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Tuesday—Saturday....30 minutes before
Mass
Saturday.....4-5 pm or by appointment

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Parents must attend a Baptism class.
Call the office for more information.

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Couples wishing to marry must have
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6 months before the wedding, and be
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Sunday Noon through Saturday Noon
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The Lord's Day Mass Schedule

Saturday.....5:30 pm
Sunday.....8:30 am & 11:00 am

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday-Saturday.....8:00 am

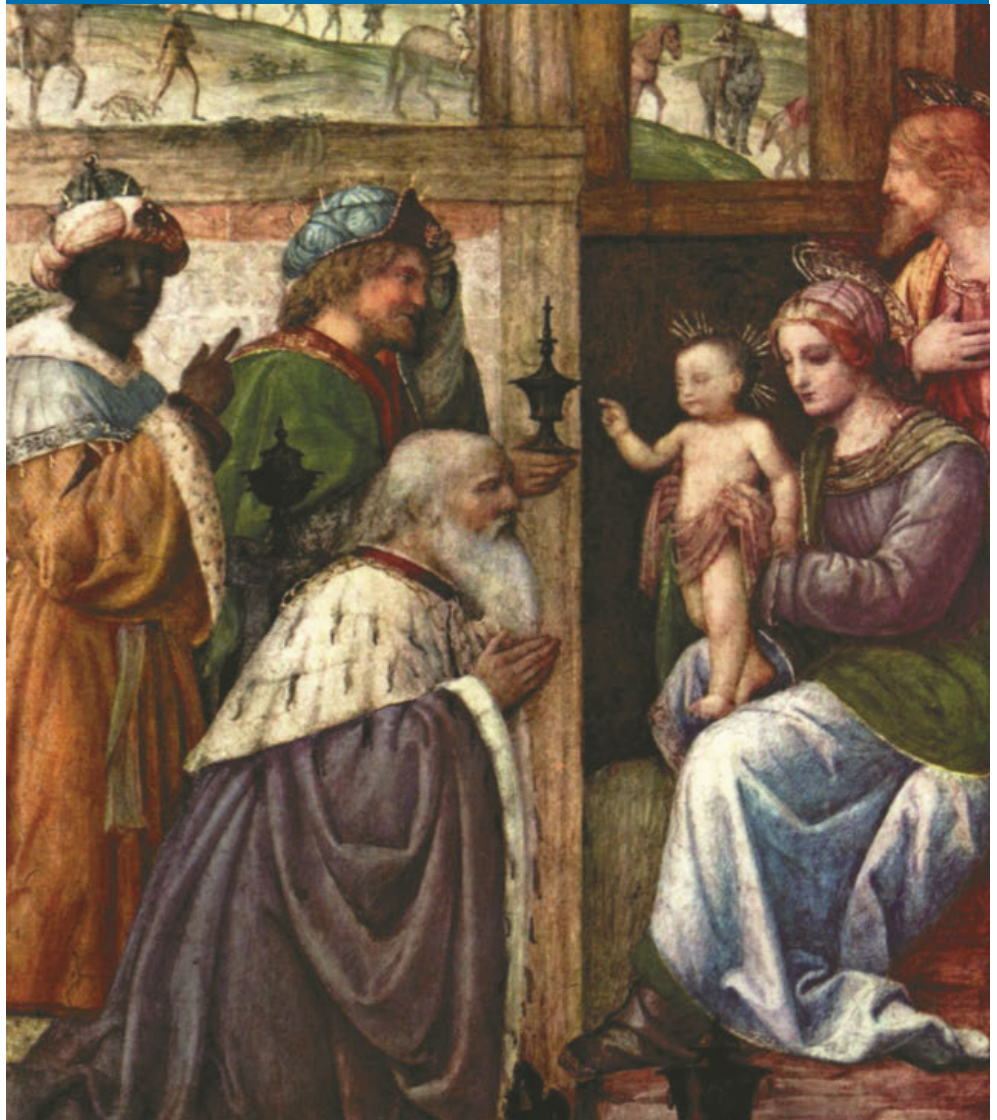
Live-streamed Mass

Saturday.....5:30 pm
YouTube Channel; available on Facebook
& parish website following the livestream.

