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SATURDAY: 4:30 PM
SUNDAY 8:30, 10:00, 12:00 (LATIN) AND 5:00 PM

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

WEDDINGS:

Engaged couples must contact the
rectory six months in advance.

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2nd Monday of every other month

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Mass Intentions

Monday, Jan. 11	12:15 PM	Philip Caufield
Tuesday, Jan. 12	12:15 PM	Fr. Peter Gorham
Wednesday, Jan. 13	12:15 PM	Micheline Troiano
Thursday, Jan. 14	12:15 PM	Frances J. Corey
Friday, Jan. 15	12:15 PM	Rosella Mae Miner
Saturday, Jan. 16	1:00 PM	<i>Wedding:</i> <i>Leon Griesbach &</i> <i>Cassandra Gray</i>
	4:30 PM	Terry Joyce
Sunday, Jan. 17	8:30 AM	Peggy Concannon
	10:00 AM	Bruno Walzer
	12:00 PM	In Honor Tears of Mary
	5:00 PM	Mary Burke

Collection Report

Weekend of January 3

4:30 Mass	\$ 867.00
8:30 Mass	\$ 511.00
10:00 Mass	\$1,138.00
5:00 Mass	\$ 555.00
Total:	\$3,071.00
<i>Solemnity of Mary</i>	<i>\$1,465.00</i>

After all the people had been baptized and Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. - Lk 3:21-22a



Readings for the Week of January 10, 2010

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
Monday:	1 Sm 1:1-8/Mk 1:14-20
Tuesday:	1 Sm 1:9-20/Mk 1:21-28
Wednesday:	1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Mk 1:29-39
Thursday:	1 Sm 4:1-11/Mk 1:40-45
Friday:	1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Mk 2:1-12
Saturday:	1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Mk 2:13-17
Next Sunday:	Is 62:1-5/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

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Classes for grades Pre-K-5 take place in the Cathedral School. **There is a Junior High Youth Ministry Retreat at St. Maximilian Kolbe on January 29. More information will follow. Parents, we need your help with this. Please call Donna Label at 774-7120 for more information.**

CATHOLIC WINTER JAM:

The Diocese of Portland Presents a Lifelong Faith Formation Event:

This special event features performances by ValLimar Jansen from California; Servant Song from Rhode Island. Local Performers include Fr. Bob Vaillancourt, Josh Houde and Leviticus!

**January 30, 2010
Holy Cross Church
Lewiston, ME
12 Noon to 8:30 PM**

This includes Mass at 4PM. Food available for purchase throughout the day. Cost: \$10 per person--\$40 Family Max. Visit www.cymmme.org
Call Donna Label at 774-7120 for more information.

NATIONAL VOCATION AWARENESS WEEK

The Catholic Church in the United States will celebrate National Vocation Awareness Week, January 10-16, 2010, which begins with the Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord. National Vocation Awareness Week is a time for reflection. During the week of January 10-16, we encourage all Catholics to:

- Take time to pray for vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life.
- Reflect on our own vocation and strengthen our personal relationship with Christ.
- Educate our young people about the importance of silent prayer and taking the time to truly listen to God's voice in our hearts.

For more information, call Fr. Bob in the Diocesan Vocations Office at 773-6471.

MASS FOR THE PROTECTION OF UNBORN HUMAN PERSONS Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception Wednesday, January 20, 2010

The 2nd Annual 10,000 Masses for Unborn Babies Novena is scheduled for January 13-21, 2010. Here at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, we have scheduled a Mass for the Protection of Unborn Human Babies on **Wednesday, January 12:15 PM**. This Novena has been scheduled through the efforts of the Saint Michael the Archangel Organization, www.SaintMichaelTheArchangelOrganization.org. St. Michael the Archangel, pray for us.

