

Holy Ghost Parish

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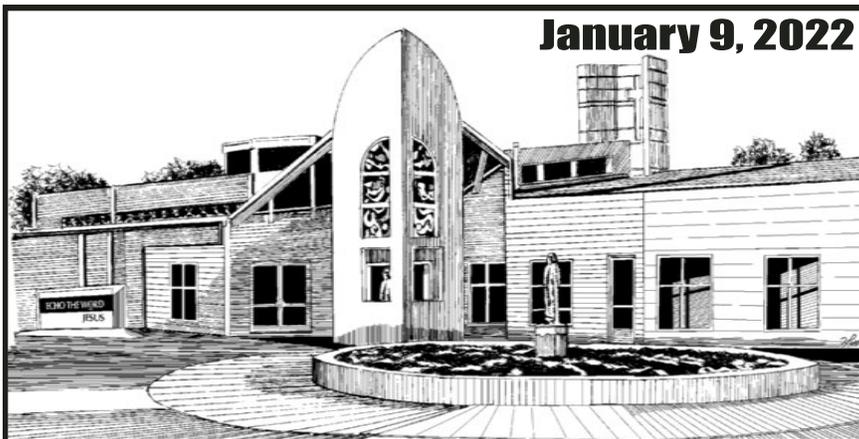
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January 9, 2022



Holy Ghost Mission Statement - "To Be Holy As We Are Called To Be."

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday

8:00 am-12:00 pm/1:00 pm-5:00 pm

Friday 8:00 am-1:00 pm

Mass Schedule / Misas

Saturday / Sabado

(Sunday Obligation)

4:00 pm (English / Inglés)

Sunday / Domingo

8:00 am (English / Inglés)

9:30 pm (Español / Spanish)

11:00 am (English / Inglés)

1:00 pm (Español / Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Tuesday-Friday 8:00 am

1st Saturday of the month 8:00 am

Confessions/Confesiones

Saturdays 3:00 pm – 3:45 pm

or by appointment

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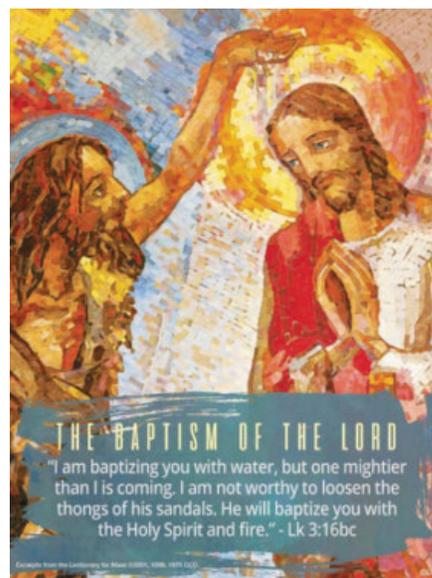
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LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Jesus stood in line with everyone else and was baptized. There is something incredibly humbling about how this must have played out. Then, God did something truly awesome and inspiring. Through a very gentle and simple action he let the world know about the special relationship He shares with Jesus. That's exactly what is so incredible about our baptisms as well! Through those holy waters God announces to the world the special place we also occupy in His heart. We no longer have to wonder about the purpose of our lives or struggle to find our way. We do not need to fumble around, tripping over ourselves and wondering why we are even here. The answer has been given. All we have to do is live out the vocation we have received, to live the Gospel in fidelity to our Creator. There is nothing to fear and worry has no place. Standing in line with other sinners, we have our anchor and God is very pleased.

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Mass Intentions

Saturday January 8, 2022 4:00 pm

For Members of the Church & Apodaca Family
† Rose T. Schmalz by Mike McBride's Family
† Deacon Ubaldo & Monica Chavez by Kids

Sunday January 9, 2022 8:00 am

In Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart of Jesus by Linda Aragon
† Maria & Santiago Klinger (Anniversary) by Family
† Ricardo Vallejos (1st Anniversary) by the Dominguez Family

9:00 am Por todos los enfermos

11:00 am

† Patsy Chacon & Lina Romero by the Chacon Family
† Don Galbraith & Sr. Madeline Altamira
† Tony Martinez, Sr. Neomi Ortega R.S.M. & Elouise Duran
by Mary Martinez

Wednesday January 12, 2022 8:00 am

In Thanksgiving to St. Peregrine & the Holy Spirit by Patrick Chavez
† Mary Ellen Thurman by Kathryn Lies

