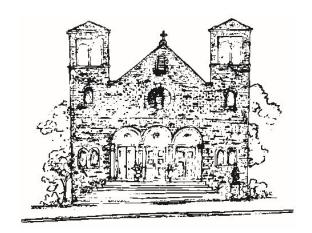
# Epiphany Catholic Church

Established 1925



# August 24, 2025 | Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **PASTOR**

Rev. Stefan Megyery

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm Sunday 7:30 am

9:00 am (Korean)

10:30 am

#### DAILY MASSES

Monday - Friday 7:30 am

#### **CONFESSIONS**

 Monday - Friday
 8:00 - 8:30 am

 Saturday
 4:00 - 4:30 pm

 Other
 By appointment

#### **ROSARY**

No Rosary in June, July and August!

## **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

No Adoration in June, July and August!

#### SACRAMENTS & PARISH SERVICES

#### Parish Membership

New parishioners may register online by visiting the parish website.

#### **Infant Baptisms**

Please visit the parish website to register or contact the parish office.

#### Marriage

Please contact the parish office at least six months prior to the anticipated wedding date. Marriage preparation, and instruction are required.

#### Sick Calls

Please call if any parishioners are in need of the Sacrament of the Sick.

#### Religious Education (CCD) for Children

For those preparing for First Holy Communion. Please contact the parish office.

#### Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA)

For those who would like to join the Catholic Church. Please contact the parish office.

#### **Adult Confirmation**

For Catholics who have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please contact the parish office for more information.



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Parish Office: 202-965-1610 epiphanygeorgetown@gmail.com

#### **DAILY MEDITATION: LUKE 13:22-30**

Strive to enter through the narrow gate. (Luke 13:24)

Jesus didn't mince words. As he passed through the towns, he warned his listeners. There's a gate, and passing through it won't be easy. But you've got to get through it. This image of a "narrow gate" illustrates Jesus' mission perfectly: he traveled from village to village, "teaching as he went and making his way to Jerusalem" (Luke 13:24, 22). Jesus' whole life pointed toward Jerusalem, where he would fulfill his mission. There he would unveil his Father's plan of salvation as he freely offered his life for us. He never stopped moving toward the cross. And as he went, he visited town after town, teaching all who would listen. This was Jesus' "narrow gate," and he did not avoid it (Luke 13:24). Even more, he invited everyone to follow him through that gate of obedient, selfgiving love. That's because he knows that the narrow gate is the way to eternal life. His warnings might frighten us, but Jesus doesn't want to scare us; he wants to save us. And so every day, he offers us the chance to enter the narrow gateby our acts of love and our obedience to his commands.

Just as he visited the towns near Jerusalem, Jesus visits your town, your house, and your heart. He comes to teach you how to follow him all the way to heaven. He invites you to "strive to enter" the gate that leads to eternal life (Luke 13:24). And the best news? He is the gate (John 10:7), and his arms are open wide to help you. He is always offering you the grace you need to follow him.

So open your heart to Jesus. If the gate feels too narrow, the path too difficult, or your resistance too great, confess your need to the Lord. Ask for his help! He loves you immeasurably. He embraced the cross so that the narrow gate could open wide for you.

"Lord, help me to follow you through the narrow gate." Isaiah 66:18-21 | Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13 | Luke 13:22-30

#### MASS SCHEDULE and INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 23	5:00 pm (Vigil Mass) Romero Montes	
Sunday, August 24 Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	7:30 am Our Parish Family 9:00 am (Korean) Special Intention 10:30 am Mitchell Smith	
Monday, August 25	7:30 am David Walsh	
Tuesday, August 26	7:30 am Intentions in our Prayer Book	
Wednesday, August 27 Saint Monica	7:30 am Kimberly Corbin	
Thursday, August 28 Saint Augustine	07:30 am Talia Elkin	
Friday, August 29 The Passion of Saint John the Baptist	7:30 am Carmen Millar de Vera	

#### **COLLECTIONS**

August 17 Offertory Collection: \$3652

Weekly Budgeted Expenses: \$4792

#### WAYS TO SHARE YOUR GIFTS

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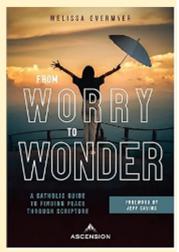
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#### WOMEN'S MORNING OF RECOLLECTION

All women parishioners are invited to a special morning of recollection with author and parishioner Melissa Overmyer as we reflect on her inspiring book From Worry to Wonder: A Catholic Guide to Finding Peace Through Scripture.

Join us for a time of prayer, Mass, fellowship, and spiritual renewal as we journey from anxiety to deeper trust in God.

Saturday, September 6, 2025 9.30 – 1pm Epiphany Catholic Church



For schedule and to RSVP by September 5th please contact tanyawetenhall@gmail.com Bring a friend and a copy of the book—or come as you are!

