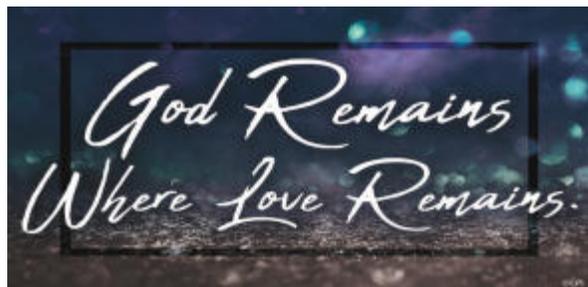


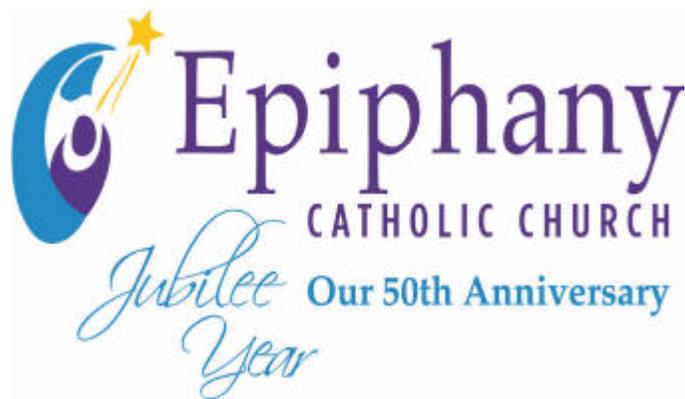
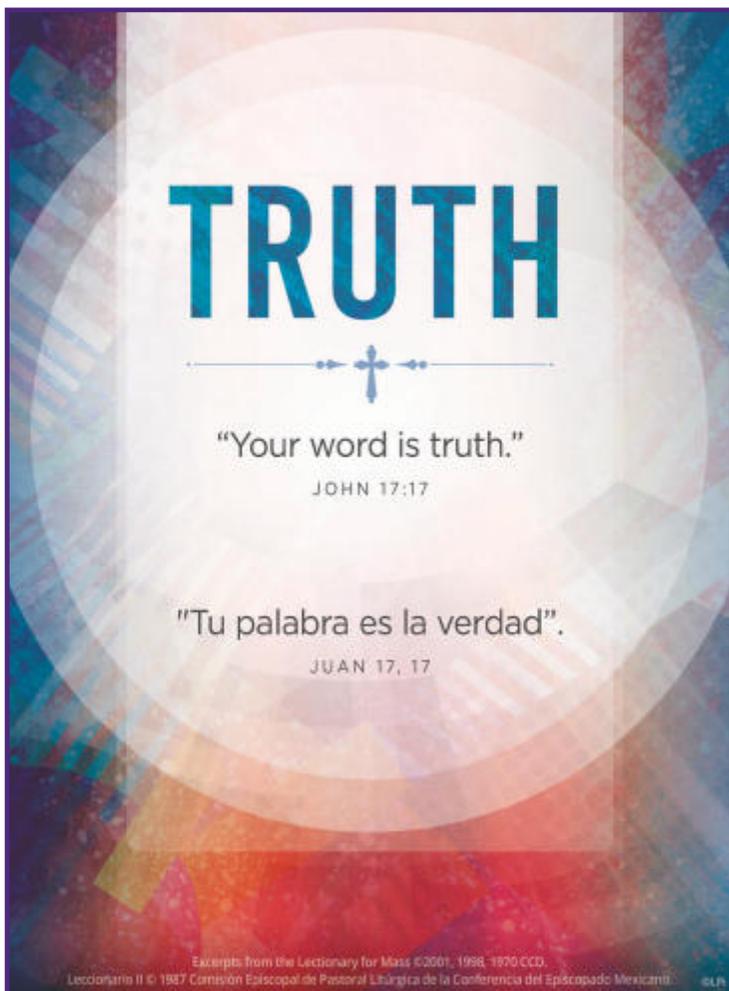
The Ascension of the Lord

May 16, 2021



As Jesus ascends to take his place with his Father and the Spirit, we are instructed that this event is a beginning, not an end. The ministry of Christ is continued in the ministry of the Church – we are commissioned to proclaim the Gospel, and we undertake our mission “*through the Holy Spirit,*” who gives us the gifts we need. Are we open to the guidance of the Spirit? May we commit to the real work of living out the Gospel message: remaining in God’s love - and with humility, gentleness, patience and forbearance - loving one another as God loves us.

