

February 7, 2021

5th Sunday in

Ordinary Time

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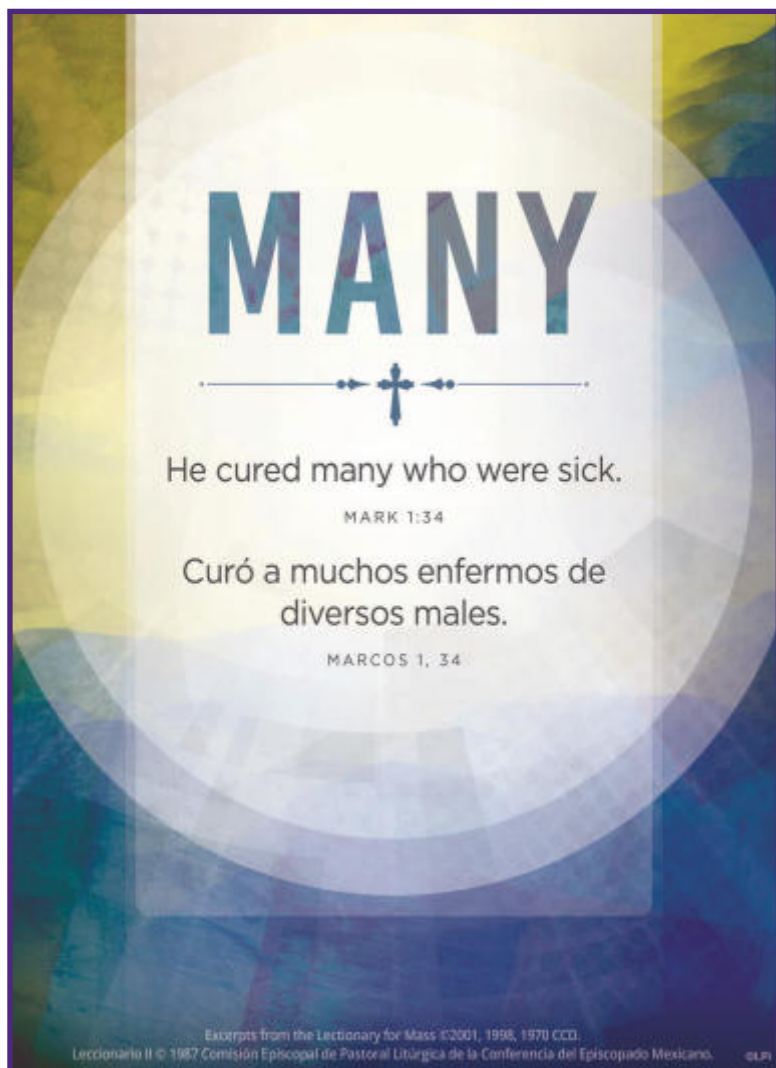
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*Jubilee
Year*

Our 50th Anniversary

Celebrating the Eucharist. Living the Gospel. Loving God and Loving Neighbor.

In times of trouble we need the personal touch and presence of another. In today's gospel Jesus responds to suffering by bringing hope and healing in a very personal way, by visiting the afflicted and offering wholeness. We, too, seek the Lord. We are plagued with unrest, our climate is in crisis, jobs are gone, and of course, the virus is upon the world. We, too, pray that Christ helps us up. Then we as his disciples can follow in his way and work of bringing hope and healing with a personal touch to all those suffering.



Welcome to Epiphany!

As disciples of Christ, we welcome and accompany all as family on their life journey, share leadership, and joyfully live our Catholic faith. We are an alive, spirit-filled community of 1,200 families who gather to celebrate God in our midst, to engage in life long formation, and to serve others.

Our unique worship space with its unfinished appearance and glass walls reminds us that our own journeys are unfinished and that the Gospel message requires us to focus outward to participate in and impact the wider world.

Our Worship Center and Blessed Sacrament Chapel are open Mondays-Fridays from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. for quiet prayer time.

If you are a visitor or know someone visiting Epiphany, please stop by the Welcome Desk before or after Mass for more information about our vibrant parish of over 1200 households. As we commemorate our Jubilee Year, we look forward to *Celebrating Our Future* and we want you to be part of it. You may also contact Angie Fox for more information.

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*Heal us, O Christ, that we may bring
your compassion and healing to others!*

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Only Cantors sing, but you are welcome to hum along.

