provides a variety of food for birds – seeds, bugs, sap - and we supplement that all with multiple bird feeders and water year-round. We have LOVED having more time with our feathered friends this year. It was a great year for woodpeckers, with at least five different species including our first pileated woodpecker! Our pair of cardinals raised at least two young ones. The catbirds were frequent visitors. The hummingbirds were such regulars that they drank all of the nectar we put out for them every time, and it never went to waste from spoiling. We had more nuthatches than ever before. We even had orioles briefly this year! Too many chickadees, finches, juncos, and other common birds to count or name.

One of the best things was in early December when Nancy discovered that blue jays LOVE peanuts in the shell. We repurposed an old suet feeder and were amazed as a family of jays cleaned the feeder out in less than half an hour with a stream of constant trips to the feeder, to hiding spots, and back again. It is more fun to watch than anything on TV when we fill the feeder in the morning and have coffee (for us) and peanuts with the jays! Try it!

As things are looking brighter in 2021, I hope that you will continue to reap some of the unexpected blessings of last year, and that God will bless you richly in new ways in this New Year!

Deacon Glenn



Dear parishioners of Saint Rose,

It's been a challenging year for all of us. But hopefully as we look back over the year, each of us can find a few highlights and positives. *Our best highlights have come from you, our community.*

It has been heartwarming to feel a sense of connection even while we all remain socially distant - from the joyful sound of children on the playground to the tenderness of Eucharistic Ministers supporting our homebound members, in-person when it's safe and by phone call when that's best; from the watchfulness of parents carefully following the health protocol so we may keep our school in session, to the patience of volunteers making appointments to visit the parish office; there's the support you've provided the Giving Tree Advent project, and your kind generosity to the student council Adopt-a-Family program. Our community has stepped up to offer assistance as challenges have mounted: donations of food and monetary support via Keystone Services, quiet comfort provided by members of the Prayer Line and those participating in the Covid Corps prayer group, direct support for hungry people via Loaves & Fishes and Meals on Wheels, donations from our local Knights of Columbus and parishioners to support people temporarily affected by challenging circumstances, prayer shawls from our knitters, masks from our quilters, and the ongoing support of this parish through weekly giving.

Our Community has welcomed 16 babies and 2 adults in baptism; 8 children were confirmed and 15 children received First Holy Communion. Thirty-three new families joined our parish. We were able to start livestreaming Sunday Mass for all to watch, and some have even joined in from out of state! Parishioners have called and checked in on us, and staff has called and checked on them.

Though there have been many adjustments for all, our parish is vibrant and continuing to grow because of you. As we prepare to say good-bye to 2020, we want to say **THANK YOU!** Thank you for being a part of our community, for taking an active role even if it was from home, by praying in and for this community. May God bless and keep you now and throughout the year ahead.

With gratitude and appreciation,

The staff of Saint Rose of Lima Church and School

OUR PEOPLE - GIVING BACK



While funeral luncheons at Saint Rose were suspended for most of 2020, lead coordinator MaryEllen Mieure is looking forward to the day when the group of responsible and dedicated volunteers can once again provide this valuable service to family and friends of the deceased.

“Our team of volunteers have so much compassion for those who are grieving,” she says. “We all have had deaths in our families so we understand what everyone is going through. Our volunteers know how rewarding it is to be of service to people during this most difficult time. The grieving are often overwhelmed. If we can ease their minds and give them a little more time to relax and enjoy a meal surrounded by those who care, then we have fulfilled our ministry.”

MaryEllen knows this tension from personal experience—the deaths of her father, mother and sister all occurred in the suburbs of Chicago. “The churches in that area did not provide funeral luncheons; we were on our own,” she says. “While we were planning the funerals we had to work out all the details of the luncheon, including finding the venue. My mother died around Christmas; locating a facility to handle the luncheon during the holidays was a terrible experience. I just wanted to plan the funeral and focus on Mom. I didn’t want to figure out the location or what people were going to eat or who to invite. At Saint Rose, the parish takes on those responsibilities. The family doesn’t have to worry because we do it all for them.”

