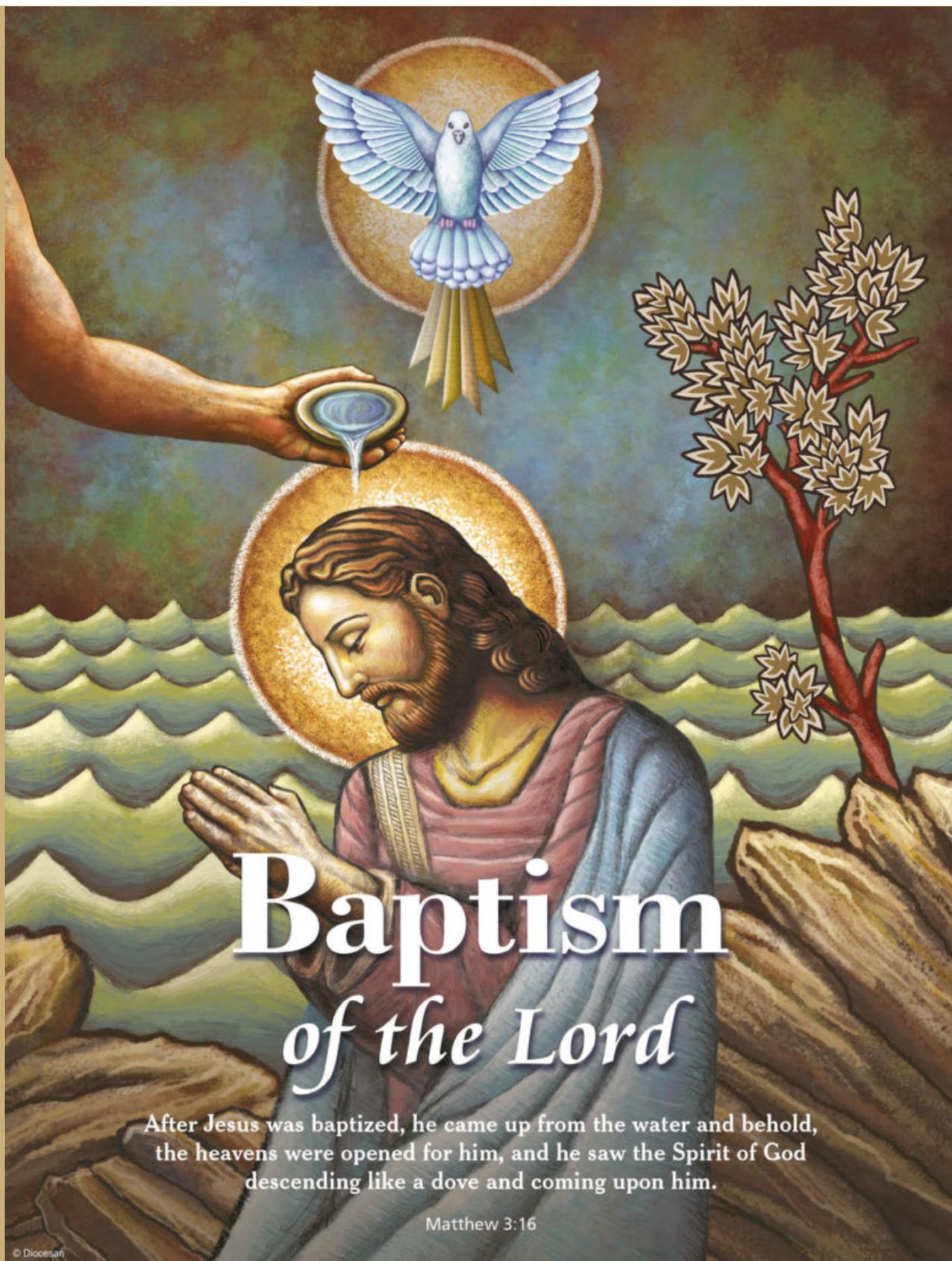


*Behold the
One of whom
John said: I
have seen and
testified that
this is the Son
of God.*

Jn 1:32, 34

Jan 9, 2022



Baptism of the Lord

After Jesus was baptized, he came up from the water and behold, the heavens were opened for him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him.

