

**The Roman Catholic  
Community  
Of Mount Desert Island  
Forth Sunday in Advent  
December 18<sup>th</sup> , 2005**



**Theme:** *David's posterity shall endure forever. His kingship finds its fulfillment in the son of Mary, Jesus the Christ. To him be glory and praise forever.*



**Readings for the Week of  
December 18<sup>th</sup> 2005**

Sunday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/ Rom 16:25-27/  
Lk 1:26-38  
Monday: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/ Lk 1:5-25  
Tuesday: Is 7:10-14/ Lk 1:26-38  
Wednesday: Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a/ Lk 1:39-45  
Thursday: 1 Sm 1:24-28/ Lk 1:46-56  
Friday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/ Lk 1:57-66  
Saturday: Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/ Lk 1:67-79  
Next Sunday: Vigil: Is 62:1-5/ Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/ Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25  
Midnight: Is 9:1-6/ Ti 2:11-14/ Lk 2:1-14  
Dawn: Is 62:11-12/ Ti 3:4-7/ Lk 2:15-20 Day: Is 52:7-10/ Heb 1:1-6/ Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14



**SACRISTY CANDLE**

Beginning on December 18<sup>th</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup> the Sacristy Candle will burn for the Minutolo and DiMatteo family.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

SAT Dec. 17 4:00 PM- MASS-HR- Patricia Foley  
By Helen McIsaac  
6:00 -PM -MASS-SI-  
SUN Dec. 18 9:00 AM -MASS-SP-  
11:00 AM -MASS-HR- Harry Scovill  
By Donna Gann  
MON Dec. 19 8 :00-AM - MASS- HR - Edward Brannigan  
By Walter & Joan Robinson  
TUES Dec. 20 8:00 PM MASS- HR -Robert Gann  
( Wedding Anniversary Remembrance )  
By Donna Gann  
WED Dec. 21 8:00 AM MASS -HR -  
THUR Dec. 22 8:00-AM -HR - Communion Service  
FRI Dec. 23 8:00 AM MASS-HR-  
SAT Dec. 24 4:00 PM- MASS-HR-  
6:00 -PM -MASS-SP- Tony LaPlante  
By Joe & Estelle LaPlante  
9:00-PM-MASS-HR-  
SUN Dec. 25 9:00 AM -MASS-HR-



**PRAY FOR ...**

**Please Remember in your prayers  
All Our Parishioners  
who are ill at home or in the hospital.**

*Mary Parker ,Baby Ryan James Mitchell,  
William McEnaney, Edie Villano, Linwood Hildreth,  
Jim Strout, Kay Vietti,*



**Offertory from December 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> 2005**

St. Ignatius \$110.00  
St. Peter \$999.00  
Holy Redeemer \$1,063.00  
**Retired Religious**  
St. Ignatius \$50.00  
St. Peter \$65.00  
Holy Redeemer \$350.00



**MUSIC**

**PLEASE NOTE**

The Missa Emmanuel can be found in the red hymnal, Kyrie #353, Santus #354, Memorial Acclamation #355, Amen #356, & Agnus Dei #357



# CALENDAR

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 2005 FOR THE M.D.I. CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

- Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> ( HR ) Adult Faith Formation 7:00 pm
- Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> ( HR ) Coffee Hour after Mass
- Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> ( HR ) Sacramental Prep. Class 9:30 am
- Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> ( St. Peter ) Coffee Hour after Mass
- Jan 8<sup>th</sup> ( HR ) Rectory Open House
- Jan 15<sup>th</sup> ( St. Peter ) Coffee Hour after Mass



### REMEMBRANCE TREE

All parishioners are welcome to bring in a tree ornaments from home, in remembrance of someone, to decorate the Holy Redeemer Christmas tree. The tree will be set up for decorating on December 22<sup>nd</sup>. If you have any questions please call Renee at 288-3535.



### Christmas Masses

- Christmas Eve**
- 4:00 pm Holy Redeemer
- 6:00 pm St. Peter
- 9:00 pm Holy Redeemer
- Christmas Day**
- 9:00 am Holy Redeemer



The M.D.I. Catholic Community would like to extend their sympathies to the family of William ( Bill ) Keene. He was a kind hearted man who will be missed by all.



### WEEKLY ENVELOPES

Anyone wishing to use the weekly envelope “Offertory Contribution “ system can pick up a box in the entrance to the church. Please note that your name will be written on the top of the box corresponding to the number you were assigned this past year. If you are new to the system please select a box without any name on it and write your name on the weekly envelope for the first few week of the New Year. Annual contribution statements for income tax purposes will be mailed to anyone who used the system this past year, by the end of January 2006. Thank you for your continued support of the church



### UNIDENTIFIED ENVELOPE NUMBERS

As the year is coming to a close and IRS issues come to mind we need some help with identifying two active envelope users for St. Peters. Would the folks who use the envelope #110 and #134 please write your name on the weekly envelope for the next several weeks? January contribution statement will soon be prepared and without this information we can’t send you your statement. Thank you for your help and continued generosity.



### A NOTE FROM SUZANNE FITZGERALD

Thank you to all the volunteers who worked at The Bar Harbor Food Pantry. A special “merci” to Anna Ryan who worked many Tuesday mornings.

I kindly urge our parishioners to continue supporting The Pantry. There are many islanders who have to choose between food and fuel during the winter months. The Pantry still needs donations of paper products, canned tuna, and baking mixes. Thank you for your generosity.