



**Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee**  
**Christmas/Cold Weather Giving 2009**  
**Giving Suggestions**

**General Household Items:**

**Bedroom Items (Twin, Full, or Queen)**

- Blanket
- Pillow
- Sheets
- Small throw blanket
- Alarm Clock
- Transistor Radio

**Craft items, crayons, markers,  
art paper, board games, books,  
hand held electronic games, and  
toys for tots to teens!**

**Bathroom Items**

- Towel Set (bath towel, hand towel, wash cloth)
- Shampoo, conditioner, bath oils, deodorant, etc.
- Toothpaste, soap, body lotions, combs, brushes, etc.
- Men's cologne, Ladies' cologne or perfume

**Kitchen Items**

- 6" or 8" fry pan with lid
- 6" or 8" pot with lid
- Rice cooker
- Baking sheet
- Hot pads, trivet
- Dish towels, dish cloths
- Broom, dust pan, mop
- Wooden spoons
- Spatulas, whisks

**Medical Supplies**

- Thermometers, plastic gloves
- First aid kits, hand sanitizers

**Miscellaneous Items**

- Smoke alarms
- Carbon monoxide alarms
- Batteries

**Gift Cards in \$25 increments:**

Target, Kohls, K-Mart, Home Depot,  
Pick 'N Save, Sentry, El Rey,  
Gas Cards, Master Card or Visa Gift Cards.

**Baby/Child Supplies:**

- Diapers – all sizes
- Baby Wipes
- Underwear (tot and young child sizes)
- Home safety-proofing items:
  - Plug protectors
  - Latches for cupboards and drawers
  - Door knob protectors
  - Safety gates
  - Batteries for smoke detectors

**Please Note:** Catholic Charities cannot accept donations of baby formula or food.



# Join us for Family **Adventures!**

*A collection of Advent workshops for families*

**Sunday, December 6, 2009**

**Open House 11:30 am – 2 pm**

**Christ King Parish's North Hall**

**Admission:** A plate of cookies to share and / or a free will offering.

**Middle Schoolers and older that would like to set up, assist with the crafts, and/or take down, please contact Liz Kuhn at 258-2604 x33 or [kuhnl@christkingparish.org](mailto:kuhnl@christkingparish.org)**

***Prepare to celebrate Advent in a special way and create new family traditions.***

Labyrinth Prayer Experience    Mangers    Visit from St. Nicholas

Christmas Carols    Cookie Baking for Kyle's Corner

Advent Wreaths    Angel & Bell Ornaments w/"It's a Wonderful Life"

Pine Cone Ornaments    Christmas Bingo    and much more...!

**Sponsored by the Religious Education Programs of District 12**

43<sup>rd</sup> Annual

Women of St. Sebastian Holiday Boutique & Luncheon

# IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE

Saturday, December 5<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, December 6<sup>th</sup>



2009

## Angel Icon

*The Boutique Angel Icon was designed to represent the idea expressed in the movie "It's a Wonderful Life," the theme of this year's boutique. Every time a bell rings an angel gets its wings.*

*We want to remind everyone who hears our bells ring at St. Sebastian Church of this message. It speaks to our boutique theme, but also of the greater message regarding the angels among us - spiritual and human. We have all encountered people in our parish whose actions are above expectations - we could call them angelic. This symbol reminds us of those angels among us and how they generously contribute to our parish community and enrich each of our lives.*

*The actual design of the icon is a bell, representing our church bell. The "wings" are in the shape of an S, one on each side, to stand for St. Sebastian.*

## BOUTIQUE TALK 4

### BOUTIQUE is ...

a St. Sebastian holiday tradition since 1966. For 43 years family and friends look forward to "Boutique" always held on the first Saturday of December. Many think of it as the official kick-off to the Christmas season, others as a chance to spend holiday time with family before the rush begins. AND there is something for everyone to enjoy.

### THE 2009 HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE BOOTHS

### Craft Shoppe

Some of the unique items you can look forward to purchasing include paper candy boxes, gift card holders, folding photo books, fabric bags, folded tree napkins, button bracelets and earrings, furnace glass bracelets and earrings, silverware wind chimes, poinsettia snowflake ornaments and acrylic angel ornaments.

