## THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD JANUARY 6, 2019

Today's Readings
The Epiphany of the Lord
Is 60: 1-6
Eph 3: 2-3, 5-6
Mt 2:1-12
Readings for 1/13/19
The Baptism of the Lord
Is 40: 1-5,9-11
Ti 2: 11-14; 3:4-7
Lk 3: 15-16, 21-22

### MASS INTENTIONS: JAN. 7 TO JAN 13, 2019

Monday	9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Bertha Voltaire
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Kathryn Klein
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Thomas & Henry Pigg
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Fred Hartner
	9:30 a.m.	Kathy Massey
	11:15 a.m.	Grayson Scraff, Jr.

(SI) Special Intentions(B) Birthday (A) Anniversary (H) Health

#### SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND OF 1/13/19

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Ministry	Sat 4 pm	Sun 8 am	Sun 9:30	Sun 11:15
	JAN 12	JAN 13	JAN 13	JAN 13
Priest	HK	LG	MS	MS
Lectors	J McConnell	J Healy	M Canter	C Lawrence
EM	B McConnell	A Chaney	M Childress	K McCarty
	M Peach	F Holtz	N Yost	J McCarty
	D Phillips	S Dieter	J Kline	M Rudell
	S Pardo	T Dieter	B Nowak	P Era
Server	M Rinaudo	O Ayd	L Mahns	P Bittner
	T Rinaudo	A Engel	R Mahns	S Hoopert
	H Arnett	I Warne	D Warne	H McCarty
			J Devereux	
Sacristan	G Arnett	A Engel	J Devereux	J McCarty

## FROM FR. KUNKEL

In the great feast of the Epiphany we celebrate God's extravagant love for his people, all of his people, of all generations, in all times. God's love could not be restricted to an exclusive and elite group in the Middle East. No! The mercy, forgiveness and compassion of God is offered to everyone, and the wise men, and countless others like them over the centuries have taken this story to the ends of the earth. From the humble stable in Bethlehem, the story of redemption has been proclaimed, in season and out, under persecution or freedom.

Now the challenge lies with each one of us as well! Are you willing to be an Epiphany person? Are you eager to manifest Christ to the world? This is our mission; our faith is not static! We must be involved in the proclamation of God's love! We are all encouraged in the Scriptures to "arise" and bring God's hope, love, forgiveness and compassion to those who need it most.

The Epiphany is not just for bejeweled men on camels, or Christians in atheistic countries. We who have celebrated the great feast of Christmas must be

#### SUNRISE COMMUNION SERVICE

St. Mary's offers a Communion Service every Wednesday at 6:00 a.m. All are welcome to attend. For more information please contact Mike Dodson @ 717-382-4756





### ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to donate a floral arrangement to be placed on the Altar please call Sue Dieter @ 410-937-4035.

### CELEBRATIONS AND CONGRATULATIONS!!

Happy Birthday-80's and over

Mary Stewart	86	Jan 10
Augusta Guerriero	82	Jan 12
Thomas Burke	89	Jan 15
Betty Lou Knott	85	Jan 17
Elizabeth Grier	83	Jan 27
Robert Groff	88	Jan 30
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Happy Anniversary25 <sup>th</sup> , 50 <sup>th</sup> & over 50		
Stephen & Rosalee Bevard	53	Jan 15
John & Dolores Fetter	62	Jan 19
Earl & Diana Weidner	55	Jan 25
William & Johanna Hill	50	Jan 26
Douglass & Mary Washburn	52	Jan 27

If you do not want your name(s), and/or your age in the bulletin please notify Barbara, Ext. 22



Happy New Year.

### SPECIAL THANK YOU!

Fr. Kunkel, and the Staff of St. Mary's wish to thank you for your cards, gifts and most of all your prayers. You have all made the Christmas celebration a very blessed and holy one. Wishing all of you a Very, very Healthy and

## STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Treasure – December 23, 2018

Offertory – Envelopes \$6,258.00 ChristmasFlowers 896.00 Poor Box – Local Assistance 369.20 Mass Attendance 523

Treasure – December 25, & 30, 2018 the offering for Christmas and December  $30^{\rm th}$  will be posted in the January  $13^{\rm th}$  bulletin

- The message of stewardship is that God's gifts, shared, will always be enough. Thank you for continuing to share your gifts with the parish, others and the Lord. Your generosity is deeply appreciated.
- Please consider remembering St. Mary, Pylesville in your will. Catholics of generations to come will thank you for your thoughtfulness and remember you in prayer.

