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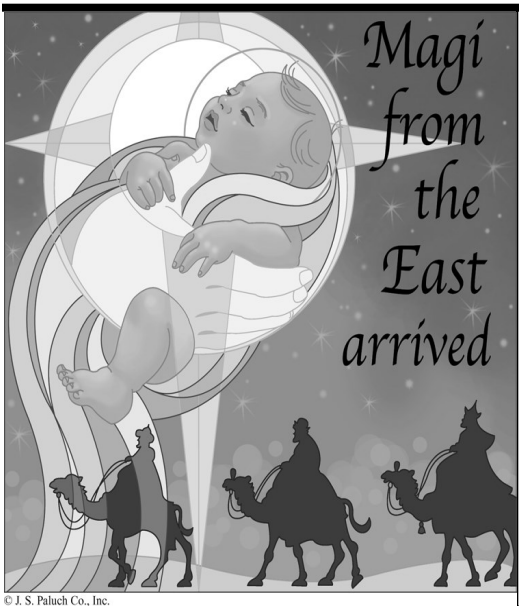
Mass Schedule: Summer Months, Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Winter Months, Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.

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FINDING GOD

The splendid magi, all sparkle and dash and solemnity, march right up off the pages of Matthew's Gospel and into our churches today. Matthew alone tells us this grand and seductive story so that we might see the light and know that the child these magi visited is the fulfillment of prophecy, the king of the world that stretches to the magi's home country and beyond, right down the ages to us. We too see and understand anew. Like the magi, we see in the newborn child the king of the universe and light of the world. Like the magi, we find in ourselves a new faith and a new life. Like them, we return to our home by a new route. We are asked to come away from this festive season ourselves renewed and awake to the presence of God among us. We are asked to find God where God is to be found, to be attentive and surprised and ready to bow down in adoration and to offer our gifts .

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! The Lord shines upon you (Isaiah 60:1-6).

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

Second Reading — The Gentiles are coheirs, copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

Gospel — Magi from the east arrived, looking for the newborn king of the Jews (Matthew 2:1-12).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22 – 4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72: 1-2, 10, 12-13; Mk 6:45-52

Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19 – 5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15bc, 17; Lk 4:14-22a

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 5:12-16

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 3:22-30

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 29:1-4,3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-4, 24-25, 27-30; Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7;

Events of the Week:

Monday, January 7—	– 8:00 am	Mass in Church
	10:00 am	Prayer Group (Chapel)
	5:00 pm	Adoration in Church until 11:00 pm
Tuesday, January 8—	– 6:30	Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
	7:00 pm	Mass in Chapel
Wednesday, January 9—	–8:00 am	Mass (Church)
	8:30 am	Bible Study in Parish Hall
Thursday, January 10—	–8:00 am	Mass in Chapel, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	5:00 pm	Benediction
Friday, January 11—	–8:30 am	Mass in Church
Saturday, January 12—	– 4:00 pm	Vigil Mass (Confession available 30 minutes before Mass)

The Epiphany of the Lord

January 6, 2019

Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you.

— Isaiah 60:1



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Pray for a Priest each day:

Eternal Father, we lift up to you these Pope, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, & Seminarians. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. May their lives be pleasing to you.

Sun. 6: Pope Francis

Mon. 7: Fr. Philip J. Audet and Fr. Mike Austin

Tues. 8: Fr. Sergio Balderas and Fr. Greg Barras

Wed. 9: Fr. Joseph Benjamin SSJ

Thurs. 10: Fr. Dennis Carver

Fri. 11: Fr. Tommy Conway

Sat. 12: Msgr. Dominick Fullam

Prayer List:

Sandra Angelina, Zebulon Atkins, Phillip Babin, Jr., Caroline Battalora, James Bell, Reece Bentz, Rusty Bohn, Dian Bradley, Fr. Ronnie Calkins, Jamie Ann Canton, Sarah Carboni, Fr. David Carucci, Mary Joyce Cuevas, Marvel Desroche, Betty Dubuisson, Wilma Dubuisson, Janet Galen, Mary Gallagher, Alison Grey, Darren Grumme, Catherine Hanson, Chris Hanson, Barbara Hayden, Rogers Hayden, Barbara Henderson, Kenny Hoda, Pat Hoda, John Hodges, Paul Hughes, Sally James, Sierra Jefferson, Faye Johnson, Natalie Koenenn, Irma Ladner, Missy Ladner, Pam Ladner, Marlene Logan, Irene Melancon, Lou Miller, Carl Molesworth, Dennis Mottola, Judy Nelson, Kevin Niolet, David Paysse, Marie Peralta, Beverly Rafferty, Bryce Riordan, Taige Roof, William "Scooter" Sanders, James Senac, Roger Shaw, Melissa Starita, Carolyn Stewart, L.J. St. Pierre, Robert "Rip" Van Court, Cathy Yoeman, Ken Yoeman



The Way to Heaven

Love of heaven is the only way to heaven.

—John Henry Newman

Stewardship of Treasure

December 30, 2018

Collection	\$	7,638
Building Fund	\$	128
Cemetery Donations	\$	0
Christmas	\$	11,295
New Years	\$	601
Mass Intentions	\$	0
Youth Ministry	\$	200
Flowers	\$	236

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Property for Sale

Questions regarding the pricing for the lot next to the Chapel on 140 E. Scenic Dr. should be directed to:

bit.ly/holyfamilyproperty



Jan. 12-13	4:00 pm Vigil	8:30 am	11:00 am	5:00 pm
Lector	Jimmy Benigno	Laura Pickich	Judy Barret	Spencer Wingfield
EEM	Ken Austin Ursula Frlot Lisa Lorber Charles Parker Shannon Parker	John Hecker Tiffany Lindmark Rodney Malburg Joe Spence	Chad Burge Jo Johns Jean Smith Donald Smith Lori Wood	Rusty Bohn Charles Erickson Joy Miller Jim Riordan

The Parish Office will be closed on January 21st for Martin Luther King Day. It will reopen on January 22nd at 9:00 a.m.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Baptismal Prep

The next baptismal preparation course will be Thursday, Jan. 17th at 5:30 pm in the Church. Both parents are required to attend as well as both godparents. The godparents must be Confirmed, practicing Catholics.

Sun. Jan. 6	7:00 a.m.	Tai Xuan Vo
	8:30 a.m.	Chris Keel
	11:00 a.m.	Jim Culpepper
	5:00 p.m.	Healing for Bernadette Levens Tolson
Mon. Jan. 7	8:00 am	Special Intentions of Pip Brennan
Tues. Jan. 8 Chapel	7:00 pm	Thanksgiving to Divine Mercy
Weds. Jan. 9	8:00 a.m.	Barbara Brennan Knost Family
Thurs. Jan. 10 Chapel	8:00 am	Chris Keel Leslie and Brennan Price
Fri. Jan. 11	8:30 am	Larry Youngblood
Sat. Jan. 12	4:00 pm Vigil	Special Intentions of Catherine Wood

Lifeteen Announcement

Lifeteen (grades 9-12), Edge (grades 6-8), and Rise (grades 3-5) will resume their Life Nights next Sunday, January 13th after the 5:00 pm Mass.

Also, check out our page in this weekend's bulletin about our fundraising effort. Sponsorship envelopes are in the Parish Office!



Thursday Adoration

We would like to invite anyone who visits the Sacrament, or is interested in visiting it more often, to please consider becoming a substitute Adorer for times when regular Adorers are unable to make their hour. Please call the office at 228-452-4686.

