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St. DENIS Parish

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Our mission statement: LOVE GOD LOVE OTHERS TRAIN DISCIPLES

Eucharistic Celebrations: St. Claude – [Haywood](#) - [Pavilion](#)

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| Sat. | Dec. 3 rd | 5:00 pm | + Parishioners – Father Peter + Jackie Gauthier – Marcel Gauthier & family |
| Sun. | Dec. 4 th | 9:00 am H | + Parishioners – Father Peter + Deceased members of Rouire family – Maurice Rouire |
| Sun. | Dec. 4 th | 11:00 am | + Parishioners – Father Peter + Claude Le Gras – Robert Le Gras |
| Mon. | Dec. 5 th | private | + All souls – Father Peter |
| Tue. | Dec. 6 th | 10:00 am | + Yvette Gauthier – funeral offerings |
| Wed. | Dec. 7 th | 2:30 pm P | + Rose Philippe – her family |
| Thu. | Dec. 8 th | 7:00 pm | Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary + Normand Dacquay – Marcel & Lynne Lesage |
| Fri. | Dec. 9 th | 9:00 am H | + Eucharistic adoration & reconciliation |
| | Mass | 10:00 am | + Irene Massinon – Massinon family |
| Sat. | Dec. 10 th | 5:00 pm | + Parishioners – Father Peter + Carol De Pauw – Marcel & Janice deRocquigny |
| Sun. | Dec. 11 th | 9:00 am H | + Parishioners – Father Peter + 6 th of Joan & Lawrence Allen – Ted & Judith Rock |
| Sun. | Dec. 11 th | 11:00 am | + Parishioners – Father Peter + Rose Rocan – Yvette Dion |

| Ministries: | December 4 th | December 11 th | December 18 th |
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| Readers: | Simone Lambert | Annette Bernard | Judith Robidoux |
| Collection: | Marcel & Dorothee | Annette & Denise | Eugene & Albert |
| Counters: | Denise & prtnr. | Raymond & prtnr. | Dorothee & prtnr |

God's Share: Nov. 27th - \$307.00 (15) + \$12.10 (loose) + \$120.00 (2-DD) = **\$439.10**

Sanctuary Lamp: week of December 4th – Eugene & Yvonne Bazin

2nd Sunday of Advent A - December 4th, 2022

Prayer Intention for December, 2022

For volunteer not-for-profit organizations – We pray that volunteer non-profit organizations committed to human development find people dedicated to the common good and ceaselessly seek out new paths to international cooperation.

Let us pray: - For the conversion of Christians, especially those of our parishes.
- For an end to the war in Ukraine and for its displaced and traumatized citizens.
- For the soldiers who sacrifice their lives for their country.

Parish life:

+ **Deanery meeting in St. Claude** on December 6th. The priests in the Mountain Deanery will celebrate mass at 10:00 am. All are invited.

+ **Advent Confessions for residents of the Pavilion** at 1:00 pm Wednesday December 7th

+ Household of Faith –

In St. Claude first meeting for the French group, at 3:30 pm Wednesday, December 7th at the St. Claude Manor. If interested, contact Claudette Philippe at 204-379-2170.

In St. Denis meetings in English at 1:30 pm Thursdays at Chalet St. Denis. If interested call Simone at 204-379-2175 or Elaine at 204-379-2353

+ **Advent penitential service and confessions for both parishes on December 16th.**

In St. Denis at 7:00 pm and in St. Claude at 8:15 pm.

