

Christmas Flower Bulletin



2020

December, 2020

My Dear Friends,

On behalf of myself, Deacon Garrow and the staff here at St. Ann parish, I wish you all the peace and joy of Christ, the Son of God, whose birth we celebrate today. What will Christmas be like for us this year? For so many of us, it will be much different than in years past because of the Covid-19 pandemic. Our celebrations may be much simpler and much quieter than we are accustomed to. It is more important than ever to remember the message of love and promise of peace that this day represents. We must keep these ideas at the forefronts of our minds as we end this year and begin anew in 2021.

Even though different, this Christmas *truly* can be the same in many ways, despite the societal changes and challenges 2020 has brought to our everyday lives. Most importantly, we will still prepare for Jesus' birth in the spiritual way. We can attend Mass—either in-person or online; we can even go to Confession and receive Holy Communion if our health and safety allows.


I also encourage you to enjoy the other things that represent Christmas; you can still exchange greeting cards and give gifts to friends and family. You can have get-togethers with family & friends—though they will most likely involve “FaceTime” or “Zoom” or “Skype”! We are fortunate to have technology to connect us in these ways; maintaining that feeling of togetherness is vital to our health & well-being. Partaking in these activities will help keep Christmas and its' message in your heart and can give you a positive outlook on the year to come. It will support you, strengthen you, sustain you; and it may even help you help someone else who may not be feeling that way. Sharing your faith and belief in Jesus may just be the gift a friend or family member needs this year!

We appreciate and thank you all for the abundance of support you have given during this season and throughout this most unusual year, whether it be physical, spiritual or financial. Many thanks also go out to all who helped us celebrate the Lord's birthday: our musicians, ushers, Altar Servers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, and our parish staff. We also thank those who helped to decorate the church and generously donated to this Christmas Flower Fund. Be well, stay healthy!

Sincerely,



Fr. John G. Feltz
Pastor



Rev. Mr. Paul Garrow
Deacon



**The following have given flowers in memory and honor of loved ones.
Please remember them and their intentions in your prayers.**



**Timothy Feltz, deceased members
of the Feltz & Skiba Families,
Frs. Otto, Edmond, Nichols & Raymond, and
deceased priests and deacons of St. Ann Parish
by Father John Feltz**

**Mike Adams, Kenneth R. & Elizabeth Adams,
and Ernest & Yvette Ratte
by Jeanette Adams**

**Clairette & Roland Berard
by Gregory & Nancy Berard**

**Deceased members of the Berteau, Gilbert, Daigneault,
Cyr, Bessette and Abercrombie families
by David & Renee Berteau**

**LeClair family
by the Bissonnette family**

**The Tucker and Boivin families
by Michael & Carol Boivin**

**Marcel & Evelyn Doyon, Raymond & Donna Boutin
and Brandon Preedom
by Dan and Kathy Boutin**

**Shirley (King) Bennett, The Bluto family—Austin Sr.,
Austin, Jr., Clara, Constance, Cora, Dorothy, Francis,
Gladys, Larand, and Roland, Sr.; the Bruchs family—Aline,
Leslie, Richard and Ruth; James Goodwin, Robert Gordon;
the Gratton family—Charlotte, Joseph, Verna; The King
family—Carl, Francis, Helena (Beryl), Henry, Martha, Myra
and Ned; Evangeline (Vange) and Louis Morin,
Dorothy (King) and Fletcher (Bud) Perry, Jr.;
Raymond Provost, Alma & Keith Santor,
and Elizabeth, Fred & George Sweeney
by Carlene Bruchs**

