



Epiphany of the Lord
Blessed Sacrament Parish Catholic Church
1945 Northampton Street, Holyoke MA
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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday4:00PM
Sunday8:30AM and 10:30AM

DAILY MASS AND ROSARY

Monday through FridayROSARY 6:15AM
Monday through FridayMASS 6:45AM
Legal Holidays ROSARY 7:30AM
Legal HolidaysMASS 8:00AM

ROSARY AND MEDITATION

Monday Evening.....6:00PM

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

- ◆ (Excluding Christmas Masses TBA)
- ◆ Holy Day Vigils 5:30PM
- ◆ Holy Day (*Non School Day*) 8:00AM
- ◆ Holy Day (*School Day*) 9:00AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday3:00PM to 3:45PM /or by appointment

Website: www.blessedsacramentholyoke.org

Please check out our website for our awesome church and school. You may view the weekly Sunday bulletins; find important news and updates, details regarding our Religious Ed classes, and our Online-Giving Program.



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Epiphany
of the Lord
January 2, 2022

Saturday, January 1, 2022

4:00 The Frodyma Family

Req. by Joe and Gail Usowski

4:00 The Swades Family

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Sunday, January 2, 2022

8:30 Lonnie Atchison

Req. by the Prayer Group

8:30 Ann Destromp

Req. by family

10:30 Rev. Francis X. Sullivan

5th Anniversary ~ Req. by The Lumb Family

Monday, January 3, 2022

6:45 Men and Women in the Military

Req. by a parishioner

Tuesday, January 4, 2022

6:45 Henry and Elizabeth Allen

Req. by Bev Doty

Wednesday, January 5, 2022

6:45 John F. Bell

Req. by family

Thursday, January 6, 2022

6:45 Phil Hamel

18th Anniversary ~ Req. by family

Friday, January 7, 2022

6:45 Lynn Connors Henry

Req. by her mother, Bonnie

9:00 Robert Wright

Req. by Blessed Sacrament School

Saturday, January 8, 2022

4:00 Myrtle Fontaine

Req. by family

4:00 Jim and Blanche Macurnis

Req. by Joe and Gail Usowski

Sunday, January 9, 2022

8:30 Carolyn Hoppock

Req. by Janet

8:30 Rita Lubold

Req. by her daughter, Deborah Lubold

10:30 Rene Belanger

Req. by Clare Gavron and family

10:30 Donald Zucco

Req. by family



*The Altar Candles this
week are in memory of
Emily Kathleen O'Neill
&
John Philpott*



**Bakers Needed for our
Take & Eat Program**



Calling all bakers!!! We are looking for some people who would be willing to bake for our Take and Eat Program, the second Sunday of the month. Call your friends and bake together. The treat would need to be dropped off after the 8:30 Mass in the parish center. It would consist of 55 bake goods, please call Peggy Reidy at (413) 535-2313 for more information. For those of you who may not know, the Take & Eat Program provides a hot meal to our elderly homebound on the 2nd Sunday of the month.



Thank You!!

Our Annual Giving Tree Project is in the books!

OVER 400 gifts were donated to

Providence Ministry and local families this year.

The Confirmation candidates and their Wish Elves would like to thank all the parishioners for their help in making it a success.

Every year, everyone involved are so overwhelming to witness what an amazing, generous, and loving parish they are connected to. The Confirmation candidates were touched by some of the simple Christmas wishes requested by area children as they made the wish ornaments and again when they saw your overwhelming response in helping them grant these wishes. It warmed their hearts as they stood outside in the cold, loading all the gifts to be delivered.



Thank you

Regular Collection 12/19/2021 \$10,771.00

Christmas Collection 12/25/2021 \$7,363.00

Regular Collection 12/26/2021 \$8,118.00

Renovation Collection 12/25/2021 \$10,165.00

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Vaccinated and Unvaccinated Persons

Please protect yourselves and the others around you.
“Whatsoever You Do to the Least of My Brothers You Do unto Me”

The recommendation from the CDC and State about the masks has been updated because of the surge in Covid cases. The guidelines are to wear a mask while indoors regardless of your vaccination status.

TUNE YOUR CAR RADIOS TO 89.9 FM

If for any reason you are unable to join us inside the church, please come to the parking lot and tune your car radio to 89.9 FM. You will be able to hear Fr. Gentile inside the church. You will also be able to receive Communion in your car when Mass is over. When Mass is done, please turn on your hazard lights so that he can bring you Communion.

Rosary & Meditation

Mondays at 6:00pm in the Church
 and LIVE on Facebook.

2022 Mass Intention Book is Now Open

Masses may be booked during normal office hours of 8:30AM to 4:00PM Monday through Thursday and on Fridays from 8:30AM to 2:30PM Please call the rectory at 532-0713 to make requests for Masses or candles.



Unused Christmas Cards needed



This past Christmas, our 7th and 8th grade Religious Ed students organized "Christmas Cards for our Heroes." Over 500 cards were signed by local school students, area Religious Ed students, and our very own parishioners which were then distributed to Holyoke Soldiers' Home and soldiers stationed home and abroad.

We are getting a jump start on our card supply for next year but need your help. Students are collecting any unused Christmas cards with envelopes that parishioners may have left over from this past Christmas.

Thank you in advance and Happy New Year!



ST. PATRICK'S PRESENTS

THE CHOSEN SEASONS 1 & 2

THURSDAYS

JANUARY 13 - MARCH 3

6:30PM - 8:30PM

- ST. CATHERINE CLASSROOM -
 MAIN STREET SIDE ENTRANCE

2 Episodes shown every Thursday

The Chosen is a multi-season television series about Jesus and those who followed him - his 12 Apostles, Mary Magdalene, his mother - Mary, and others.

300+ Club Winners for December Winners

\$250 ~ Dr. Stanley Swierzewski ~ Holyoke
 \$150 ~ Cathleen Michon ~ Holyoke
 \$125 ~ David K. Bartley ~ Holyoke
 \$100 ~ Katherine Jourdain ~ Holyoke
 \$ 75 ~ Patricia F. Gagnon ~ Holyoke
 \$ 25 ~ Thomas Glasheen ~ Holyoke
 Gift Certificate to a Local Restaurant
 Congratulations!!!



The Chaplet of Divine Mercy



We invite you to come and your family to come and share in the love and mercy of Jesus by joining us for the Chaplet of Divine Mercy on Sunday, January 9th here at Blessed Sacrament at 3:00PM.



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



PUZZLE

Unscramble these words from today's Gospel:

wise-men
child
born

king
star
worship

Mary
gifts
dream

wsie mne

w i s e m e n

brno

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