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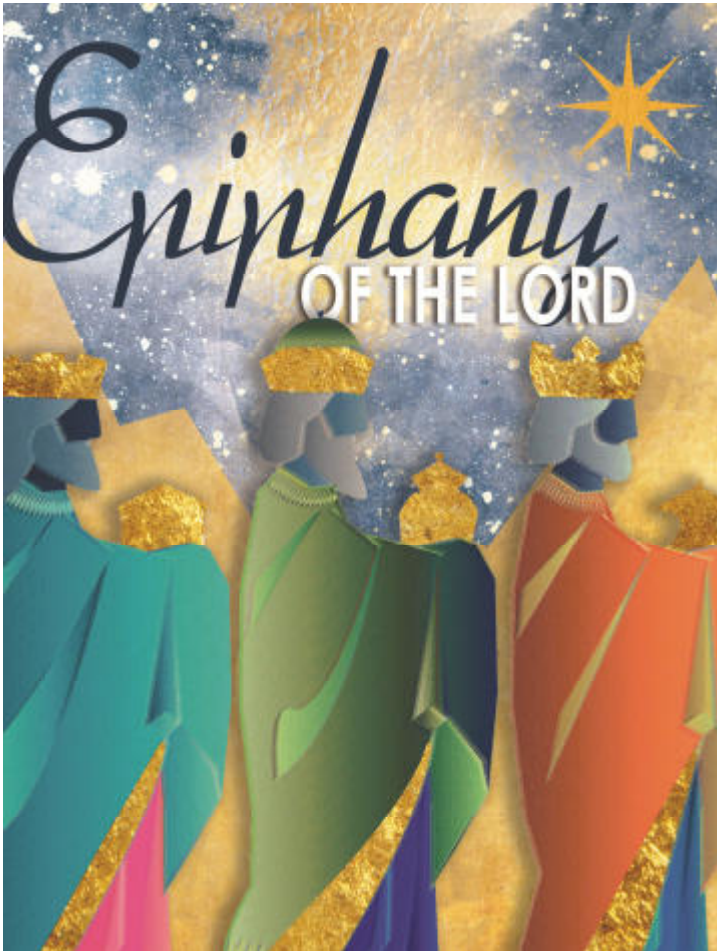
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JANUARY 2, 2022 THE EPIPHANY / JANUARY 9, 2022 THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



Mass Schedule

Weekday Mass

Tuesday | 5:45pm

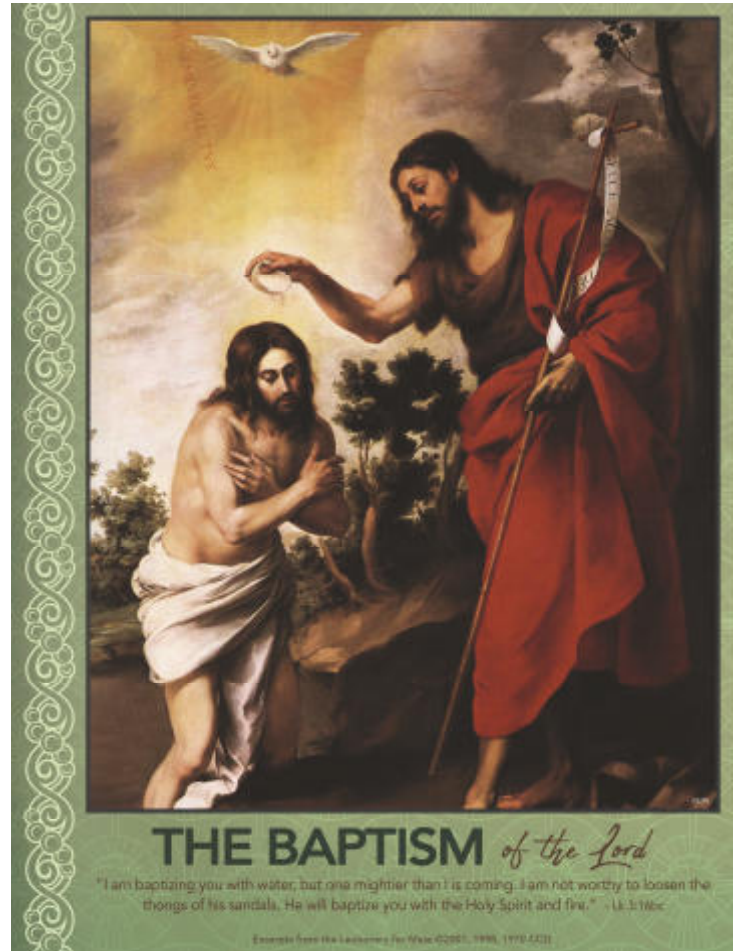
Monday, Wednesday & Friday | 8:00am

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil | 4:00pm

Sunday | 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am

Holy Days As Announced



THE BAPTISM of the Lord

"I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." - Mt. 3:11-12

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Sacraments

Baptism: Arrangements should be made in advance.

