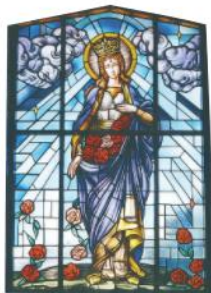




# The EPIPHANY of the Lord



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**Office Hours:** Tuesday-Friday 8:30 am-5:00 pm  
and by appointment

**Clergy:** Pastor: Rev. Russell Mower  
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Emmett Hall  
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Deacon Candidates: Paul Williams and Chris Paulsen  
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Bertha Shields, Baptism Coordinator  
Clifton Thompson, Funeral Coordinator  
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### MASS AND ADORATION

**Sunday Eucharist:** Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm  
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**Daily Eucharist:** Holy Mass celebrated on Tuesday to Saturday  
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Monday at 8:00am

**Mass Intentions and Sanctuary Candle:** Please call Bertha at x221  
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**Reconciliation:** Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 PM and by appointment

**First Friday:** Eucharistic Adoration is celebrated from 10:00 am-7:00 pm  
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**Baptism:** Parents are to call Bertha at x221 or email  
[office@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:office@stelizabethdallas.org) to schedule an appointment to  
arrange for the Baptismal class. Both parents and godparents are  
required to take the class. These classes are held in our parish on  
the 2nd Saturday of each month at 2:00 PM in the Grahmann  
Center. Upon completion, a certificate is issued which remains  
valid for a three year period. After the class is completed, then a  
baptismal time will be scheduled.

**Evangelization:** Children and Teen Formation: We provide a total  
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Vacation Bible School, Young Adults Formation and RCIA for  
Children and Teens which is mandatory for students over 7yrs who  
wish to become Catholic.

**RCIA (Adult):** If you are over 18 and wish to become a Catholic, or  
are wanting to complete, as an adult, the Sacraments of Eucharist  
and Confirmation please call our director, David Fisher at  
972-754-4377 to schedule an appointment to prepare you for  
classes that will begin in September. Classes are held on  
Wednesday Evenings at 7:30 pm.

**Quinceañera:** per the policy of the Diocese of Dallas, these are no  
longer celebrated individually, but with a blessing at the Sunday  
Mass. Please contact Elizabeth Seidemann at x223 for further  
information.

**Marriage:** Please call the parish at least 8 months previous to the  
date you wish to celebrate your marriage so that the required  
formation required by the diocese can be completed. Please  
contact Elizabeth Seidemann to begin your process of formation  
toward your marriage. Please note that marriage issues in the  
Catholic Church must all be completed before the Sacrament can  
be celebrated in a Catholic Church. Please call Elizabeth at x223 or  
[eseidemann@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:eseidemann@stelizabethdallas.org) for more information.

**Anointing of the Sick and Homebound Ministry:** the Sacrament is  
celebrated communally on the second Saturday at 8am in  
the Chapel and privately by arrangement with the rectory. For  
extended needs for communion at home please call Fr. Emmett Hall  
at ext. 225 or [ehall@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:ehall@stelizabethdallas.org) for further information

**Funerals:** Before making arrangements, please plan for the Funeral  
Liturgy by contacting our coordinator, Cliff Thompson  
at the Rectory: (214) 331-4328 ext. 228, Cell: (214) 558-0719, or  
Email: [cthompson@stelizabethdallas.org](mailto:cthompson@stelizabethdallas.org).

### Liturgical Ministries:

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors:** please call  
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# The Epiphany

## FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR



Who were the Magi? What can we learn from the Wise Men?

First, the Wise Men began their journey because of their beliefs. It was a common belief that when a world leader like a king was born that a special stellar phenomenon would appear in the sky.

The Wise Men saw the star and began their journey. May God give us all inspiration for this year's journey.

Second, the Wise Men were willing to follow what they had seen into unknown territory.

Their journey took them outside their country and their comfort zone. The Christian journey is often an off-road excursion.

Third, the Wise Men were committed to the journey -- wherever the star might lead. In this coming year, may we look to heaven for guidance and comfort and may we accept God's blessings in whatever forms we find them.

Finally, the Wise Men brought gifts. Think of the gift that you will offer to God in the coming year. The gift of time? The gift of your talents? Your service in the community? Your witness and testimony? The gift of undying love and devotion? Happy New Year!

*Fr. Russ*



## Stewardship

Weekend Collection	December 23, 2018	\$ 9,372.00
In House Giving	December 23, 2018	\$ 2,143.00
Kids Church	December 23, 2018	\$ 580.36
On-Line Giving	December 23, 2018	\$ 2,781.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>December 23, 2018</b>	<b>\$ 14,876.36</b>

**Attendance** December 23, 2018 **897**

Teller Team Captain 01/06— **Phil Barrilleaux**

Teller Team Captain 01/13— **Bob Butsch**

## Catholic Quotes St. Teresa of Avila

Humility does not disturb or disquiet or agitate, however great it may be; it comes with peace, delight, and calm. The pain of genuine humility doesn't agitate or afflict the soul; rather, this humility expands it and enables it to serve God more.

## Quotes from Church Teaching on the Rights of Migrants and Refugees

✠ Providing a clear route to legal status for longtime residents and providing legal entry to migrants would not only help cure the excesses of a flawed system but ensure that our nation benefits from the contributions of immigrants participating as full members of their communities. Although some in the public square consider any such rule changes a reward for lawbreakers, we should look at the issue holistically and realistically, and understand that the current law is unjust and must be changed.