Servers

Altar Servers Needed: Training Session Scheduled

The Cathedral Parish is in need of altar servers for all four weekend Masses. **All Cathedral parishioners from ages 9-90** are encouraged to come forward to serve at the altar. Qualifications include having been fully initiated into the Catholic Church (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist), are currently a Catholic in good standing; and have a desire to serve God at the altar with dignity, prayerfulness and respect. Adults are especially asked to consider serving for the 4:30 PM Saturday Vigil Mass, and the 5:00 PM Sunday evening Mass. Father Michael Seavey and Father Kevin Martin will have a training session on **Saturday, January 23rd at 9:00 AM** in the Cathedral Church.

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS

December 200 Club Winners~

Sister Theresa Rand (\$200)
Victor & Debra Pizzutto (\$100)
Anne Scanlon (\$50)
Frederick & Elizabeth Dunn (\$25)
Elizabeth (Connolly) Martorano (\$25)
Dorothy Martin (\$25)
Marsha Lee (\$25)

It's not too late to join the 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, with the form below, and place it in the collection basket or mail in the form below to the Cathedral School Office. Thank you for supporting Cathedral School!

Yes, I want to be a "Cathedral School 200 Club" Member!

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Please check one: **NEW** () **RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP** ()

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

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL PLAY! PETER PAN (by J.M. Barrie) JANUARY 22-24 GUILD HALL

This January the Cathedral School Drama Club will be presenting its own special version of Peter Pan, the boy who never grew up. Come and have a spectacular trip to Never Land and back! Don't be "lost boys and girls." Fly high with the Cathedral School Drama Club on their trip to Never Land! Will Peter finally "hook" the Captain Hook once and for all? **Find out on January 22, 23, and 24 at Cathedral Guild Hall, corner of Congress and Franklin.** You owe it to yourselves to go see "Peter Pan". Come have a jolly good time in Never Land with Peter, Tinker Bell, Wendy, John, Michael and all their friends! Hope to see you there!"

(Advertisements written and performed by Drama Club Members.)
 The following are the show times:

Friday, January 22 at 6:30 PM
Saturday, January 23 at 6:30 PM
Sunday, January 24 at 1:30 PM

Get your Tickets at the Door (\$5 for Adults; \$2 for Middle School students and younger). Doors open ½ hour before curtain.



Presider Schedule Weekend of Jan. 16 & 17

Saturday Jan. 16:

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

Sunday, Jan. 17

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

This schedule is subject to change.

JANUARY 10, 2010

St. Christopher Parish Community

Collection Report

Weekend of Dec. 27

10:00 AM Mass	\$1,029.00
<i>Winter Help</i>	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.

CLUSTER PRAYER LINE

Need Prayers? For yourself? For a loved one? For a problem? For an intention? The Cluster Prayer Line prays for all our ongoing prayer requests every day. It is confidential and no names are used. Donna Lebel is the Prayer Line Coordinator. She can be reached at 774-7120 (home). You may leave a message.

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JANUARY 10, 2010

**St. Christopher Parish Community
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Portland Harbor**

Rev. Louis J. Phillips, Parish Administrator

Memorial Mass Schedule

Sunday, Jan. 10 10:00 AM Micheline Troiano

Sunday, Jan. 17 10:00 AM Gordon Mallory

LECTOR AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTER

<u>Jan. 10</u>	<u>Jan. 17</u>	<u>Jan. 24</u>
Bob	Walter	Toni
Connie	Cathy	Robin

**MAINE RIGHT TO LIFE COMMITTEE
HANDS AROUND THE CAPITOL
SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 2010
AUGUSTA, ME**

The Maine Right to Life Committee will hold its annual *Hands Around the Capitol* Rally and march on Saturday, January 16, 2010. This event is where we publicly recognize and mourn the Supreme Court decision of Roe v. Wade, while providing an intense impact on those who witness our solemn march. This event will begin with Mass at St. Mary's church in Augusta at 10:00 AM ON January 16. This year marks the 37th Memorial of Roe v. Wade. For more information please contact:

mrlc@MaineRightToLife.com



***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.

***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.

Bible Study

***Pastoral Center Conference Room
307 Congress St
Thursday, January 21, 2010
6:00 to 7:30 PM
(First & Third Thursdays)***

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



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