Father Marcel Carriere and Father Peter will help you to reconcile with God.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR IN SAINT-CLAUDE AND SAINT DENIS – HAYWOOD

• CHRISTMAS EVE: Saturday, December 24, 2022

+ In Saint-Claude:

- 5:00 p.m. – Mass in English
- 10:30 p.m. – Christmas carols
- 11:00 p.m. - Mass in French

+ In Saint Denis - Haywood:

- 8:00 p.m.: Christmas carols
- 8:30 p.m.: Bilingual Mass

• CHRISTMAS DAY: Sunday, December 25, 2022

+ In Saint-Claude: 10:00 a.m. - Mass in French

+ **At the Pavillon de Saint-Claude: 2:00 p.m. - Bilingual Mass.**

• NEW YEAR

+ **In Saint-Claude: (Saturday December 31, 2022)**

- 5:00 p.m. – Mass in English

* **New Year's Day (Sunday January 1, 2023)**

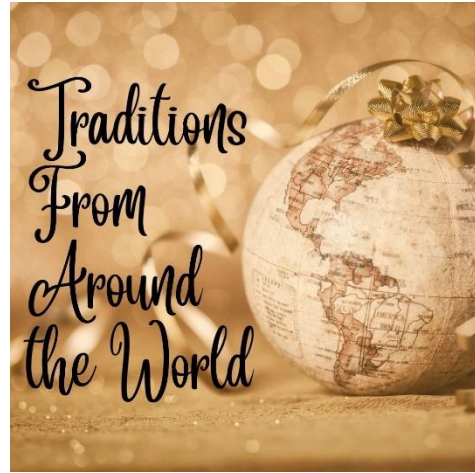
+ **At St. Denis - Haywood: 9:00 a.m. – Bilingual Mass**

+ **In Saint-Claude: 11:00 a.m. – Mass in French.**

*In his days may righteousness flourish,
and peace abound forever.*

+ **Haywood Tree Lighting** Friday, December 2nd. Pledge sheets are available at the Haywood Post Office, at Janice's, 204-379-2558 or at Judith's, 204-379-2192. The profits will be shared between the Church, the Hall and Accueil d'Âge d'Ôr. Bulbs sell for \$5.00 each. The Community Hall doors will open at 7:00 pm and the tree lighting will take place at 7:30 pm. A surprise visitor will hand out GOODY bag in the hall afterwards.

*** Advent and Christmas Traditions from Around the World – La Griteria**



La Griteria is celebrated throughout Nicaragua on December 8, at the end of the Novena to the Immaculate Conception. Hosts will move their altars to the sidewalk or street, and groups of people will gather and go around to the different altars while singing to the Virgin Mary. After a series of songs, the leader will shout: "*Quien causa tanta alegría*" (who causes so much joy) and everyone responds, "*La Concepción de Maria*" (The Conception of Mary). After the shouting, the hosts distribute goods, candies, fruits, etc. to the group of people who "*Le Gritaron a La Virgen*" (shouted to the Virgin Mary). The group of people then move to another altar and another group takes its place; this can continue until midnight. Some neighbourhoods will also set off fireworks to celebrate *La Griteria*. **The Nicaraguan families of Nuestra Señora de La Asunción Parish will celebrate "The Griteria" on Sunday, December 4th, after the 11 AM Mass at 200 Kenny**

St. in Winnipeg. They invite you and your friends and family to come and celebrate with them. If you have a favourite cultural Advent or Christmas tradition you would like to share with us, please email a short description to ksutton@archsaintboniface.ca. All traditions will be added to our [website](#) as they are received.

*** Marriage Tips**

Friends are those we can celebrate with in joyful times and rely on in times of conflict. Be a friend to your spouse, and remind him/her that you are there no matter what happens.

*** Reflections for the separated/divorced**

Is a friend of yours going through a divorce? If so, ask how he or she is really doing. Make room for the many different types of feelings that come up. Be a good friend and listen. Ask how you can support them. Encourage them to join a support group. Suggest the annulment process and discourage them from dating right away as they are still sacramentally married. Above all, please pray for your friend!

2nd Sunday of Advent A - December 4th, 2022



"Therefore, every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire." Matthew 3:10

Do you bear good fruit for Jesus? Do you spend time in prayer or do you waste it with mindless activity? Do you use your talent to help others or are you too busy? Do you use your treasure to support the Church or do you buy more things that go unused. Our time, talent and treasure are gifts from God. What we do with these gifts is our gift back to Him. What gifts are you planning to give to the Lord during this upcoming Christmas season?

*Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths:
all flesh shall see the salvation of God.*