**Virginia C. Peck
by the Brunelle family**

**Theresa & Robert Stowell, Arlitha Racine,
Edith & Dennis Racine, and all parish members
by Alice Buinicky**

**Michael Burnham and John Lancaster
by Mark & Donna Burnham**

**Marcel & Catherine Latour, Harold, Marion & Bud Burke,
Darwin Dockum and Frank King
by Stephen & Jeanette Burke**

**Bernice Charland, Maurice Charland,
Ruth Cannon and Katherine Charland
By James & Karen Cannon**

**Louis Belrose, Margaret Belrose,
Richard Concannon and Margaret Concannon
by James & Carol Concannon**

**Paul & Kay Paulsen, and Clem & Arlene Couillard
By Bob & Karin Couillard**

**Deceased members of the Curran and Niles families
by Nancy & Tom Curran**

**George & Marion Cushing, William & Marguerite Wimble,
Theresa Savoy & Brian Desranleau
by John and Linda Cushing**

**For all living & deceased members
of the Fay & Demers families
by Andre & Cheryl Demers**

**John Cort-Desrochers, Patricia Anne Desrochers,
and Ina Lamphear
by James S. Desrochers**

**Deceased members of the Foisy & Henry families
by Thomas & Gaila Foisy**

**The Gauthier and Beaudoin families
By Donald & Sue Gauthier**

**The Gilbert and Brisson families,
and Gordie LaFountain, Sr.
by Lloyd & Sandy Gilbert**

**Our deceased loved ones
By Rick & Judy Grupp**

**James Hamilton, Merle Hamilton,
Marie & Henry Therriault, David Curtis, Sr.,
Julia Adams and Rita Paquette
by Nicole Hamilton**

**Mom & Dad Hempstead, Mom & Dad Hoffman,
and Covid patients
by Tom & Tracey Hempstead**

**Patrick Hurley, Sr., Edith Hurley,
Merrill Hamilton and Patricia Hamilton
by Charlie & Auree Hurley**

**Carol Jane Johnson
by Ebenezer Johnson**

**Deceased family & friends of the Riley & Joseph families
by Mike and Amy Joseph**

**Deceased members of the Kelm, Barrett,
Betz and Zarzecki families
by the Kelm Family**

**In memory of the Trayah family, the Savoy family,
the Lammly family and the Votta family
by Andrea & Chris Lammly**

**William Bachand and Daniel Hamlin
by Ken & Holly Lane**

**The deceased members of the Lambert & Lavallee families
and Denise Lavigne
by Peter & Rita Lavallee**

**Claire Lazzaro, Joseph Lazzaro, Fred Demar
and Steve Kowalchuk
by The Lazzaro family**

**The Malila, Bosa, Liimatainen and Leveille families
by Ed & Liz Malila**

**Leo Martin, Angelina, Paul & Napoleon Cadieux
by Simone Martin**

**Ralph & Marie Carlson and Ken & Helen Mayville
by Bill & Ruth Mayville**

**Joseph Garthaffner family, John Garthaffner family,
Francis Garthaffner family, Thomas & Joseph McKenna,
Margaret Lefebvre and Gregory Babcock
by Marguerite McKenna**

**The Fleming & McNamara families
by Raymond & Nancy McNamara**

**Leo Zeno, Norma Lavalley,
Harris & Sally Mauldin and Flora Hall
by Mitchell & Dot Melton**

**Michael Moore
by Gary & Etleva Moore**

**Dawson Mosher and the Mosher and Shemon Families
by David & Dorene Mosher**

**Roland & Clairette Berard, Louis Jr., & Annette Mossey,
Vincent Berard, Mike Bliss and Linda LaRocque
by Louis III & Anne Mossey**

