

Announcements and Activities

<u>Ministry</u>	<u>Dec 24</u>	<u>Dec 24(eve)</u>	<u>Dec 31</u>
Hospitality	TBA	Bronners	James& Flo
Readers	Lisa	Marie	Pam
Offerings	TBA	TBA	Gabe & Mary
Ministers of the Cup	TBA	Neil & James	Neil & James
Commentator	Marie	Liz	Neil

Bishop's Annual Appeal:

Are you willing...to commit yourself to working in the Lord's Vineyard?

October 1- December 31 2017

Every gift is greatly appreciated!

As of **December 18** our parish has had **9** pledges. The amount pledged is **\$4,060.00**

Christmas Hampers

You can request a Christmas hamper or nominate someone to receive one. You can also donate to the hamper program. Contact is Daniel Janzen of Carrot River Mennonite church. 1-306-768-2457. If you are donating to the hamper program, please make the cheques payable to "Carrot River Christmas Hampers". Your cheque can be left at the church or dropped off at the Credit Union-Arborfield or Carrot River branches.

Christmas greetings

A Christmas card was received from **April Jhon Embac** our sponsored child from Cotabato, Philippines. To read it please see the bulletin board at the back of the church.

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The Child Jesus resembled children everywhere. Yet, as God's Son, when the heavens opened, earth became part of the God's great mystery. A history of love began which still changes our lives. Mary is not a young, naive and sceptical woman. She is daring and her faith took her beyond reasonable limitations. May she inspire us to enter today to partake in the great mystery of faith!

André Beauchamp

Translated by Honore Kerwin Borrelli

Last week's collection total: **\$ 550.00 Thank You**

Our three parishes now have a website!

<https://pasquiacatholic.com/>. Check it out!! St Lucy Parish also has a Facebook page: **StLucyArborfield**

BULLETIN ITEMS - submit to stlucyarb@hotmail.com no later than Thursday of the week requiring the announcement.