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SATURDAY: 4:30 PM
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WEEKDAY MASSES:

12:15 PM
(Monday through Friday)

HOLY DAY MASSES:

Please call the Rectory Office for schedule

VESPERS:

Sunday 4:30 PM

PENANCE:

SATURDAY: 3:00-4:00 PM
and by appointment.

BAPTISM:

Parents should contact the rectory
to register for Baptismal Information Session

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Mass Intentions

Monday, Jan. 4	12:15 PM	Patricia Nueslein
Tuesday, Jan. 5	12:15 PM	Paul Hand
Wednesday, Jan. 6	12:15 PM	Loretta Patterson
Thursday, Jan. 7	12:15 PM	John Moore
Friday, Jan. 8	12:15 PM	Gerry McDonnell
Saturday, Jan. 9	4:30 PM	Deceased Members Kerrigan & Lotfey Families
Sunday, Jan. 10	8:30 AM	Reginald Nadeau
	10:00 AM	Armand Del Rossi
	12:00 PM	In Honor of Most Holy Trinity
	5:00 PM	Jerry Kill

Collection Report

Christmas

4:00 Mass	\$3,747.00
6:30 Mass	\$1,295.00
12:00 AM Mass	\$2,687.00
10:00 Mass	\$1,960.50
12:00 PM Mass	\$ 447.00
Total:	\$10,136.50

Weekend of Dec. 27

4:30 Mass	\$1,147.00
8:30 Mass	\$ 964.00
10:00 Mass	\$1,036.00
5:00 Mass	\$ 606.50
Total:	\$3,753.50

THANK YOU

Magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." - Mt 2:1b-2



Readings for the Week of January 3, 2010

Sunday:	Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12
Monday:	1 Jn 3:22---4:6/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
Tuesday:	1 Jn 4:7-10/Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday:	1 Jn 4:11-18/Mk 6:45-52
Thursday:	1 Jn 4:19---5:4/Lk 4:14-22a
Friday:	1 Jn 5:5-13/Lk 5:12-16
Saturday:	1 Jn 5:14-21/Jn 3:22-30
Next Sunday:	Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or 40:1-5, 9-11/Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22



Classes for graded Pre-K through grade 5 take place in the Cathedral School. Classes will resume on January 10. **Thank you to all the parishioners who helped to make Advent Sunday a success!**



WEDDING BANNS

II Leon Griesbach & Cassandra Gray

BIBLE STUDY—Using Stephen Ray’s video presentation of “Apostolic Fathers—Handing on the Faith”, this self-directed group will study the lives, contributions and history of these men who took the reins from the Apostles and continued to blaze a new path so that we can know “the way” today. With the tradition and practice of the Apostles still fresh in their minds, these heroes died rather than betray Our Lord. Come join us as Stephen Ray, best-selling author and popular Bible teacher, takes us on an exciting journey to better understand these Bishop successors to the Apostles: Ignatius of Antioch, Clement of Rome, Polycarp of Smurna, Irenaeus o Lyons and Justin Martyr.

This group will meet the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM in the Pastoral Center Conference Room in the Guild Hall. **The first session begins on January 7th.**

CATHEDRAL PRAYER LINE

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EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

**MAINE RIGHT TO LIFE COMMITTEE
HANDS AROUND THE CAPITOL
SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 2010
AUGUSTA, ME
37TH ANNIVERSARY OF ROE V. WADE**



SPECIAL EVENTS IN OUR CLUSTER

POLISH CHRISTMAS DINNER AT ST. LOUIS
279 Danforth Street, Portland
OPLATWK Supper: Sunday, January 10th, 5PM.

This is a traditional family style dinner: kielbasa, potatoes, cabbage, vegetables, bread, dessert and beverage. Adults: \$10, Children: \$5. Tickets are available from Helen Danilewics at 773-2643, or Ginnie Konan at 797-2643, or Lee Kimball at 799-3878. This is sponsored by the St. Louis Women's Society.

POLISH CHRISTMAS PLAY: JASELKA

Everyone is invited to *Jaselka*, a Polish Christmas Play, on Sunday, January 17 at 5:00 PM in the St. Louis Parish Hall. After the play, there will be traditional Polish food. If you have any questions, please contact Bunia Slawiec (608-3027)

SACRED HEART / ST. DOMINIC NECKTIES FOR HAITI

The Social Justice and Peace Commission at Sacred Heart / St. Dominic is working on a special quilting project for their Haiti Mission. They are collecting neckties, especially cottons ones, though all types are welcome. For more information, contact Ursula Slavick at 773-6562.