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:00 pm. Monday-Wednesday & Friday 30 minutes before daily mass.

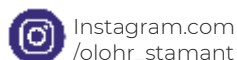
Matrimony: Arrangements should be made through the Parish Office at least 6 months in advance.

Pastor | Reverend Joseph Hoang Vu

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 8:30am - 4:00 pm (closed for lunch 1:00 - 2:00) Friday: 8:30am - 12pm

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SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING:

Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you. (Is 60:1)

PSALM:

Lord, every nation on earth will adore you. (Ps 72)

SECOND READING:

It was not made known to people in other generations as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that the Gentiles are coheirs, members of the same body, and copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. (Eph 3:5-6)

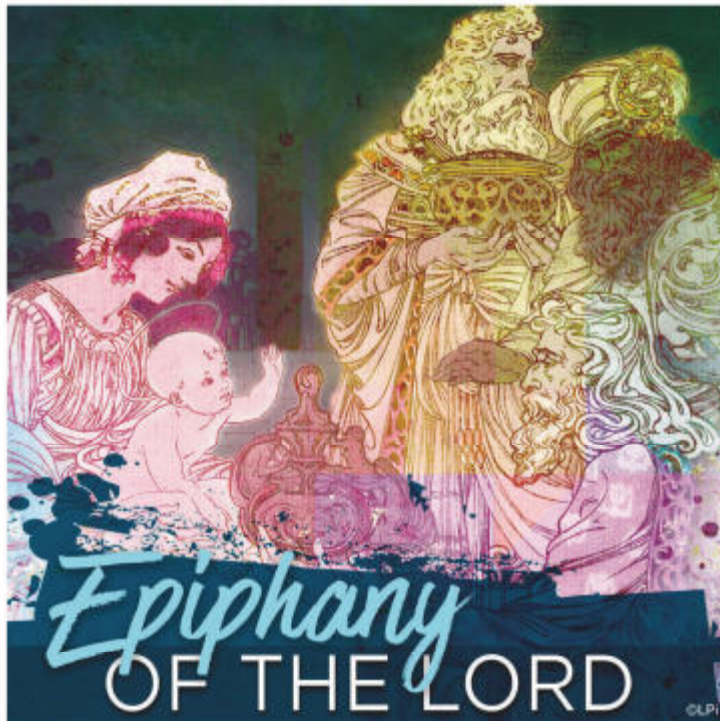
GOSPEL:

"Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." (Mt 2:2)

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OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 2, 2022

- Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church
- Monday: The Most Holy Name of Jesus
- Tuesday: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious
- Wednesday: St. John Neumann, Bishop
- Thursday: St. André Bessette, Religious
- Friday: St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest
- Next Sunday: The Baptism of the Lord



Saint of the Week

The patron saint of Catholic schools, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (August 28, 1774 – January 4, 1821) was born in New York City to a prominent family of the Episcopal faith. When she turned 19, she married a wealthy businessman with whom she had five children. He later died of tuberculosis in 1803, leaving her a young widow. After discovering the Catholic faith in Italy, where her husband had died, she returned to New York and converted to Catholicism in 1805.

After several years struggling as a single mother, Elizabeth moved in 1809 to Emmitsburg, Maryland, where she founded the Sisters of Charity of St. Joseph, the first community for religious women established in the United States. She also began St. Joseph's Academy and Free School, which started a chain reaction of Catholic-based education in the United States that continues today.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton was canonized September 14, 1975 in St. Peter's Square by Pope Paul VI and was the first citizen born in the United States to be given the title of "saint."