# FALL 2025 MARIAN CONSECRATION:

If you would like to participate in Epiphany's Fall Marian Consecration (or a reconsecration for those who consecrated last year), please get in touch with Tanya Wetenhall at tanyawetenhall@gmail.com for details.

We will start on September 7th.

Never be afraid of loving the Blessed Virgin too much. You can never love her more than Jesus did.

St. Maximilian Kolbe

#### WHAT IS MARIAN CONSECRATION?

"Consecration" is the act of dedicating something to a "sacred purpose." "Marian" refers to Mary, the most Blessed Virgin, and Mother of God. When we put the two terms together, we understand that Marian Consecration is the act of entrusting our souls to Mary. We look to Mary as our spiritual Mother and ask for her guidance to grow in holiness and deepen our relationship with Him.

#### **ORIGIN**

Traditionally, Marian consecrations include thirty-three days of preparation, culminating in a formal Act of Consecration to Mary on the final day. This structure comes from St. Louis de Montfort, who lived during the seventeenth century and wrote True Devotion to Mary. While St. Louis de Montfort is known for popularizing the thirty-three-day Marian Consecration, people have long looked to Mary to grow closer to Jesus.

When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple there whom he loved, he said to his mother, "Woman, behold, your son." Then he said to the disciple, "Behold, your mother." And from that hour the disciple took her into his home.

John 19: 26-27



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주님 공현 천주교회

#### 2025년 8월 24일 연중 제21주일 (다해)



- ② 청년 기도 모임 안내 본당 청년들이 함께 모여기도 모임을 합니다. 매월 넷째주 목요일에 성당 친교실에서 모임이 있으며, 8월 모임은 28일(목) 저녁 7시에 있습니다. 많은 청년들의 참여 바랍니다.
- ◎ 특강 안내 8월 31일(주일) 아침 9시 미사 후 10시 30분부터 정강엽 베네딕토(예수회) 신부님의 특강이 있습니다. 특강 주제는 '내안의 우상과 그리스도를 알기'입니다. 많은 참여 바랍니다.
- ② 소공동체 모임 안내 소공동체 분기별 모임이 9월 6일(토)에 있습니다. 각 소공동체별로 토요일 전후로 상황에 맞게 모임을 정해 주관해 주시기 바랍니다.
- ◎ 음악회에 초대합니다
   본당 100주년과 한인 공
   동체 20주년을 맞아 9월 27일(토) 저녁 6시에 Chee-Yun
   Kim 바이올린 연주 음악회가 성당에서 있습니다. 많은 참여 바랍니다.
- ② 성인, 어린이 예비자 교리 2025-2026년 예비자 교리는 9월 21일부터 시작합니다. 가톨릭 신자가 되고자 하는 예비자와 견진성사를 받고자하는 신자들을 초대합니다. 교리반 신청은 마르티나 수녀님께 해주시기 바랍니다.
- ② **주일학교 교리교사** 초중고 주일학교가 9월 21일에 개강합니다. 학생들의 많은 참여 바라며, 교리 교사에 관심 있는 봉사자는 마르티나 수녀님께 연락주시기 바랍니다.

#### ◎ 금주의 미사 지향

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- \* 이계손 헬레나 / 봉헌 : 황재우 다니엘 , 조 모니카
- \* 김종래 안드레아 / 봉헌: 김현주 도미니카
- \* 연옥영혼과 이덕선 마태오 / 봉헌:이 안나

#### 한인 공동체 20주년

- 1. 한인 공동체 20주년 기념 미사 기념 미사가 9월 14일 오후 12시에 있습니다. 많은 분들이 오셔서 축하해 주시기 바랍니다. 이날 아침 9시 미사는 없으니 착오없으시기 바랍니다.
- **2. 한인 공동체 20주년 기념책자** 공동체 20 주년 기념책자를 제작하고자 합니다. 기념책자에 수록할 신자들의 글이나 시, 사진등을 koreanmadonna@hotmail.com (마르티나 수녀)으로 보내주시기 바랍니다.
- 3. 전신자 묵주기도 봉헌 기념 미사 때 한인 공동체 영적 예물로 봉헌할 묵주기도 봉헌을 진행하고 있습니다. 기 도 집계는 8월 31일까지입니다. 친교실 뒷쪽 벽면에 소공동 체별로 기도를 집계하고 있으니, 많은 참여 바랍니다.
- 4. 복음서 쓰기 20주년 기념 복음서 쓰기에 많은 참여 바랍니다. 복음서 완필 노트는 12월 중 전시 예정입니다. 아래 복음서 쓰기 진도와 관계 없이 개인이나 가족별로 언제든지 참여 가능하며, 복음서 전체나 복음서중 원하는 복음서를 필사할 수 있습니다. 쓰기 노트는 \$15입니다.

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