

JANUARY 2, 2022 | THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Peace!

Liturgical Schedule

Sunday Mass

8:00am, 11:00am, 5:15pm

Weekday Mass

Monday-Saturday | 8:00am

Confessions

Monday-Friday | 7:15-7:45am

Tuesday | 12:00-1:00pm

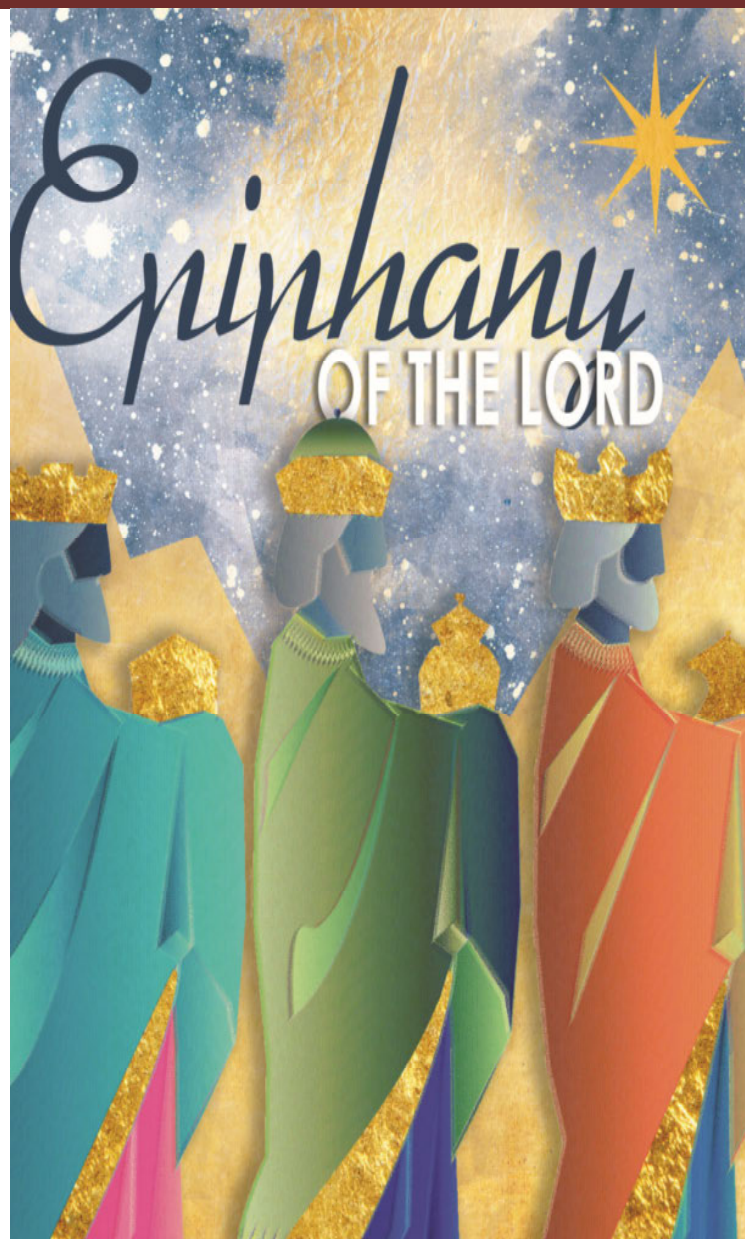
Thursday | 6:00-7:00pm

Saturday | 9:00am, 3:00-5:00pm

Adoration

Thursday | 7:00-8:00pm

To schedule Mass intentions, baptisms, weddings, and anointings, please contact the parish office.



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From the Rector

Christian Friendship

From a Sermon by St. Gregory Nazianzen, On his friendship with St. Basil

Basil and I were both in Athens. We had come, like streams of a river, from the same source in our native land, had separated from each other in pursuit of learning, and were now united again as if by plan, for God so arranged it.

