

The Epiphany of the Lord



Estimated need each week: \$4475.00
 Last Sunday Collection: See next week
 Building Fund: for totals

Ministry Schedule

Jan 09
 05:30 PM—Lector: **Connie Bigelow**
 Eucharistic Ministers: **Jeanette Ormazabal, Samantha Blanton**

Jan 10
 08:00 AM—Lector: **Karen Quilliams**
 Eucharistic Ministers: **John Gagnon, Anna Marie Smith**

10:30 AM—Lector: **Theresa Sipe**
 Eucharistic Ministers: **Donna Boyd, Linda Atchley,
 Raymon Yates, Ann Dennis**

USHERS

Jan 09
 05:30 PM—**Robert Ruiz**

Jan 10
 08:00 AM—**Joan Weis**

10:30 AM—**Steven Smith- Anthony Cordina**

ALTAR SERVERS

Jan 09
 05:30 PM—**Jesse & Leah Lyons**

Jan 10
 08:00 AM—**Sophie Quilliams, Renata DeLucia**

10:30 AM—**Eric White, Dominic Burry, Noah Miklusicak,
 Andi Aparicio**

***If you can not serve for your scheduled mass, please find a substitute. If you can not find a substitute, call Scott & Tara Halstead at 579-9342.



Pray for the Sick: Ed Bigelow, Bob Mallard, Bobby Ownby, Madeline Overfield, Bob and Mary Holifield, Steven Smith, John Kruzal, Howard Rothwell, Stacie Kidwell, Ed Doherty, Kurt Hosey, Jandark Faraj, Lorraine Hendricks, Rachelle Rodarte & Elizabeth Davis.

To place a prayer request on the prayer chain, please call Sue at 984-5440 / Claudia at 573-0056.



Today we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, where the Magi find the newborn king and offer him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

In the spirit of the Magi, please put your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box so that comfort and peace can once again be given to a newborn child.



Mass Intentions

Jan 02 05:30 PM *Geraldine Fink* † by M/M Rodarte
Jan 03 08:00 AM *People of the Parish*
 10:30 AM *Johanna Boon Van Niel* †
Jan 04 08:15 AM **NO MASS**
Jan 05 08:15 AM *Staff of Catholic Charities*
Jan 06 08:15 AM *Clients of Catholic Charities*
Jan 07 08:15 PM *Fr. Jim Driscoll* †
Jan 08 08:15 AM **NO MASS**
Jan 09 05:30 PM *People of the Parish*
Jan 10 08:00 AM *Cal LeCocq* † by M/M Craft
 10:30 AM *Martha Austin* †

*May the souls of all our
 Faithful departed through the
 Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen*
 †= deceased



The Legion of Mary meets on Monday mornings at 9:00 AM on the garden level. All are invited to attend.

We're extending an invitation to ALL parishioners to join us in praying the ROSARY every Sunday at 9:55 am right before the 10:30 mass.



Fr. Thomas O'Connell
Farewell & Appreciation Lunch

There will be a farewell and appreciation Covered Dish Lunch for Fr. Thomas O'Connell on Sunday, January 10th after 10:30am mass. Bring your favorite dish, enough to feed your family and to share with the parish family. Also you will have a chance to share your favorite "Fr. Tom" memories.

National Vocation Awareness:

The festive season of Christmas will conclude next week with the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Jesus' baptism is a significant moment in his public ministry. As we celebrate this feast we recall our own baptism and renew our baptismal commitment. It is fitting that this feast marks the beginning of *National Vocation Awareness Week*. Consider participating in our special celebration next week.



Baptized in the Spirit

Announcements



Would you like to be a Eucharist Minister at the 8am mass?, see Fr. Ragan.

Please pick up your 2010 collection envelopes in the Gathering Space of the Church .



Christmas Flower Donations



Thomas Mittler
M/M Saas in memory of Parents
M/M Rogowshi special intention for Mr. Leonard & Paul Klebba and M/M Genevieve & Robert Vandola

Don't Forget! This Friday, January 8th at 7pm, and Sunday, January 10th at 3pm, All Saints Catholic Church Choir and Orchestra will be presenting the Christmas Cantata "Journey of Promises" by Joseph M. Martin. Both performances will be held in the main church and open to the public. Donations will be accepted and all proceeds will **benefit Catholic Charities**. For more info contact Sandy at 675-1788.



Attention change of Place and Date:



Because of the farewell celebration for Fr. O'Connell on January 10th we had to change the date for our first meeting of the New Year. Applebee's is not available on the 10th, so we are going to meet at Damon's. There is a sign up sheet in the vestibule. All 50+ parishioners are welcome to join us.

***Mark your calendar, Saturday, February 6, 2010 for St. Joseph School 12th Annual Mardi Gras Dinner, Dance & Auction. If you have any items or ideas for our silent/live auction, please contact the event chair, Ami Connolly at 654-4330 or connollyam@bellsouth.net.



Each week at mass, we are invited and called to full conscience, active and fruitful participation in the liturgical worship. Consider reading then reflecting on the scriptures for the coming Sunday Mass.

Sunday January 10, 2010

Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 or Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11
Psalm 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Psalm 104:1-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30
Acts 10:34-38 or Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7
Luke 3:15-16, 21-22

*A word from _____
_____ your Pastor...*

To be quite honest, Christmas got off on the wrong foot for me this year! Waiting till the last minute to do my shopping didn't work out real well! Let's just say that it began with a necessary item being out of stock, ended with a busted bag of bird feed all over my back seat, with a cancelled credit card somewhere in the middle! Well, all this seemed to indicate that Christmas was going to end in a crash landing! Instead it only soared to the highest level! As I drove up to the church for mass it was obvious that things were looking up, the great lights and the pretty decorations were the "wrapping" for what was inside, a great gift to Christ to celebrate His birth, the presence of many caring and loving friends and family! The Nativity, the singing, the saxophone, the prayers and praises lifted to God from our Church came together to remind me of what we are really all about as Christians! The idea is not to try to spend a bunch of money to get gifts to throw at each other but to share time together aware of the fact that Jesus Christ is alive in each of our hearts and fully celebrated when we gather together! Thanks so much to the many people who did so much to make this Christmas celebration a terrific success! This can only mean that we are off to the right start as we head into our new calendar year! It is going to be exciting to see how our Holy Family experiences to presence of Christ in 2010, let's just not forget that He is present in all we do! God bless all of you in this new year!!

Fr. Ragan



Marriage Celebrations

Bishop Stika will host three special bilingual celebrations, one each in Knoxville, Chattanooga and Kingsport, to honor married couples and their commitment to the sacrament of marriage. At each celebration, Bishop Stika will offer Mass with an opportunity for you to renew your wedding vows. Mass will begin at 11:00am, with a luncheon following each event.

Saturday, January 9, 2010

St. John Neumann Church-Knoxville

Saturday, February 6, 2010

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church-Chattanooga

Saturday, July 24, 2010

St. Dominic Church-Kingsport

To attend on of these marriage celebrations, please RSVP to Marian Christiana (Diocesan Office of Marriage Preparation and Enrichment) at (423)892-2310 or email Marian at mchristiana@dioceseofknoxville.org.