**Mr. & Mrs. Vernon Burke,
Armand (Jim) Myers, Paul Burke and Mary Gerace
by Jim & Claire Myers**

Mary Goddard & Albert Goddard by Pauline Parrotte

**Langdon & Ruth Peters
by Wayne & Darcey Peters**

**W. Harvey Wesson and
deceased members of the Wesson and Pfaff families
by Alan & Joanne Pfaff**

**Ernst Preiss, Kenneth G. & Irene Adams,
Edward & Caroline Desranleau
and Gordon & Florence Adams
by Annette Preiss**

**The Hubert Dewyea family and Ernest & Yvette Ratte
by Ed & Gloria Ratte**



**Gonyeau & Robar families and Angela Barsalow
by Barbara Robar**

**Hope Ava Rouse
by Brock & Karen Rouse**

**Jean & Shirley Desranleau and Alan & Lois Rouse
by Duane & Teresa Rouse**

**Deceased members of the Connor, Howrigan, Rowley and
Lombard families
By Lawrence & Clare Rowley**

**Betty Cross, Tammy (Turner) Juaire and
the Ryan and Underwood families
by Billy & Sally Ryan**

**Deceased members of the Shaheen and Hatem families
by Marcia-Jane Scott
Ray Shahoud and the deceased members of the Joyal family
by Nora Shahoud**

**Charles M. Turner
by Patrick & Jade Shanahan**

**Families of Reggie & Terry Smith
by Reggie & Terry Smith**

**The deceased members of the Sonnicks, O'Connor,
O'Leary, and O'Brien families
by John & Eileen Sonnicks**

**Mr. & Mrs. Francis Goddette, Mr. & Mrs. Ludic Valley,
Thelma Goddette and Mary Merchant
By David & Marion Valley**

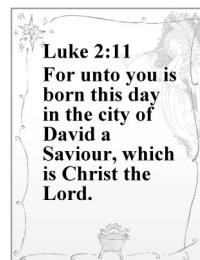
**Albert & Alma Bissonnette, Russell & Misty Lee Verwey,
Denise Hendee and Mark Bliss
By Sally Verwey**

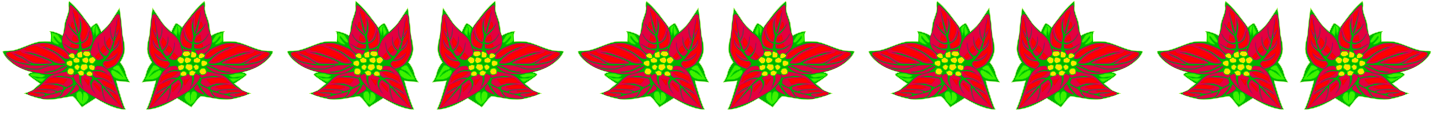
**W. Harvey Wesson and Fernand & Marie Comtois,
Ralph & Jessie Whitehead and Walter & Verna Wesson
by Jocelyne Wesson**

**Donald T. Williams & Loretta M. Beaupre
By Sandra Williams**

**Deceased members of the Williams, Courville
and Fournier families
by Dennis & Lorette Williams**

**Jean & Shirley Desranleau, Gilbert & Inez Wise,
Phil & Janice Wilson, and Bob Wilson
by Scott & Louise Wise**





The following people have made monetary donations to our Christmas Flower Fund.
Please also remember them in your prayers!

Raymond & Diane Aubin
Gerard & Joan Bergeron
Chester & Ann Brunell
Jeanette Cavanaugh
Bernie & Mary Dee
Michael & Michelle Desranleau
Kelly Dorman
David & Kathy Dulac
Deacon Paul & Tina Garrow
Tim Gendron
Richard & Judy Grupp
Nancy Hayes
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Kaye Lyons
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Lee & Rose Marie Ryea
Peter & Joan Smith
Gille & Polly Thibault
Michael & Carol Thompson
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Pat & Mike Weaver
Rosemarie White
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The Magnificat

“My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord; My spirit rejoices in God my savior.

*For he has looked upon His handmaid’s lowliness;
behold, from now on will all ages call me blessed.*

The Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name.

His mercy is from age to age to those who fear him.

He has shown might with his arm, dispersed the arrogant of mind and heart.

He has thrown down the rulers from their thrones but lifted up the lowly.

The hungry he has filled with good things; the rich he has sent away empty.

*He has helped Israel his servant, remembering his mercy,
according to his promise to our fathers, to Abraham and to his descendants forever.”*