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Epiphany of the Lord ~ January 5, 2020 www.oldcathedral.org

Basilica Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:30pm English
Sunday 9:15am English
10:15am Chinese

11:30am Spanish 12:45pm English 7:00pm English

Monday-Friday 8:00am Spanish

12:10pm English

Saturday 8:00am Spanish

VESPERS (Evening Prayer)

First Sundays at 7:00pm with Mass

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30pm - 5:15pm Sunday 6:00pm - 6:45pm

Spanish Prayer Group

Friday 7:30pm

Cursillistas Meeting

Sunday after 11:30am Mass (Spanish)

Parish Clergy

Rev. Brian A. Graebe, S.T.D., Administrator

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Rev. Jason Smith, LC, Parochial Vicar Rev. Daniel Ray, LC, In Residence Rev. Andrew A. Thi, Parochial Vicar

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Saturday/Sabado-January 4, Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

8:00AM (Spa) Witness for Life Mass

For: Robert Gordon By: Flatz Family

5:30PM (Eng) For: All the people in our parish

Sunday/Domingo-January 5, Epiphany of the Lord 9:15AM (Eng) For: Lena & Louis Ciffo

By: Anthony Ciffo

10:15AM (Chi) In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary

By: Risa Thi

11:30AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Daniel y Francisco

Nuñez

12:45PM (Eng) For: Carmine Tortoriello

By: Toni Granello

7:00PM (Eng) For: Regina Morley

By: The Hart Family

Monday/Lunes-January 6, Saint Raymond of Peñafort

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno de Alejandro Nuñez invita

Ramona Nuñez

12:10PM (Eng) For: Patricia Rist

By: Dolores McMullan

Tuesday/Martes-January 7

8:00AM (Spa) Por el alma de Santiago Ugarte Seminos invita

Santiago Ugarte (hijo)

5:30PM (Eng) For: Richard Koski

By: Catherine & John Hemsley

Wednesday/Miercoles, January 8

8:00AM (Spa) Por las almas del pulgatorio invita Lucila

12:10PM (Eng) For: Hugo Flatz

By: Flatz Family

Thursday/Jueves, January 9

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Juana Toro Decena

y Edward Burgos Crespo invita Michelle Burgos

12:10PM (Eng) For: The Culhane Family

By: Friends of the Erben Organ

Friday/Viernes, January 10

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Steven Diaz invita

Su madre y familia

12:10PM (Eng) For: Timothy Cronin

By: Family

Saturday/Sabado, January 11

8:00AM (Spa) Por las benditas animas del Pulgatorio invita

Carmen Beltrez

5:30PM (Eng) For: Domenic Quartuccio

By: Cousins

Last Sunday's Collection:

The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral: \$3355.00 Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood: \$547.00

Epiphany of the Lord

The Christmas Season celebrates the early manifestations of Jesus, from his birth to the beginning of his public ministry. The central figures in the narrative of the birth of Christ are Mary, Joseph, and John the Baptist. The Christmas season begins at the Vigil Mass on Christmas Eve and ends on the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, celebrated this year on January 12th. In the United States, the Epiphany of the Lord, traditionally January 6, is celebrated on the Sunday that falls between January 2nd and January 8th.

The Epiphany is the manifestation of Jesus as Messiah of Israel, Son of God, and Savior of the world, shown through the visit of the wise men from the East who came to pay homage to Jesus. The New Testament reading addresses the call of all people to salvation. The Sunday following January 5th is the feast of the Baptism of the Lord and ends the season of Christmas.

The Liturgical Color of the Christmas Season is white or gold.

Symbols for Christmas include the manger, a trough used to feed animals. It served as the first crib for the infant Jesus. The star proclaimed the coming of the king to the wise men who followed it so they could pay homage to Jesus. Images of the magi (wisemen) also play a prominent role in the Christmas story, especially on the Solemnity of the Epiphany since they represent the universal world coming to do homage to the newborn Christ. It is interesting to note that the Sacred Scriptures make no mention of the number of Magi at the manger. However, since the Middle Ages, artists have depicted three travelers due to the fact that brought three gifts: gold, frankincense and myrrh.

