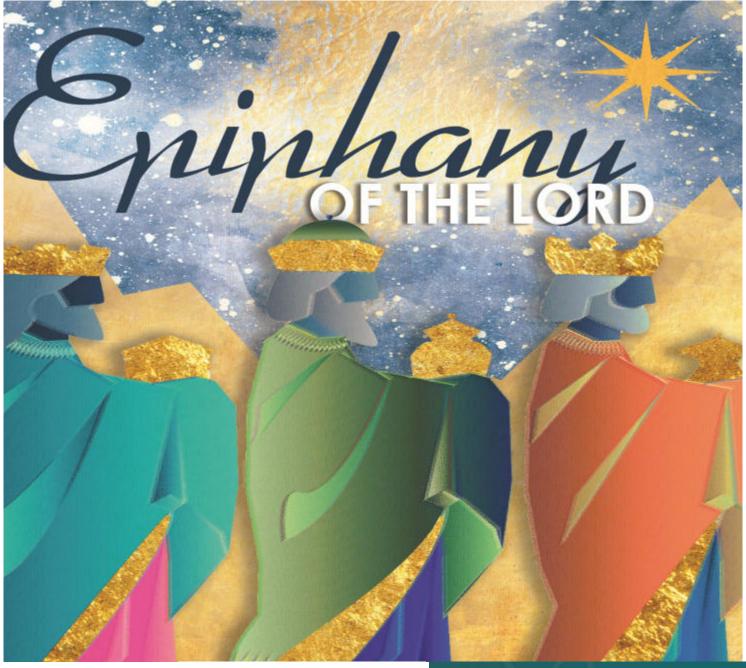
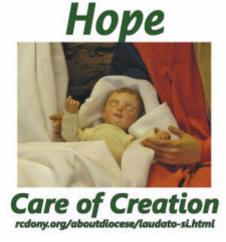
# The Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

320 W. Lynde Street, Watertown, NY 13601

January 2, 2022



As we prepare for the celebration of the Feast of the Epiphany, let's take a moment to pray before the manger to let the vulnerability of God soften and disarm our hearts and awaken our hope for the possibility of creating a better world.





# The Church of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

We are a family of faith gathered in in the grace of the Holy Spirit and celebrating our heavenly Father's love. Nourished by the Sacraments and prayer, we commit to reaching out to everyone, especially to those most in need.

# **Looking to The Stars**

The weather now is getting all the colder, yet do we ever stop and look to the night sky when it's really cold out and it's at night, I'm betting not so much. The Christmas season arrived on the scene just over a week ago and also for all of us who live in the northern hemisphere our morning simultaneously begin to grow too. We gain a bit more sunlight every day.

The magi they were able to notice the signs of the world and cosmos around them, "And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage." Are we able to notice what is happening all around us? Are we able to notice what is most important in the simple moment of our days?

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# **Religious Education**

Family Catechesis classes will be on Sunday, January 9th at 9 AM.



Thank you for all your kindnesses and goodies brought to our offices during this Holiday Season!

They were very much appreciated! Sincerely,

Fr. Frank, Jo Ann, Mary and Steve

#### MONTHLY RECURRING EVENTS

<u>URBAN MISSION</u>—Canned Food Drive First Weekend of EVERY Month

**BOTTLE & CAN DRIVE**—Third Weekend of the Month Trailer will be in parking lot & open during mass.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS—First Monday of the Month 7pm—No Meeting in July

FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING—Quarterly, 2nd Monday in January, April, July and October

Please note:

The Parish Council Meeting for January will be held on Wednesday, January 5th at 7pm in Dostie Hall....



M.S.C. Community House: Fr. David Deluca, M.S.C. Fr. Corneille Boyeye, M.S.C. Fr. Joseph Kanimea, MSC



Start the New Year with Coffee and Donuts today after the morning masses.

On-line Giving Website:

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### Parish Happenings

January 3rd. Parish office will be closed January 5th—Parish Council Mtg. at 7pm in DH January 10th—Finance Council Mtg at 7pm in

January 16th -Coffee and Donuts in Dostie Hall after Masses.

January 19th—Ladies of Sacred Heart meeting at 5:30 in Dostie Hall.

#### LECTORS For Jan. 8 & 9

4:30 pm - Julie Hutchins 10:30 am - Tom Reff 4:30 pm - Ernest Reape

**Giving Report Weekend 12/19** 

2020 \$4,917

2021 \$4,922

# Mass Intentions

SATURDAY-January 1— Solemnity of Mary

10:30am—Parishioners

4:30pm - Paul Fitzgerald Sr. by The Children

SUNDAY -January 2- The Epiphany of the Lord

8:00am- Parishioners

10:30am - Danielle Marie Erickson by Nana

MONDAY, -January 3- Weekday

**8:15am**— Linda Beyette by Pat Parody

TUESDAY,-January 4—Weekday

8:15am— Nancy Tami by Suzanne Williams

WEDNESDAY,-January 5—Weekday

8:15am— Grace LaPatra by Tom & Nancy Delosh

THURSDAY,-January 6—Weekday

8:15am-Parishioners

FRIDAY - January 7—First Friday

5:30 pm - Edwin Davis by Betty Reff

SATURDAY-January 8—Weekday

4:30pm - Rosie Kimball—Koelmel Family

SUNDAY -January 9- The Baptism of the Lord

8:00am— Parishioners

10:30am - Patrick Coleman by Don & Debbie `

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# **Sacraments**

**BAPTISM:** Baptismal Prep. by appointment only

**MARRIAGES:** Six months notice required

Please call the office to arrange an appointment 315-782-1474 Or E-Mail olshparish13601@gmail.com

# **Contact**

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# **Worship**

MASSES:

Mon.-Thur. at 8:15 a.m. First Friday 8:15 a.m.

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:30

a.m.

**CONFESSION:** 

Tues. & Thurs. 7:30 to 8:00am -Saturday 3:15 to 4:00 p.m.

> Masses on Friday will only be celebrated on First Fridays and Holy Days.

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