2017 Mission Appeal, November 11 – 12

Every year our parish invites in a missionary to share about our brothers and sisters from other, poorer places of our earth. Please welcome **Fr. Benjamin Franklin** on the weekend of Nov 11-12 at StA, StB, and OLS. He will be speaking on behalf of the diocese of Kumbakonam, India. This diocese has an area of 3,020 sq. mi. and is situated in Tamil Nadu, South India with a Catholic population of 2,130,000, which is just 6 % of the total population. It is served by 200 diocesan and 73 religious priests, 568 nuns and 15 trained lay catechists.

Two of their goals include: 1) Establishing 12 more new parishes, each with a new church and rectory. At present, there are 93 parishes and 621 missions-stations. 2) Providing all 126 Catholic schools in remote missions with better facilities tools, children's Bibles, a projector, catechetical materials in the form of DVDs, pictures, and books and workbooks to improve the quality of religious and faith formation of Catholic and non-Catholic students.

Make checks payable to our churches; we will write one big check and send it to the Archdiocese to forward.

Mass Schedule for the Immaculate Conception of Mary: Holy Day of Obligation (December 7 – 8)

-Thursday, December 7

St. Ignatius, 5:30 p.m.

-Friday, December 8

St. Bernard, 8:30 a.m.

St. Anne, 5 p.m.

Our Lady, 6:45 p.m.

St. Peter, 6:30 p.m.

Christmas Mass Schedule

This year Christmas falls on a Monday. We are obligated to go to Mass on the weekend, and then attend one Christmas Mass—two Masses.

-Sunday Evening (Christmas Eve), December 24

St. Bernard, 4:30 and 6:30 and 8 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.

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

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

Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration at St. Peter

Tues., Dec. 12; **Confession**, 5:30 p.m., **Mass**, 6:30 p.m. A fiesta potluck dinner follows the Mass.

Saturday Vigil Masses at St. Bernard begin Nov 18

Upcoming Second Collections

-November 11-12: Annual Mission Appeal

-November 25-26: Annual Christmas Families

Time Change on Saturday overnight, 4-5 November

"Orphan" Thanksgiving Dinner at Our Lady

When: Thanksgiving Day, 4 p.m. until?

Where: Our Lady of the Snow basement.

If you and your family do not have plans for Thanksgiving, join Fr. Peter and others for Thanksgiving dinner. Please call the office to let us know how many are coming: 970-887-0032.

Bring something that you enjoy to share with others.

Gems of Wisdom from the Diary of Saint Faustina

1037. I find myself so weak that were it not for Holy Communion I would fall continually. One thing alone sustains me, and that is Holy Communion. From It I draw my strength; in It is all my comfort. I fear life on days when I do not receive Holy Communion. ... From the tabernacle I draw strength, power, courage and light. Here, I seek consolation in time of anguish. I would not know how to give glory to God if I did not have the Eucharist in my heart.

Calendar of Events

-Dec 8 (Fri). Immaculate Conception—Holy Day -Jan 12 (Fri). PRC Pro-life Banquet at Younglife

| Mass Collections, October 28 – 29 | |
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| St. Anne | \$ 1603 |
| St. Bernard | 1048 |
| Our Lady of the Snow | 1517 |
| St. Peter | 629 |
| St. Ignatius | 557 |
| Total | \$ 5354 |

Vocations Prayer Calendar

Please pray for our seminarians every day.

Sat—John Croghan & Anthony Davis

Sun—Ryan Kent & John Stapleton

Mon—Peter Srsich & Patricio Chuquimarca

Tue—Justin Doerr & Juan Hernandez

Wed--Christopher Marbury & Christian Mast

Thu—Samuel Rendon & Cristian Rivera

Fri—Men and women applying for formation

Mass Intentions and Schedule for StA, StB, and OLS

KEY: StA = St. Anne; StB = St. Bernard;

OLS = Our Lady of the Snow

-Sat, Nov 4, StA, 5 p.m., Sean Ladd

-Sun, Nov 5, StB, 7 a.m., Parishioners and visitors

-Sun, Nov 5, OLS, 9:30 a.m., Peter and Mary K. Savarie

Weekday Masses

-Mon, Nov 6, StA, 8:30 a.m., All Souls 2

-Tue, Nov 7, OLS, 7:30 a.m., Keith and Debbie Morrison

-Wed, Nov 8, StB, 8:30 a.m., All Souls 3

-Thu, Nov 9, OLS, 8:30 a.m., James and Mary Walker

-Fri, Nov 10, OLS, 8:30 a.m., Lori Holden

Mass Intentions and Schedule for StP and StI

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

-Sun, Nov 5, StP, 10 a.m., George and Christine Eastment

-Sun, Nov 5, StI, 1 p.m., Parishioners and visitors