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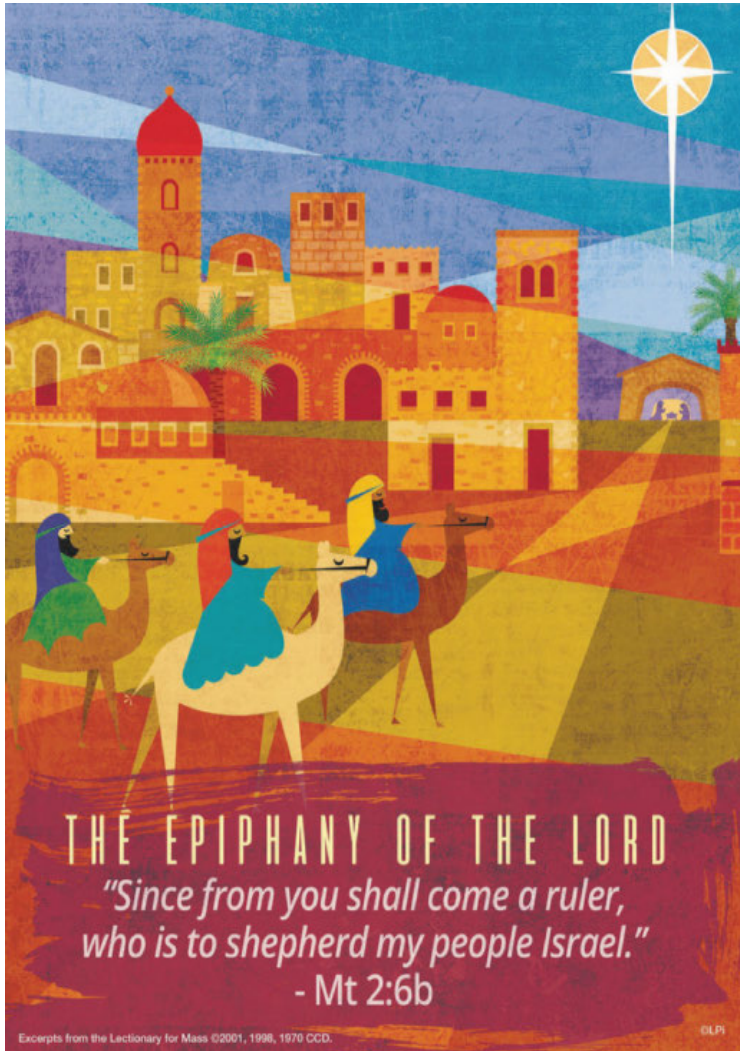
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REESEVILLE

*Fr. Will Arnold, Administrator   Fr. Sergio Lizama, Temporary Assoc. Pastor   Fr. Onildo Diaz, Associate Pastor*

## January 2, 2022



### MASS SCHEDULE

Mondays	8:20 am - St. Katharine Drexel
Tuesdays	4:30 pm - St. John the Baptist
Wednesdays	5:30 pm - Holy Family
Thursdays	6:00 pm - Adoration 7:00 pm - St. Columbkille
Fridays	8:20 am - St. Katharine Drexel
Saturdays	4:30 pm - St. Katharine Drexel 5:00 pm - Holy Family
Sundays	8:00 am - St. John the Baptist 10:00 am - St. Columbkille

**Reconciliation:** Currently available by request, Thursday evenings during 6 pm Adoration hour at St. Columbkille or 9:30 am Saturday mornings at St. Katherine Drexel Church.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Given privately upon request. For pastoral emergencies you may contact the Tri Parish Center at (920) 927-3102.

**Baptism:** Active parishioners should call the Tri-Parish Center to arrange a date/time. First time parents who are active parishioners need to attend a "Pre-Baptism" conference. This conference can take place even before the child is born.

**Marriage:** Active parishioners are to contact the Tri Parish Office at least 6 months prior to the anticipated date of the wedding. Couples must attend an Enrichment Day for the Engaged, and submit to a Pre-Marital Inventory.

**St Vincent DePaul Society:** Those in need may contact the SVDP by calling the Tri-Parish Center at any time and leaving a message.

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## *Gospel Reflections... Farewell from Fr. Sergio*

The coronavirus pandemic has had unprecedented, widespread impacts on many places, in many ways. There is no doubt that the virus has affected the destiny of many people, and did affect mine. The virus pushed me into working with the people of God in St. Katharine Drexel and the Tri-Parishes. I came to be here a couple of months until November of last year, but have already stayed 16 months! Time has stretched.

As usual, to leave the parish where you have ministered for some time is a difficult experience. This is part of a transition, and transitions are a challenge because we get so comfortable living life the way it was, making change seems scary. But after a few days in these new 4 parishes (in Beaver Dam, Clyman, Reeseville and Elba), I realized I was in welcoming and loving communities. I thank God for the people around me. I thank all parishioners, staff members, school personnel and students for being so patient with me and being so helpful in this interesting ministry.

