

**CHURCH OF ST. JOSEPH P.O. Box 366 Grey Eagle
January 8, 2017 The Epiphany of the Lord**

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MASS INTENTIONS:

Tues 10 8:30 am No Mass
Wed. 11 8:30 am Communion Service (MM)
Thurs 12 8:30 am No Mass
Sat. 14 4:30 pm † Rudolph & Evelyn Muellner
Sun. 15 8:30 am † Bertha Theisen

www.stclouddiocese.org
St. Cloud Diocese Web Site
www.stjosephgreyeagle.org
St. Joseph Parish Website

RECONCILIATION
Sat. 3:30 – 4:00 pm in G.E.

Catholic United Financial will be having a potluck brunch after Mass followed by a quarterly meeting on Sunday, Jan. 8 in the hall. All members are invited to attend.

Fellowship will be held after Mass on Sunday, Jan. 15.

Taking down the Christmas decorations will be on Sunday, Jan. 15 after Mass. All help is greatly appreciated!

Parish Census: 284 completed THANK YOU: 45 Parishioners have not responded. It is very important that we have our records up to date, and all of your help is greatly appreciated. If you don't have a land line and only use your cell phone number, please let us know. If you have questions call Cindy, Parish Secretary at 320-285-2545.

Free Throw Contest sponsored by The Grey Eagle/Swanville Knights of Columbus, for boys and girls ages 9-14. Competition will be at the Swanville High School on Jan. 8 from 9:00 am until noon. All contestants on the local level are recognized for their participation in the event. Participants are required to furnish proof of age and written parental consent. Registration forms are in the church hall.

Knights of Columbus meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 17 at 7:30 pm in Swanville.

Fr. Ron Dockendorf's CD's featuring old time, country, religious and other tunes are still available for only \$10. They can be picked up at the parish office or at the Grey Eagle Gas and Grocery in Grey Eagle. Proceeds go to the Poor Clare Sisters of Sauk Rapids, MN.

Automatic Contributions: If you are interested in making your contributions to St. Joseph automatically through your checking account, please contact the parish office, 320-285-2545 or email sjoseph@meltel.net

Saint Benedict's Monastery will be hosting a Come and see weekend On Saturday January 14th beginning at 9:00 am until Sunday January 15th ending at 2:00 pm. We are inviting single women between the ages of 22-45 to spend some time with us. We would like you to experience our community life. You would spend time in prayer, conversation and meals with the sisters and stay in our Welcoming house with two sisters and other participants. If you are interested or wish to register contact Sister Lisa Rose for more information at 1-320-363-7180 or email at rose@csbsju.edu.

FORTY-FORTH (44TH) ANNUAL PRO-LIFE Commemoration Dinner will be Jan. 29th at the Falls Ballroom in Little Falls 12:50 to 2:00 P.M. Call Jim & Arlene Bieniek 320-584-5235 for information & tickets. Guest speakers are coming. Sponsored by the Morrison County Chapter of MCCL.

Marriage Preparation Course for the Sauk Centre & Melrose Deaneries will be March 11 and 12, 2017 at Holy Family School cafeteria in Sauk Centre, MN. The cost is \$175. For more details call the Grey Eagle office at 320-285-2545 or email at sjoseph@meltel.net

Faith Formation News

January 11: No Faith Formation Mass or Class

January 18: Class for everyone at 6:30 pm

January 25: First Reconciliation/Retreat (2nd graders and a parent/guardian)
Confirmation Learning Stations (Confirmation Students and a parent/guardian)

The full Faith Formation Schedule can be found on our website www.stjosephgreyeagle.org

COLLECTION: Dec. 31 and Jan. 1, 4:30 P.M. 290 8:30 A.M.146 Adult \$3529. Youth \$3.00 Loose Collections \$1921.80
Christmas Flowers \$12.56=\$859.56 Christmas \$681. Initial Offering \$357 Solemnity of Mary \$632. Total \$7,136.36

Thank you for your generosity!
