



MONDAY DECEMBER 4-St. John of Damascus

7:00AM Samuel & Jennie Fanara by Bequest
Caroline & Louise Maturi by Estate

TUESDAY DECEMBER 5

7:00AM Rita Dobridnia by Husband Leon
David Nigrelli by Sr. Mary

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 6- St. Nicholas

7:00AM Michael Vendituoli by Adam & Priscilla

THURSDAY DECEMBER 7 –St. Ambrose

7:00AM Martin B. Biancuzzo, Sr. by John & Eileen
5:00PM Dr. Ronald R. Marcotte, 15th Anniversary

**FRIDAY DECEMBER 8 – Immaculate Conception
Of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

7:00AM Deceased Members of the Serpa, Enos &
Faria Families by Family
9:30AM Joseph & Stella Barek by Joe, & Kathy
Barek & Family
12:10PM
7:00PM Lee Busabos by Mom & Dad
Paul Ridge by Lu & Joe

SATURDAY DECEMBER 9 St. Juan Diego

9:00AM Carol Wentzell, Birthday Remembrance,
by Mom
John Faria by Aunt Julie
5:00PM Joseph Abenante, 12th Anniversary,
by Carol & Manny
Peter Pezzullo, Birthday Remembrance,
by Family

SUNDAY DECEMBER 10-2nd Sunday of Advent

7:30AM Arthur Corcoran by Wife & Family
R. Thomas De Vito by Anne Kellerman
9:00AM Gabriel Castro, Jr. 5th Anniversary, by
Mount Hope Family
10:30AM Deceased Members of Francisco DeLeo
by family
Marie F. Maloney, Birthday Remembrance.
by Family



December 4 – December 10

SANCTUARY LAMPS

Mardell Tatum, Birthday Remembrance,
by Son & Family
William Malafrente by Family
Paul, Sue, John & Rudy Murgo by Family

REL. EDUCATION ADVENT OUTREACH

The Religious Education Office of Our Lady of Mount Carmel is once again sponsoring the parish wide community reach-out project to help those in need this Christmas season, particularly those young people living in State care. New, unwrapped items should be placed in the box at the entrance of the church before Monday, December 18th. Suggestions for donations will be in the baskets at the front door of the church. If you do not pick up a tag, we are collecting sweatshirts and sweatpants, all sizes, sports equipment, gift certificates to large chain stores, movie theaters, music and video stores, fast food restaurants, warm sock, scarves, hats and gloves, big girls and junior sized pajamas and slippers, twin size novelty sheet sets for kids, men sized colored tee shirts and anything that your own teenage children and grandchildren would like. All gifts must be unwrapped so that staff members can distribute the gifts to the many children and teenagers living in group homes throughout the state. Items may be placed in open gift bags.



CONCERT FOR THE EPIPHANY: Our concert this year (the 12th Day of Christmas) falls on the actual anniversary of our parish, January 7th. Our new Bishop, the Most Rev. Thomas Tobin has been invited and has accepted the invitation. We want to thank CAMPAGNA'S PHARMACY for sponsoring our concert again this year.

MEDICARE REMINDER – Prescription Plan “Part D”-- sign-up by December 31st without penalty!

MAJOR CAPITAL CAMPAIGN: Fr. Zinno outlined our major capital campaign planned for the late winter of 2007. For complete details see his homily which is available on line at our web-site: www.olmc-bristol.org.

MARCH FOR LIFE BUS TRIP to Washington will leave Sunday, January 21st and return Monday, January 22nd. Reservation and full payment to be made no later than December 20th. To reserve your spot and for the \$60 payment or information, please call Kathy Barek, 683-0889. Can't come? Consider a donation to help others make this march.

**THE FEAST OF
THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION,
Friday, December 8th
Patroness of the United States
Holy Day of Obligation**

MASS TIMES

Thurs, 5PM,

Fri 7AM,9:30AM,12:10PM,7PM

DECEMBER SCHEDULE FOR THE TRAVELING STATUE OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT. CARMEL: December 3rd, Kathy Barek, 4th, Esmeralda Cordeiro, 5th Al & Pat Vedro, 6th, Judy Glover, 7th Ann Marie Tortorice, 8th, Bernice & Sal Parella, 9th, Bill & Leonora Delmage, 10th, Warren & Laura Resenhausen, 11th, Our Lady of Mount Carmel Convent, 12th, Joyce Simoes, 13th, Maria Silva, 14th Bill & Bunny Enos, 15th, Francis Cavallaro, 16th, Curran Family, 17th, Sylvia & Debbie Arruda, 18th, Henrich Family, 19th, Gigi Deleo, 20th, Betty Vendituoli, 21st, Julie Davis, 22nd, Kathy Melvin, 23rd, Daniel Higgins Family. Questions, please call Bernice Parella at 253-7395.

CONFESSIONS FOR CHRISTMAS: will take place on Monday, December 11th from 6-8PM in the Church. Seven Confessors will be available to hear your confession.

FR. DAVID ENGO, O.F.M. Cap. will be leading our Confirmation Retreat, next Saturday, December 9 in our Parish Hall.

BUDGET SUMMARY: NOVEMBER

Weekly Collection November 5- \$5,992.00

Debt Collection - \$2,380.00

Monthly Maintenance - \$1,545.50

Weekly Collection November 12 - \$5,145.76

Thanksgiving Collection - \$2,164.00

Weekly Collection November 19 - \$6,193.21

Campaign for Human Development - \$1,124.11

Weekly Collection November 26 - \$5,081.50

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS: You will notice in your budgets an envelope for Christmas Flowers. You may write the names of deceased loved ones on this envelope and place your donation in the basket at anytime during December. These envelopes will be placed at the Nativity scene and the monies donated will help to pay for all our beautiful Christmas Flowers

Readings for the Week of December 3, 2006

Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12-4:2/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

Monday: Is 2:1-5/Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10/Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a/Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Gn 3:9-15, 20/Eph 1:3-6, 11-12/Lk 1:26-38

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Mt 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8

Next Sunday: Bar 5:1-9/Phil 1:4-6, 8-11/Lk 3:1-6

BRISTOL HELPING HANDS 19th YEAR CHRISTMAS PARTY for all children under 12 will be held on December 10th from 1:30PM to 3:00PM at Saint Mary's Church Hall on Wood Street. Santa Claus will distribute toys to all the children present. Let's make this great annual or our kids.

BRISTOL GOOD NEIGHBORS is in need of items for their "Shoebox" (tooth brush, toothpaste, hand lotion, combs, brushes, hats, gloves, playing cards, shampoo, gum, lifesavers or mints) Gift boxes or Bags to give to their diners. For more details please call Janet at 254-0726, 9-11AM.