*His Eminence Roger Mahony, Archbishop of Los Angeles,  
Editorial in the Los Angeles Times,  
A Nation That Should Know Better, June 1, 2005*

## Read the Bible



### Anointing of the Sick

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated during the 8 AM Mass on Saturday, January 12, 2019 in the chapel. If you are in danger of

death due to chronic illness, advanced age, or impending surgery, please join us for the prayers of the community and this Sacrament of Healing.



Our next RCIA class will be on Wednesday January 9, 2019 in the Grahmann Center. It will begin at 7:30 PM and end at 9:00 PM. The topic will be: "The Sacrament of Baptism." A light supper will be available before class begins. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic, completing sacraments, or is interested in learning more about our faith these are the classes for you! Please contact David Fisher at (972) 754-4377.

## New to the Parish?

If you would like to become a registered parishioner, please be sure to complete a registration card (found on the table opposite the water fountain in the rear of the church or ask the Ushers) and turn it in to the Rectory during office hours or place it in the collection basket. Temporary envelopes are also available in the rear of the church if you have forgotten to bring your collection envelopes to Mass. Welcome to the parish!



## Baptismal Classes

Our next Baptism Class will be held on January 12<sup>th</sup>. Both parents and sponsors are required to attend Baptism Classes. These classes are held in our parish on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month at 2:00 PM in the Grahmann Center. Upon completion, a certificate is issued which remains valid for a three year period. For additional information call the rectory at (214) 331-4328.





## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday January 7

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM (Communion Service)

### Tuesday, January 8

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM † Billy Phillips, by Pat Phillips

### Wednesday, January 9

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM † John McCutcheon, by Ricgard, Linda & family

### Thursday, January 10

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM Intention of Joseph Valdez, by Sandra Simeus

### Friday, January 11

6:30 AM (Communion Service)

8:00 AM Intention of Lucille Smith, by the Rectory Staff

### Saturday, January 12

8:00 AM † Cornelio "Nel" Mancenido, by Juliet Suarez & family

5:00 PM † David De Leon, Jr., by Rosa De Leon.

### Sunday, January 13

8:00 AM † Mary West, by Leslie Foiz

10:00 AM † Victoria Tiambeng, by Thelma Bright & Lourdes Tiambeng

12:00 PM The People of the Parish

*The Sanctuary Light burns for*

† Thomas J. Lackey, Jr., by Wife & Family



## Roe Memorial Mass and March (Saturday, January 19, 2019)

On Saturday, January 19, 2019, North Texas will mark the 46<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Roe v. Wade, legalizing abortion in America and leading to the death of over 59 million unborn children. Join Bishop Edward Burns with thousands of people of faith to pray and march for LIFE. Come for all or some of the events... just be sure to come!

For more information go to website:  
[www.prolifedallas.org/roe](http://www.prolifedallas.org/roe)



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### Deadlines:

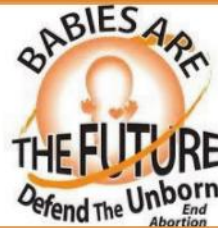
- Information for the Bulletin must be submitted 2 Fridays before publication deadline.
- Stuffers must be approved and brought to rectory 2 Tuesdays before publication deadline
- Announcements must be submitted by Wed of the week of the announcement

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## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Jan 7** (St. Raymond of Penyafort) 1 Jn 3:22—4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
- Jan 8** (Weekday) 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8; Mk 6:34-44
- Jan 9** (Weekday) 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13; Mk 6:45-52
- Jan 10** (Weekday) 1 Jn 4:19—5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17; Lk 4:14-22
- Jan 11** (Weekday) 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Lk 5:12-16
- Jan 12** (Weekday) 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Jn 3:22-30
- Jan 13** **The Baptism of the Lord**  
Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30; Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

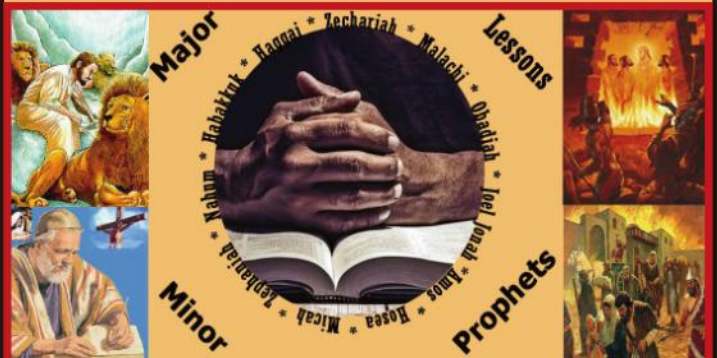


"2270 Human life must be respected and protected absolutely from the moment of conception. From the first moment of his existence, a human being must be recognized as having the rights of a person -- among which is the inviolable right of every innocent being to life. (71)"

---the Catechism of the Catholic Church

## Scripture Study

Tuesdays 7-8 PM  
Grahmann Center



The **Minor Prophets of the Bible** are named that only because of the length of their writings. Their writings are inspired by God and the messages they put forth also deal with our human journey and insight into our redemption and the Redeemer.

### Saint Jerome:

"The Scriptures are shallow enough for a babe to come and drink without fear of drowning and deep enough for theologians to swim in without ever reaching the bottom."



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