#### **Contribution Statement 2018:**

If you would like a contribution statement (recorded contributors only (Church Envelopes or EFT) for calendar year 2018 please call Barbara, Ext. 22, email — Barbara\_stmarys@yahoo.com or fill out this form and return to the office. Contribution statements will not automatically be mailed. You must request one.

Name:		
Address:	 	
City, St., Zip Code:	 	
Phone #:		

(If you contributed to the Embracing Our Mission campaign or the Archbishop's Annual Appeal your statement will be mailed from the Archdiocese of Baltimore).

## \*\*Next Weekend: January 12<sup>th</sup> & January 13<sup>th</sup>

Weekly Offering: - Provides a regular predictable source of funding so the Church can meet its practical responsibilities; cost of facilities, administration, worship, salaries/benefits, religious education subsidy, ministries, and miscellaneous expenses. (We encourage all envelope users to please use your envelopes. This will assist in decreasing the posting time.)

<u>Maintenance Fund: St. Mary:</u> Second Collection: Funds to provide regular maintenance for the parish buildings, grounds and equipment. This fund is not used for general operations of the parish or capital projects.

**Special Care for Diocesan Priests:** Archdiocese of Baltimore: The total proceeds from this collection will be used for the sole purpose of

supporting those archdiocesan priests in need of special medical attention, including those in nursing homes and assisted living facilities, as well as those in convalescent and rehabilitation centers. This "Special envelope" can be placed in the regular offertory collection along with your weekly offering envelope.

**Poor Box:** "St. Edwards": This weekend the donations to the poor box will be given to our sister parish "St. Edwards" to assist them any where their need is most important.

## PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT THIS WEEK TO PRAY...

"For everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven..."

### A time to be born...BAPTISM

Through the Holy Waters of Baptism, we welcome into St. Mary's Faith Community...Aria Rose Warne, daughter of Philip & Monica, also Benjamin Henry Magness, son of John & Deborah,



and Angela Tany Kupina, daughter of Joseph & Tanya.

#### A time to be ... HEAL

Please Pray For: Richard Ahlstrom, Emma Barnett, Annette Baxter, Betty Bennett, Vicki Bennington, Donald Billings, Cheryl Boring, Roy Broyles, Mary Rita Doak, Susan & Amanda DiPietro, Eva Eakes, John Gibson, Christine Gofford, Nancy Harkins, Jo Ann Heaps, Sam Hadoulis, Lorriane Hebert, Erin Huff, Judy Johnson, Attila Kekesi, Jarrett Lyons, Brenda Mullen, Harry Neuman, Boh Oktavec, John Ricks, Jeanne Berge Stith, Jameson Travis, Hilda Wachter, Penny Wallace, Emma Webster, Weidner Family, Eliza Wilson, Mandy Wetzel, Clark Zander, Diane Zander, Lorraine Zorn.

A time to die..."May our beloved deceased rest in the Lord's eternal peace".

"IN MEMORIAM"

## FAITH FORMATION

## **R.C.I.A.:**

If you know someone who would like to become a Catholic or is looking for a new church, call Janet Young at 443-421-3240 to talk about it

## YOUTH MINISTRY

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**Jan. 11** Open gym @ Fawn Grove Rec. Center "**DODGE BALL**" from 7-9 p.m.

**Jan. 17** Prayer Vigil for Life at 7 pm in the Church. Teens come pray for Life!!

Jan. 18 March for Life.

**Jan. 26** Skating for Skivvies @ Ice World. \$5plus a donation of new adult underwear or socks for the homeless pp includes. Meet us at Ice World at 6:45 p.m. Parents pick-up 9:00 p.m.



**Feb. 15** Open Gym Night @ Fawn Grove Rec. Center. "**DODGE BALL**" from 7-9 p.m.

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

## WHAT IS THE BEANS & BREAD CASSEROLE PROGRAM???



The first Sunday of each month we ask that you take a casserole pan with a recipe, which is in the vestibule of the church, make the casserole and freeze it, bring it back to church the following weekend to be stored in the Parish Center kitchen until that Monday when one of our people take the

casseroles to Beans & Bread.

St. Vincent de Paul of Baltimore sponsors this program that serves the hungry and homeless of Baltimore. Each day 300 people come through the facility and are not only served a hot, nourishing meal but are given assistance in meeting their needs in day to day survival. This service also includes case management, job placement and temporary housing for qualified individuals. The goal of this program is to empower the disadvantaged to become independent and eventually contributing member of society.

For more information please call Glenda Broad @ 717-284-5711.