All the details are worked out during a meeting with Brian Hindt, pastoral associate. The luncheon site is the Parish Center, which has space to seat 180. Food is supplied by a single caterer. A general estimate of attendance is all that is necessary. The parish staff and the volunteers have a long history of making things work even if more people show up than are expected. It is a Saint Rose stewardship example of Loaves and Fishes.

“When the family comes in after the funeral and sits down you can just see how relieved they are,” says MaryEllen. “That calmness remains with me when I go home. It’s almost like God shined a light on me and said this is my area to contribute. This ministry touches my heart when I see families focusing on the love and support of each other while sharing a meal. A prayer has been answered.”

MaryEllen cites the need for more funeral luncheon volunteers. “It is a rewarding experience to work on a team of caring individuals who will guide newcomers through the service. For a time commitment of four hours or less whenever you are available, you will bring comfort to grieving families and leave with a great sense of satisfaction by helping.”

FAITH FORMATION



Beginning a New Year With New Hopes

As our New Year quickly approaches, we thank God for you, our community, and for the fresh beginnings in front of us. Saint Rose bulletin deadlines are two weeks before their publishing date, so our department is still trying to decide the safest course of action for

Religious Education Classes. This is what we think is the wisest choice. We will continue to live-stream our Wednesday night, January 6th, class and our Sunday Morning, January 10th, Confirmation and First Reconciliation Workshop. (By the way, if anyone would like to attend that presentation from 10:15-11:15 a.m., please feel free to do so. However, for younger families, there will be no child care on that date.) Our Sunday Morning Preschool through First Grade will also be on the same Covid-safe schedule for the 10th. In the meantime, our program coordinators will be charting a course for the remainder of January.

May our loving God continue to bless, guide, and protect your family in 2021.



Transforming Grief Meeting

Our January meeting will take place Monday morning, January 4 from 10:00-11:00 a.m. on Google Meet. Please contact Debbie McPherson before 10:00 a.m. if you wish to join us and need assistance. Her number is 651.357.1212.

Art & Environment:

Helpers needed January 10 at 10:00 a.m. to change decorations from Christmas to ordinary time/winter. Masks are required; there is plenty of space to spread out given the many parts of the Church where work will be happening.



With gratitude we acknowledge the gift of Christmas flowers donated in the memory of Robert Kozel.



Enrollment for 2021-2022 Opening Soon and Kindergarten Tuition Discount!

If you are interested in enrolling a child in our faith-filled school, please note that we will be opening enrollment to new families earlier than usual this January. Our currently enrolled families are enrolling their children through January 15, and then we will be able to accept online enrollments on a first-come, first-served basis for the upcoming school year. However, we want to ensure that if social distancing needs to continue on campus next fall, we are still able to provide some of the same safety measures we currently have in place, which will affect our class sizes. Saint Rose School continues to grow, and for the first time in many years, we are navigating enrollment at capacity. Our goal is that we have a spot for each and every new family that wants to join our community! This spring/summer, we will assess the pandemic situation to make final decisions on class sizes, waiting lists, etc.

Kindergarten discount!

All kindergarten students enrolled by January 31 are entitled to a \$150 tuition credit from the Catholic Schools Center of Excellence (CSCOE)! To learn more about our school, please go to MYSAINTROSE.NET>PROSPECTIVE FAMILIES. Online enrollment will be available on the site as of Tuesday, January 19 at 9:00am. If you would like to schedule a tour of our school, please complete the request form on the website. We are excited to bring even more children to the Lord and grow our school next Fall!



WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUNDAY, JANUARY 3

Confession in Church 8:00 am (C)
 Sunday Morning Mass & Livestream 9:00 am (C)
 First Sunday Food Shelf
 No Pre-K & First Gr Rel Ed
 No Confirmation Class

MONDAY, JANUARY 4

Church open for Private Prayer 10:00 am-4:00 pm (C)
 Transforming Grief Group Online 10:00 am

TUESDAY, JANUARY 5

Church open for Private Prayer 10:00 am-4:00 pm (C)
 RCIA Online 6:30 pm
 RAYA Holy Hour 7:00 pm (C)
 Christian Services Committee - Online 7:00 pm

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6

Daily Mass 8:00 am (C)
 Church open for Private Prayer 10:00 am-4:00 pm (C)
 Religious Ed Class Online 6:00 pm

THURSDAY, JANUARY 7

Church open for Private Prayer 10:00 am-4:00 pm (C)
 Faith Formation Committee Meeting Online 6:30pm

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8

Daily Mass 8:00 am (C)
 Church open for Private Prayer 10:00 am-4:00 pm (C)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 9

Church open for Private Prayer 12:00-4:00 pm (C)
 Confession in Church 3:00 -4:00 pm (C)
 Sunday Vigil Mass 4:30 pm (C)

(C) SAINT ROSE CHURCH - (PC) PARISH CENTER
 (S) SCHOOL - (YR) YOUTH ROOM

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 3

Mass—9:00 am
 For the People

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6

Mass—8:00 am
 †George Carder

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8

Mass—9:00 am
 †Charlie Haynes

SATURDAY, JANUARY 9

Mass—4:30 pm
 †Jerry Mathison

SUNDAY, JANUARY 3

Mass—9:00 am
 For the People

MASS FROM HOME

Mass from Saint Rose:

By smartphone, iPad or computer

- Website - [HTTPS://SAINTROSEOFLIMA.NET](https://saintroseoflima.net)
- Facebook - [HTTPS://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/SAINTROSEOFLIMA.NET](https://www.facebook.com/saintroseoflima.net)
- YouTube - [HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/YTSTROSE](https://tinyurl.com/ytstrose)

By TV: Watch recordings of Sunday Mass from Saint Rose of Lima Church on Comcast channel 19 in the Roseville area. The previous weekend Mass will be shown at the following times:

Charlie Haynes

- Wednesdays at 7:00 pm
- Thursdays at 3:00 am and 11:00 am
- Sundays at 11:00am (prior week Sunday Mass)

Mass from other Catholic Churches:

By radio at 1330AM WLOL at Noon

By TV at EWTN

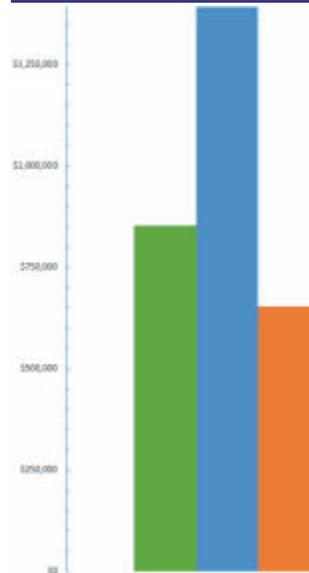
Daily Mass 11am, 6pm, 11pm; Saturday Mass 7am, 11am, 6pm; Sunday Mass 7am, 11am, 11pm.

For people using rabbit ears or local antenna in St. Paul, the call letters are K14RB-D and appear on channels 14.2, 14.4, 14.5

Cable: Century Link—562, 1562 or 3077

Comcast—291, 1668, 635

CAMPAIGN UPDATE



As of the end of November 2020, of the **\$1,394,097** pledged, we have collected **\$941,402**.

So far we have contributed \$300,000 to our endowments, allocated \$117,025 toward capital campaign expenses, with an additional \$2,610 in postage for a total of **\$695,406**. This total includes \$224,333 spent so far on the school preschool initiative, and \$11,337 on improvements to the Adoration Chapel, and \$42,711 on the parking lot.

STEWARDSHIP

Parish Stewardship

November Actual:\$87,634.00

November Budget:\$66,061.00



Thank you for your faithful stewardship!

This information is updated every 3rd Sunday.