Matthew 3:16

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2021-22 Calendar Raffle Winners

Date	Ticket	Winner	Amount
12/27/2021	25805	Francisco Chavez	\$25.00
12/28/2021	28215	Robert Nazario	\$25.00
12/29/2021	28279	Gregory Leszczynski	\$25.00
12/30/2021	28735	Debbie & Peter Ramirez	\$25.00
12/31/2021	26227	Julie Westbrook	\$25.00
1/01/2022	40608	Rebecca Colorez	\$100.00
1/02/2022	40079	Kristen Kaczmarek	\$50.00

NOTE! Meet and Greet is cancelled for this weekend. The next Meet and Greet will be on Feb 13.

We want to share with you a very kind letter that was received just after Christmas.

Dear Fr. Zurek & Lee Gwozdz:
 Oh, what can I say but "Bravo!" Our daughter-in-law saw the Basilica and told our son, "could we stop in to see it?" as they were out and about for one of his jobs. As God would have it, a tour was beginning and they joined in. They saw the Christmas Choir advertisement and our son bought tickets for our Christmas present. Well...Well! Speak of one of the best gifts! Heaven. Pure Heaven for the 7 of us that attended. Tears in all our eyes, remarkably moving and angelic voices. Yet, the wonderful humor of both of you made for an afternoon of joy. My great-grandparents came over from Poland and what a proud, yet humbled people, as the Basilica has proven. A country that desired only peace and to use their artistic skills—yet, forever being controlled by the countries that surrounded Poland. How could such a band of immigrants with endless children and lowly jobs create such magnificence? Faith, determination and selflessness...indeed! On behalf of all the humbled, proud Poles in my ancestry, I pray the enclosed check can help, even in a small way (1 day's heating bill?)
 Lee—your choir could travel the country. Truly. Please tell them that the use of the gift God gave to them brought such joy to we out of towners. BUT we will be back "for free", on a Sunday soon.

We thank Sue Healey for her kind words and generous donation.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 9, 2022—THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Sat.	4:30PM	For the Basilica Parish Community
Sun.	8:00AM	+Michael Kachelski
	10:00AM	+Jeff Nowakowski
	12:00PM	+George Ehegartner

Monday, January 10—First Monday in Ordinary Time

	7:00AM	+Donna Mae Kowalkowski
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Tuesday, January 11—First Tuesday in Ordinary Time

	7:00AM	St. Anthony of Padua Novena
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Wednesday, January 12—First Wednesday in Ordinary Time

	7:00AM	Saint Joseph Novena
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Thursday, January 13—First Thursday in Ordinary Time

	7:00AM	+James Kallas
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Friday, January 14—First Friday in Ordinary Time

	7:00AM	Intention of the Minister General
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Saturday, January 15—Common of the Blessed Virgin Mary

	8:00AM	+Patricia Nowakowski
	4:30PM	+James M. "Jim" Helsper

Sunday, JANUARY 16—Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

	8:00AM	+Jadwiga Michelus
	10:00AM	+Zachary James Folsom
	12:00PM	For the Basilica Parish Community

Upcoming Weddings

Please pray for the following couple as they prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage

Banns II

Tara Schulz and Erik Hoppe



*Congratulations to
Maya Wickus and Steven Denis
who were married at the Basilica on
December 18, 2021*

Please keep them in your prayers
as they begin their lives together.



