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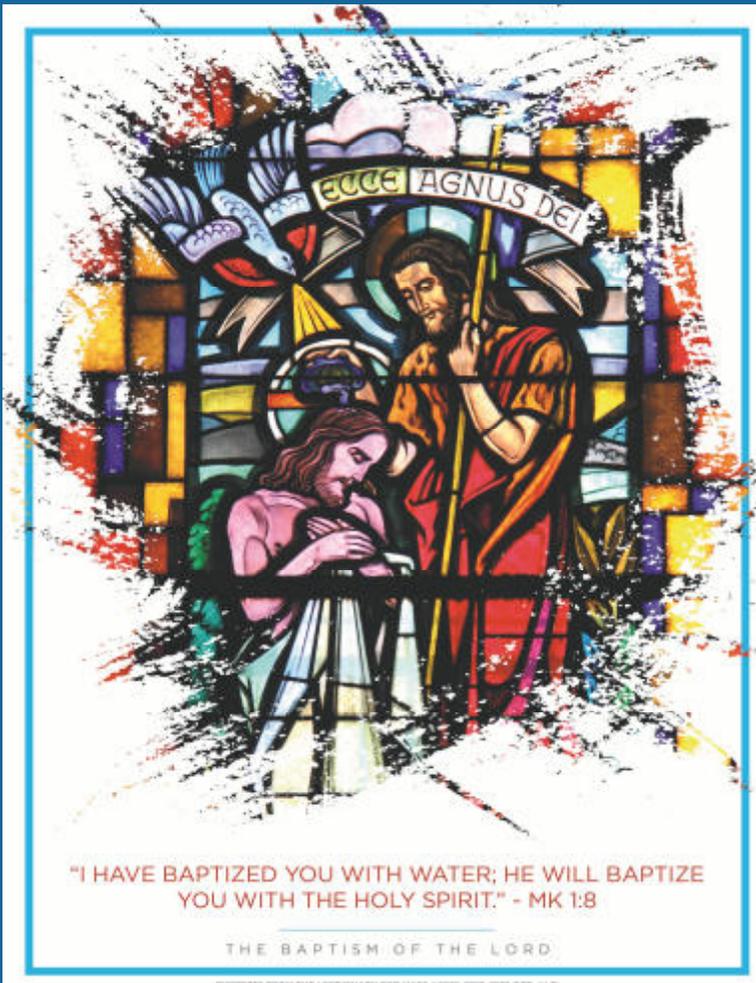
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The Baptism of the Lord

10 January 2021



## LIVE THE LITURGY

Inspiration for the week

We carry a greater depth of self-confidence and chance of succeeding when we have affirmation, a sense of direction and clear purpose in life. Each of these serve to provide our lives with meaning, allowing us to clearly establish priorities and goals. They also are necessary for integrity, which is the conviction and single mindedness that keeps us grounded in the truth of who we are. "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased." Jesus' baptism provides him with exactly what he needs to get about the business of his mission as the Son of God. He is given what he needs to be successful in fulfilling the purpose for which he was sent.

Our baptisms give us these same gifts. We receive the affirmation we need from God, knowing that we are one of his beloved daughters and sons. We are gifted with the direction and clear purpose we need in order to be productive stewards and faithful Christians. Are we ready and willing to answer the call?

## Mass Reservations

From Monday 9 am to Thursday 4 pm

You may make a reservation online

[www.staugustineoh.org](http://www.staugustineoh.org) or by phone

at 360-675-2303 Ext. 23

*Please take note: Make sure to list each person's first name in your reservation. Mass goes not from the same household cannot be seated together.*

*No reservation & No mask, No entry.*

## Resolution for New Year

Jesus was born into a harsh world, where Herod was doing the unthinkable: killing babies.

Is there any doubt that our world today needs Jesus to come and dwell among us?

As a new year begins, let us resolve to be a more effective and dedicated instrument of Jesus. Let us do more to promote love and peace. Let us do more to help moms turn the unplanned into a loving plan that embraces innocent life.

Let us do more to change our culture of death.  
*Pro Life Articles*

## Catholic Life, Eucharistic Life: Understanding and Living the Eucharist



**January 25, 2021  
6:30pm-8:00pm (Zoom)**

**Corinna Laughlin, presenter**

This is the Year of the Eucharist in the Archdiocese of Seattle. In this presentation for St. Mary's and St. Augustine's, Corinna Laughlin, Pastoral Assistant for Liturgy at St. James Cathedral, will help us to reflect on the four major movements of the Mass—*Gathering, Word, Presence, and Sending*—and how each of them challenges us to integrate the Eucharist more fully into our daily lives.

As Archbishop Etienne has written, "The Catholic life is a Eucharistic life. We, too, are to be blessed, broken, multiplied and shared so that others may come to know Jesus Christ (see John 6:1-15). Our faith is to be integrated into every aspect of our life."

