Epiphany Catholic Church

January 9, 2022



Mass Schedule Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm Sunday (All Public): 8:00am & 10:30am, 12:30pm (Spanish) Daily Mass: 8:00am Monday, Tuesday, & Friday (Public) 8:00am Thursday (School) 7:00pm Wednesday (Public) Holy Days: 8:00am & 7:00pm Confessions: Sat. 4:15pm-4:45pm Sun 7:30-7:45, 9:45am-10:15am, 11:45am-12:15pm Other times by appointment

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

Weekly Devotions Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: In the chapel every Tues: 9:30am - 8:00pm

Vespers with Eucharistic Benediction: Wednesday: 6:00pm

<u>Religious Education for Children</u>: Sunday: 9:15am-10:15am

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If you have an emergency and need a priest, please call 386-288-5143.		
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Susi Pittman, Director of Religious Education and RC	IA: (386)697-7312	
Emily & Adam Kersch, Youth Directors:	(904)465-5168	

Mass Intentions	Mission Statement
Saturday, January 8, 2022	We are a community of disciples of Jesus, who are called to
5:00pm	manifest the presence and love of Christ to one another, to the community, and to the world around us.
Sunday, January 9, 2022	
8:00am ⊕Michael Pollock	Readings for the week of January 9, 2022
10:30am Chris Cohen	Sun: Is 42:1-4, 6-7
12:30pm PRO POPULO	Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b] Acts 10:34-38
	Lk 3:15-16, 21-22
Monday, January 10, 2022	Mon: 1 Sm 1:1-8
8:00am [⊕] Father Dan Cody	Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19
Tuesday, January 11, 2022	Mk 1:14-20 Tues: 1 Sm 1:9-20
8:00am ⊕Rose Ann Gismondi	1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd
Wednesday, January 12, 2022	Mk 1:21-28
7:00pm ⊕Ana Cabalit Thursday, January 13, 2022	Wed: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20
8:00am Carlos & Betty Pat Cuadras	Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10 Mk 1:29-39
Friday, January 14, 2022	Thurs: 1 Sm 4:1-11
8:00am &Cynthia Aton-Garcia	Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25
	Mk 1:40-45
	Fri: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a Ps 89:16-17, 18-19
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	Sat: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a
	Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 Mk 2:13-17
The Sanctuary Light	IVIK 2.13-17
burns this week in Memory of sure	<u>Next Sunday</u> <u>El próximo Domingo</u>
Maney Hall	Is 62:1-5 Is 62, 1-5 Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3] Sal 95, 1-2. 2-3. 7-8. 9-10 [3]
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	Jn 2:1-11 Jn 2, 1-11
Have You Moved?	Observances for the week of January 9, 2022
Is it possible we need to update your contact infor- mation? Please be sure to give us any updates to your	Su. The Baptish of the Lord
original registration/census form. You can leave all up-	
dates at the WELCOME DESK. Thanks so much!	W:
	Th: St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
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Hours of Adoration	Left your checkbook at home? Ensure The Tradition
	No Problem!
Adoration Tuesdays:	Electronic donations can still
of the 9:00A—8:00P Now in the Chapel	be made for
Blessed Sacrament	Ensure the Tradition at the
Ť	Epiphany Catholic School web-
Offertory Dec. 26, 2021 2nd Collection	site: www.ecslc.org or
General: \$ 3,936 Epiphany School: \$ 260	https://ecslc.churchgiving.com/ ws/opportunities/
Christmas: \$1,931	Ensure the Tradition
Offertory Jan. 2, 2022: \$10,206 Catholic Relief Services: \$465	
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Jan. 16: Respect Life	Singly founds provided, provided, provided and the state of the state
Jan. 23: Epiphany School	

PLEASE JOIN US IN THE PARISH HALL FOR COFFEE, DONUTS & FELLOWSHIP

-After Sunday Masses-

SERVED BY: 1st Sunday: Young Adults Group 2nd Sunday: Knights of Columbus 3rd Sunday: Epiphany CCW ladies 4th Sunday: Renewal Group



Welcome Back BISHOP ESTEVEZ

Epiphany Church welcomes Bishop Felipe Estevez as he celebrates the 5:00 PM Mass with us.

Please join us for a reception after the Mass beginning at 6:00 PM.





RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS -I Hope I Am Like Him-

"Who is this Christ? Is he like you?"

Perhaps you've heard this story, often attributed to the life of St. Teresa of Calcutta. A sick man asked her this question, as he marveled at her tireless service to himself and others in the name of someone named Jesus Christ.

"He is nothing like me," the saint is said to have answered. "But I hope I am like him."

Though the authenticity of this exchange cannot be verified, its message rings perfectly true: all the value of our stewardship lies in its relativity to the one in whose name we perform it.