Prayer in Church

Divine Mercy Chaplet.....Mon-Fri at 3 pm
Rosary.....Last Sunday of the month
.....8:10 am & 10:40 am

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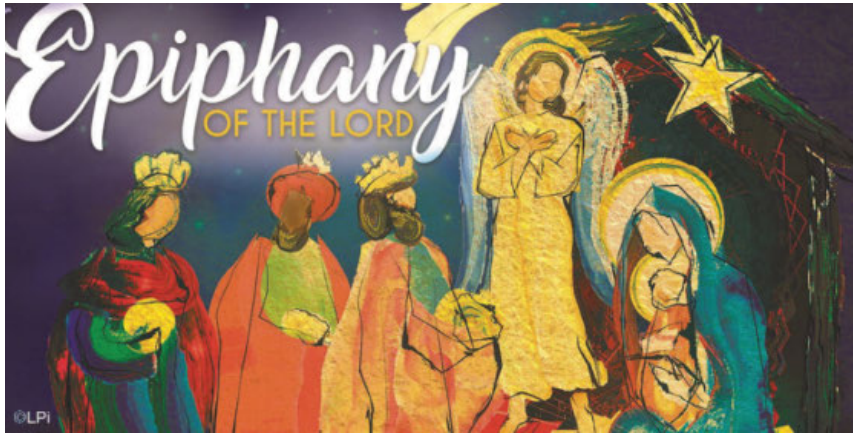


THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
January 2, 2022

Stewardship Reflection

The Epiphany of the Lord

Today's Gospel presents us with the story of the manifestation of Jesus to the Gentiles through the visitation of the Magi. With the birth of Jesus, the world as a whole is able to see God in a new way. The word Epiphany is often used to describe a moment in which you suddenly see or understand something in a new or very clear way. And so it was with the birth of Christ. Rightfully understood, God was no longer to be thought of simply as the God of the Israelites but as the God of the Universe, who would sacrifice Himself for all of mankind. May we also seek Him, that we may pay him homage, to prostrate ourselves and place our gifts—our very selves—before Him.



The Epiphany of the Lord

The song "We Three Kings" details the gifts of the Magi, but do you know what you're singing? "Born a king on Bethlehem's plain, gold I bring to crown Him again." This one is the most straightforward - gold symbolizes the Kingship of Christ. "Myrrh is mine: its bitter perfume breathes a life of gathering gloom." Myrrh is an embalming spice. Already at Christ's birth, we have the symbolic reminder of his death. "Frankincense to offer have I. Incense owns a deity nigh." In many religious traditions, incense symbolizes prayers rising to heaven. In some pagan traditions, it is thought to help "call down" the deity. The gift of frankincense symbolizes Jesus' role as the Great High Priest, sanctifying the world through his sacrifice.