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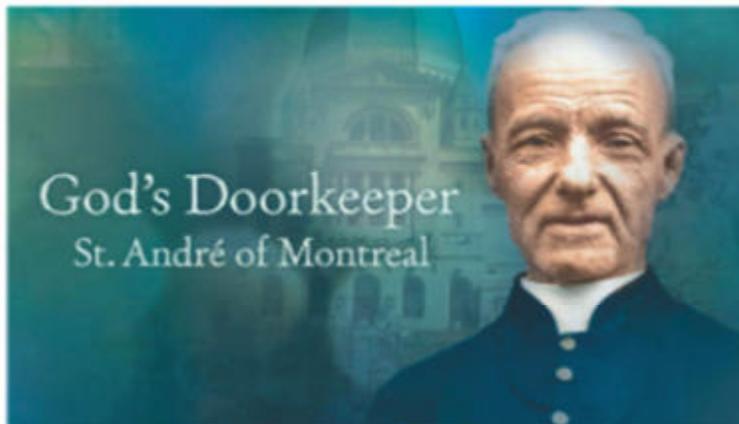
PICK OF THE WEEK

January 3, 2021

WATCH

GOD'S DOORKEEPER: ST. ANDRÉ OF MONTREAL

This week, we celebrate the memorial of a humble doorkeeper, St. André of Montreal. Learn how this man became a great saint through his small acts of love!



FORMED NOW! HOW TO PRAY

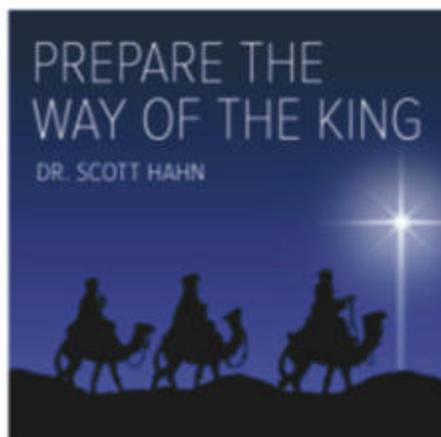
Whether you are a veteran in the spiritual life or are just beginning, start this year off right by recommitting yourself to prayer! Join Drs. Tim Gray and Elizabeth Klein as they discuss ways to kickstart your prayer life this year!

LEARN

LISTEN

PREPARE THE WAY OF THE KING BY DR. SCOTT HAHN

As we celebrate the Epiphany, Dr. Scott Hahn explains how we should understand the three Magi and their gifts to the Lord!



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Bulletin Deadline—Friday at 9:00 am for
bulletin 9 days later
(BKOSTKA@SAINTROSEOFLIMA.NET)

Mass Slide Deadline—2 weeks prior to display
(LAHRENDT@MYSAINTROSE.NET)

Parish Registration

Welcome! In this time of pandemic, please visit our SAINTROSEOFLIMA.NET to let us know of your interest in joining the parish. New parishioner welcome events will resume later.

Prayer Line

Prayer Line receives prayer requests via email at PRAYER-LINE@SAINTROSEOFLIMA.NET. Requests will be sent through the Prayer Line tree as usual. If you prefer, you may call Mary Cay at 651.246.2756 and leave a message if she is not able to answer. We encourage you to send your requests via email whenever possible. It is an honor to pray with you and for you. If you are interested in joining Prayer Line, please contact the Parish Office or Mary Cay at the number listed above.

Homebound Communion and Visits

Screened volunteers are available for friendly visits and to bring Communion to those who can no longer attend Masses or parish events. Please call the Parish Office for assistance.

Liturgy Schedule—Max 250 people

WEEKEND: Saturday 4:30 pm; Sunday 9:00 am*

WEEKDAY: Wednesday & Friday Masses 8:00 am

*Weekend Mass live streamed on facebook, YouTube and SAINTROSEOFLIMA.NET.

Sacraments

RECONCILIATION:

Sunday, 8:00—8:45 am; Saturday, 3:00—4:00 pm or by appointment.

MARRIAGE: To reserve your desired wedding date and obtain a policy book, please call the Parish Center. It is customary to call at least one year in advance of the anticipated date.

BAPTISM: Baptismal preparation is required of first time parents. Please call the Saint Rose Parish Office for more information about Baptism.



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