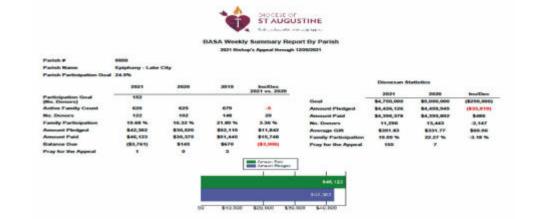
Consider the figure of John the Baptist — a magnificent, towering character even purely from a literary or historical perspective. A martyr who fed on wild locusts and boldly spoke truth to power — a man so great some mistook him for the Messiah.

But why is he great? Because he prepared the way. All his accomplishments and escapades mean nothing if they are taken out of the context of salvation history. He only makes sense relative to Christ — and this is exactly as he wanted it. "One worthier than I is coming," he insists. And because of that humility and that total embrace of God's will, he is given one of the greatest honors in the New Testament — he baptizes the Son of God.

Let's examine our lives in the light of their relativity to Christ. How do we prepare the way? When Christ comes to us, what do we do? How do we leave ourselves open to be actors in God's plan?

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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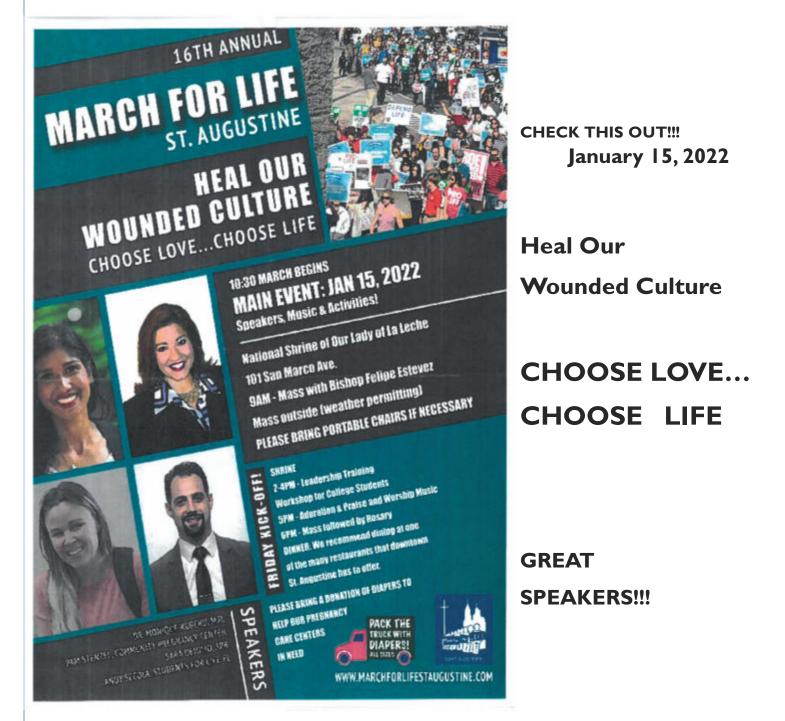


January

- 8 Rita Tardif
 8 Daniel Russell
 9 Robert Heeke
 9 Raul Zelaya
 9 Tamara Trevisano
 10 Angel Colon
 10 Finn Talbott
 11 Gayle Hewlett
 11 Jose Rangel
- 12 Gina Brocchi 12 Angel Rodriguez 13 Joseph Graziano 13 Beverly Kinney 13 Rachelle Lilly 13 Hayden Johnson 14 Kathy Dalton 14 Enrique Cabrera 14 Ashley D'Antonio

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<u>January 9</u> James & Rita Swisher



CANDLEMAS

On February 2 (forty days after Christmas), the Church celebrates the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. In the 1962 Extraordinary Form Calendar, the feast is the "Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary" and commonly referred to as Candlemas.

As part of the celebration of this feast, the Roman Missal gives instructions for an optional blessing of candles and procession at the start of the Mass for that day. Now, we refer to those times when we include those options as our celebration of Candlemas. Last year, we made the conversion from oil-filled candles to wax candles. And so, we were able to have our first celebration of Candlemas here, including the blessing of candles and the procession.

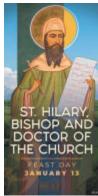
This year, we will again do the blessing and procession for this celebration. Since February 2 falls on a Wednesday, we will have our usual Holy Hour at 6pm. At 7pm, we will gather in the chapel to bless the candles and then have a procession to begin the Mass.



The Respect Life collection being held on January 15th and 16th, 2022 helps turn "Crisis to Caring" for many of those that do not know how they will care for their baby. The collection benefits 25 pregnancy centers, 4 maternity homes, 3 healing after abortion Project Rachel, Rachel's Vineyard and Support After Abortion, and 3 college campus ministry programs within the Diocese of St. Augustine. Up to 20% of the funds collected may be retained and used to help parish respect life initiatives at your parish. Please help turn Crisis to Caring by

encouraging this year's annual Respect Life Collection.





SAINT OF THE WEEK - St. Hilary of Poitiers | Jan. 13

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 Phyrgia 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.