Presider Schedule Weekend of Jan. 9 & 10

Saturday Jan. 9:

4:00 PM	Sacred Heart / St. Dominic	Fr. Bertrand
4:00 PM	St. Peter	Fr. Kevin
4:30 PM	Cathedral	Bishop / Fr. Lou
5:15 PM	St. Louis	Fr. Mike

Sunday, Jan. 10

8:00 AM	St. Peter	Fr. Lou
8:30 AM	Cathedral	Fr. Mike
9:00 AM	St. Louis	Fr. Bertrand
9:30 AM	Sacred Heart / St. Dominic	Fr. Lou
10:00 AM	Cathedral	Fr. Fred
10:00 AM	St. Christopher	Fr. Kevin
10:30 AM	St. Peter	Fr. Mike
11:00 AM	St. Louis	Fr. Lou
12:00 PM	Cathedral (Latin)	Fr. Fred
12:15 PM	Sacred Heart / St. Dominic (Spanish)	Fr. Bertrand
5:00 PM	Cathedral	Fr. Lou
6:00 PM	Sacred Heart / St. Dominic	Fr. Kevin

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Maine Right to Life Committee, PO Box 257, Auburn, ME 04212

e-mail: mrlc@MaineRightToLife.com

Schedule:

(Note: You may join us for part of all activities)

10:00 AM Mass celebrated by Bishop Richard Malone, Th.D at St. Mary's Church
41 Western Ave., Augusta

11:00 AM Gather at St. Michael School Gym, Augusta. Network with other pro-life people. Light refreshments will be served.

11:15 AM Rally with prominent Pro-Life Speakers

12:15 PM March begins. Leave St. Michael Gym and march to the capitol

12:30 PM Assemble around the capitol, hand to hand.
The Capitol bell will ring 37 times, representing the number of years since Roe v. Wade was enacted.

**PLEASE JOIN US TO PROVIDE WITNESS FOR THE
UNBORN!**

Your friends at Maine Right to Life Committee

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL 200 CLUB

Every month 7 winners are picked – Top prize, \$200, then \$100, \$50 and four \$25 prizes. We guarantee that over the next 12 months, 84 lucky people will come away winners.

To join, you can pay your dues in the Cathedral Sacristy after weekend Mass or send your dues in an envelope, include a note with your name, address, phone number (please print).

Remember, all proceeds directly benefit Cathedral School.

Please make check payable to Cathedral School 200 Club.
Annual Membership: \$50.00 if paid before January 15, 2010;
\$60.00 after Jan. 15; or, \$5.00 per month

JANUARY 3, 2010

St. Christopher Parish Community

Collection Report

Weekend of Dec. 27

10:00 AM Mass	\$1,029.00
Winter Help	30.00

Winter Help Thus Far (since July 1, 2009) \$1,747.00

CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

\$571.00

THANK YOU!

WINTER HELP COLLECTION: During the summer season we have several Winter Help Collections for St. Christopher Parish. Obviously, in the winter our Offertory Collection is lower, but our heating, electric, snow removal and other various on-going operating bills are higher. The summer collections are done for obvious reasons, to give the largest number of people this great opportunity to keep-up the Parish and down the road to just plain keep the Parish. **We also may take up this collection in May for those who may be going away in those months, but live here on Peaks. Envelops are in the pews to use any time!** The parish return address is already printed on them. You may put a donation directly in the basket or take an envelope and send a donation later.

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Rev. Louis J. Phillips, Parish Administrator

Memorial Mass Schedule

Sunday, Jan. 3 10:00 AM John Feeney

Sunday, Jan. 10 10:00 AM Micheline Troiano

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Bible Study

***Pastoral Center Conference Room
307 Congress St
Portland***

Thursday, January 7, 2010

6:00 to 7:30 PM

(First & Third Thursdays)

For more information contact Mary at 773-7746, ext. 100



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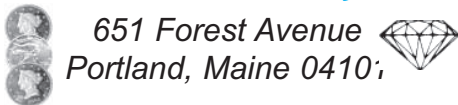


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