



THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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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

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00 PM

6:00 PM in E. Eden

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30AM

Daily: 8:30AM

Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday 3:15-3:45 PM

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Sat. Jan 8th - Vigil Masses

4:00 pm Michael Sullivan by the Nawtoka Family

6:00 E. Eden - Frances Ryndak by Stan Kaminski

SUN. JAN. 9TH - THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

8:00 am Joseph & Caroline Turello by Estate

10:30 am Joe Telaak by Wife & Family

Mon. Jan. 10th - Weekday

8:30 am All Fathers from the Book of Intentions

TUES. JAN 11TH - WEEKDAY

8:30 am Paul Loudenslager by Family

WED. JAN 12TH - WEEKDAY

8:30 am For all Parishioners by Fr. Jerry

THURS. JAN 13TH - ST. HILARY, BISHOP AND

DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

8:30 am In Remembrance of All Souls from the Book of

Intentions

Fri. Jan 14th - Weekday

8:30 am Joan Gross by Franz Family

Sat. Jan 15th - Vigil Masses

4:00 pm For a Private Intention

6:00 pm - E. Eden - For the Deceased Members of the

Hojnacki Family by Gary & Sharon Schmitt

SUN. JAN 16TH - SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 am Jack Duffy by Nancy Lee

10:30 am For All Mothers from the Book of

Intentions



Sanctuary Candles & Flowers

Sanctuary candles are available to light in memory of a loved one for a week for a \$10 offering. Please call the Rectory to schedule your intention.

If you would like to donate flowers for St. Mary's or St. John's, please call Dianne Franz at 716-992-9159.



THROUGH THE INTERCESSION OF ST. PADRE PIO, WE REMEMBER OUR SICK:

Gordon Hoelscher, Martha May, JoAnn Norton, Nancy King, Judith Zielinski, Tom Gaj, Elaine Frost,

Marge McNamara, Norma Neri, Elaine Bauer, Deborah Knapic, Irene Knapic, Kelly DeMarco, Rita Wierzbic, Eric G., Declan Glaus & Family, Cam Georgi, Nicholas Katerin, Mary Johnson, Austin Switzer, Susan Koeppl, Clarence Ott, Jim & Julie McCann, Melanie Pruitt, Sue Kester, Jennifer Hunter-Wittmeyer, Justin Zwolski, Kenneth P. Heary, and Marian Smyth

PRAYER FOR A HAPPY DEATH

O St. Joseph, who gave up your last breath in the arms of Jesus and Mary; obtain for me, I beseech you, the grace of a happy death. Defend me from all evil, especially in my final hour. Assist me by your presence, protect me by your power, and obtain for me this grace, O St. Joseph, that I may breathe forth my soul in praise, saying in spirit; if I am unable to do so in words: Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I give you my heart and life. Amen.

Start 2022 Fresh with *Amen*

If you would like to hear a Daily Mass Reading, or Journey through the Bible or ponder a 3-5 minute reflection or wind down with Amen Sleep Stories, just download the <u>free app</u> on your device and chose your program or programs. This is offered through the Augustine Institute. In your search bar, type in Augustine Institute Free Amen App and it will take you to the screen where you will hit the "Install" key.

MASS INTENTIONS

One way we can remember a loved one or pray for a special intention is through the Mass. While most of the time the person remembered has died, we can also pray for the living, for healing from sickness, for our children that they may find their way in the world while holding onto their faith or any intention that God has placed on your heart. There are Masses available including a few at St. Mary's if you have not already reached the limit of 3 Masses at St. Mary's. You can ask to be put on a waiting list for St. Mary's in case an opening arises. The stipend is \$15.

HAPPENINGS & ANOUNCEMENTS

OPEN HOUSE MASS

There will be a special Mass at St. Mary's to celebrate her restoration on **Sunday**, **Jan 30**, **2022 at 10:30 am.** Come and see what all your hard work and donations have created for the glory of God.

RESPECT LIFE RALLY

All are welcome to attend the Youth Rally, March & Mass for Life on Jan. 22, 2022 at St. Gregory the Great Parish with Bishop Michael Fisher. Our Respect Life Rally will have contemporary Christian music, dynamic speakers and public witness of the rosary. Mass with Bishop Mike presiding will be followed by a reception.

Youth Rally, March & Mass for Life Saturday, January 22, 2022 St. Gregory the Great Parish 200 St. Gregory Court, Williamsville, NY 14221

3:30 – 4:15 pm Youth Rally in Ministry Center
4:15 – 5:15 pm March for Life & Rosary on Maple Rd.
5:30 pm Mass in Church with Bishop Mike Celebrating Reception to follow in the Ministry Center

We ask for parental oversight to help with safety. <u>Face coverings will be required</u>. Please dress appropriately as we will be marching outside regardless of the weather. Groups are encouraged to make appropriate signs for the event.

For more information and publicity resources please visit our website at: https://stgregs.org/youth-rally-march-mass-life/

"The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a Mother."



St. Therese of the Child Jesus

OFFERINGS

Your donations allow us to continue the mission of Christ here at St. John's. Thank you for your continued generosity and may you the Lord bless you always!

1/2/2022

St. John's - \$4,746

St. Mary's - \$610

CONTRIBUTION LETTERS

If you would like to receive an end-of-year contribution letter for tax purposes, please notify Pat as soon as possible.

Feel free to e-mail me at pfitz@stjohnrcchurch or call 716-941-3549. Thank you.

TEAMS OF OUR LADY is an international movement of married couples that encourages growth in your spiritual life and develops a closer relationship with your spouse. Each Team is made up of 5 to 7 couples who meet once a month to share a meal, pray together and discuss a topic. It develops a deep sense of community while supporting growth in your marriage. There are several Teams in Hamburg and Orchard Park and some have openings for new couples. If there is enough interest, a new Team can also be formed. Contact Mike & Emily Hoffman at mhoff99@yahoo.com if interested.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

is presenting "Our Kids Parent Education and Awareness Program (**OKPEAP**) which is available for adults who are having conflicts regarding custody and/or access issues related to their children. Groups are held throughout WNY. Call 716-896-6390 for more information.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Jan. 9th—Class # 13—1st Eucharistic Meeting for Parents during class

Jan. 16th—Class #14

Jan. 23rd—Class #15

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