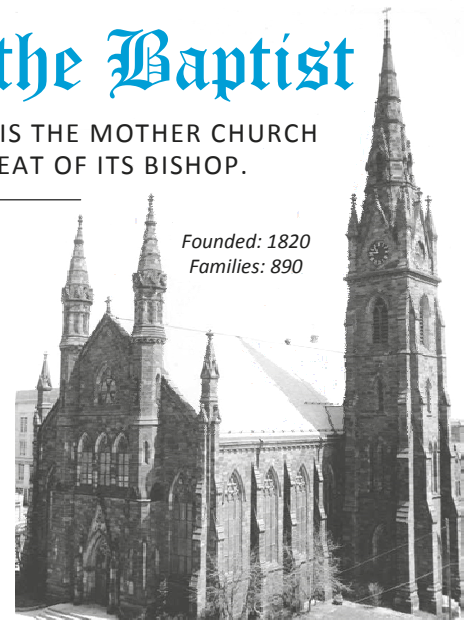




Cathedral of Saint John the Baptist

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST IS THE MOTHER CHURCH OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF PATERSON AND THE SEAT OF ITS BISHOP.

The Epiphany of the Lord January 6, 2019



Founded: 1820
Families: 890

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MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIOS DE MISAS +

WEEKEND MASSES / FINES DE SEMANA MISAS

SATURDAY VIGIL / VIGILIA LOS SABADOS

5:00 PM (English) 7:00 PM (Spanish)

SATURDAY / SABADOS

Every first (1) Saturday of each month
9:00 AM (Spanish) in Honor of Our Blessed Virgin Mary
(Celebrated in the Chapel of Our Lady)

SUNDAY / DOMINGO

8:30 AM (English) 10:00 AM (Spanish)
11:30 AM (English) 1:00 PM (Spanish)

WEEKDAY MASSES / MISAS DURANTE LA SEMANA

(Celebrated in the Chapel of Our Lady)

MONDAY THRU FRIDAY / LUNES A VIERNES

12:35 PM (English)
7:00 PM (Spanish)

HOLY DAY MASSES / MISAS EN DIA FESTIVO

12:35 PM (English) / 7:00 PM (Español)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Every third (3rd) Saturday in English 10:30 AM - Spanish 11:30 AM
Every Saturday in Spanish: 11:00 AM
Parents and Godparents must attend class prior to Baptism.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made at least six (6) months in advance.
Pre-Cana courses are required and are given in Spanish in March, June and October.

MAIN ENTRANCE

Main Street
& Grand Street

THE CHAPEL OF OUR LADY

DeGrasse Street

RECTORY / PRIESTS RESIDENCE

381 Grand Street
Paterson, NJ 07505

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon. - Fri.: 9:00 am to 8:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Sunday: 11:00 am to 1:00 pm



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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION

Every Saturday: 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

When possible the Priests are available for Confession before Mass.
Also by appointment by contacting the Cathedral Office.

VISITATION OF THE SICK AND ELDERLY

Please keep us informed when a person is sick or in the Hospital.

Contact the Cathedral Office in order to put his/her name in the Mass Intention list.
If the person needs to receive the Communion, a Priest will visit or send an available Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister.

FUNERALS

Please contact the Cathedral Office for information.

EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Friday: After the 12:35 PM English Mass until 6:45 PM

HOLY HOUR

Every Monday: After the 7:00 PM Spanish Mass until 8:30 PM

CHAPLET OF THE DIVINE MERCY

Every Friday: 3:00 PM

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Classes are held on Sunday.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY, YOUNG PROPHETS

Meeting Every Friday: 7:00 PM to 9:30 PM

LIBRARY (GIFT SHOP) / LIBRERIA

HOURS / HORARIOS

Tuesday / Martes: 7:30 PM to 8:30 PM
Saturday / Sabado: 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM
Sunday / Domingo: 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM

Welcome!

To the Cathedral Parish of St. John the Baptist! The beauty of this Cathedral expresses the dynamic energies and vibrant faith of our parish community. We invite you to be at home here as you draw closer to God through our worship, our programs, our movements, and our service projects. After one of our liturgies, please introduce yourself to me and the other members of our staff. We are here for you and are honored to have the opportunity to journey together in faith.
Msgr. Geno Sylva

Bienvenido!

A la Catedral San Juan Bautista! La belleza de esta catedral expresa la energía dinámica y la fe vibrante de nuestra comunidad parroquial. Te invitamos a estar aquí; tu casa, mientras te acercas a Dios a través de la adoración, nuestros programas, movimientos y proyectos de servicio. Después de una de nuestras celebraciones Eucarísticas, por favor acércate a mí, o a alguno de los miembros de nuestro personal. Estamos aquí para ti, y nos sentimos honrados de tener la oportunidad de caminar unidos en la fe.
Msgr. Geno Sylva

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**THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
JANUARY 6, 2019**



MASS INTENTIONS-INTENCIONES PARA LA MISA

SATURDAY/ SABADO January 5

9:00 am In honor to the Virgin Mary

†Rómulo Fermín †Cesar Omar Fermín †María Castillo

†Dolores Almonte †Celenia Almonte

†Agustina Beco Chavez †Apolinar Fermín Beco

†Juan Santiago Beco Salud Marina A. Beco, Agustino A. Beco

Salud: Frinis Castillo

5:00 pm (English) For St. John's Parish Community

†Holy Souls in Purgatory

7:00 pm (Español)

