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Mon., Tues., & Thurs.....8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
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**Mass Schedule/Horario de Misas**

**English**

Saturday ..... 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday, Holidays & Holydays.....9:00 a.m.  
Rosary on Sunday.....8:30 a.m.

**Español**

Martes, Miércoles, Jueves, & Viernes 6:00 p.m.  
Sábado.....6:00 p.m.  
Domingo.....12:30 p.m.  
Adoración cada jueves 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**Vietnamese**

Tuesday..... 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday..... 8:00 p.m.  
Friday..... 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday (Chúa Nhật).....10:45 a.m.  
Holy hour-1st Sunday of the month..10:00  
a.m. (Nửa giờ chầu Thánh Thể – C.Nhật  
đầu Tháng)

**January 9, 2022**

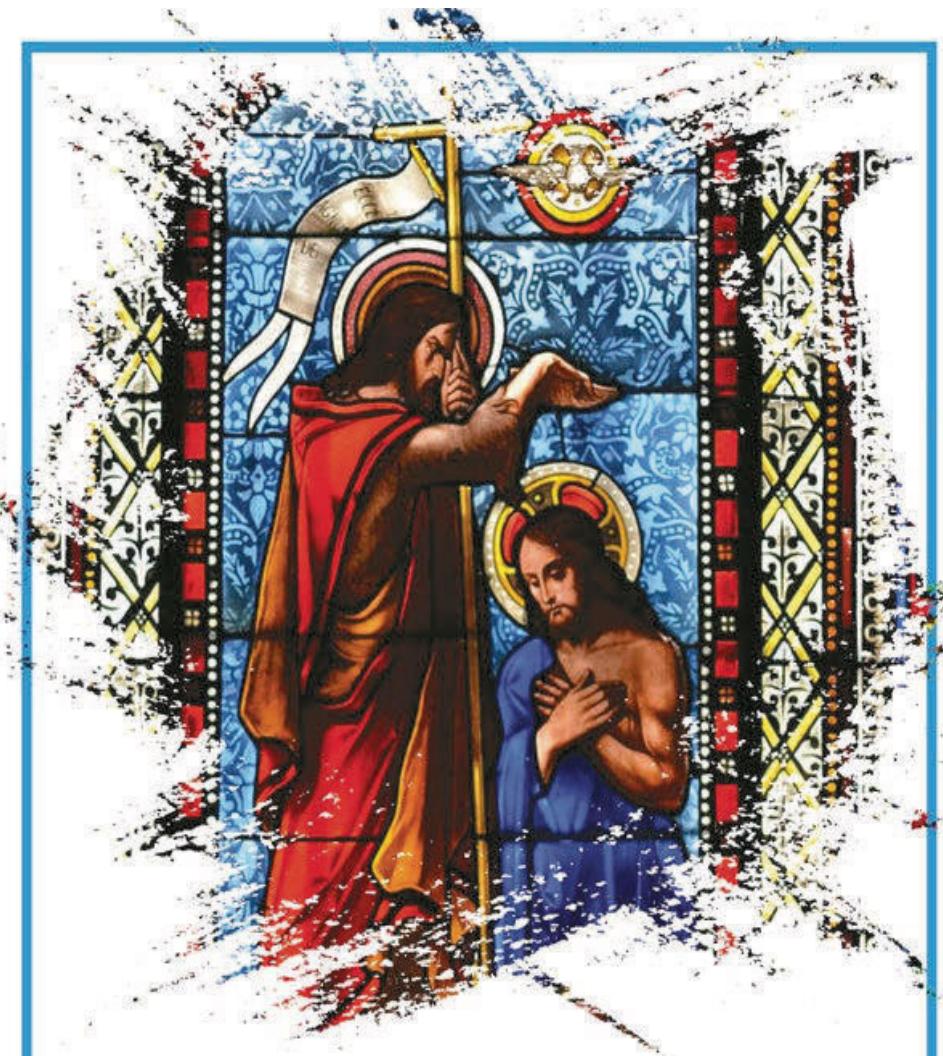
**The Baptism of the Lord, Year C**

**El Bautismo del Señor, Año C**

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# The Voice

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**HEAVEN WAS OPENED AND THE HOLY SPIRIT DESCENDED  
UPON HIM. - LK 3:21**