**REVERSE COLLECTION TICKETS FOR THE
ST. JOSAPHAT PARISH FOOD PANTRY WILL BE
AVAILABLE IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH AFTER ALL
MASSES THIS WEEKEND, JANUARY 8 AND 9. PLEASE
CHOOSE ONE OR TWO AND RETURN THE ITEMS THE
WEEKEND OF JANUARY 15 AND 16.**

**HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE
SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022**

**Immediately following Noon Mass
At the Basilica of St. Josaphat**

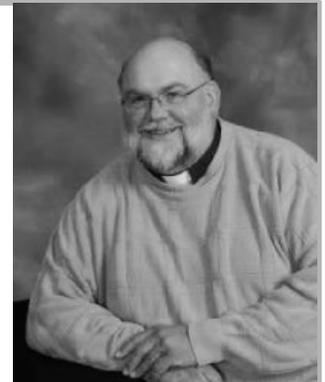
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Adoration

- 1:15PM Divine Mercy Chaplet
with pro-life intentions
- 1:40PM Pro-Life Litany
- 2:00PM Benediction

Please join the Respect Life Committee in prayer
As we come to the 49th anniversary of Roe v Wade

**IN MEMORIAM
FR. JIM HENNING**

*Fr. Jim Henning joined the
Conventual Franciscans in
1976 and professed his final
vows in 1981. After
completing his Theological
studies he was ordained by
Bishop Arther O'Neil on June
4, 1982.*



*Fr. Jim is a former Associate Pastor at the Basilica.
Please remember him in your prayers.*

Please join
The Christian
Women at
the Basilica
On Sunday,
January 30,
2022. We will
be attending
The 12:00
Noon Mass
followed by



Praying
for children
who are
hidden from
sight,
but not
hidden
from God...
Praying for
the protection
of unborn people ...

our guest speaker, Deacon Jim Matthias, Director,
Respect Life Ministry for the Archdiocese of
Milwaukee. He will be our Pro-Life Speaker for the
month of January. We will be meeting in the under-
croft following Mass. All are welcome. This is a great
opportunity for members of our Parish to meet the
members of the Christian Women.

Parish Stewardship			
Dec 20—Dec 26, 2021			
	Envelopes	Online	Total
Sunday Fair Share	\$29,797.52	\$2,908.00	\$32,705.52
Grounds		\$20.00	\$20.00
School	\$705.00		\$705.00
Dues	\$100.00		\$100.00
Endowment	\$310.00		\$310.00
Utility Fund	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$30.00
Immaculate Conception	\$290.00		\$290.00
Christmas Offering	\$15,511.11		\$15,511.11
Corpus Christi	\$300.00		\$300.00
Miscellaneous	\$45.00	\$25.00	\$70.00
Ascension	\$150.00		\$150.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$725.00		\$725.00
Votives	\$948.52		\$948.52
St Cecilia Guild	\$1,100.00		\$1,100.00
Christmas Novena	\$278.00		\$278.00
Total	\$50,275.15	\$2,968.00	\$53,243.15
Gift Shop Gross Sales	\$1,236.21		
Parish Stewardship			
Dec 27-Jan 2, 2022			
	Envelopes	Online	Total
Sunday Fair Share	\$12,115.37	\$6,148.00	\$18,263.37
Grounds		\$20.00	\$20.00
School	\$205.00	\$225.00	\$430.00
Dues	\$55.00	\$50.00	\$105.00
Endowment	\$931.00	\$425.00	\$1,356.00
Utility Fund	\$45.00	\$70.00	\$115.00
Immaculate Conception	\$54.00		\$54.00
Christmas Offering	\$390.00		\$390.00
Organ Campaign	\$100.00		\$100.00
Miscellaneous	\$104.00	\$25.00	\$129.00
Memorial Fund		\$260.00	\$260.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$1,662.00	\$130.00	\$1,792.00
Votives	\$452.00	\$30.00	\$482.00
St Cecilia Guild		\$500.00	\$500.00
St. Vincent de Paul	\$20.00	\$250.00	\$270.00
First Offering	\$800.00		\$800.00
Total	\$16,933.37	\$1,985.00	\$18,918.37
Gift Shop Gross Sales	\$1,737.51		

