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After three days they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions, and all who heard him were astounded at his understanding and his answers. - Lk 2:46-47

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Daily Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 25, 2021 Christmas Day **†** Parish Family 9:00 am Sunday, December 26, 2021 7:30 am **†** Parish Family 9:00 am † Mary Ann Brabec – Eileen Andrews 9:00 am Children's Liturgy of the Word Monday, December 27, 2021 No Mass Tuesday, December 28, 2021 † Alfonso Tanamor – Sr. Estela 8:30 am Wednesday, December 29, 2020 *†* Heldita Spears – Family 8:30 am Thursday, December 30, 2021 8:30 am † Daniel Keiran - Family Friday, December 31, 2021 New Year's Eve 4:00 pm Adoration † Evelyn Machalk – granddaughters Mary & Beverly 5:00 pm Mary, Mother of God Saturday, January 1, 2022 † Eugenia, Lester & Joseph Koson– Koson Family 8:30 am 4:00 pm **†** Parish Family Sunday, January 2, 2022 Epiphany *†* Floyd Cappaert –Mary Roberts 7:30 am 9:00 am **†** Parish Family 9:00 am Children's Liturgy of the Word

Readings for the Week

December 26, 2021		
Sunday:	Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Ps 128:1-	
	2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 3:12-	
	21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:41-52	
	Or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/	
	Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 [cf.	
	5a]/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/Lk 2:41-52	
Monday:	1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 [12]/Jn	
	20:1a, 2-8	
Tuesday:	1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 [7]/Mt	
	2:13-18	
Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:3-11/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6 [11a		
	Lk 2:22-35	
Thursday:	1 Jn 2:12-17/Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [11a]/Lk	
	2:36-40	
Friday:	1 Jn 2:18-21/Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13 [11a]/Jn	
	1:1-18	
Saturday:	Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/Gal 4:4	
	-7/Lk 2:16-21	
Next Sunday:	Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf.	
	11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12	

Activities This Week

MondayCharismatic Prayer Meeting at 6:00pmTuesdayWednesdayWednesdayLegion of Mary10:00amLegion of MaryNO Faith Formation ClassesThursdayFriday4:00pmAdorationSaturdaySundayCoffee Social

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday 2:30-3:30 pm; weekdays 1/2 hour before Mass; or by appointment anytime.

Baptism: By appointment. See Fr. Edward.

Marriage: By appointment. 6 months prior to date.

Anointing of the Sick and Sick Calls: Anointing of the sick is available on request. Home visitation is done on a regular basis and Ministers are available to bring communion. Please call the parish office when anyone in your family is sick, in the hospital or shut-in and unable to attend Mass.

Parish Family Membership: New families are welcome to the parish. It is important that every family or independent adult be registered in the Church in order to keep our parish records and mailings current. Please contact the parish office to register at the earliest opportunity.

Cut-off time to submit articles for next week's bulletin is no later than 12:00 noon on Monday. Please contact the parish office on 753-2562 or fax to 753-2811.

Parish Office

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We, of Precious Blood Catholic Church in Stephenson, MI, are striving with the help of God's grace to be faith-filled, loving and generous disciples of Christ. We are committed to contemplating His face in the Word, in the Holy Eucharist, and in one another. From this springs our desire and zeal to give of ourselves in imitation of Him who gave Himself for us.

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CHRISTMAS





UPCSA 2021

Thank you to all who have returned their UPCSA pledge cards! We have received \$36,905 from 131 families towards our parish goal of \$38,955 and 100% participation. If you haven't made your pledge yet, please prayerfully consider what you can do to support the many ministries of our Diocesan Church.

Sacrificial Giving

The collection numbers for the weekend of December 18th and 19th were not available at the time of printing as the bulletin for this weekend was required to be submitted to LPI for printing on Friday, December 17th due to the Christmas holiday.

The Sanctuary Candle Lit this week in memory of Martina Legita (Anv.)



St. Vincent de Paul News

"Family is about relationships. A holy family is one in which their relationships include God at the center."

Birthday Greetings December

26th	Kenneth Herson	
	Glenda Keiran	
27th	Patty Michels	
29th	Sandra Kuntze	
30th	Judy Francour	
	Glen LaMere	
	Natalie Wangerin	
31st	Jason Dionne	
January 2022		
1st	Brayden LaPointe	
	Gregory Plutchak	
	Jonathan Swille	
	Nicholas Thoney	



We Fly Our Flag in Memory of... Veterans of our Parish Family

Please Pray For...

....those who are sick...

Tom Scheer, Frank Thoune, Dennis Kaczmarczyk, Alyssa Venegas, Sr. Frances DeMott, Tom Wangerin, Kathy Ruleau, Sue Hummel, Charles Oswald, Phil Hopson, Ron Synder, Tari Calouette, Gene Wangerin, Sue



Mulzer, Eric Zaharias, Mary Jane Hartges, Jerome Forray, Pam Wyett, George Roraff, Loretta Roraff, Deacon Tom Rivard, Wayne Mulzer, Jan Dolsky, Carol Fronsee, Todd Wyett, Jim Corey, Jason Corey, Sandy Smith, Roxanne Laurin, Larry Duda, Jonathan Krokowski, Judy Shampo, Trent Nordstrom, Martha Smith, Rosemary Gustafson, Irene Dishneau, Elizabeth White, Janis Mulzer, Norman Dolsky, Gabe Shampo, Jim LaCanne, Joy Palzewicz, Helen Beaudoin, Michael Bass, Avery Hawker, Rose Weinzierl, Don Izbepski, Dylan Turcotte, William Rivard, Tom Hallfrisch, Ryan Turcotte, Lillian Miller, Linda Kolaszewski, Gabriella Sheldon, Evelyn Hanson, Kathy Carin, Jill Jacobson, Elizabeth Foyee, Alexis Ellis, Julie Beauchamp, Tanya Corey, and Donna Tickler

....those in active military service...

Sean DeMille, Danny Dill, Jason Dill, Carl Dishneau, Gage Furmanski, Travis Grinsteiner, Brandon Gromala, Devin & Nick Kennedy, Corey & Michelle Manning, John Morris, Kevin Peterson, Sara Schuster, Zachary Waite & Karl Walli





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