ENTRANCE SONG: We Cannot Measure How You Heal

John Bell

We cannot measure how you heal or answer ev'ry suff'rer's prayer, yet we believe your grace responds where faith and doubt unite to care. Your hands, though bloodied on the cross, survive to hold and heal and warm, to carry all through death to life and cradle children yet unborn.

The pain that will not go away, the guilt that clings from things long past, the fear of what the future holds, are present as if meant to last. But present too is love which tends the hurt we never hoped to find, the private agonies inside, the memories that haunt the mind.

So some have come who need your help and some have come to make amends, as hands which shaped and saved the world are present in the touch of friends. Lord, let your Spirit meet us here to mend the body, mind, and soul, to disentangle peace from pain, and make your broken people whole.

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Glory to God (spoken)

Glory to God in the highest, ✠ and on earth peace to people of good will. ✠ ✠ We praise you, we bless you, ✠ ✠ we adore you, we glorify you, ✠ ✠ we give you thanks for your great glory. ✠ ✠ Lord God heavenly King, ✠ O God, almighty Father. ✠ ✠

Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten Son, ✠ Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, ✠ ✠ you take away the sins of the world, ✠ have mercy on us; ✠ ✠ you take away the sins of the world, ✠ receive our prayer; ✠ ✠ you are seated at the right hand of the Father, ✠ have mercy on us. ✠

For you alone are the Holy One, ✠ you alone are the Lord, ✠ you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, ✠ ✠ with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. ✠ ✠ Amen.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: The Lord Will Heal the Broken Heart Psalm 147

Liam Lawton

The Lord will heal the broken heart. God will seek the lost and find them.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, Raise the Gospel

Bernadette Farrell

Alleluia! Alleluia! Raise the Gospel over the earth!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Peace and justice bringing to birth!

Glory to the Word of Justice. Glory to the Spirit of Peace. Glory to the God of Love whose blessings never cease.

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PROFESSION OF FAITH: Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us (men) and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary*, and became [hu]man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

RESPONSE TO PETITIONS: God of mercy, hear us.

PREPARATION OF GIFTS: For the Healing of the Nations

L.W. Thieneman, Fred Kaan

~ Remote recording by Epiphany Choir

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EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS: *Spoken*

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The myst'ry of faith ... **When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.**

Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, for ever and ever. All: Amen.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. (*repeat*)

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

COMMUNION SONG: Healer of Our Every Ill

Marty Haugen

Healer of our ev'ry ill, light of each tomorrow, give
us peace beyond our fear, and hope beyond our sorrow.

You who know our fears and sadness, grace us with your peace and gladness, Spirit of all comfort: fill our hearts.

In the pain and joy beholding how your grace is still unfolding, give us all your vision: God of love.

You who know each thought and feeling, teach us all your way of healing, Spirit of compassion: fill each heart.

Give us strength to love each other, ev'ry sister, ev'ry brother, Spirit of all kindness: be our guide.

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RECESSIONAL SONG: How Can I Keep From Singing?

Quaker Hymn

My life flows on in endless song above earth's lamentation. I hear the real though far off hymn that hails a new creation.

No storm can shake my inmost calm while to that rock I'm clinging.
Since love is lord of heaven and earth, how can I keep from singing?

Through all the tumult and the strife, I hear the music ringing. It sounds and echoes in my soul; how can I keep from singing?

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Lent

Family Kit



Just as Jesus spent 40 days in the desert preparing for his ministry, we prepare ourselves to renew our baptismal commitment during this Lenten season. We have materials to assist you on your journey of prayer, almsgiving, and fasting.

Sign up by Wednesday, February 10 to receive your kit during the weekend of February 13 and 14. You will find the registration form on EpiphanyCatholicChurch.org.

Lenten Daily Prayer Book

Our Lenten Calendar

Little Lenten Living Boxes

“Take Time” Family Lenten Game

Rice Bowl

Footprints

Supplies for Cards



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"If I do so willingly, I have a recompense, but if unwillingly, then I have been entrusted with a stewardship."
1 Corinthians 9:17

Doing good works that are enjoyable, or that come natural, can be a pleasure. When faced with good works that are not simple, or that challenge us, do we serve as the hands of Jesus or do our hands stay tucked in comfortable pockets?

Ash Wednesday Reservations

Wednesday, February 17
8:30 a.m. - Mass with Ash Distribution
7:00 p.m. - Prayer Service with Ash Distribution
epiphanycatholicchurch.churchreserve.com

Reservations must be made no later than February 14th. *As with Christmas reservations, your seating choice could change. You will be informed of any changes. If you do not have access to reserve online, please contact Angie Fox.