Take a Walk with Tommy's New York Daily Tours: 11am, 1pm, 3pm—7 Days a Week www.tommysnewyork.com

- **Hospitality and service volunteer opportunity** If you are interested in volunteering to serve our Parish Community, please email: **tony@oldcathedral.org**
- Communion & Liberation ~ Communion and Liberation has the purpose of forming its members in Christianity in order to make them coworkers in the Church's mission in all areas of society. They regularly meet on Fridays evenings for prayer and meditation. For more information: simonetta.ditalia@gmail.com
- Bowery Walk ~ Third Tuesday of each month, 7:30pm Parish House, 263 Mulberry St.
 Join us as we continue with the Malta Auxillary Committee our Lenten Bowery Walk. We will prepare meals in the Rectory and walk to local destinations handing out the meals to the needy. For more info or to sign up contact: frances.asquith@googlemail.com
- Cancer Support Group meets on Thursdays at 32 Prince Street at 7pm.

MUSIC AT THE BASILICA

- Interested in joining the **Basilica Schola**? The Schola is our fabulous volunteer choir that sings at the Sunday 7 PM Mass and major feasts throughout the year. It resumed on September 15th but auditions take place throughout the year. Contact Jared Lamenzo, our Director of Music, at <u>organist@oldcathedral.org</u>.
- Learn about the music you hear at Mass by joining our Facebook page: http://facebook.com/erbenorgan and follow us on Twitter and Instagram @erbenorgan and our Web site https://erbenorgan.org/
- **Basilica Voices**, our children's choir and member of the international Catholic "Pueri Cantores" association, joins the Schola in singing throughout the year. With expert vocal instruction, we strive to instill a passion for excellence they can carry throughout their lives. To register your child, email: **basilicavoices@oldcathedral.org**.



Catholic Bytes Podcast offers short, dynamic talks about the faith. The goal of Catholic Bytes is to offer dynamic catechesis for people on the move. Most people do not have time to sit down and study the faith, so these episodes offer an opportunity to learn more about Catholicism or to grow in your relationship with the Lord, in short 5-10 minute sessions.

Episodes offer listeners a variety of themes ranging from faith fundamentals, Scripture, dogma, morals, liturgy, spirituality, saints, and Church history.

Here's the link: https://catholicbytespodcast.com

The Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday 12:10pm Saturday Vigil 5:30pm

Sunday 2:00pm Vietnamese

CONFESSIONS (at the Basilica)
Saturday 4:30pm-5:30pm
Sunday 6:00pm—7:00pm

Mass Celebrants at The Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood

Rev. Robert Campagna, OFM Rev. Patrick Boyle, OFM Rev. Louis Troiani, OFM

Rev. Philip Phan (Vietnamese Apostolate)

SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 2020 – FIRST SATURDAY

5:30PM (Vigil) For: Rocco Vita – Anniversary

By: sister Connie For: Louis Tuzzio

By: mother Toni, sister and brother

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2020 – Epiphany of the Lord

2:00PM Mass in Vietnamese

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 2020

NO MASS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2020

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2020

12:10PM For: Consuela Marlin

By: Eddie & Camille Welsh

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 2020

NO MASS

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 2020

NO MASS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 2020

5:30PM (Vigil) For: Eddie Welsh

By: Lorraine Donofrio

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THE MEMORIAL CONCERT

honoring our former pastor, Fr. Fabian Grifone,
O.F.M., was a success. The turnout was very good and all the performances were wonderful. Cheryl
Warfield, opera singer and founder of The MORE
Opera Company, came up with the idea of a concert

as a way to honor Father



Fabian for his 23 years of service here as pastor and to acknowledge the one-year anniversary of his passing into heaven. All the musical selections were beautiful and tastefully chosen and all were performed to perfection. Cheryl became emotional during a short speech she made explaining how she and the MORE Opera Company and Father Fabian "met", and what a lasting impression he made on her and all who performed that evening. Actually that is the exact reason why all those wonderful people donated their time and talents – it was all done to honor Fr. Fabian and what he meant to everyone.

A huge debt of gratitude to Cheryl, the MORE Opera Company and each and every one of the talented people who performed here on December 21st, 2019. We know as sure as we're writing this piece that Father Fabian was looking down on all of it and smiling.

HAPPY 2020 TO EVERYONE. May the coming year bring good things to all our parishioners, visitors, clergy and staff and your families. May God continue to keep us safe especially since this world seems to be spinning out of control. God help us all in the new year and beyond!



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