I was not alone at that time in my regard for my friend, the great Basil. I knew his irreproachable conduct, and the maturity and wisdom of his conversation. I sought to persuade others, to whom he was less well known, to have the same regard for him. Many fell immediately under his spell, for they had already heard of him by reputation and hearsay.

What was the outcome? Almost alone of those who had come to Athens to study he was exempted from the customary ceremonies of initiation for he was held in higher honor than his status as a first-year student seemed to warrant.

Such was the prelude to our friendship, the kindling of that flame that was to bind us together. In this way we began to feel affection for each other. When, in the course of time, we acknowledged our friendship and recognized that our ambition was a life of true wisdom, we became everything to each other: we shared the same lodging, the same table, the same desires, the same goal. Our love for each other grew daily warmer and deeper.

The same hope inspired us: the pursuit of learning. This is an ambition especially subject to envy. Yet between us there was no envy. On the contrary, we made capital out of our rivalry. Our rivalry consisted, not in seeking the first place for oneself but in yielding it to the other, for we each looked on the other's success as his own.

We seemed to be two bodies with a single spirit. Though we cannot believe those who claim that "everything is contained in everything," yet you must believe that in our case each of us was in the other and with the other.

Our single object and ambition was virtue, and a life of hope in the blessings that are to come; we wanted to withdraw from this world before we departed from it. With this end in view we ordered our lives and all our actions. We followed the guidance of God's law and spurred each other on to virtue. If it is not too boastful to say, we found in each other a standard and rule for discerning right from wrong.

Different men have different names, which they owe to their parents or to themselves, that is, to their own pursuits and achievements. But our great pursuit, the great name we wanted, was to be Christians, to be called Christians.

Sunday Mass Proper's

INTROIT

Ecce advenit

Cf. Mal 3: 1; 1 Chron 29: 12

II

Behold, * the Sovereign Lord is coming; kingship,
government and power are in his hands.

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Reges Tharsis

Ps 72 (71): 10, 11

V

THE kings of Tarshish and the islands shall offer
presents; * the kings of the A-ra-bians and of Sheba
shall bring gifts; all the kings of the earth shall adore
him, all nations shall serve him.

COMMUNION

Vidimus stellam

Cf. Mt 2: 2

IV

WE have seen his star in the East, and we have
come with our gifts, to worship the Lord.

Closing Hymn: We Three Kings

We three kings of Orient are; bearing gifts we traverse afar. Field and fountain, moor and mountain, following yonder star. Oh, star of wonder, star of light. Star with royal beauty bright. Westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 2

8:00am

Special Intention for Alicia Balok by Jeremy & Casey Gay

11:00am

For the Parishioners of Sacred Heart Cathedral

5:15pm

+For the repose of the souls of Dragan & Gonzales family members by Larry & Rafaela Dragan

Monday, January 3

8:00am

+For the repose of the souls of the Matajcich family members by the Matajcich family

Tuesday, January 4

8:00am

Special Intention for Todd Lauer by Kathy Borbon

Wednesday, January 5

8:00am

+For the repose of the soul of Kirk Thomas Carlisle

Thursday, January 6

8:00 am

For all Holy Souls in Purgatory

Friday, January 7

8:00 am

+For the repose of the soul of +Bishop Donald E. Pelotte

Saturday, January 8

8:00 am

For the Reparation for the sins of abuse perpetrated by members of the Church

Weekly Parish Events

Sunday:

9:30 am: RCIC in the rectory office

6:00 pm: Divine Mercy Study Group

Wednesday:

6:30 pm: Parish Catechesis

Thursday:

6:00 pm: RCIA in the school

7:00 pm: Adoration for Vocations

Last Thursday of the month: Baptism class

Friday:

First Fridays: Adoration from 7:00-8:00 am

Weekly Offerings

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Online Collection Dec. 20-26: \$653.50

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Sunday School

Weekly Questions

On the way to Mass today

Who came to see the baby Jesus in the Manger?

