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Saint Anthony, Westbrook  
 Immaculate Heart of Mary, Currie  
 Saint Gabriel, Fulda  
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MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2018 – JANUARY 6, 2019 – YEAR B

Saturday Evening _____	5:30	Dec 29	Kathleen Sweetman† _____	Immaculate Heart of Mary
Sunday Morning _____	8:30	Dec 30	Helen Freking † _____	Saint Gabriel Church
Sunday Morning _____	10:30	Dec 30	Parishioners _____	Saint Anthony Church
<i>Tuesday Morning (Solemnity of Mary)</i>	8:30	Jan 01	_____	Immaculate Heart of Mary
<i>Tuesday Evening (Solemnity of Mary)</i>	5:30	Jan 01	† _____	Saint Anthony Church
Wednesday Morning _____	8:30	Jan 02	† _____	Saint Anthony Church
Thursday Morning _____	8:30	Jan 03	† _____	Immaculate Heart of Mary
Friday Morning _____	8:30	Jan 04	† _____	Saint Gabriel Church
Saturday Evening _____	5:30	Jan 05	† _____	Immaculate Heart of Mary
Sunday Morning _____	8:30	Jan 06	† _____	Saint Gabriel Church
Sunday Morning _____	10:30	Jan 06	_____	Saint Anthony Church

**FROM THE DESK OF MONSIGNOR HEITING**

*THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY...*

In our gospel from Saint Luke on this Feast of the Holy Family, we read about every parent's worst nightmare: a lost child. Heading to Jerusalem for the Feast of Passover, Mary and Joseph lost sight of Jesus not for a few hours, but for three days due to the immense crowd. Once found, Jesus was instructing the elders in the temple. Mary and Joseph admonish the Lord, and Jesus remains obedient to them, growing in wisdom, age, and grace. What meaning lies behind this story for us? Even the Holy Family experienced the terror of losing a loved one, if only for a brief period. As we pray to the Lord to strengthen our own families, let us not forget that the Holy Family can identify with the plight of all families, in both good times and bad.

*MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD...*

On Tuesday, January 1, 2019, the Church celebrates the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God, a holy day of obligation. Masses will be celebrated at 8:30 AM at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Currie, and at 5:30 PM at Saint Gabriel Parish in Fulda. As we begin a New Year on that day, come and give thanks to the Mother of God for the many graces and blessings that we all enjoy through the intercession of her son, Jesus.

*PARISH CLUSTER WISHES...*

We extend our sympathy and prayers to the family of Immaculate Heart of Mary parishioner John Calix Pommier, whose funeral was celebrated at the parish church on December 22, 2018. We also extend our sympathy and prayers to Saint Gabriel parishioner Don Fuerstenberg on the recent death of his daughter, Melea Maynard. May their souls and the souls of all of the faithfully departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

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***WHEN WE HAVE A WINTER WEATHER WARNING.....***

IF THE SATURDAY NIGHT MASS IN CURRIE OR THE SUNDAY MORNING MASSES IN FULDA & WESTBROOK ARE TO BE CANCELLED, IT WILL BE ANNOUNCED OVER RADIO STATION KJOE 106.1 FM IN SLAYTON. DURING BAD WINTER WEATHER, BE SURE TO CHECK BEFORE VENTURING OUT!

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***NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE***

Tuesday, January 1, 2019 – Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

- 8:30 AM Mass – Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Currie
- 5:30 PM Mass – Saint Gabriel Parish, Fulda.

\*There will not be a 10:00 AM Mass or Prayer Service at Maple Lawn Nursing Home in Fulda that day.

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***TRI-PARISH WEBSITE...Go to: [www.triparishcfw.org](http://www.triparishcfw.org)***

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**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES and TRI-PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**BEGINNING EXPERIENCE OF MARSHALL/SW MINNESOTA**, a peer ministry support group for widowed, separated and divorced people is offering its "Coping With Life Alone" Series for ten weeks beginning Jan. 14, 2019. This series is designed for those wishing to work through the grieving process following the loss of a loved one. The Monday night sessions begin at 7:00 P.M. at the First Lutheran Church on Church and "A" Street in Marshall, MN. Registration is held the first two Monday nights starting at 6:30 P.M. Registration is then closed for that session. The support group is open to people of all denominations. There is a \$75 fee to cover the cost of materials. If you wish to pre-register or have other questions, contact: Laurie W: 507-829-4004 or wall.laurie33@gmail.com; MaryAnn S.: 507-828-2866 or maryannschultz83@gmail.com; Mary J.: 507-872-6251 or yote1@centurytel.net

**POPE'S WORLD DAY OF PEACE PROCLAMATION!** On January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019, Pope Francis will mark the annual World Day of Peace with a message titled: "**Good Politics is at the Service of Peace.**" You can read the message and find prayer and activity resources by going to our Bishops' website: <http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/war-and-peace/world-day-of-peace.cfm>

**CATHOLICS AT THE CAPITOL 2018:** Now is the time to begin to transform politics in Minnesota. Join your local bishop and 2,000+ Catholics in St. Paul on Tuesday, February 19th to learn how you can build relationships with your newly elected officials and advocate for life and human dignity. Get your tickets, register for transportation, and find more details about this inspiring day of prayer, education, and advocacy by visiting [www.CatholicsAtTheCapitol.org](http://www.CatholicsAtTheCapitol.org).

**IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

**Financial Support for December 22 & Christmas Eve, 2018:** Adult: \$ Plate: \$ Donations:\$

**Liturgical Roles for Jan 01 & 05, 2019**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>GIFT BEARERS</u>	<u>SONG LEADER</u>	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>E. MINISTERS</u>
1/1	Katelyn Ruppert Zachery Ruppert	Jim & Desneige Gervais	Ken Schmitt	Marcia Schreier	Elaine Schlichte; Tim & Kris Rignell
1/5	Levi Kopperud Lauren Moline	Chuck Ankrum Family	Alyssa Overman	Gabbie Gervais	Romane Dold;Loretta Gervais Pam Jacobson

**Ushers:** Kate Schmitt, Jason Schreier, Loretta Gervais, Matt Surprenant

**\*\*\*\*Note: If you are unable to attend Mass on your assigned date, please find your own replacement\*\*\*\***

**BULLETIN:** Patty LeClaire (507-763-3873) or triparish@live.com **Announcements due by Thursday Noon**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN OUR PARISH?** Please contact Kim Olafson (763-3515).

**PARISH AREA CALENDAR:** Romane Dold (763-3207)

**Parish Nurse:** Darlene Mechtenberg (763-3185)

**PARISH PHOTO BULLETIN BOARD:** If you have a family member who has received the sacrament of Baptism, First Holy Communion or Matrimony and have a photo to share for the bulletin board please contact Mary Arnold at 507 828-7930. Photos will be returned

**FUNERAL LUNCHEONS:** Contact Patti Dold (763-3207) or Deb Johnson (763-3229) or Jackie Ruppert (763-3491)

**PRAYER CHAIN:** Contact Myrna Surprenant at (629-4344) to add a prayer request or to be a part of the prayer chain.

**COMMUNION FOR THE ILL, HOSPITALIZED, OR HOMEBOUND:** Contact Beverly Schreier (836-6073), Julie Hanson (763-3818), Marcia Schreier (763-3817) or Marianne Ankrum (629-3047) if you or someone you know would like to receive holy Eucharist.

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***FROM THE DESK OF Dawn Kopperud, DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS ED (DRE)***

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**\*\*Follow us on Facebook at IHM Youth Ministry\*\***

**Faith Formation:** Christmas Break

**Confirmation:**

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**Thought for the week:** *Some minds are like concrete...thoroughly mixed up and permanently set*

**ST. MARY'S SCHOOL RAFFLE WINNER:** St. Mary's Weekly Calendar Raffle Winner: St. Mary's Weekly Calendar Raffle Winner: Dec 21 - Ryan Bottelberghe \$100; Dec 28 - Tom & Julie Dolan \$100

**2019 RELIGIOUS CALENDARS:** The new calendars are available at the church entries. Each family should have one in their home. As in the past, Totzke Funeral Homes of Slayton & Fulda, are providing them. Please extend your appreciation to Todd or Marquis when you see them.

**CONDOLENCES:** Sympathy is extended to the family of John Calix Pommier. Calix passed away on December 14 at the age of 91. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Saturday, Dec. 22 here at IHM with burial following in IHM Calvary Cemetery. May he rest in peace.

**CHRISTMAS FLOWERS:** Special thanks, once again, to John and Nancy Malone for providing the beautiful Christmas flowers for the church in memory of their son, Jameson.

**CHURCH SUPPORT ENVELOPES:** The 2019 envelopes are ready to be picked up from the east vestibule. Please take yours as soon as possible.

## SAINT ANTHONY CHURCH

Financial Support for December 16 & 23 & 25, 2018: Adult: \$.00 Plate: \$.00 Not available at printing

### Liturgical Roles for January 6, 2019

DATE	SERVERS	GREETERS/USHERS/GIFTS	LECTOR	E. MINISTERS	CLEANING
1/6	Elijah Mason	Ed & Laurie Olsem	Annie Woelber	Chris Kuehl, Nicki Peterson Dorothy Wagner	Sheryl Woelber Annie Woelber

**\*Note: If you are unable to attend Mass on your assigned date, please find your own replacement.\*\*\***

To submit an announcement to the bulletin, leave a message at St. Anthony's (274-5946) or Carole Quade at 507- 830-0203 by Wednesday noon each week or submit via e-mail to [triparish@live.com](mailto:triparish@live.com).

