



THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



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 3:21-22a

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Our Religious Education Program needs catechists for our Grade 3 and Grade 9 students. Please call Cindy Godemann at 315-73601124 (0) to offer your help.

This is a very rewarding ministry.

Just as a candle cannot burn without fire, man cannot live without a spiritual life.

This Week in Our Parish

Saturday, Jan. 8, 2022

3:00-3:45 p.m.-Confessions

Sunday, Jan. 9, 2022

9:00-10:15a.m.-Religious Education –Gr. K, 1, 2-Nazareth

11:30-1:00p.m.-Religious Education-Gr. 7, 8—FDH

Monday, Jan. 10, 2022

4:15-5:30p.m.-Religious Education-Gr. 3, 4, 5, 6-FDH

6:00-7:15p.m.-Religious Education-Gr. 3, 4, 5, 6-FDH

Wednesday, Jan. 11, 2022

9:30-11a.m.-Bible Study or

6:30-8p.m.-Bible Study

7:00p.m.-Choir Practice-Ch

Saturday, Jan. 15, 2022

3:00-3:45 p.m.-Confessions

Sunday, Jan. 16, 2022

No Religious Education Classes

Monday, Jan. 17, 2022

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

No 8:15a.m. Morning Mass

No Religious Education Classes



Fr. Tom needs altar servers at our 4:00p.m. Saturday Mass.

Parents: If you attend the 4:00p.m. Mass and have a child in third grade or above and they would like to become an altar server, we NEED them! This is another wonderful way for our youngsters to practice their faith. Please ask and encourage them to consider this ministry.

Please let Fr. Tom know you are interested!

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Weekend of Jan. 15/16, 2022

Lectors Eucharistic Ministers:

If you have not received a new Jan./Feb. 2022 schedule via email, please pick up a copy in Fr. Tom's Sacristy. Thank you.

Mass	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
4:00p.m.	Carol Babowicz	B McQueen/J O'Toole/C Ryan L Williamson/D Young No Precious Blood Distribution
8:00a.m.	Donna Williams	S Smith/J Wurz/M Krecidlo M Hillick/S O'Callaghan No Precious Blood Distribution
10:30a.m.	Margaret Owens	G Barrie/R DeCarr/V Dedich J/V Egresits No Precious Blood Distribution

Please sign in in Fr. Tom's Sacristy before Mass. If you are unable to make your commitment, please secure a sub. Until further notice, please wear your mask during distribution.

Offering Envelopes



Our Stewardship Envelopes will be late this year. Please put your offerings in an envelope with your name and envelope # in the collection basket.

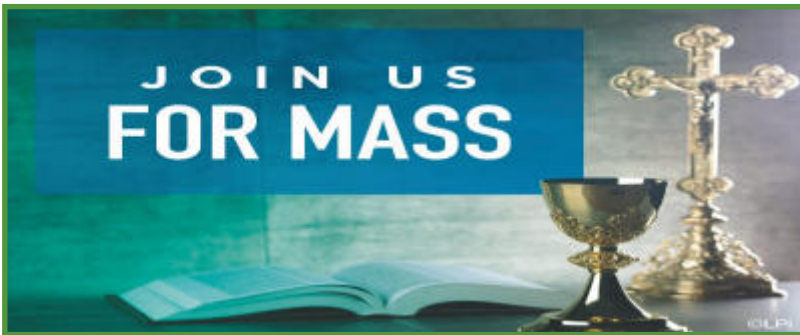
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World Marriage Day Mass & Reception Sun., Feb. 13, 2022-2:00p.m. Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception

Bishop Lucia will be the celebrant and will offer a special blessing for all couples in attendance.

If you are celebrating a 25, 50, or 50+ year anniversary, and will attend, please call our parish office (315-736-1124 ex.0) to receive your invitation.



Morning Mass at St. Paul's Church
8:15 a.m.
Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri.