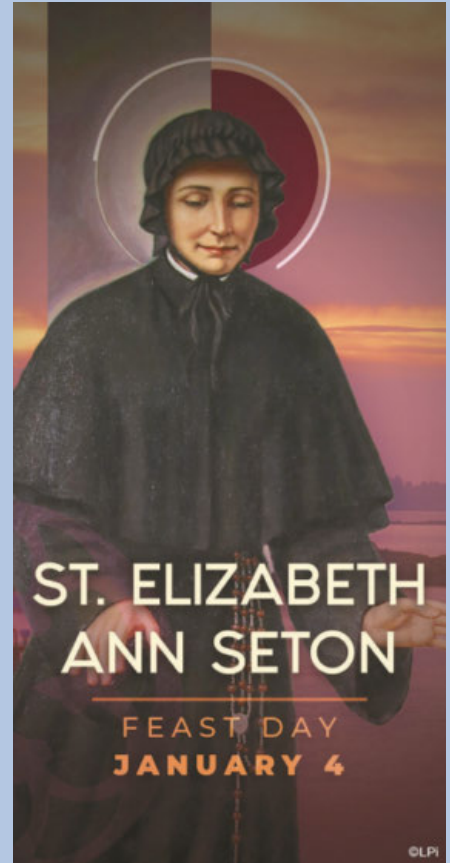
Observances for the week of January 2

- Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church
- Monday: The Most Holy Name of Jesus
- Tuesday: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious
- Wednesday: St. John Neumann, Bishop
- Thursday: St. André Bessette, Religious
- Friday: St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest
- Saturday:
- Next Sunday: The Baptism of the Lord



"And you Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; since from you shall come a ruler, who is to shepherd my people Israel."
—Mt 2:6

Saint of the Week St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Feast Day January 4



The patron saint of Catholic schools, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (August 28, 1774 - January 4, 1821) was born in New York City to a prominent family of the Episcopal faith. When she turned 19, she married a wealthy businessman with whom she had five children. He later died of tuberculosis in 1803, leaving her a young widow. After discovering the Catholic faith in Italy, where her husband had died, she returned to New York and converted to Catholicism in 1805.

After several years struggling as a single mother, Elizabeth moved in 1809 to Emmitsburg, Maryland, where she founded the Sisters of Charity of St. Joseph, the first community for religious women established in the United States. She also began St. Joseph's Academy and Free School, which started a chain reaction of Catholic-based education in the United States that continues today.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton was canonized September 14, 1975 in St. Peter's Square by Pope Paul VI and was the first citizen born in the United States to be given the title of "saint."

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Parish Life

Stewardship Renewal

Thank you to everyone who has participated in our parish's Stewardship renewal.

Total number of parish families: 622

Number of Stewardship forms returned: 205

Percentage of Stewardship forms returned: 33%

May we all continue to encourage one another to live the Stewardship way of life, being grateful disciples, recognizing and receiving God's gifts and sharing these gifts out of love of God and neighbor.

New Member of the Parish Staff

Church of the Resurrection would like to introduce our new Administrative Assistant/Stewardship Coordinator, Jacquie Kempf. Jacquie is no stranger to the parish and we are happy to welcome her aboard the parish staff!

"My husband, Tim, and I have been Resurrection parishioners for over 28 years. We have 7 children who have attended RCS and our 2 youngest currently attend KMC. I have been involved in many ministries over the years including Middle and High school youth groups, confirmation prep, PSR and parenting classes, to name a few. Resurrection has been like extended family to us over the many years and I am very excited to begin serving the parish in a professional capacity."
—Jacquie

Happy Anniversary

Congratulations to this couple celebrating a special wedding anniversary (a multiple of 5 years) in January. May God continue to bless your marriage for many years to come.

Ndubueze & Chinwe Okonkwo (25)



Directory Photos Happening Soon!

Have you signed up to have your photo taken for the newest pictorial directory? Dates for appointments are Jan. 10-15. You can schedule online at <https://instant-scheduling.com/sch.php?kn=3534502&typld=63883&step=2> or scan the QR code. You can also find the link on the parish website, or call the Parish Office. We would like to encourage all parishioners to participate. Every family photographed will receive a copy of the directory and an 8x10 portrait at no cost. Sign up today!



Bulletin Deadline

Deadline for January 9 Bulletin: Tuesday, January 4 at noon

Email: bulletin@resurrectionwichita.com

Eucharistic Adoration

We are currently in need of adorers for the following hours:

Monday	3 am
Thursday	1 am
Saturday	4 am

Special times

Knights of Columbus: 1 am, Saturday

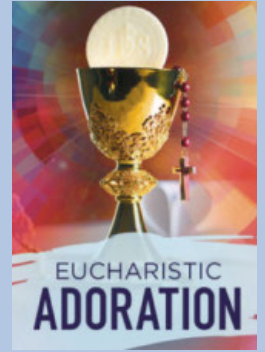
January 8 Archie Macias &
Timothy O'Farrell