**MASS INTENTIONS:** If you would like to have a Mass said in memory of a family or parish member, pick up an envelope in the back of church, include \$5 and the name of the person the Mass will be for and place in the collection basket or give to Joyce.

**PRAYER SERVICE AT GOOD SAMARITAN:** St. Anthony's will be leading the ecumenical prayer service at the Westbrook Good Samaritan nursing home on Sunday, January 6th at 9:30am. Contact Joyce if you can help.

**GIVING ENVELOPES:** Contribution envelopes for 2019 are available in the back of church. Please stop by and pick yours up. We are grateful for everyone's generosity this past year.

### IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - JANUARY 2019

DATE	SERVERS	GIFT BEARERS	SONG LEADER	LECTOR	E. MINISTERS
1/1 8:30 a.m.	Katelyn Ruppert Zachery Ruppert	Jim & Desneige Gervais	Ken Schmitt	Marcia Schreier	Elaine Schlichte; Tim & Kris Rignell
1/5	Levi Kopperud Lauren Moline	Chuck Ankrum Family	Alyssa Overman	Gabbie Gervais	Romane Dold;Loretta Gervais Pam Jacobson
1/12	Alandra Hansen Megan Surprenant	Paul Jacobson Family	Nico Doom	Linnea Surprenant	Ken & Kate Schmitt Jackie Ruppert
1/19	Tyler Arnold Dawson Schreier	Mark Gervais Family	Linnea Surprenant	Ken Schmitt	Joe & Marcia Schreier Shari Schreier
1/26	Nicholas Ankrum Jeret Ankrum	Mike Gervais Family	Marcia Schreier	Matt Kopperud	Dawn Kopperud, Romane Dold Pam Jacobson

Ushers: Kate Schmitt, Jason Schreier, Loretta Gervais, Matt Surprenant

### IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY - FEBRUARY 2019

DATE	SERVERS	GIFT BEARERS	SONG LEADER	LECTOR	E. MINISTERS
2/2	Emma Edwards Allison Edwards	John Overman Family	Ken Schmitt	Linnea Surprenant	Francis & Loretta Gervais Elaine Schlichte
2/9	Lauren Moline Levi Kopperud	Ken & Kate Schmitt	Alyssa Overman	Matt Surprenant	Kris & Tim Rignell Jackie Ruppert
2/16	Alandra Hansen Megan Surprenant	Bev Schreier & Helper	Nico Doom	Joe Schreier	Ken & Kate Schmitt Shari Schreier
2/23	Abby Overman Aaron Overman	Matt Surprenant Family	Linnea Surprenant	Jim Gervais	Joe & Marcia Schreier Dawn Kopperud

Ushers: Mary Arnold, Dave LeClaire, Mike Schreier

**St. Anthony Liturgical Roles -January 2019**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>SERVERS</b>	<b>GREETERS/USHERS/GIFTS</b>	<b>LECTOR</b>	<b>E. MINISTERS</b>	<b>CLEANING</b>
1/6	Elijah Mason	Ed & Laurie Olsem	Annie Woelber	Chris Kuehl, Nicki Peterson Dorothy Wagner	Sheryl Woelber Annie Woelber
1/13	Orion Ella	Leo & Joan Olsem	Carol Eisfeld	Ann Jenniges, Larry Kirchner Gene Olsem	Angie Benson Deb Berg
1/20	Nathan Neil	Warren & Nicki Peterson	Chris Kuehl	Shelly Merrick, Carol Olsem Kathy Schweim	Nancy Boeck Nancy Burns
1/27	Addeson Hudsen	Austin & Kassandra Quade	Shelly Merrick	Joan Jorgenson, Joyce Vortherms, Sophie Jenniges	Patty Carlson Carol Eisfeld

**St. Anthony Liturgical Roles-February 2019**

<b><u>DATE</u></b>	<b><u>SERVERS</u></b>	<b><u>GREETERS/USHERS</u></b>	<b><u>LECTOR</u></b>	<b><u>E. MINISTERS</u></b>	<b><u>CLEANING</u></b>
2/3		Carole Quade Kathy Schweim	Carole Quade	Chris Kuehl, Nicki Peterson Kathy Schweim	Becky Full Marsha Hansen
2/10		Scott & Judy Schoborg	Marsha Hansen	Larry Kirchner, Gene Olsem Dorothy Wagner	Carol Hovde Ann Jenniges
2/17		Leo & Dorothy Wagner	Joan Olsem	Ann Jenniges, Shelly Merrick Joyce Vortherms	Sophie Jenniges Cindy Jensen
2/24		Jeff & Kelly Weis	Pat Merrick	Sophie Jenniges, Joan Jorgenson, Nicki Peterson	Martha Jensen Elizabeth Johnson