- ✝ Receiving the Eucharist at daily Mass strengthens your spiritual life and makes it easier to fight the temptation to sin.
- ✝ Going to daily mass creates a structure in your life based around a time when you know you will have the opportunity to pray.
- ✝ Don't worry about your hectic schedule. Daily Mass is shorter on weekdays, so it's easier to fit into a busy schedule. There's only one reading before the Gospel and there's usually no music, which cuts down on time a lot more than you might think. Unless it's a holy day of obligation, daily Mass is around 20 to 30 minutes.

After morning Mass on Tuesdays, we pray the Devotion of the Divine Mercy and you are invited to join us.



St. Paul's Prayer Shawl Ministry has shawls, lap robes, and baby blankets that are perfect for a loved one who is experiencing grief or joy during life's most precious moments. If you would like to wrap someone in God's loving arms through one of these blessed items, please call Kathy Dodge at 315-736-0293.

Donations to help with the cost of yarn is always gratefully accepted.

Christmas Intentions 2021

<i>From</i>	<i>For</i>
Diane Canter Parish	Family Health
Bob/Cindy Godemann	Fr. Abe Esper
Mack Family	Enrico/Josephine Cecilia
Mack Family	Jerome Mack
Carol Madden-Klossner	Simon/Mary Kiersztyn
Carol Madden-Klossner	Bryan Klossner
Carol Madden-Klossner	Stephanie Madden
Carol Madden-Klossner	Jack Madden





Saturday, Jan., 8, 2022

4:00p.m.-Cure for Dementia
Margaret Fischer (4th Anv.)-Daughters
Jack Fliss-Carol/Debbie (Sisters)
Brian Monahan-Bill Brink

Sunday, Jan. 9, 2022

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

8:00 a.m.-Donna Candella-M/M Paul Strife
Evelyn Perras-Carol/Tony Curtacci
Dottie Williams-Pat/Marilyn
Joe/Wanda Zabek-Ron/Judy Zabek
10:30a.m.- Bryan Klossner-Carol (Wife)
Raymond Lee-Wife
Anthony/Petrina Lumbrazo-Daughters



Monday, Jan. 10, 2022

8:15 a.m.- All Those Living in Poverty

Tuesday, Jan. 11, 2022

8:15a.m.- Mary Grace Mayer-Tom/Maureen Mayer
Meribeth Greer-Family

Wednesday, Jan., 12, 2022

Memorial of St. Marguerite Bourgeoys

8:15a.m.-Jack Linder-Family
Joe Mosca-Linda (Wife)

Friday, Jan. 14, 2022

8:15a.m.- Mary Weaver-Peg Hyland

Saturday, Jan. 15, 2022

4:00pm-Cure for Dementia
David Slade-Lisa/Allen/Ryan//Brenden
Christopher Stuhlman-Mom/Dad/Family
Dorothy L. Sullivan-Family

Sunday, Jan.16, 2022

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m.-Donna Candella-Ron/Judy Zabek
Lori Ann Krecidlo (23rd Anv)-Mom
Ronald Krecidlo (4th Anv)-Wife
Eugene W. Penner-M/M Ed Waskiewicz & Family
10:30a.m.- Bill Bilasz-Family
Cork Geitter-Mike Sewall
Joyce Elaine Lachacz-Lachacz Family
Joan Kubala Wright-Sue/Nanci (Sisters)

Masses offered for a loved one are available by calling the Parish Office, emailing us, or using the option on WeShare.

One must never forget the infinite graces that flow from the Sacrifice of the Mass which benefit one's soul.

Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

Christopher Stuhlman
Grandma/Grandpa Noelon



This lamp beside the Tabernacle reminds us of the real presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist.

Make one change for God this year

When making New Year's resolutions this year, consider one change that will bring you closer to God. Here are some ideas other Catholics have used to strengthen prayer, serve the poor, and evangelize our faith ...