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



Worship Aid Included

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 Monday-Friday 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. 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.

To make Mass easier to experience, we offer you the following:

- Gluten-free hosts are available. Please see Fr. Randy or Linda Thieneman to get details for regular use.
- If you have difficulty hearing during liturgy, you can pick up a personal sound receiver and ear piece or loop from the stand next to the Welcome Desk before Mass, and adjust the volume as needed.

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT EPIPHANY CATHOLIC CHURCH ASCENSION OF THE LORD – May 15-16, 2021

Jesus ascends to his Father, beginning a new era for his disciples. We, like them, are prepared by the Spirit to carry on the work of Christ. Are we open to the gifts and guidance of the Spirit to bring the peace and love of God to all?

In many parts of the world, there is a need for paths of peace to heal open wounds. There is also a need for peacemakers, men and women prepared to work boldly and creatively to initiate processes of healing and renewed encounter.

- Pope Francis, *Fratelli Tutti* (225)

ENTRANCE SONG: One Spirit, One Church

Kevin Keil

We are a pilgrim people, We are the Church of God. A family of believers, disciples of the Lord.
United in one spirit, ignited by the fire. Still burning through the ages, still present in our lives.

Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest, and in our hearts take up thy rest; come with thy grace and heav'nly aid to fill the hearts which thou hast made.

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GLORIA – MASS OF RENEWAL

William Gokelman & David Kauffman

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.

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FIRST READING: Acts 1: 1-11

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 118/96 This is the Day

Marty Haugen

This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad, and be glad.

This is the day that the Lord has made, Alleluia, alleluia.

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SECOND READING: Ephesians 4: 1-7, 11-13

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Easter Alleluia

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Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! (repeat)

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GOSPEL: Mark 16: 15-20

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH: Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; *who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary*, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell; the third day he arose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

PETITIONS: Response: Risen Christ, hear us.

CLOSING PRAYER FROM FRATELLI TUTTI

Lord, Father of our human family, you created all human beings equal in dignity: pour forth into our hearts a fraternal spirit and inspire in us a dream of renewed encounter, dialogue, justice and peace. Move us to create healthier societies and a more dignified world, a world without hunger, poverty, violence and war. May our hearts be open to all the peoples and nations of the earth. May we recognize the goodness and beauty that you have sown in each of us, and thus forge bonds of unity, common projects, and shared dreams. Amen

PREPARATION OF GIFTS: Send Down the Fire Marty Haugen

Send down the fire of your justice, send down the rains of your love;
come, send down the Spirit, breathe life in your people, and we shall be people of God.

Call us to be your compassion, teach us the song of your love; give us hearts that sing, give us deeds that ring, make us ring with the song of your love.

Call us to learn of your mercy, teach us the way of your peace; give us hearts that feel, give us hands that heal, make us walk in the way of your peace.

Call us to answer oppression, teach us the fire of your truth; give us righteous souls, 'till your justice rolls, make us burn with the fire of your truth.

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EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATIONS - MASS OF RENEWAL William Gokelman & David Kauffman

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

The myst'ry of faith: We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again. (repeat)

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, Amen, Amen, Amen, Amen!

THE LORD'S PRAYER & SIGN OF PEACE

LAMB OF GOD William Gokelman & David Kauffman

Lamb of God, (Bread of Life, Prince of Peace, Fire of Love...) you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

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

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COMMUNION SONG: One Bread, One Body John Foley, S.J.