If anyone is making crafts items for Christmas, please consider making a few extra to donate to the craft booth. Contact Connie Holzinger at 414-873-1343 or [mholzinger@execpc.com](mailto:mholzinger@execpc.com) who would gladly accept your unique style of crafting.

### Bailey's Sweets

Christmas baking is one Christmas tradition that keeps on giving. If you love to bake, Ann Hug (414-475-1053) and Kathy Moeschberger (414-774-0396) would love to hear from you. As you begin to start your ovens, bake a few extra cookies, breads or tasty treats and donate them to Bailey's Sweet Shoppe. Favorites include Christmas cookies, sweet breads, coffee cakes, chocolate covered pretzels, homemade candies and bars.

#### Bakery Drop Off

Bakery drop off is all day Friday, Dec. 4 in the Church Hall no later than 7 P.M. Please mark your contribution with your name, phone number, item name, and whether your baked item contains nuts. If you would like your container returned, please also indicate that and put your name on the bottom of the container. There will also be a sign-in sheet available when you drop your bakery off. Please be sure to fill it out.

#### Other Baking Ideas

We'd love if you contributed the ever-popular Raspberry Razzle, an all-time Boutique favorite.

Share your traditional family recipes with your Sebs family. Include your children in the baking experience.

Most importantly, stop by and stock up on sweet delights for upcoming parties.

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>

9:00 - 12:00	Shopping
12:30 - 1:30	Luncheon
1:30	Raffle
2:00	Shopping

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup>

After 8:00 & 10:30 Mass  
Pancake Breakfast with Santa and Friends

## Bedford Falls Café

In keeping with our *It's a Wonderful Life* theme, Jo Ann Stasiewicz (414-456-0299) and Judy Ballard (414-771-8952) will be brewing up a special treat at the Bedford Falls Café, featuring locally roasted Alterra coffee in decaf, light and hearty blends, purchased from our 8<sup>th</sup> graders. You can also enjoy hot cocoa, tea and bakery treats. Purchase a Christmas mug to enjoy your beverage as you walk the streets of Bedford Falls or just sit, relax and visit with friends.

## Clarence's Personalized Ornaments

This is a must to begin or add to your CWSS Holiday Ornament Collection. This year angels and bells will ring in the holiday season. Feel in a craft mood and want to help make and paint ornaments? Contact Kathy Endrizzi at 414-475-5173 and she'll put your talents to good use.

## Decorating Committee

We need your help! Please consider joining us as we transform the Church Hall into the streets of Bedford Falls on Dec. 3 & 4. We will also need help with tear down on Sunday. Call Mary Voell at 414-771-0806 for details.

## Main Street

### RAFFLE

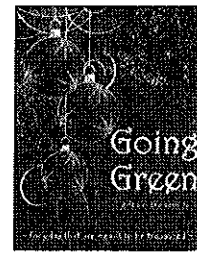
Here is a preview of the great prizes you can win: **\$200 Scrip; 3 Dr. Seuss Christmas trees; 4 Brewers tickets and a TGIF restaurant certificate; \$100 Gift certificate to the Harwood Hair Company.** We will have raffle tickets in the Nov. 29 bulletins. We can always use additional items. Contact Stephanie Netzel at 414-778-1678 or [snetzel2@wi.rr.com](mailto:snetzel2@wi.rr.com).

## Mary Bailey's Really Knit Stuff

There are comfort foods, and comfort hats, mittens, blankets, and sweaters. Hand knit and crocheted items bring pleasure to the creator and wearer alike. Do you like to work with yarn - then contribute your creations? Contact Mary Voell at 414-771-0806.

## Casting Call for Hello Dolly Waiters

Our most gentlemanly waitstaff have **WOWED** us for years and at each event they bring holiday joy. Joy Kitzerow has the privilege of coordinating this very special parish army and if you'd like to join their ranks give her a call at 414-475-5995. No experience needed!