Saturday January 15, 2022 4:00 pm

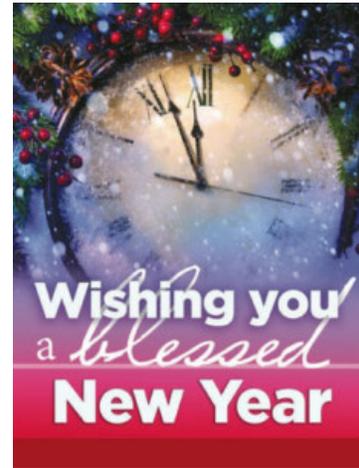
For Members of the Church & Apodaca Family
† Robert & Teddy Duran and Rudy Rodriguez by Crystal Sanchez
† Robert Tanis by Mike & Kathy McBride

Sunday January 16, 2022 8:00 am

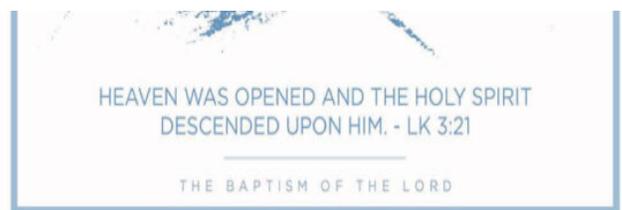
Holy Ghost Confirmation Students

11:00 am † Dorothy, Walter, & Jay LaMondy by Family

1:00 PM Por la paz del mundo



NEW YEAR PRAYER:
Thank you Lord forgiving me
The brand new year ahead.
Help me live the way I should
As each new day I tread.
Give me gentle wisdom
That I might help a friend,
Give me strength and courage
So a shoulder I might lend.
The year ahead is empty.
Help me fill it good things
Each new day filled with joy
And happiness it brings.
Amen



Contribution Information Not Available This Week

MAY GOD BLESS YOU ABUNDANTLY

WORSHIP & MEDITATION



FIRST READING

Then the glory of the LORD shall be revealed,
and all people shall see it together;
for the mouth of the LORD has spoken.
(40:5)



PSALM

O bless the Lord, my soul. (Ps 104)



SECOND READING

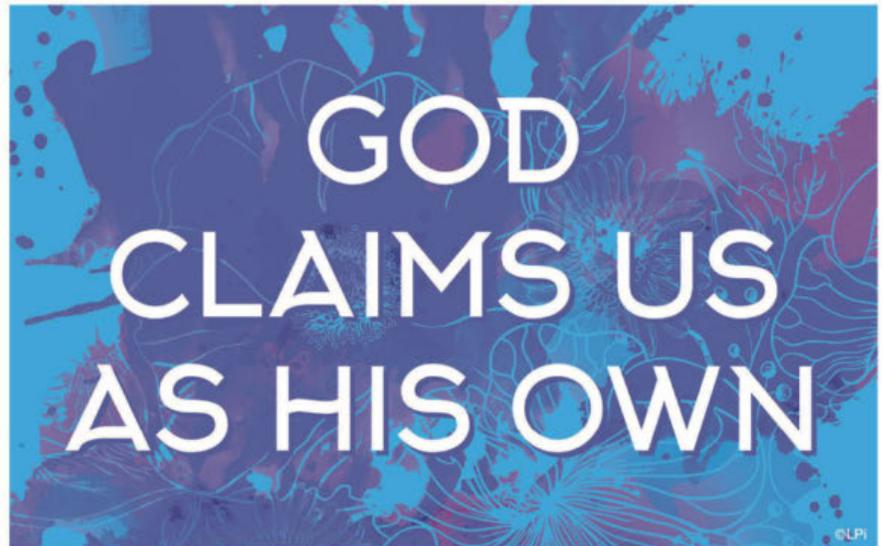
He saved us through the bath of rebirth
and renewal by the Holy Spirit. (Ti 3:5)



GOSPEL

After all the people had been baptized
and Jesus also had been baptized and
was praying,
heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit
descended upon him
in bodily form like a dove. (Lk 3:22)

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GOSPEL MEDITATION

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

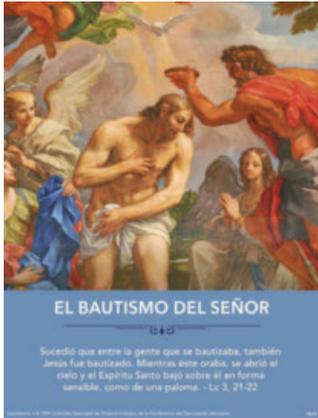
"We are called to live our baptism every day, as new creatures, clothed in Christ."

— Pope Francis

What reference point do you use when making decisions? Many times, impulse takes control and decisions are made based solely on emotion and desire. We all know that these types of decisions can often get us into trouble. When a person has a confident sense of who they are and a real understanding of what is important and of value, the likelihood of kneejerk impulsive choices diminishes. Baptism gives us what we need to make well informed and purposeful decisions. By this simple gesture, God claims us as His own and provides us with the identity and purpose we need to properly live life.