Por la Comunidad de San Juan Bautista

†Antonio Miranda †Betzabe Bryson (2do. Mes)

Salud: Suhami María Pérez Salud: Martha Libia Cuartas

Salud: Martha Ligia Madrid

SUNDAY /DOMINGO January 6

8:30 am (English) For St. John's Parish Community

†Holy Souls in Purgatory +Elizabeth Torres

10:00am (Español)

Por la Comunidad de San Juan Bautista

†Gladys Botello †Baltazar Estrada

†Ana Ofelia Arcila †Joan Marlene Field

†José Robles Castillo †Gabriela Farfán

†Jesús Osorio †Cindy Villalba

Salud: Marlene Rangel Salud: Carolina Barros Green

11:30 am (English) For St. John's Parish Community

†Holy souls in Purgatory Health: Gregory Zimmer

1:00 pm (Español) Por la Comunidad de San Juan Bautista

En honor al Señor de los Milagros

†Nora Gallego †Fausto William Albarrán

Salud: Suhami Maria Perez

MONDAY/MONDAY January 7

12:35pm (English) †Holy souls in Purgatory

7:00 pm Acc. Grac. A Jesús Crucificado

†Joel Mateo †Mercedes Colon

†Alberto Ávila (1er Aniv) Salud: Suhami María Pérez

TUESDAY/MARTES January 8

12:35 pm (English) †Holy Souls in Purgatory

7:00 pm †Maria Luisa Rodriguez

Salud: Suhami Maria Perez, Zamara Zapata

WEDNESDAY/MIERCOLES January 9

12:35 pm (English) †Holy Souls in Purgatory

7:00 pm (Español) †Tina "Nana" Hernández

†Teresa Toyco (1er mes) Salud: Suhami María Pérez

THURSDAY/JUEVES January 10

12:35 pm (English) †Holy Souls in Purgatory

7:00 pm (Español) †Nora Gallego

†Jose Robles Castillo

Salud: Suhami Maria Perez

FRIDAY/Viernes January 11

12:35pm (English) †Holy Souls in Purgatory

7:00pm (Español) Acc. Grac. Al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús

Acc. Grac. a Nuestra Señora de Fátima

Novena a Nuestra Señora de la Altagracia

†Jose Carlos Pagan †Luis A. Castillo

ONLINE GIVING-DONACIONES EN LINEA

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EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6

Isaiah rejoices over the light and glory that will shine upon Jerusalem. He describes how the wealth of nations will be brought to Jerusalem, and travelers will arrive bearing gifts and praising God.

Second Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

Paul explains to the Ephesians that the Gentiles are now co-heirs with the Jews. Through Jesus, they became members of the same body. Therefore, they would receive everything God had promised the Jewish converts if they followed Christ's teachings.

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Astrologers from the east came looking for the newborn king of the Jews, which greatly disturbed King Herod. Herod wanted to kill Jesus, and asked the astrologers to return and tell him where Jesus was. The astrologers found Jesus and brought him gifts, but received a message in a dream telling them not to return to Herod.

The Epiphany: All People are still Drawn to the Divine

The Wise Men, the Magi, they came from the East following a star to witness to the great epiphany of God's love into our world in the Person of His Son Jesus Christ. At this divine epiphany, they each had a human epiphany. They recognized the great gift that God had given to the world for the salvation of all people, even to these men from the East.

Just as the Magi were drawn to Christ, all people continue to be drawn to the divine. As St. John Paul II had written: "*There remains a thirst for the absolute, a desire for goodness, a hunger for truth, the need for personal fulfillment.*" And God still reveals Himself to the world. The Magi followed a star to arrive at God. Women and men of today long to follow those who live their lives of faith authentically, with great joy and unwavering hope. May people today see the light of Christ in each one of us here at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist and experience a great epiphany; that God so loved the world that He gave us His only Son!

Msgr. Geno Sylva

La Epifanía: Todas las personas siguen siendo atraídas a lo Divino

Los sabios de oriente, los magos, vinieron del oriente siguiendo una estrella para dar testimonio de la gran epifanía del amor de Dios en nuestro mundo en la Persona de Su Hijo Jesucristo. En esta epifanía divina, cada uno tuvo una epifanía humana. Ellos reconocieron el gran regalo que Dios le había dado al mundo para la salvación de todas las personas, incluso a estos hombres del Oriente.

Así como los magos se sintieron atraídos hacia Cristo, todas las personas continúan siendo atraídas hacia lo divino. Como escribió San Juan Pablo II: "Sigue habiendo una sed de lo absoluto, un deseo de bondad, un hambre de verdad, la necesidad de realización personal". Y Dios todavía se revela al mundo. Los magos siguieron una estrella para llegar a Dios. Las mujeres y los hombres de hoy anhelan seguir con autenticidad a quienes viven sus vidas de fe, con gran alegría y esperanza inquebrantable. Ojalá que la gente de hoy vea la luz de Cristo en cada uno de nosotros aquí en la Catedral de San Juan Bautista y experimente una gran epifanía; ¡Que tanto amó Dios al mundo que nos dio a su único Hijo!

Mons. Geno Sylva



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