Taize Prayer

Friday, February 12, 8-8:35 a.m.
Zoom

Begin your day in calm and quiet reflection. Contact Linda Thieneman for the link.

Fratelli Tutti Study

Thursdays, February 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25
Weekly Zoom Meetings

Fratelli Tutti is Pope Francis' *"cry from the heart"* to all people of the earth to see and work beyond their differences to grow together and build a new and peaceful world.

You can purchase Fratelli Tutti through Amazon or download it from our website. Registration for the study is also on our website.

For more information, contact Polly Duncan Collum or Lisa Downs.

We Want You

Are you interested in foundational life issues such as abortion, the death penalty, assisted suicide and euthanasia? We are exploring the creation of an Epiphany Dignity of Life ministry. Please contact Polly Duncan Collum if interested.

Ash Wednesday COVID Style

Lent 2021 begins with Ash Wednesday, February 17. Please note that due to Covid-19 precautions ashes will be sprinkled on the top of your head, not on your forehead. Receiving ashes is not mandatory but will be available at both of these liturgies:

- Mass at 8:30 a.m.
- Evening Prayer (Liturgy of the Hours) at 7 p.m.

Climate Crisis Winter Webinar

Sunday, February 21, 3 p.m.-5 p.m.
Zoom Meeting

National and local climate experts will teach us how serious the climate crisis is, how parishes across the nation are taking action, and what your family can do to be part of the solution to the problem.

Go to our website for more information and register to receive your Zoom link (under Forms/Registrations). You can also contact Polly Duncan Collum for more information.

EACM Food Pantry

The shelves are full due to a Scout drive, but Pull-Up diapers size 4T-5T are needed.

Sunday Connections on Thursday

This is a weekly discussion and prayer session focused on the readings for Mass. We will use the lectio divina contemplative method. No Bible study experience or knowledge needed. Delve deeper in your relationship with God and connect with others hoping to find words of comfort and challenge in the gospels. Sign up on our website or contact Lisa Downs.

Old Palms Needed

Bring in your old palm to be burned to ashes for the beginning of Lent. Please leave them in the basket by the Welcome Desk.

Reconciliation

Opportunities for individual Reconciliation are each Saturday at 4 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, or scheduled with Fr. Randy or Fr. Tony by appointment.

Honor Roll

We're closing out Catholic Schools Week by congratulating these Epiphany scholars for making the Honor Roll during First Semester:

Gabriel Biagi, St. Xavier
Lilia Biagi, Sacred Heart
Carolyn Chase, Sacred Heart
Isabella Chase, Sacred Heart
Amanda Gilkey, Sacred Heart

Thank You, Epiphany!

From a thank you letter by Rob Locke, Chief Executive Officer of Habitat for Humanity of Metro Louisville:

"Your generosity drives our efforts of empowering families, like Abdulaziz and Fatima's, to build a more stable foundation and to succeed as homeowners. 'Home to our family means everything. We can finally settle down and have a safe place to live,' says Abdulaziz."

Inclement Weather

Staff will monitor conditions and make decisions if Mass or other events need to be canceled. Please check our website, the MyParishApp, or your email before coming to the campus if the weather is bad.

2020 Catholic Services Appeal - *Bringing Christ to Others*

Our Parish Goal: \$64,600

As of the end of January we have 90% of the goal dollars! Epiphany members have donated \$58,298. Participation Goal is 199. To date 179 members have donated, or 90%. There is still time to give. Click CSA Donation on archlou.org to donate securely online at archlou.org. Our parish is so generous in so many ways - thank you!



2021 Black and Indian Mission Collection

This Collection exists to help diocesan communities preach the Gospel of Jesus among the African American, Native American, and Alaskan Native people of God. Your donations help fund parish-based catechetical programs, support teacher and catechist professional development, and more. Please make your check payable to the parish with the words "Black/Indian Missions" in the memo line. You can do online giving for this or any other second collection, by going to our website and click on Give, then Give Online from the top ribbon. Or simply scan the below QR code with your smartphone. Be sure to do so prior to the collection weekend (February 20-21). Thank you for your generosity.