January 15 Mike Swan & Cesar Nolla

Respect Life: 2 am, Saturday

January 8 Paul & Jacqueline Linnabary

January 15 Greg Davied



*The Lord wants to spend time with you.
If you do not have a Holy Hour, why not?*

Attention 2022-2023 Catholic High School Students and Parents

All students planning on attending a Catholic high school next fall must complete the annual Diocese Parish Family Agreement and return it to the Parish Office as soon as possible if you are seeking financial sponsorship from the parish. The family's 2022 stewardship forms must be on file in the Parish Office before Father Lies will sign the agreement for each student. A packet was mailed in the past week to families that may be enrolling a child in a Catholic high school next fall. If next fall is the first time a family will have a child enrolling in a Catholic school, please contact Fred Knoblauch in the Parish Office to have a packet mailed to you. The phone number is 744-2776.

Resurrection Catholic School News

Christmas Program Rescheduled

The K-8 Christmas Program was rescheduled and is now on Wednesday, Jan. 5 at 7 pm in the church. All are welcome to attend!

Donations for The Auction 2022

The Auction isn't until April, but we are working hard to round up some great items for you to bid on in our silent rooms and live auction! If you have an item or a service to donate, please contact Heather Siefer at heatherjabara@yahoo.com.

Save the date! The Auction is April 2, 2022. Find details on our Facebook event page by visiting the RCS Facebook page or by scanning the QR code. Mark "interested" to get notifications when we post updates. There's much more to come!



For more information about Resurrection Catholic School, visit www.resurrectionwichita.com/school or "like" us on Facebook.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Saturday, January 8 & Sunday, January 9

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday 5:30 pm Erin* Seghers, Shirley Luebbert, Jennifer Sweat
Sunday 8:30 am Laurie* Schirmer, Bob Dolechek, Joyce Koehn
11:00 am Wes & Angie* Etheredge, Kylan Collins

Ministers for the Homebound An Nguyen, Cindy Weber, Laurie Schirmer

Ushers

Saturday 5:30 pm Aaron* Heiman, Brian Boeding,
Sean & Matthew Kempf
Sunday 8:30 am Jeff* Riegel, Steve Lienhard, John Miller,
Brandon Saner
11:00 am Peter* & Simon White, Adolph Chavez, Jr.,
James Thompson

Lectors

Saturday 5:30 pm Janet Miller, Rose Pickle
Sunday 8:30 am Michael Gordon, Kay Riegel
11:00 am Brandon McIntosh, Justin Thompson

Altar Servers

Saturday 5:30 pm Jacob Nguyen, Isabella & Tor Williams,
Gabriela Wright
Sunday 8:30 am Aadan & David Englert, Joseph Gordon,
Wyatt Sullenger
11:00 am Paxton & William Etheredge, Lauren Pendleton,
Sean Thompson, Matilda White

Greeters & Gift Bearers

Saturday 5:30 pm Randy & Diana Oldham
Sunday 8:30 am Chase & Katie Tipton
11:00 am Chris & Lezlee Brown

Coffee & Donuts

Pickup Tony & Evan Ohlman
Setup Jeff & Chloe Rocha
8:30 am Scott & Cheyenne Minihan, Alina Newry
11:00 am Jennifer & Ashlyn McCoy, Isaiah Missana

Church Cleaning

Saturday 9 am
Sheena Dolechek, Eric & Shae Rodriguez,
Jake, Katie, & Hailey Rowell, Scott & Patty Wilson

Weekday Schedule for January 4-8

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Tues 8:00 am TBD
Wed 8:00 am TBD
Thurs 8:00 am TBD
Fri 8:00 am TBD