One bread, one body, one Lord of all, one cup of blessing which we bless, and we,
though many, throughout the earth, we are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more.

Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all.

Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one, for all.

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SOLEMN BLESSING & DISMISSAL

RECESSIONAL: Go Out to All the World (Ps. 117) Barrett Wilson

Go out to all the world, shine with the light of our God.
Bring to those in darkness and need God's power,
God's light and God's love.

Let us love with God's love, feeding those who hunger, giving drink to those who thirst. Let us say to another, "I will bear your cross for you."

We are called by name. Strengthened by the Spirit, to go forth and spread God's word. May we walk with courage, standing on the rock of Christ.

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“That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation resulting in knowledge of him.” Ephesians 1:17

We love and serve a God we cannot see, yet we see Him in everyone and everything around us. Being good stewards of all that is around us is how we show our love of God.

50th Jubilee Anniversary Celebration Picnic

Saturday, June 5, after 5:30 p.m. Mass
Catered food served from 6:45 p.m.-8 p.m.

This **parishioner-only** picnic requires RSVPs by **Today, May 16**. RSVP on our website. Check the insert for more information.

50th Jubilee Anniversary Celebration Mass

Saturday, June 5, 5:30 p.m.
Archbishop Joseph Kurtz presiding

Seat reservations are required. Go to EpiphanyCatholicChurch.ChurchReserve.com to make your requests for seats. See the insert or our website for more information.

Jubilee Habitat House

Plan to sign a stud that will become part of our Jubilee Habitat House after all the Masses during the weekend of our Jubilee celebration, June 5 and 6. Mark your calendar for the Build Kick-Off, August 19-21.

Eastern Area Community Ministries

- EACM is re-starting their program to distribute fresh produce on Tuesdays, and they need help. Contact Carrie Gerard at 502-426-2824 to volunteer.
- Food Pantry Needs: canned chicken, beef stew, hearty soups, plain boxed pasta, pasta sauce, jelly, bar soap, shampoo, toothpaste, and laundry detergent.

BibleTimes Marketplace 2021

Monday-Friday, July 12-16
Anchorage Presbyterian Church

The deadline to register children on our website is Wednesday, June 30. Contact Lisa Downs for more information - 502-780-1654.

Family Formation Information Sessions

Sunday, May 16

10:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m. in the Community Center
or
12:45 p.m.-1:30 p.m. in the Worship Center
or

Sunday, May 23

10:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m. in the Community Center

Children’s Formation is transitioning to a Family Formation program this coming fall. We will answer questions and help register your family at these information sessions. Lisa Downs is the contact person - 502-780-1654.

Parish Pastoral Council Selection Sunday

Sunday, May 23, 9 a.m.

The Nomination Committee would like to thank all those who prayerfully considered their nomination to serve on the council for the 2021-2024 term. The following parishioners have agreed to join the PPC should their name be one of three drawn on Selection Sunday: Suzanne Chase, Sharon Davis, Marina Holt, Frank Miller, Pete Osborne, Beth Vetter, and Lauren Walker. Please keep these nominees and our parish in your prayers as the Holy Spirit guides our final selection of new members to the PPC.

Mass of Thanksgiving with Fr. Joe Graffis

Saturday, May 29, 4 p.m.
St. Edward Catholic Church

Parishioners are invited to celebrate Fr. Graffis’ 50th anniversary as a priest of the Archdiocese of Louisville. Fr. Graffis served as pastor at Epiphany from 1981-1991. A simple reception will follow at St. Edward afterward. No personal presents are needed, but you may donate either to St. Vincent de Paul Society or to the WHAS Crusade for Children.

Youth Art Installation - Fabric Needed

The Youth Team for the *Celebrating Our Future* Capital Campaign is still accepting heirloom scraps. Please drop off your fabric in the baskets found in the Connector or the back porch of Epiphany House. Members of the team will be present at the Easter egg hunt for you to bring in your scraps and answer any questions you may have about how to get involved in the Capital Campaign with your family.