**Going Green Treasures**  
*Formerly Second Hand Rose*  
Think of this booth as the "Green" Christmas place to find new, slightly used or re-gifted treasures. Small antiques are especially appreciated. Please drop off your donations at the Parish House. Drop-off in the Church Hall Dec 3 & 4. Contact Teri Duffy at 414-257-1884 for suggestions.

## Lions & Tigers & Bears Toy Shoppe

Nothing is treasured more by children both young and old than wooden toys. See the wooden toys on display or contribute your own creation, or dusted off antiques. Drop off in the Church Hall Dec. 3 and 4 or call Mary Voell at 414-771-0806 or Maddalena Stephenson at 414-259-5012.

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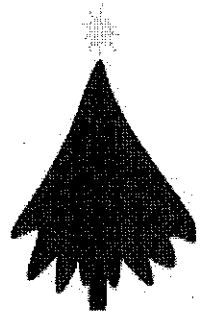
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup>

9:00 – 12:00

## FAMILY & FRIENDS DAY

PANCAKE BREAKFAST & KIDS HOLIDAY CRAFTS &  
SECRET SANTA WORKSHOP

Hosted by our St. Sébastian Girl Scout Troops and Families



## RESERVATION NOTES

With all you do to make the holidays special for others, set aside a special holiday treat for yourself. If you have never attended Boutique, then make sure you put it at the top of your Christmas MUST list. Once you attend you'll make it a holiday tradition. The Saturday luncheon is by reservation. **Join others. Gather others. But join us on this special day.**

**2009 Boutique Cost**

**\$20.00 Individuals**

**\$16.00 Seniors 60 & Over and Students**

**NEW THIS YEAR:** You can make your reservation online through Pay Pal at [www.stsebastianonline.net](http://www.stsebastianonline.net). For reservation information contact Eunice Frieseke at 414-771-0223.

### Table Decorating Notes

1. Rectangular tables are 8 feet long.
2. The Church Hall will be open for decorators on December 4<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
3. Let us know that you would happily decorate an extra table.
4. Also let us know that you are unable to decorate your table and need a volunteer to help.
5. Please ask those you have invited to donate bakery to be delivered on Thursday or Friday.

### BOUTIQUE TO DO LIST

1. Mark your Calendar for the **BIG** Day.
2. Gather your table of 8 – 10. Invite mom, great aunt Gert, Gramma Harriett, your new neighbor and your long lost friend. Bring a new parishioners, pull together classrooms, book or card clubs.
3. Reservation form is on the reverse side.
4. Make your reservations **TODAY**.
5. Brainstorm creative table decorating ideas. Seeing the creative genius come alive is one of the Boutique highlights.

## Boutique Luncheon Menu

Roast Pork with Fruit

Green Beans Almondine

Rice Pilaf

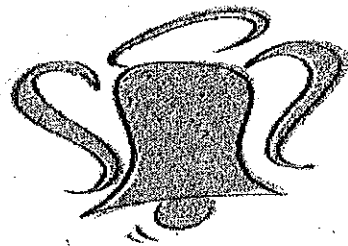
Rolls & Butter

Dessert

Served by our Hello Dolly Waiters –

a Boutique tradition.

Make your reservations today!



# 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual

Women of St. Sebastian Holiday Boutique

## It's A Wonderful Life

St. Sebastian Church Hall

### Luncheon Reservation Form



PERSON SUBMITTING FORM \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

If you are an individual submitting this form, please indicate the name of the person(s) you wish to sit with:

\_\_\_\_\_

TABLE HOST \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

TABLE DECORATOR \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

	Name of Guest	\$20 / Individual or \$16 / Senior or Student	Bakery
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For reservation information contact Eunice Frieseke at 414-771-0223.

Send this reservation form along with your payment to:

St. Sebastian Parish, 5400 W. Washington Blvd., Milwaukee, WI 53208 Attn: Boutique Reservations

The Boutique reopens after lunch until 2:00 for another opportunity to start or finish your shopping and visiting.