Lector

Tues-Fri 8:00 am RCS
Sat 8:00 am Archie Macias

Servers

Tues 8:00 am David & Joseph Relph
Wed 8:00 am Aadan & David Englert
Thurs 8:00 am Carlos Castro, Reid Hand
Fri 8:00 am Joseph Gordon, Julie Goers
Sat 8:00 am Sebastian Swan, Sean Thompson

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, January 3 (No Mass)

Tuesday, January 4

8:00 am †Norma Stein by Zeke & Shirlene

Wednesday, January 5

8:00 am †James Swan by Mike & Gail Swan

Thursday, January 6

8:00 am †Betty Lehr by David Lehr

Friday, January 7

8:00 am †Mary Dean Sander by Clare Vanderpool

Saturday, January 8

8:00 am †Charlene Anne Weiss by The Strecker family

5:30 pm Nancy Tybor by Patricia Fox

Sunday, January 9

8:30 am †Diane Dolechek by Bob Dolechek

11:00 am People of the Parish

Readings for the Week of January 2

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 or, Is 40:1-5, 9-11/
Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 [1]/
Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

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This Week in Our Parish

This Sunday, January 2

Monday, January 3

Tuesday, January 4

Boy Scouts: 6:30 pm

RCIA: 7 pm, St. John Room

Wednesday, January 5

RCS Christmas Program: 7 pm, Church

Thursday, January 6

Adult Choir: 7 pm, Church

Friday, January 7

Church Ladies: After 8 am Mass, St. John Room

Saturday, January 8

Looking Ahead

Sunday, January 9

Monday, January 10

Pictorial Directory Photos

Cub Scout Pack Meetings: 6:30 pm

Tuesday, January 11

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Boy Scouts: 6:30 pm

RCIA: 7 pm

Wednesday, January 12

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Adult Choir: 7 pm, Church

Thursday, January 13

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Knights of Columbus: 7 pm

Friday, January 14

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Saturday, January 15

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**Please call the Parish Office to reserve parish facilities & grounds.
316-744-2776**

Your Stewardship of Treasure

Online Tithing & Donations

To give online, visit the parish website and click on the "Online Giving" tab or scan the QR code from your phone.



Therefore, if anyone is in
Christ, he is a new
creation. The old has
passed away; behold, the
new has come.

—2 Cor 5:17 (ESV)



Around the Diocese

UNBOUND Prayer Sessions

On Jan. 6, the SLC will be hosting UNBOUND Ministry for private prayer sessions from 7-9 pm. These evenings will allow retreatants to receive personal and private spiritual aid from an UNBOUND prayer team. Space is limited, so sign up soon to reserve a spot and check for future events at www.slcwichita.org. This event will recur on the first Thursdays of upcoming months.

Sacred Heart Colwich German Dinner

Support St. Anne's Rosary & Altar Society of Sacred Heart Church in Colwich for their annual German Sausage Dinner & Raffle! Dinner will be served on Sunday, Jan. 30 from 11 am to 1 pm (or until food is gone, whichever comes first) with carry out available. Dinner includes: German Sausage, Bierocks, Sauerkraut, Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Coleslaw, Macaroni & Cheese, Homemade Applesauce, Pies & Drinks. Adults: \$12, Children 5-12: \$5, Children 4 & under: Free. Sacred Heart Hall: 311 S. 5th St. in Colwich. We look forward to seeing you!

How the Eucharist Prepares Us for Spiritual Warfare

As Christians, we find ourselves in the middle of a cosmic battlefield between Satan and all of God's armies. The stakes are high in this spiritual combat. Fortunately, God has given us the weapons we need to emerge victorious from the fight. The most precious of these is His gift of Himself in the Holy Eucharist. In these lectures, Dr. Umbarger will show just how the Eucharist is revealed to be a preparation for spiritual battle in the Scriptures, and how we can be more intentional about receiving Eucharistic grace to this end.

The series will meet on three consecutive Monday evenings: Jan. 17, Jan. 24, and Jan. 31, from 7-8:30 pm at the Spiritual Life Center. Cost is \$30. Register at www.slcwichita.org.

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