Questions of the Week

Ascension Sunday: Mark 16:15-20

Adults: How can I continue with the mission of Jesus in the world?

Children: What are some ways I can share the Good News of Jesus with others?

Memorial Day Mass

Monday, May 31, 10 a.m.

Bring a photo or memorial object to display.

Memorial Day honors those who died while serving in the U.S. Military. You can read about this holiday at www.history.com/topics/holidays/memorial-day-history.

Priesthood Ordinations

Saturday, May 29, 11 a.m.
Cathedral of the Assumption



Archbishop Joseph Kurtz will celebrate the ordination to the priesthood of Deacon Quan Nguyen and Deacon Loi Pham (he did an internship at Epiphany). The people of the Archdiocese of Louisville are welcome and encouraged to view the live stream of this joyful celebration. To access the live stream, go to www.youtube.com and search for Cathedral of the Assumption Louisville. For more information, contact Sr. Sarah Yungwirth in the Vocation Office at 502-471-2121.

Parish App Feature-of-the-Week



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Portrait sessions are on these dates:
June 16-19 & June 23-26
Epiphany Community Center

 CHURCH DIRECTORIES

Urgent Needs for Masses

- The Live Stream Team needs additional people to serve at **9 a.m. Sunday Masses**. Four people each week operate the cameras, direct, and upload the slides (opening, lyrics, ending). Training and shadowing are provided. Contact TJ Jessie for more information - 502-780-1329.
*During the Jubilee Celebration Weekend, we will live stream the 5:30 p.m. Mass on Saturday, June 5. For this weekend ONLY Sunday's 9 a.m. Mass will not be live-streamed.
- We need more volunteers with hospitality for the **11:30 a.m. Sunday Masses**. Please contact Linda Thieneman - 502-780-0475 - to help.

Catholic World Missions Collection

We have started taking donations for the Mission Collection, which supports the Catholic Home Missions and international missionary agencies. Your donations help the Church's missionary work in the U.S., Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and remote regions of Latin America. Donations fund the education and support of seminarians, religious novices, and lay catechists; the work of religious communities in education, health care, and social services; communication and transportation needs; disaster and emergency relief when necessary; and the Church's ministry to children. If giving by check, please make your check payable to Epiphany and put the words "World Mission" in the memo line. You can also use our Online Giving program, but be sure to select this option before May 29. Go to our website and click on the **Give heading** to give to any second collection.

Parish Census Update

Nearly 600 families participated in the 2021 Spring Census (approximately 50% of households). We will soon publish a snapshot of the survey questions and other statistics from the census. The paper version of the update has been mailed and we look forward to seeing those results as well. Please return your parishioner update form and survey to the office or in the box in the Connector no later than Friday, May 21. Thank you to all who participated.

Healthy at Worship Updates

- Only two empty seats are needed now between groups whether they include one or 21. Masks still need to be worn. We appreciate your partnership.
- The CDC announced that the risk of getting COVID from touching surfaces is extremely low. We will have disinfecting materials available if you wish to use them; however, we will not wipe or spray the chairs and kneelers after every Mass now. Direct questions to Mary Downs - 502-780-0673.

Mass Intentions for the Coming Week:

Sat. May 15	5:30 p.m.	Joan Carrico
Sun. May 16	9:00 a.m.	Parish
	11:30 a.m.	RIP Rosetta Fackler
	2:30 p.m.	Spanish Mass
Mon. May 17	5:30 p.m.	(RIP) Joan Nold
Tues. May 18	8:30 a.m.	Richard Heim
Wed. May 19	8:30 a.m.	Parish
Thurs. May 20	8:30 a.m.	Parish
Fri. May 21	8:30 a.m.	Parish
Sat. May 22	5:30 p.m.	Tony & Doris Walsh 70th Wedding Anniversary
Sun. May 23	9:00 a.m.	Parish
	11:30 a.m.	Parish
	2:30 p.m.	Spanish Mass

The parish office will be closed on Memorial Day, Monday, May 31, 2021

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 with your cellphone or go to our website (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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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 six-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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