Notes from the Finance Advisory Council

- Epiphany is evaluating the best way to illuminate the Epiphany Statue, and plans to execute this project when possible.
- The FAC had a robust discussion concerning the declining contributions from parishioners, and the need for continued support from our member families to ensure operating expenses are covered and to continue the good work of the
- An ad-hoc committee is being formed to begin planning the capital campaign projects, and develop tentative schedules for execution. The FAC recognizes the need to launch this phase of the capital campaign, as Epiphany is beginning to receive donations.

Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) Updates from January Meeting

- PPC is gearing up for nominations to PPC this spring. Please start discerning if you are interested in the Parish Pastoral Council.
- PPC, Finance Advisory Council (FAC), and staff spent a recent weekend together virtually for a Convocation. Tink Guthrie, Vice-Chancellor of the Archdiocese, facilitated a workshop based on the July 2020 document from the Vatican: The Pastoral Conversion of the Parish Community in The Service of the Evangelizing Mission of the Church. The staff updated PPC and FAC on the community's accomplishments in 2020 and are looking forward to more new and engaging ideas in 2021.
- Looking for bulletin advertisers! PPC wants to thank those parishioners and local businesses currently advertising in our bulletin and hopes more will consider advertising. Who better to frequent your business than your Epiphany Community.

Memorial Donations

You can now make your memorial donations through our website. Under the Give heading go to Give Online. You can also scan the QR code below.

Mass Intentions for the Coming Week:

Sat. Feb. 6	5:30 p.m.	RIP Joan Carrico
Sun. Feb. 7	9:00 a.m.	Parish
	11:30 a.m.	Parish
	2:30 p.m.	Spanish Mass
Mon. Feb. 8	5:30 p.m.	RIP Barbara Cassidy
Tues. Feb. 9	8:30 a.m.	Parish
Wed. Feb. 10	8:30 a.m.	Parish
Thurs. Feb. 11	8:30 a.m.	Parish
Fri. Feb. 12	8:30 a.m.	Parish
Sat. Feb. 13	5:30 p.m.	Parish
Sun. Feb. 14	9:00 a.m.	Parish
	11:30 a.m.	Parish
	2:30 p.m.	Spanish Mass

Healthy at Worship

Please leave your kneelers down after Mass so we know which seats to disinfect. Thank you for wearing a mask and social distancing here.

Pastoral Parish Council Feedback

The PPC wants to connect with you. Now you can ask questions or send comments to the PPC through email at ppc-feedback@epiphanycatholicchurch.org.

Giving Made Easier

We can only provide the services we do because of your generous contributions. Scan this QR code or go to our website (under the Give heading) to set up your contributions. You can also contact Mary Downs for more information about online giving.



Pastor

Rev. J. Randall Hubbard

“Fr. Randy” celebrated the 30th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood in 2020. He brings animation, balance, and joy for Jesus to the parish. He has been at Epiphany since 2011.



He can be reached at (502) 245-9733 x. 29



Associate Pastor

Rev. Anthony Cecil, Jr.

“Fr. Tony” joined Epiphany in 2019 when he was ordained to the priesthood. He brings organization, humor, and spirit to the parish.

He can be reached at (502) 245-9733 x. 22

Padre José Juan Márquez and Deacon Trey Mobley round out the Epiphany ministry team. Both can be reached at (502) 245-9733.

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Maintenance

Greg Clickner & Bob Clickner

Infant Baptisms: We ask that parents requesting this first initiation sacrament for their children be registered members of Epiphany. Our Baptism Preparation Program consists of one session. We encourage you to participate in this session during the pregnancy. Baptism is celebrated approximately every three months at weekend liturgies. Contact Lisa Downs.

Reconciliation: This sacrament of spiritual healing is celebrated communally twice a year. It is offered every Saturday at 4 p.m. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel or by appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage: Anyone wishing to be married at Epiphany must either be a registered parishioner or a dependent child of a registered family. The Archdiocese of Louisville requires a minimum 6-month preparation and planning period prior to any wedding. Contact Lisa Downs.

Adult Catechumenate: The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is an ongoing process through which a person becomes a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Anyone interested in this process is invited to participate in our regularly scheduled sessions. For information about RCIA, contact Lisa Downs.

Anointing of the Sick: Available during or after daily or Sunday liturgy in the Worship Center. Any parishioner can request the sacrament at any time by calling our office.

Ministry to the Sick: We ask a family members to notify us as soon as possible when a parishioner is admitted to the hospital or nursing home.

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Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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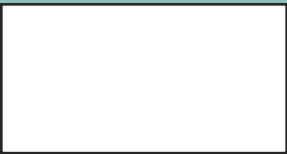


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