It is tremendously reassuring, when we truly embrace this revelation and realize that we no longer have to wonder about the purpose of our lives or struggle to find our way. The answer of who we are in God has been given to us. We no longer have to fumble around, trip over ourselves or walk aimlessly about. Issues surrounding the sacredness of life, the meaning of death, the protection of those most vulnerable, care for the weak and the poor, offering hospitality to those in search of a home, the purpose and proper place of work, how to create a just social order, caring for creation, and understanding our roles as heralds and stewards are just a few of the wonderful gifts baptism brings. When we make decisions based on things such as these core Gospel truths we really act as Christ himself, revealing to others the new creations that we are. This is how we live our baptism.

It is difficult to walk against the tide. Yet, that is precisely what baptism calls us to do. Although we are sinners, in need of mercy and far from perfection we are called to order our life and make decisions based upon the wisdom and guidance of Almighty God. He alone is the one who can claim us as His sons and daughters. Standing up for our principles will not make us popular. But who ever said Christianity is a popularity contest? Baptism calls us to stand up for that which goes against the grain of secularism. Standing in line with other sinners, we have our anchor to steady us in the tempests of life and God is very pleased. Forge ahead. There is nothing to fear.



VIVIR LA LITURGIA -

Jesús estuvo en la fila con todos los demás y fue bautizado. Hay algo increíblemente humilde en cómo debe haberse desarrollado esto. Entonces, Dios hizo algo verdaderamente asombroso e inspirador. A través de una acción muy tierna y sencilla, le hizo saber al mundo acerca de la relación especial que comparte con Jesús. ¡Eso es exactamente lo que es tan increíble acerca de nuestros bautismos también! A través de esas aguas santas, Dios anuncia al mundo el lugar especial que también ocupamos en Su corazón. Ya no tenemos que preguntarnos sobre el propósito de nuestras vidas o luchar para encontrar nuestro camino. No necesitamos andar a tientas, tropezándonos y preguntándonos por qué estamos aquí. Se ha dado la respuesta. Todo lo que tenemos que hacer es vivir la vocación que hemos recibido, vivir el Evangelio en fidelidad a nuestro Creador. No hay nada que temer y la preocupación no tiene cabida. Parados en línea con otros pecadores, tenemos nuestro ancla y Dios está muy complacido. ©LPi

Una Oración en el Año Nuevo

Gracias Dios por darme
Este Nuevo Año.
Ayúdame a vivir de la manera que debo
Cada Nuevo día y en cada paso que doy.
Dame sabiduría
Que yo pueda ayudar a mi amigo,
Dame Fortaleza y valentía
Para que pueda prestar mi hombro,
A quien lo necesite.
El Año Nuevo esta vacío.
Ayúdame a llenarlo de buenas cosas.
Que Cada Nuevo día sea lleno de gozo
Y de la alegría que traes Tu.

Espero ser como Él

“¿Quién es este Cristo? ¿Es como tú?”

Quizás hayas escuchado esta historia, a menudo atribuida a la vida de Santa Teresa de Calcuta. Un hombre enfermo le hizo esta pregunta, mientras se maravillaba de su incansable servicio para él y los demás en el nombre de alguien llamado Jesucristo.

“Él no se parece en nada a mí,” se dice que respondió la santa. “Pero espero ser como Él.”

Aunque no se puede verificar la autenticidad de este intercambio, su mensaje suena perfectamente cierto: todo el valor de nuestra corresponsabilidad radica en su relatividad con aquel en cuyo nombre lo realizamos.

Considere la figura de Juan el Bautista, un personaje magnífico e imponente, incluso desde una perspectiva puramente literaria o histórica. Un mártir que se alimentaba de langostas salvajes y con valentía le decía la verdad al poder; un hombre tan grande que algunos lo confundieron con el Mesías.

Pero ¿por qué es grandioso? Porque preparó el camino. Todos sus logros y aventuras no significan nada si se sacan del contexto de la historia de la salvación. Solo tiene sentido en relación con Cristo, y esto es exactamente como él lo quería. “Viene uno más digno que yo,” insiste. Y debido a esa humildad y ese abrazo total de la voluntad de Dios, se le otorga uno de los mayores honores del Nuevo Testamento: bautiza al Hijo de Dios.

Examinemos nuestras vidas a la luz de su relatividad con Cristo. ¿Cómo preparamos el camino? Cuando Cristo viene a nosotros, ¿qué hacemos? ¿Cómo nos abrimos a ser actores en el plan de Dios?

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Les deseamos un año Nuevo lleno de paz, armonía, salud, amor y prosperidad.



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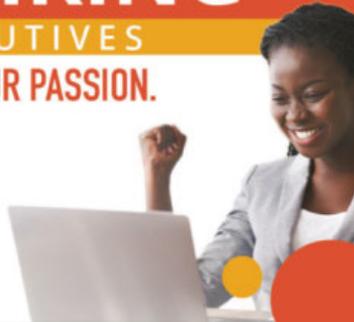


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