Norma felt her prayer life growing stale, so when her parish asked for adorers for the perpetual adoration chapel, she jumped at the chance. Now, Mondays at midnight, Norma can be found in the presence of the Eucharist. She said, "I really look forward to my peaceful hour each week. It's just me and Him."

Peter's law practice is incredibly busy, but he takes an afternoon off every month to work at the local soup kitchen serving hot meals to the homeless and working poor. When asked why he said, "Jesus said, 'When I was hungry, you gave me to eat.'"

JoAnn's children are grown, yet she teaches a religious education class at her parish. "What better way to spread our faith than to children? That's where I can do the most good," she said.

From Scripture...Matthew 4:12-23, The common call.

The way Jesus gathered his followers seemed almost casual. For example, he passed the Sea of Galilee, saw Andrew and Simon and called to them. It sounds as if the men dropped what they were doing, left their homes and livelihoods to follow Jesus after very little thought. There must have been something very arresting about Jesus and his call to them.

Scripture makes it clear that discipleship means leaving everything behind and surrendering to the will of God. He will provide whatever a disciple needs to follow him but nothing comes before our relationship with God and his call to us. The compelling part of his call is the chance to serve him and be close to him.

Jesus chose twelve special people to be his closest followers and he became their leader. They went where he told them and did what he asked, and accomplished amazing deeds in Jesus' name.

Jesus is still calling people to be his disciples and work amazing deeds in his name. In fact, he has called each of us to be his disciple.



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Lower Deck
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Weekend of Jan. 1/2, 2022

Envelopes.....	\$ 5,685.00
Loose Basket.....	\$ 1,046.00
Christmas	\$ 385.00
Holy Days.....	\$ 170.00
Fuel	\$ 25.00
Total.....	\$ 7,311.00



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As Fr. Tom has mentioned, Stewardship Envelopes for 2022 will not arrive until after the beginning of the New Year (Jan./Feb. 2022).

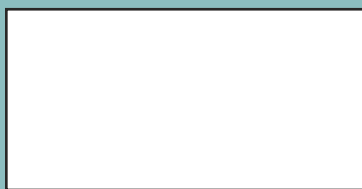


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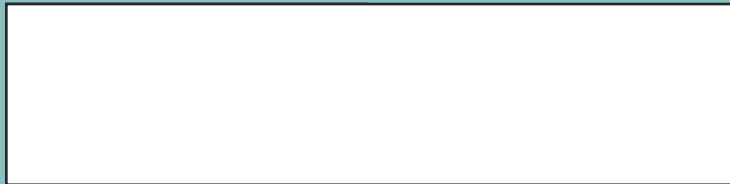


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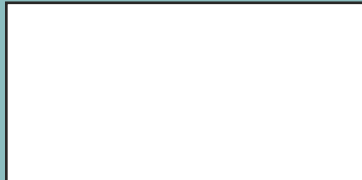
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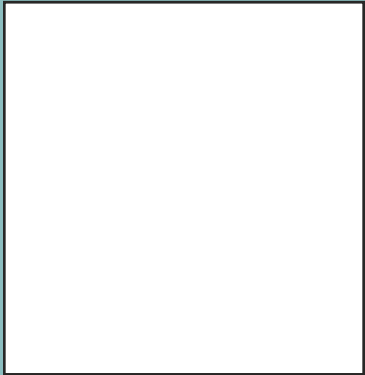


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 Welcome Back to Mass



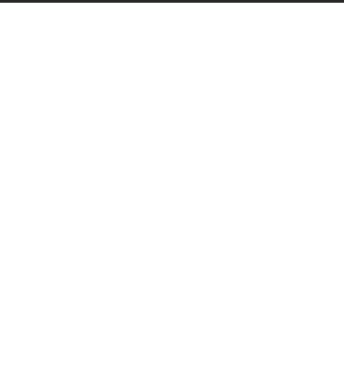
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