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

**SE ABRIÓ EL CIELO Y EL ESPÍRITU SANTO BAJÓ SOBRE  
ÉL EN FORMA SENSIBLE. - LC 3, 21**

EL BAUTISMO DEL SEÑOR

**Baptisms / Bautismos**  
**Presentations/Presentación de 3 años**  
Please call the rectory to make arrangements.  
Favor de llamar a la oficina  
para las clases pre-bautismales.

**RCIA-**  
**(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)**  
Those wishing to join, or become full and active members of the Catholic Church should contact the Religious Education Office.

**RICA-**  
**(Rito de la Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos).**  
Para quienes deseen convertirse en católicos, o adultos bautizados católicos, que aún no han recibido los Sacramentos de la Primera Comunión y/o la Confirmación.  
Favor de contactar a la oficina del catecismo.

**Lớp Dự Tòng:** *Ai muốn gia nhập Hội Thánh Công Giáo, hãy liên lạc với Ban Mục Vụ hay Cha Xứ.*

**Marriage / Matrimonios/Hôn Phối**  
Please make arrangements in the rectory office at least six months in advance.

Pida informes en la Oficina Parroquial, por lo menos con seis meses de anticipación.  
*Ai muôn kết hôn, hãy liên lạc sắp xếp với Nhà xứ trước 6 tháng*

**Quinceañeras**  
Contact the parish office at least six months in advance.  
Informes en la oficina parroquial, por lo menos con seis meses de anticipación

**Youth Group / Grupo de Jóvenes**  
Call the parish office for information.  
Para información llamar a la oficina parroquial.

**Rel. Ed. Program/Catecismo/  
Lớp Giáo Lý**  
Classes are from September-May.  
Please contact Melinda Reyes at ext. 115  
Clases de Catecismo de Septiembre-Mayo. Comuníquese con Melinda Reyes a la ext. 115

**Grupo de Oración**  
Todos los Martes 7:00—9:00 p.m.  
Oración y reflexión de la palabra.  
Para más información  
llamar al 260-750-0967.

**Confessions in English:**  
Saturdays (Thứ Bảy) 3:45-4:15 p.m.  
Sundays (Chúa Nhật): 8:00-8:30 a.m.

**Confesiones en Español**  
Todos los Jueves de 7:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m.  
u otros días bajo previa cita.

### **Today's Gospel:** Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

The people were filled with expectation, and all were asking in their hearts whether John might be the Christ. John answered them all, saying, “I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.”

After all the people had been baptized and Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, “You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.”

### **Reflection: Celebrating Baptism**

Today we celebrate the feast of the baptism of Jesus. It is a good day to reflect on our own baptism and its significance for us. The day of Jesus' baptism was a watershed in his life; it was a day of new beginning. On that day he began his public ministry during which he gave himself fully in the service of God and all of God's people. On that day Jesus launched forth as the one who came not to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many. As he set out on that momentous journey for all of us, he was assured of God his Father's favour, ‘You are my Son, the Beloved; my favour rests on you’, and he was empowered by the Holy Spirit, who descended upon him like a dove.

Even though Jesus was baptised by John as an adult and we received Christian baptism as children, our baptism was also a day of new beginning for us. On that day we were launched on the great adventure of becoming disciples of Jesus in our own time. On that day, we too were given an assurance of God's love and favour, and we too were empowered by the Holy Spirit for the journey ahead of us. On that day we were caught up into Jesus' own very special relationship with God and we became a member of Jesus' family of disciples, the church. It is a moment of grace that has the potential to shape our lives in a very fundamental way, in a way that is in keeping with God's purpose for our lives.