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

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SUNDAY'S READINGS

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)

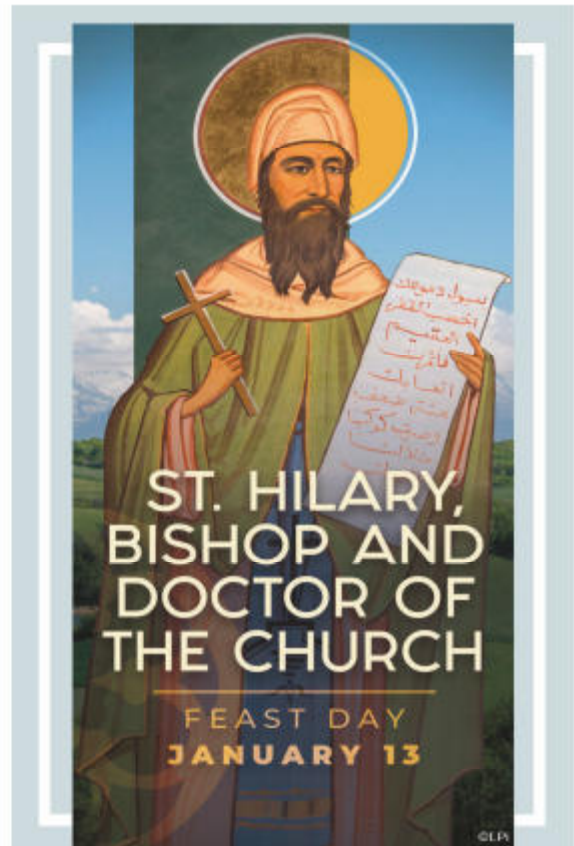
GOSPEL:

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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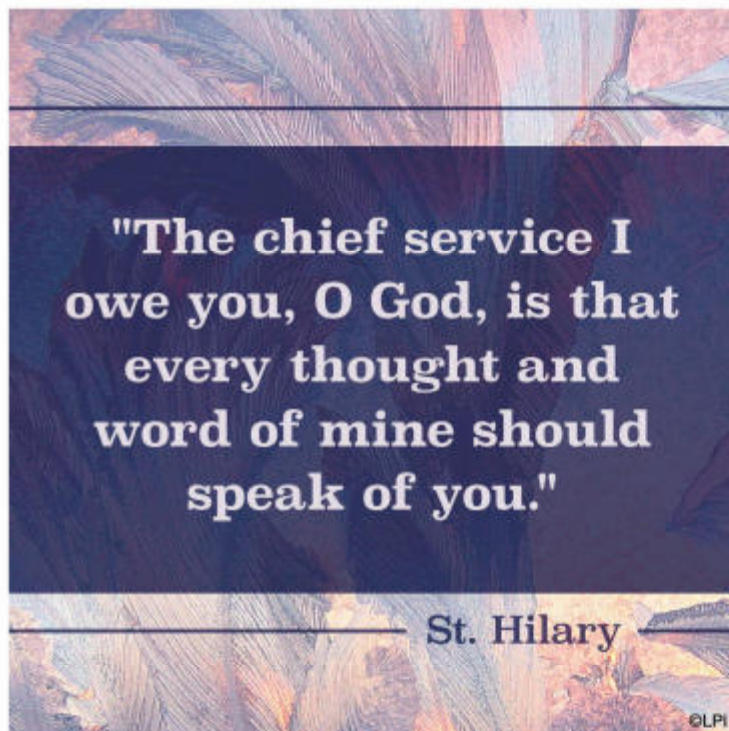
Sunday: The Baptism of the Lord
Thursday: St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Sunday: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint of the Week

Born a pagan, St. Hilary (c. 315 – c. 367) studied philosophy and the meaning of life, eventually making his way through the bible. He became a convert and was appointed bishop of Poitiers in 353. Sometimes referred to as the Hammer of the Arians, St. Hilary defended the Nicene Creed against a popular heresy, Arianism. He was exiled to Phrygia for opposing Roman emperor Constantius II, who preferred the heresy which denies Christ's divinity. From Phrygia St. Hilary fought with his pen, zealously writing against the heresy.

Eventually he was allowed to return to Poitiers, but did so by a circuitous route, preaching against Arianism all the way. St. Hilary was likely the first writer of hymns in the West, his writings on the Trinity, Psalms and Gospel of Matthew survive today. St. Hilary was created Doctor of the Church, a title given to those who provided important contributions to theology and doctrine, in 1851 by Pope Pius IX.



THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY, JANUARY 1

9:00 AM For the Parish

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2

7:00 AM For the Parish, Hugh Fontenot, In honor of Lawrence & Lois Gonzales

9:00 AM Mark, Eunice, Alfred Dedon, Jr., Wesley Blank

11:00 AM Doyle Templet, Agnes Templet, Darrin Templet, J.C. Gonzales & family, M/M George Hymel & family

MONDAY, JANUARY 3

8:00 AM Memorial Guild, Fr. Danny Roussel, In honor of Alzheimer patients & their Caregivers, Chad, Aris, Whitney & Caiden Trabeau

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4

5:45 PM Audron Bourgeois, Jr., Audron Bourgeois, Sr., Marshall Bourgeois, Sr., Marshall Bourgeois, Jr., Arnold Dencausse

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5

8:00 AM Allard Bourgeois

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6

8:00 AM Communion Service

FRIDAY, JANUARY 7

8:00 AM In honor of Stacy & Wendi Allee

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8

4:00 PM Ivy Andrew Babin, Sr., Gerald Comeaux, Joyce & Gilbert Babin, Darwyn F. McCrory, Evariste & Telcide Clouatre

SUNDAY, JANUARY 9

7:00 AM For the Parish, M/M Lester Savoy, Sr., & family, Judy A. Savoy

9:00 AM Floyd & Greg Stelly, Paula Speligene

11:00 AM Lois LeBlanc, Mark LeBlanc, Murdle LeBlanc, Joseph Moran, Joe & Rita Uzee, James "Sno" & Bridget "Dut" Sheets

MONDAY, JANUARY 10

8:00 AM For the Parish

TUESDAY, JANUARY 11

5:45 PM Catherine Bourgeois

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12

8:00 AM Memorial Guild

THURSDAY, JANUARY 13

8:00 AM Communion Service

FRIDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00 AM Brian Gautreau, Chad Trabeau

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15

4:00 PM Ellis & Brian LeBourgeois, Chester & Martha Brown, Louella Dennis, John & Stanislaw Chmurka, Anthony & Nora Melancon, Johnny Braud

SUNDAY, JANUARY 16

7:00 AM Albert & Mary Templet, Adam & Delphine Templet, Octave & Corrine Morin, Judy A. Savoy, M/M Lester Savoy, Sr. & family

9:00 AM Laura Savoy, Emma Delaune

11:00 AM For the Parish, J.C. Gonzales & family, M/M George Hymel & family

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Dec. 18-19

General Collection\$ 14,426.46
 Dec. 20 Electronic Fund Transfer.....\$ 4,587.00

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 Dec. 20 Electronic Fund Transfer.....\$ 1,672.00

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Memorial Guild Rowena Hampton
 By: Patricia Bourgeois

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Our Deepest Sympathy



Our thoughts and prayers for the family and friends of Herman LeBourgeois.

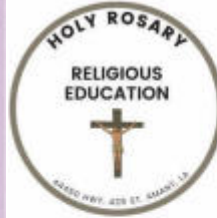
The Sanctuary Lamps will burn before the Blessed Sacrament the week of January 2 for:

Whitney Geter III
 Jeanette Delaune

Week of January 9 for:

Judy A. Savoy
 John & Stanislaw Chmurka





Upcoming Dates

January 9
9:30-10:45 am Family Faith Formation
1st-5th Grade Classes

January 11
4:30-5:30 pm 1st-5th Grade Classes
6:30-7:45 pm 6th-8th Grade Classes

January 23
6:00-7:30 pm 9th-11th Grade Classes

January 29
10:00am-5:00pm 9th & 10th Grade
Retreat

Any Questions? Email: lkeller@olohr.com

Youth Ministry Meetings

WILL RESUME

Wednesday, Jan. 12th

Due to CHRISTMAS AND NEW

YEAR HOLIDAYS

Cancel



Yes

Holy Rosary Annual Epiphany Play

A Nativity Story



Join us in supporting our youth!
Saturday, January 8th @ 3:30pm
Sunday, January 9th @ 10:30am
Before Mass in the Church

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Jan 6, 9am-12pm

Jan 11, 2-5pm

Jan 25, 2-5pm

No Appointment Necessary

5th Annual

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St. Peter Bible Study:
A Disciple's Guide to Intimacy with Jesus
By: Julie Holden

When:
Tuesdays beginning January 11th at 6:30 pm
18 weeks!

Where:
DLCOR House of Prayer and Study

Contact:
Tania Sheets 225-322-8908

If you are interested in starting a St. Peter study in your home, contact Wendy Enloe: wenloe@olcpr.com

Do you have a desire to have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ but don't know quite know where to start? The St. Peter study written by Julie Holden has helped many find what is missing in their spiritual lives. Scriptures associated with St. Peter are a great road map to understanding Jesus' heart. Peter struggled in much the same way we do. Since it is a small group experience, the number of participants is limited. We hope to offer this study on campus throughout the year.

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