### FOOD PANTRY



The Pantry will be open on Saturday, January 19, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. until noon, with a "snow" date of January, 26<sup>th</sup>.

## ST. MARY'S LUNCHEON BINGO

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019

Join in for a relaxing day of bingo and lunch. Doors open at 10:00 a.m. and the low price of \$10.00 include admission, lunch and a regular bingo packet of 16 games, 3 cards to a sheet.



For a small additional fee special games and extra bingo packets can be purchased. Also large print bingo cards will be available upon request. The Menu for Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> is:

Chicken Pot Pie Banana & Chocolate Pudding

The Bingo Jackpot for January is \$200.00 in 52 numbers or less

## INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

If Harford Co. Schools are closed for the day ALL meetings, classes and activities are cancelled including Bingo (no make-up date). If Harford Co. Schools close early



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## **QUARTER AUCTION**

The Belles of St. Mary's are having their 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Quarter Auction on January 20, 2019. Doors open at 12:00 p.m. come for lunch, many delicious foods will be available for purchase.



Join us for an afternoon of fun. The snow date is January 27<sup>th</sup>. Please call Mrs. Joyce Gosnell @ 410-879-0979 if you would like additional information.

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### **MARCH FOR LIFE**

January marks the 45<sup>th</sup> year of the March for Life. Next weekend there will be an Expectant Parents' blessing at all Masses. On Thursday, January

17<sup>th</sup> there will be a March for Life prayer Vigil at 7:00 p.m. The DC March for Life takes place on Friday, January 18, 2019.



The Knights of Columbus would like to say Thank You to the Parishioners for your generous support for the 2018

Tootsie Roll Drive that benefited the John Archer School.

#### ST MARY'S WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, January 7, 2019 9:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m 7:00 p.m	R.C.I.A.
<b>Tuesday, January 8, 2019</b> 10:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	
Wednesday, January 9, 20 5:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	CFF ClassesCont Music
<b>Thursday, January 10, 2019</b> 7:00 p.m	Choir
Saturday, January 12, 2019	
Sunday, January 13, 2019 	. Expectant Parents Blessing

#### <u>ADULT EDUCATION</u>



Fr. Henry is coming back! We will start a new set of adult education classes on Wednesday, January 16, 2019. Classes will meet on Wednesdays from 7:00 to 8:30pm in the youth room. For more information contact Ron Bowers.

## <u>JESUS'S BIRTHDAY BASH</u>

Thank you to all the children and families who attended Jesus' Birthday Bash/Christmas Pageant. It was a wonderful day for the children to learn about Jesus, God's greatest gift and to learn more about the Christmas story. Thank you to all the teens, young adults and adults who helped make the pageant happen. May we all continue to spread the love, peace, and joy that the Christ child brings to us all.

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

#### PRESCHOOL NATURE SERIES – WINTER

Bring your preschooler to Eden Mill to discover the wonder of nature! Programs will include nature games and activities, a story, craft and a hike exploring the landscape.

Dates: Tuesday

Jan 8: Migration – On the Move

Jan 15: Winter Adaptation – Here to Stay

Jan. 29: Hibernation – Where have the Groundhogs

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Feb. 12: Heart Nature Feb. 26: Special Snowflakes

Time: 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Ages: 2-5 yrs with an adult

Fee: \$8/members; \$6/member sibling; or

\$10/non-members per day

Pre-registration is required call 410-836-3050, email edenmillnaturecenter@gmail.com.

## 10th ANNUAL SHRIMP & BULL ROAST

Looking for something to do the weekend before the Super Bowl? Beat the winter blahs by joining us for the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our fundraising event benefiting Eden Mill Nature Center!

**Menu:** Pit beef & Turkey, Steamed & Fried Shrimp, Shrimp Creole, Winter Meatballs, Red Potatoes, Green Beans, Salads,

Dessert, Beer, Wine, Soda, No BYOB.

**DJ:** Friendly Entertainment

Entertainment: Prizes, Raffles, Money Wheel, 50/50, &

Dancing.

DATE: SUNDAY, JANUARY 27, 2019

**TIME: 1-5 P.M.** 

PLACE: JARRETTSVILLE GARDENS

PRICE: \$40.00 PER PERSON

No sales at the door. Tickets must be purchased by 1/11/19. Buy your tickets early as we sell out! If you sell a table of 10, you will receive 10 free raffle tickets for the event!

Reserve your tickets by calling 410-836-3050 or emailing <u>edenmilnaturecenter@gmail.com</u> Visit us at www.edenmill.org.