In a sense we spend the rest of our lives trying to catch up with that day of new beginning. We are baptized as children but it is as adults that we confirm our baptism for ourselves. It is as adults that we say our own adult ‘yes’ to the Lord who said ‘yes’ to us as young children on the day of our baptism. It may be in our late twenties or our thirties or forties or even later that we come to say that ‘yes’ with all our heart and soul and mind. It is often in those mature years that we can hear the call of Isaiah in today's First Reading, ‘O come to the water all you who are thirsty; Seek the Lord while he is still to be found, call to him while he is still near.’ The Lord keeps calling out to us from the moment of our baptism, and as the Lord declares in that First Reading, ‘the word that goes from my mouth does not return to me empty, without carrying out my will and succeeding in what it was sent to do.’ Our response to the Lord's call, the Lord's word, can be slow in coming, but his call, his word, remains powerfully creative and will in some way or other make of us what God wants for us.

### **Announcements:**

1. This weekend the second collection will go toward the Building Fund.
2. There will be no Mass celebrations on Tuesday, January 11th.

## **El Evangelio:** Lc 3, 15-16. 21-22

En aquel tiempo, como el pueblo estaba en expectación y todos pensaban que quizá Juan el Bautista era el Mesías, Juan los sacó de dudas, diciéndoles: "Es cierto que yo bautizo con agua, pero ya viene otro más poderoso que yo, a quien no merezco desatarle las correas de sus sandalias. Él los bautizará con el Espíritu Santo y con fuego".

Sucedió que entre la gente que se bautizaba, también Jesús fue bautizado. Mientras éste oraba, se abrió el cielo y el Espíritu Santo bajó sobre él en forma sensible, como de una paloma, y del cielo llegó una voz que decía: "Tú eres mi Hijo, el predilecto; en ti me complazco".

### **Reflexión: Celebrando El Bautismo**

Hoy celebramos la fiesta del bautismo de Jesús. Es un buen día para reflexionar sobre nuestro propio bautismo y su significado para nosotros. El día del bautismo de Jesús fue un hito en su vida; fue un día de nuevo comienzo. Ese día inició su ministerio público durante el cual se entregó plenamente al servicio de Dios y de todo el pueblo de Dios. Ese día, Jesús se lanzó como el que no vino para ser servido, sino para servir y dar su vida en rescate por muchos. Al emprender ese viaje trascendental para todos nosotros, se le aseguró el favor de Dios su Padre: "Tú eres mi Hijo, el Amado; mi favor descansa sobre ti", y recibió poder del Espíritu Santo, que descendió sobre él como una paloma.

Aunque Jesús fue bautizado por Juan cuando era adulto y nosotros recibimos el bautismo cristiano cuando éramos niños, nuestro bautismo también fue un día de nuevo comienzo para nosotros. Ese día nos lanzamos a la gran aventura de convertirnos en discípulos de Jesús en nuestro propio tiempo. Ese día, a nosotros también se nos dio la seguridad del amor y el favor de Dios, y el Espíritu Santo también nos dio poder para el viaje que tenemos por delante. Ese día fuimos atrapados en la relación muy especial de Jesús con Dios y nos convertimos en miembros de la familia de discípulos de Jesús, la iglesia. Es un momento de gracia que tiene el potencial de moldear nuestras vidas de una manera muy fundamental, de una manera que está de acuerdo con el propósito de Dios para nuestras vidas.

En cierto sentido, pasamos el resto de nuestras vidas tratando de ponernos al día con ese día de nuevo comienzo. Somos bautizados de niños, pero es como adultos que confirmamos nuestro bautismo por nosotros mismos. Como adultos, decimos nuestro propio "sí" adulto al Señor que nos dijo "sí" cuando éramos niños el día de nuestro bautismo. Puede ser a finales de los veinte o treinta o cuarenta o incluso más tarde que lleguemos a decir que "sí" con todo nuestro corazón, alma y mente. Es a menudo en esos años de madurez cuando podemos escuchar el llamado de Isaías en la Primera Lectura de hoy: "Venid al agua todos los que tenéis sed; Busquen al Señor mientras aún se le encuentra, llámenlo mientras aún esté cerca. 'El Señor sigue llamándonos desde el momento de nuestro bautismo, y como el Señor declara en esa Primera Lectura,' la palabra que va de mi boca no vuelve a mí vacío, sin cumplir mi voluntad y sin tener éxito en lo que fue enviado para hacer. 'Nuestra respuesta al llamado del Señor, la palabra del Señor, puede tardar en llegar, pero su llamado, su palabra, sigue siendo poderosamente creativo y de una forma u otra hará de nosotros lo que Dios quiere para nosotros.'