On the way home from Mass today

The Shepherds were the first to come see the baby Jesus, but soon the Three magi came to bring him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

During the Week

Remember to visit the baby Jesus during the Christmas season. You do this if you have a manger scene at home, when you see his picture in books or on Christmas cards, or when you visit the Church.

On the way to Mass next Sunday

Who baptized Jesus?

Catechism

The Christmas Mystery

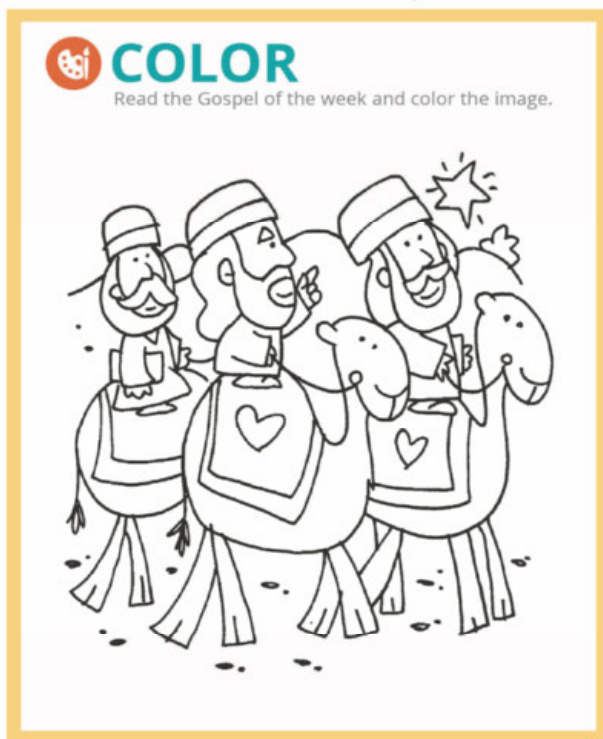
Jesus was born in a humble stable, into a poor family. Simple shepherds were the first witnesses to this event. In this poverty heaven’s glory was made manifest. The Church never tires of singing the glory of this night:

The Virgin today brings into the world the Eternal and the earth offers a cave to the Inaccessible. The angels and shepherds praise him and the magi advance with the star. For you are born for us, Little Child, God Eternal!

To become a child in relation to God is the condition for entering the kingdom. For this, we must humble ourselves and become little. Even more: to become “children of God” we must be “born from above” or “born of God”. Only when Christ is formed in us will the mystery of Christmas be fulfilled in us. Christmas is the mystery of this “marvelous exchange”:

O marvelous exchange! Man’s Creator has become man, born of the Virgin. We have been made sharers in the divinity of Christ who humbled himself to share our humanity.

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Epiphany of the Lord • Matthew 2:1-12



Parish Announcements

- ◆ **SHC PARISH CATECHESIS 2021-2022**-Classes will resume January 12, 2022. Please begin turning in paperwork needed for receiving sacraments for catechumens, i.e., baptismal certificates, sponsor forms filled and signed by priest from your parish. Forms are available in the rectory office.
- ◆ **V8s FOR VOCATIONS**- Raffle tickets are now available for the 1969 Pontiac GTO Judge and are \$25.00 each. You can purchase your tickets in the rectory office or online at V8sforvocations.org. Need not be present to win. Prize tax is paid by V8s for Vocations. Drawing will be held on June 18, 2022.
- ◆ **BAZAAR NEWS**- One of the most popular bazaar traditions will return after the new year. Please check the weekly bulletin for information.



Weekly Prayer

Observances for the week of Jan. 2, 2022

Sunday: *The Epiphany of the Lord*; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops & Doctors of the Church

Monday: The Most Holy Name of Jesus

Tuesday: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious

Wednesday: St. John Neumann, Bishop

Thursday: St. Andre Bessette, Religious

Friday: St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest

Sunday: *The Baptism of the Lord*

Readings for the week of Jan. 2, 2022

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 & 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 & 6a & 9b/Jn 3:22-30

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