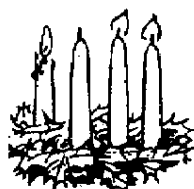


BULLETIN FOR DECEMBER 23, 2012
CHURCH VIGIL LAMP BURNS FOR GARY LEITE
CENTER VIGIL LAMP BURNS FOR SARAH RODRIGUES
ST. DOMINIC CANDLE BURNS FOR HELEN SILVA

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. Dec. 22,	4:00PM	Irma and Horacio DeBram, Helen Silva
Sun. Dec. 23,	7:00AM	Butler and Keenan Families
	9:00AM	Lydia and John Arruda (35th Anni.), Deanna Brule
	11:00AM	Jose Soares, Elise Ariel



Mon. Dec. 24,	4:00PM	For All Parishioners and Benefactors
	7:00PM	For All Parishioners and Benefactors
	Midnight Mass	For All Parishioners and Benefactors

**CHRISTMAS
MASSES**

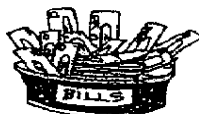
Tue. Dec. 25,	9:00AM	For All Parishioners and Benefactors
Wed. Dec. 26,	11:00AM	George and Loretta Wiggins
Thur. Dec. 27,	8:00AM	James Pavao
Fri. Dec. 28,	8:00AM	Guilherme Oliveira



Sat. Dec. 29,	4:00PM	Memorial Mass: Claire Piette (Anni.), Alexander Smith, Ronald Manchester, Frederick Lamoureuxz, Vitus Travis
Sun. Dec. 30,	7:00AM	Ben Barandes, Joe Maitozo
	9:00AM	Rodrigues and Drabble Families
	11:00AM	John Carvalho(16th Anni.), Joseph Machado (25th Anni.)

BUDGET REPORT:

Budget	\$2,903.00
Candles	123.00



BUDGET BREAKDOWN:

207 Envelopes	2,215.00
Loose Donations	688.00
Total	2,903.00

CHRISTMAS OFFERING: Since we do not have a fuel collection as many other parishes do, to meet the rising cost of heating, our Christmas Collection will be used to offset the cost of fuel for the Church & Parish Center.

HOLY DAY: The Feast of the Solemnity of Mary is on January 1st. It Is A Holy Day of Obligation. The Second Collection on that day will be for our St. Vincent de Paul Society and their work with the poor and the needy. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.

2013 BUDGET ENVELOPES are available for pickup in the Parish Center after all Masses. If you don't see your envelopes or have never used budget envelopes and would like to, please call the rectory at (508) 675-7206.

MASSES FOR JAN., FEB. AND MARCH are still available. We also have Vigil lamps available as an alternative way to have your loved one's remembered.

CCD SCHEDULE: THERE WILL BE NO CCD CLASS DURING WINTER BREAK. CLASSES WILL RESUME ON JANUARY 5, 2013.

ST. ROSE OF LIMA CHAPTER will meet on the last Sunday of December at 2PM in the Church for private prayer followed by their Monthly Meeting. All are asked to focus on the theme of World Peace as a New Year will soon be upon us.

THE HOLY SPIRIT SOCIETY will hold their Monthly Meeting on Tuesday, January 8th, at 6:30 PM in the Parish Center. A short Prayer Service will follow in the Parish Church.

JANUARY CALENDAR RAFFLE the Knights are having another CALENDAR RAFFLE to provide Scholarships to Catholic High Schools. Tickets are available from Fr. Joe or any of the knights. The Requirements and Applications for The Knights of Columbus #3669 Scholarships are available for those who wish to apply. Speak to our pastor for applications.

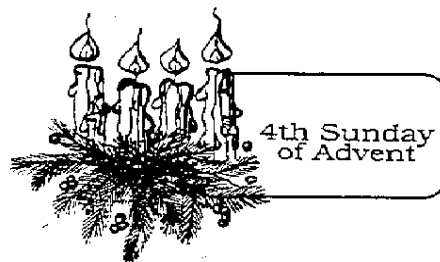
A WOMEN'S CONCERN: The Annual Baby Bottle Campaign sponsored by A WOMEN'S CONCERN is underway! Please pick up a Bottle if you wish to participate in this worthy cause. Bottles should be returned by December 30th.

ATTENTION YOUNG ADULTS: the Office of Faith Formations is holding it's annual young adult retreat from Friday, January 4 - Sunday, January 6 at the Sacred Hearts Retreat Center in Wareham. The theme this year is EPIPHANIES AND SACRED VISIONS. the cost is \$150 and is open to all young adults of college age through age 35. For more info contact Crystal-Lynn Medeiros at cmedeiros@dfrccec.com or at 508-678-2828 x24. Deadline is December 31st.

ST. DOMINIC WEB SITE: The site contains Parish information, organizations, ministries and resources that will be of interest to parishioners. The site is www.stdominicparish.org.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT:

Heavenly Father, during this fourth week of Advent help us to know the true meaning of Christmas as we prepare to celebrate the birth of Your son Jesus. Keep our minds focused on the great gift of Salvation that came in human form at His birth and is given to us again and again in the Eucharist. May we not be caught up in the "commercial trimmings" of this Holy Season but rejoice in our hearts each time we hear His Holy Name. Lord, lead us to share His Joy and Peace and Good Will to all. AMEN.



*Have a Happy
Holy Christmas Season!*