### **Anuncios:**

1. La colecta de este fin de semana será para el Fondo de los Edificios.
2. No habrá celebración de Misa el próximo martes, 11 de enero.

Ministers for Next Weekend  
Mínistros Para La Próxima Semana  
January 15th & 16th

**Saturday/ Sábado January 15 at 4:30 p.m.**

**Lector:** Vince Maloney

**Servers:**

**Music:** Mr. Richard McKee

**Sábado/ Saturday 15 de enero a las 6:00 p.m.**

**Lectores:** Marcela Gómez, Lupita Robles

**Ministros Extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión:**

**Monaguillos:**

**Música:** Teo Vázquez

**Sunday/ Domingo January 16 at 9:00 a.m.**

**Lector:** Donna Brooke

**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:**

Barbara Spreen

**Servers:**

**Music:** Richard McKee

**Sunday/ Domingo January 16 at 10:45 a.m.**

**Lectors:** Thuy Duong and Thanh

**Prayer of the Faithful:** Thanh

**Offertory:**

**Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion:** Ba Nu

**Servers:**

**Music:** An, Hai, and Hien

**Domingo/ Sunday 16 de enero a las 12:30 p.m.**

**Lectores:**

**Ministros Extraordinarios de la Sagrada Comunión:**

**Monaguillos:**

**Música:** Moisés Monterroso

**Parish Finances / Finanzas de la Parroquia**

**Your Sacrificial Gift / Su Ofrenda**

**January 1st and 2nd, 2022**

Offertory / Ofertorio ..... \$4,906.30

Building Fund..... \$544.00

Other..... \$00.00

**Total Income..... \$5,450.30**

**2nd Collection: First Offering.....\$1,518.50**

**St. Patrick's Prayer Line: 456-2907**

**Spanish (Español) 637-3409**

**Or 744-1450**



**Please pray for the ill, and  
homebound in our parish family /  
Enfermos de la Parroquia**

**THE SICK** Teofanis Hernandez, Daniel Drake,  
Filogonio Salgado, Maria Reyes, Yolanda Lopez,  
Leo Santos, Martha Herrera, and all parishioners  
affected by COVID.



**Sunday, January 9: Baptism of the Lord**

9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners	Eng.
10:45 a.m.	† Phero and Maria	Viet.
12:30 p.m.	† Héctor Antonio Alvisurez	Span.

**Tuesday, January 11: Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton,  
Religious**

6:00 p.m.	No Mass	Span.
8:00 p.m.	No Mass	Viet.

**Wednesday, January 12:**

6:00 p.m.	† Primitivo Y Esperanza Pérez	Span.
8:00 p.m.	† Maria	Viet.

**Thursday, January 13:**

6:00 p.m.	† Las Animas del Purgatorio	Span.
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**Friday, January 14:**

6:00 p.m.	Elvia Sandoval (Cumpleaños)	Sp.
8:00 p.m.	† Bernice McKee	Viet.

**Saturday, January 15:**

4:30 p.m.	† Mary Felts	Eng.
6:00 p.m.	† Juan Carlos Uballe	Span.

**Sunday, January 16: Second in Ordinary Time**

9:00 a.m.	All Parishioners	Eng.
10:45 a.m.	† Phero and Catarina	Viet.
12:30 p.m.	† Las Animas del Purgatorio	Span.

*January 15, 2022  
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