Please call the office at 360-678-6536 to sign-up for this Webinar.

Please refer to the insert on accepting the invitation for the Webinar.

Thank you for your  
Stewardship of Treasure!



Weekly Expenses:  
\$3,188

Please write your envelope #  
on your check.

### St Mary Mass Intentions

To schedule a Mass intention for an  
11:15 am Sunday Mass please call or email  
the receptionist at 360 - 678 - 6536,  
Mon. - Fri. 9:30 am - 12 noon  
(leave a message) or  
pmccormick@staugustineoh.org.

### Please Pray for Our Families & Friends

For those during this COVID-19 pandemic,  
those who are ill, those who are going to  
have or are recovering from surgery, those  
in Careage or other rehabilitation facilities.  
For our military both at home or deployed,  
and for those who may be away attending  
college.

Tina Hamilton - Richard McCormick  
Mike Hay - Naomi Puhr - Richard Rezabek

PFC Zachary McCormick, US Army  
National Guard

~Permission is required from the  
individual prior to adding their name to  
the prayer list.

~To include a loved one's name,  
please call the Parish Office at 360-  
678-6536.

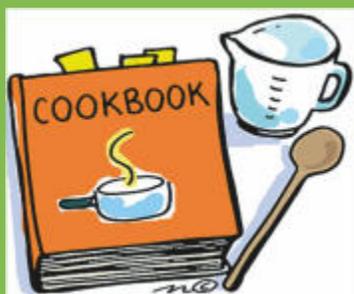


**Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible  
at St. Augustine & St. Mary**  
January 25-March 22, Mondays at 10 am via Zoom

Many Catholics want to read the Bible but get bogged down by the long stretches that seem not to make sense or get lost among the sea of Old Testament names and places. Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible, an eight-part Bible study, helps you uncover the story woven throughout Scripture, so you can get the "big picture" of the Bible and understand what it's all about. Aided by a unique color-coded Bible Timeline™ Chart that arranges the key people, places, and events of the Bible in chronological order, Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible will help you pick up the Bible with confidence and understand how you fit into God's plan. Cost with book and 1-year access to videos online is \$25. You can attend for free on class time only.

Email Barb Dumit to sign up: [tbdumit@comcast.net](mailto:tbdumit@comcast.net)

## ST. MARY COOKBOOK NEWS



Your favorite recipes are still needed.  
Feel free to enter several of your favorites in any category of cooking!

**RECIPES ARE REQUESTED BY  
APRIL 4, 2021.**

After we know how many we have in each cooking category, we will let you know what categories are needing more recipes...such as, salads, appetizers, main dishes, etc.

Recipes may be emailed to  
pmccormick@staugustineoh.org

Mail to:

St. Mary Church  
Attn. Cookbook  
PO Box 1319  
Oak Harbor, WA 98277

Or

place them in the Recipes Box (located just inside the door to Harrington Hall) before or after Mass.

January 10-17, 2021

Sun 1/10	The Baptism of the Lord 9:30 am Mass Livestream (St Augustine Catholic Church FB page) 11:15 am Mass (reservation only)
Mon 1/11/21	9:30am-12 noon call 360-678-6536 or email pmccormick@staugustineoh.org
Tue 1/12/21	9:30am-12 noon call 360-678-6536 or email pmccormick@staugustineoh.org
Wed 1/13/21	9:30am-12 noon call 360-678-6536 or email pmccormick@staugustineoh.org
Thu 1/14/21	9:30am - 12 noon Call 360-678-6536 or email pmccormick@staugustineoh.org  11:00-12:30pm Private prayer - wear face mask or no entry, sanitize hands and observe social distancing  12:30pm Women of St Mary meeting (HH) (must follow guidelines for COVID)
Fri 1/15/21	9:30am-12 noon call 360-678-6536 or email pmccormick@staugustineoh.org
Sat 1/16/21	No activity
Sun 1/17/21	9:30 am Mass Livestream on St Augustine Catholic Church FB page  11:15 am Mass (reservation only)

### Marriage Preparation



Are you engaged to be married?  
Preparations for weddings are a six-month process. Please call 360.675.2303 x5 to begin.

## A New Year's Thank You

The Works of Mercy team of St Mary would like to send a huge thank you to all our parish family members who donated to our sock, hat & glove drive. All the donated items went to the Haven (an overnight shelter for the homeless) and to the Agape meal (a meal hosted weekly at St Augustine for needy families). Some items also were given to the young adults living at Ryan's House for Youth. May God bless all of you this New Year and beyond for your caring, generous hearts.

The future  
starts  
today, not  
tomorrow.

St. John Paul II



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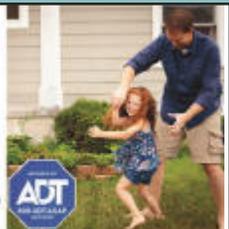
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