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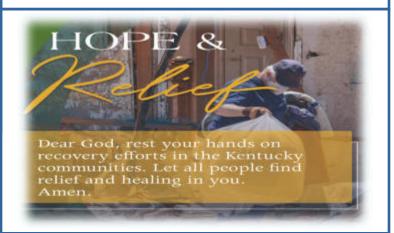
Please submit all bulletin additions and updates to the office by 5:00 PM on Mondays.

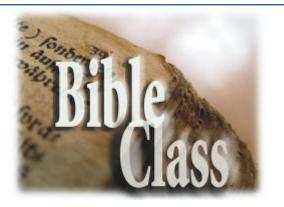


NEEDED—32" Televisions

for the main unit at Columbia Correctional Institute with 800 prisoners being moved to the main unit from Baker CI. If you can help, please contact the Parish Office (386) 752-4470.

> \sim Thank you, **Epiphany Prison Ministry**





WORD OF GOD BIBLE CLASS will meet weekly, **WEDNESDAYS**, 9:30—11:30 in the Church Meeting Room. Come listen, learn and share! "The Word of our God stands forever."

Contact: Georgianna Serroni at 386-344-4987 for more information.

BECOME A VOLUNTEER



Seeking Volunteers to Assist with the following

Epiphany Catholic School Clubs:

ROBOTICS

CHOIR

ARCHERY

ART

DRAMA/HISTORY

If you are interested, please contact Rita Klenk at rklenk@ecslc.org Or (386)752-2320 for more details.



Epiphany Parish CCD Program begins Sunday, September 12th at 9:15AM for grades 1 thru 8. Classes will be held in-person at Epiphany School. Social distancing protocols will be followed. Registrations are available on the table at the rear of the Social Hall. You can drop your registration off at the Church Office or scan and send your completed form to Susi Pittman, DRE, at <u>susique711@gmail.com</u>. If you have any questions call 697-7312.

*IMPORTANT: ALL Sacrament classes are two years. 1st Holy Communion requires completion of 1st & 2nd Grade. Confirmation requires completion of 7th & 8th Grades.

NEW RCIA YEAR

Our 2021 - 2022 Inquiry Year begins September 16 at 6:00PM. Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Have you been away from the Church a while? Are you searching for answers about Jesus? Come join us. Our group is an inquiry group focused on history, spirituality, tradition, tenets and truths. All questions welcomed and answered. **For further info call Susi Pittman 697-7312**





There is hope after abortion.

It's common but often unspoken - to grieve the loss of a child by abortion. It may seem that nothing can fill the emptiness of one's heart. Be assured that there is forgiveness, hope and healing. Many women and men have participated in diocesan Project Rachel Ministries and been transformed by God's merciful love.

If you or someone you know is suffering after abortion, confidential, non-judgmental help is available from Project Rachel Ministry.

For more information on abortion healing and find help for you or someone you know, visit "<u>Hope After Abortion</u>" or in Spanish <u>www.Esperanzaposaborto.org</u>.



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ATTENTION

The Diocese of St. Augustine treats all allegations of sexual misconduct seriously and deals with all allegations in a prompt, confidential, and thorough manner. To Report Abuse, call the police or the Department of Children and Families at (800) 962-2873. Or call the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at (904) 208-6979 or email <u>inquiries@dosafi.com</u>. To report abuse by a bishop, call (800) 276-1562 or visit <u>www.reportbishopabuse.org</u>.

ATENCION:

La Diócesis de San Agustín trata seriamente todas las acusaciones de conducta sexual inapropiada, de manera rápida, confidencial y minuciosa. Para reportar Abuso, llame a la policía o al Departamento de Niños y Familias al (904) 962-2873. O llame al Coordinador Diocesano de Asistencia a Víctimas (904) 208-6979 o envíe un correo electrónico a <u>inquiries@dosafl.com</u>. Para denunciar abuso por parte de un obispo, llame al (800) 276-1562 o visite www.reportbishopabuse.org



EMEMBER

Please include the following sick and homebound from our parish in your daily prayers. Please email the office to renew a listing.

Ana Abreus Betsy Atkinson George Begin Lucille Benz Vernon Black Lorraine Burns Beverly Ann Bellucio Cartageña Sergio Cartageña, Jr. Walter Clay Jose A. Cruz Cade Danko Freddie Davis Dorothy DeLuca Marie Demauex Mike Fain Aleyda Ferrer David Hall Geraldine Hawkins Bob & Joyce Heeke Kathleen Hejny Carol Jarvis-Woodworth Park Jones Jackie Konarski Rob Konarski Louis Mandy Joanne McKee Barbara Lynn Mitchem Sarah Morrison LaLa Oteiza Kasey Pawelkiewicz Janet Pugh Margarite Ricks Dennis Rockovitz Jo Schreiber Mary Schultz Charlie Shaw John & Marie Simkanich Barbara Tanzosh Drew Tanzosh Jolane Toth David Vrana Mary Watson



