Merry Christmas!

Fr. Mathias and Fr. Peter both wish you a very merry Christmas. Thank you for celebrating with us at Mass, as we marvel at the Nativity of the Son of God. We pray that the coming of the Prince of Peace brings you peace and hope in the midst of a chaotic world.



From the Great Kremmling Christmas Tree Hunt of 2023

The Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God

We celebrate this feast on January 1. This year it falls on a Monday so it is not a holy day of obligation. However, we will have two Masses Monday morning

- -at St. Anne at 8:30 a.m.
- -at Our Lady of the Snow at 8:30 a.m.
- in honor of the Mother of God

Blessing of a Christmas Manger or Nativity Scene

All make the sign of the cross as the leader says: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

R/. Who made heaven and earth.

One of those present or the leader reads a text of sacred Scripture, for example:

Listen to the words of the holy Gospel according to

Luke: (read Luke 2:1-8)

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

R/. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The leader prays with hands joined:

God of every nation and people, from the very beginning of creation you have made manifest your love: when our need for a Savior was great you sent your Son to be born of the Virgin Mary. To our lives he brings joy and peace, justice, mercy, and love.

Lord, bless all who look upon this manger; may it remind us of the humble birth of Jesus, and raise our thoughts to him, who is God-with-us and Savior of all, and who lives and reigns forever and ever.

R/. Amen

Christmas Carols Before Mass

You are invited to come 20 minutes early for the Masses below marked with a "*" for Christmas carols. Our organist Faythe will be playing at the Masses in Granby and will take carol requests.

Christmas Mass Schedule

Sunday, December 24 (Christmas Eve)

St. Bernard, *4:30 and *6:30 and 8:15 p.m.

Our Lady of the Snow, *5 p.m.

St. Anne, *5 p.m.

Monday, December 25

St. Bernard, 7 and 9 a.m.

Our Lady of the Snow, *9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m. Spanish

St. Peter (Kremmling), *10 a.m.

St. Ignatius (Walden), 1 p.m.

Mass Collections, December 16 & 17		
St. Anne	\$2588	
St. Bernard	1464	
Our Lady of the Snow	1467	
St. Peter	357	
St. Ignatius	<u>382</u>	
Total	\$6258	

Vocations Prayer Calendar

Please pray for our seminarians every day.

Sun – Evan Kafer & Jesee Lopez

Mon – Joseph Machado & Thomas Myers

Tue – Francisco Perez & Joseph Tynan

Wed – Steven Zarian & Br. Nathanael Campion

Thu - Kent Cordero Bascos & Br. Simon Faber

Fri – Jeremiah Hernandez & James Joseph

Sat – Rafael Lerma & Luke Metzer

Mass Intentions and Schedule for StA, StB, and OLS

KEY: StA = St. Anne; StB = St. Bernard; OLS = Our Lady of the Snow

-Sun, Dec 24, StB, 4:30 p.m., Parishioners & Visitors

-Sun, Dec 24, StB, 6:30 p.m., Fr. Brady's Intention

-Sun, Dec 24, StB, 8:15 p.m., Fr. Peter's Family

-Sun, Dec 24, StA, 5:00 p.m., Parishioners & Visitors

-Sun, Dec 24, OLS, 5:00 p.m., Parishioners & Visitors

-Mon, Dec 25, StB, 7:00 a.m., +James Davlin

-Mon, Dec 25, StB, 9:00 a.m., Fr. Brady's Intention

-Mon, Dec 25, OLS, 9:30 a.m., +Paz Diaz

-Mon, Dec 25, OLS, 11:00 a.m., Special Intention

-Tue, Dec 26, OLS, 7:30 a.m., Fr. Mathias' Intention

-Tue, Dec 26, OLS, 7:00 p.m., Special Intention

-Wed, Dec 27, StB, 8:30 a.m., Jim Barron

-Thu, Dec 28, OLS, 8:30 a.m., Jaime & Jackie Carrillo

-Thu, Dec 28, OLS, 6:00 p.m., +Margot Thompson

-Fri, Dec 29, OLS, 8:30 a.m., +Hermine Eone

-Sat, Dec 30, StB, 4:00 p.m., Fr. Mathias' Family

-Sat, Dec 30, StB, 5:30 p.m., Parishioners & Visitors

-Sat, Dec 30, StA, 5:00 p.m., Mary Wells

-Sun, Dec 31, StB, 7 a.m., Robert Neiberger

-Sun, Dec 31, OLS, 9:30 a.m., Fr. Mathias' Intention

Mass Intentions and Schedule for StP and StI

KEY: StP = St. Peter; StI = St. Ignatius (Walden)

-Mon, Dec 25, StP, 10:00 a.m. Parishioners & Visitors

-Mon, Dec 25, StI, 1:00 p.m. Parishioners & Visitors

-Fri, Dec 29, StP, 7:00 p.m., Fr. Peter's Intention

-Sun, Dec 31, StP, 10:00 a.m., +Kedran Kuzelka

-Sun, Dec 31, StI, 1 p.m., Parishioners & Visitors