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Weekends: Saturdays: 4:30PM; Sundays: 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 12:00PM
Weekdays: Monday thru Friday at 7:00 AM; Saturday at 8:00 AM
Holy Days: See the Bulletin for the Schedule

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: After all weekday Masses (including after Saturday 8 AM)

REGISTERING AS A PARISH MEMBER
 Please use the following link: <https://thebasilica.org/new-parishioner>.
 Contact the Parish Office, (414) 645-5623, x 210, for any assistance. Children of registered parents should register on their own as adults on their eighteenth birthday.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING AND VISITING THE SICK
 Contact the Parish Office, (414) 645-5623 if you are hospitalized or homebound and would like a visit from a member of the Pastoral Staff.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
 Parents must be registered parishioners. After attending a preparation class, they may schedule their child’s baptism. Baptisms typically take place on the second and fourth Sundays of each month. Adults seeking baptism and/or entry into the Catholic Church are invited to participate in the parish RCIA program.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY
 Either the Bride or Groom must be a registered, active, contributing parishioner prior to reserving a date for the wedding. For more information, please visit thebasilica.org/weddings.

Our Beloved Deceased

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Frank Jakubczak

**Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord,
 and let perpetual light shine upon him.**

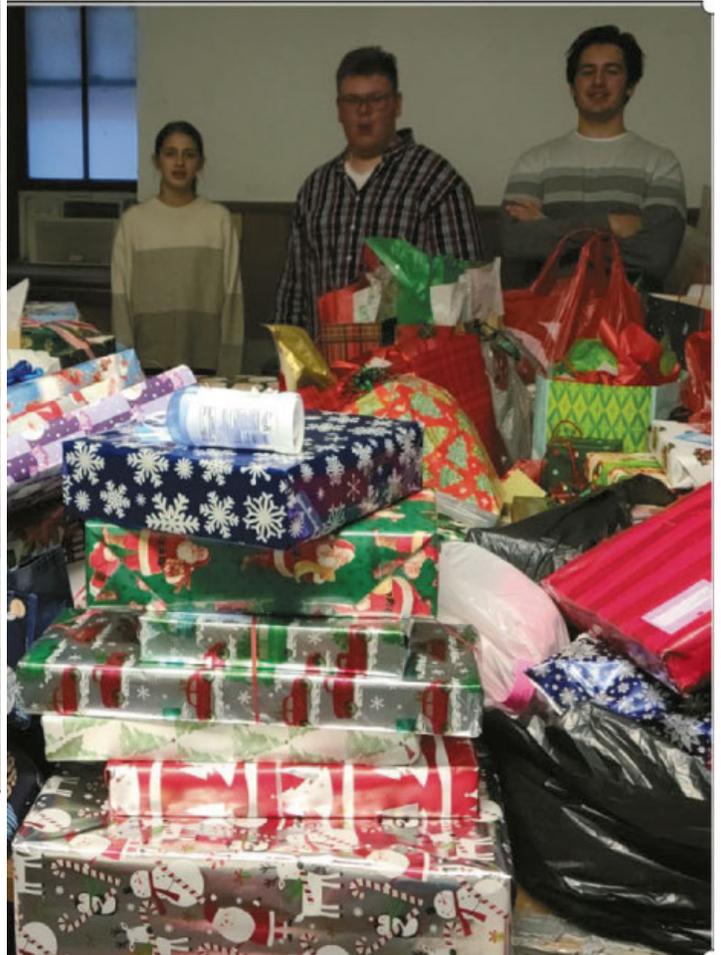


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 May God bless your generosity abundantly.
 Peace and Blessings to all!



Thanks to the generosity of our parishioners and the hard work of Cat and Michael Zyniecki and their children, Santa was able to provide gifts for any family who requested a bit of help this Christmas. May Our Lord bless each and everyone who donated gifts or helped with the distribution.





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