Life for a pilgrim is about moving on. We need to accept the things that naturally come and go into our lives: people, places and things.

This parochial experience in the midst of a pandemic has been a growing and learning opportunity. I know this ministry is preparing me where I am headed, and transition is a fact of life.

I must honestly tell you that I have felt so blessed to be able to serve you for the past sixteen months. Through these lines I would like to thank the communities of St. Katharine Drexel (Beaver Dam), St. John Baptist (Clyman), Holy Family (Reeseville) and St. Columbkille (Elba) for their generous hospitality and help throughout this time.

Ministering with the Hispanic community in this area has allowed me to share my faith in the Lord's message with my own native language. It has also given me the opportunity to strengthen my own personal convictions. Thanks to all the collaborators in this sublime work of serving God in the apostolate. I thank you for your generous cooperation, because when I needed you for a special event, you were there.

I thank you for all those tomatoes, apples, cucumbers, pears, oranges, that made my life healthier and enjoyable.

Thanks for all those invitations to share a meal or a refreshment in the intimacy of your home or somewhere else. Thank you so much.

Rest assured, you will be in my thoughts and prayers as I move on from here. But please don't stop praying for me because your prayers will make a difference.

Blessings in Christ!

*Fr. Sergio*



## Mass Intentions

**Monday, January 3, 2022**

*The Most Holy Name of Jesus*  
8:20 am at St. Katharine Drexel  
**Tuesday, January 4, 2022**

*St. Elizabeth Ann Seton,*  
4:30 pm at St. John the Baptist  
For: Special Intention for St. John the Baptist  
By: Don & Kathy Meinholz  
**Wednesday, January 5, 2022**

*St. John Neumann, Bishop*  
5:30 pm at Holy Family  
For: †Karen Zwingman  
By: Terry Murphy  
**Thursday, January 6, 2022**

*St. André Bessette*  
7:00 pm at St. Columbkille  
For: L/D members of SC Altar Society  
By: St. Columbkille Altar Society  
**Friday, January 7, 2022**

*St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest*  
8:20 am at SKD  
**Saturday, January 8, 2022**

*The Blessed Virgin Mary*  
5:00 pm at Holy Family  
For: †Rita Dieter  
By: Family  
**Sunday, January 9, 2022**

*The Baptism of the Lord*  
8:00 am at St. John the Baptist  
For: † Jerome & Dorothy Haase  
By Family  
10:00 am at St. Columbkille  
For: † Roger Weiner  
By: Joe & Marie Roche

## God's Word

### Week of January 2, 2022

**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

**Monday:** 1 Jn 3:22—4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

**Tuesday:** 1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mk 6:34-44

**Wednesday:** 1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mk 6:45-52

**Thursday:** 1 Jn 4:19—5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17/Lk 4:14-22a

**Friday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 5:12-16

**Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b/Jn 3:22-30

**Next Sunday:** Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Liturgical Roles 1/9/22	St. Columbkille 10 am Sunday	St. John the Baptist 8 am Sunday	Holy Family 5 pm Saturday
Servers	Matthew, Ben & Luke Roche	Cody Jablonski	Savanna Gaska
Readers	Tom Mannlein	Jeff Wagner	Tony Kudak
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Eucharistic Minister	Lois Schneider	Jeff Wagner	Tony Kudak

## TRI PARISHES NEWS

1. **2022 Dollar's for Life** campaign is underway - January 22nd marks the 49th anniversary of legalized abortion. Show your support of LIFE! Envelopes are available in the churches & will be collected up to January 10th. The Ad with everyone's name will be in the Beaver Dam Daily Citizen on Sat., Jan. 22, 2022.

2. (Old & New) **Altar Server Training & Pizza Party**, Sun., Jan. 23rd, 4-7 pm. Details in next weekend's bulletin.

## FAITH FORMATION NEWS

1. **Classes resume** this Wednesday, Jan. 5th, from 6:15 - 7:30 pm.

2. **First Reconciliation** class next Sunday morning, 8:30 - 9:45 am.

At the request of Fr. Will, we have arranged for an **Adoration Event** to be held on **January 5, 2022**, to grant members of our Faith Formation Classes an opportunity to experience the beauty, power and solemnity of Eucharist Adoration.

The Adoration Event will begin immediately following the 5:30PM Mass at **Holy Family Church** in Reeseville. **Everyone is welcome!**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place at 6:00PM and the event will culminate with Benediction at Midnight.

We will have a communal Rosary beginning at 7:00PM and may, if attendees desire, pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Please pass this information to friends and family. This is a perfect way to welcome in the New Year while illustrating to our young parishioners our reverence for and commitment to Eucharistic Adoration.

## Reflection for the Week

*"Where is the newborn king of the Jews?"*

*We saw his star at its rising*

*and have come to do him homage." (Mt 2:2)*





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