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JANUARY 4, 2026



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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday

8:30am - Holy Rosary Church

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

8:30am - St. Nicholas Church

Friday

8:30am - Christ The Good Shepherd

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday | 4pm - St. Nicholas Church

Sunday | 8am - Holy Trinity Church

9:30am - Holy Rosary Church

11am - Christ the Good Shepherd

St. Nicholas School

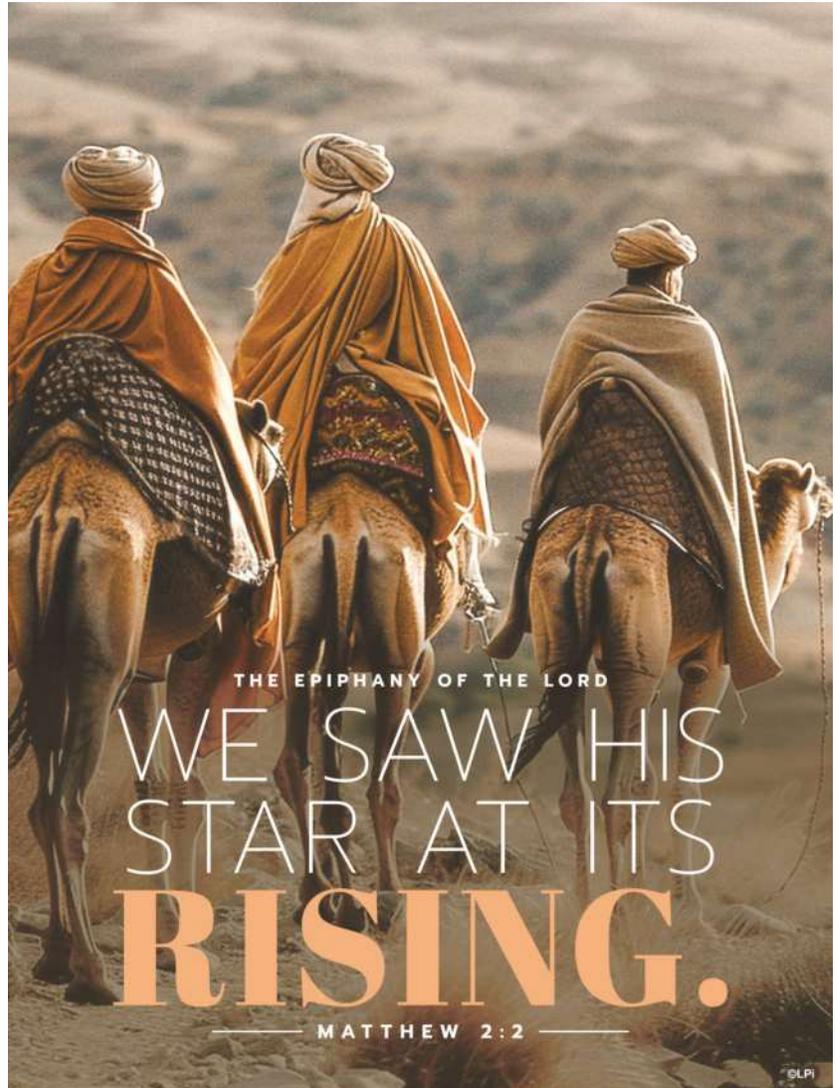
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Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday | 8:00am - 4:00pm

Rev. Thomas Kraszewski

Pastor

Religious Education

330-755-6245

BAPTISM

We baptize the 2nd & 4th Sundays each month. A preparatory class is required. Contact the Parish Office to schedule your baptism and class.

VISITING OR ANOINTING THE SICK OR HOMEBOUND

Contact Parish Office to make your request

MATRIMONY

Arrangements need to be made at least 6 months in advance. Contact the Parish Office.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 3

4:00 pm: St. Nicholas Church:
Margaret Hamrock (Ron Hamrock)
Rosemarie Yuhas (Pat & Stan)
Richard Shubert (Mr. & Mrs. David Creaturo)
Geraldine Coates (Mary Beth & Jack White)
Richard Kosek (Patti & Kenny Kosek)
Jane Genova (Ralph & Sons)

Sunday, January 4

8:00 am: Holy Trinity Church: Deceased Members of St. Vincent de Paul
9:30am: Holy Rosary Church
11:00 am: Christ the Good Shepherd

Monday, January 5

8:30 am: Holy Rosary Church:

Tuesday, January 6

8:30 am: St. Nicholas Church: John Lancy (Family)

Wednesday, January 7

8:30 am: St. Nicholas Church: People of the Parishes

Thursday, January 8

8:30 am: St. Nicholas Church: Carmel Billock (Sally Almasy)

Friday, January 9

8:30 am: Christ The Good Shepherd:

Saturday, January 10

4:00 pm: St. Nicholas Church:
Patsy Frattaroli (Wife, Marianne)
Andy, Kathryn, Michael & Eddie Koval (Family)
Geraldine Micco (Family)
Rubicky Family (Cindy Hamrock)
Richard Shubert (Texas Cousins)
Maryann Becker (Mom & Dad)

Sunday, January 11

8:00 am: Holy Trinity Church: Vera Heryavec (Children)
9:30am: Holy Rosary Church
11:00 am: Christ the Good Shepherd

Memorial Candles

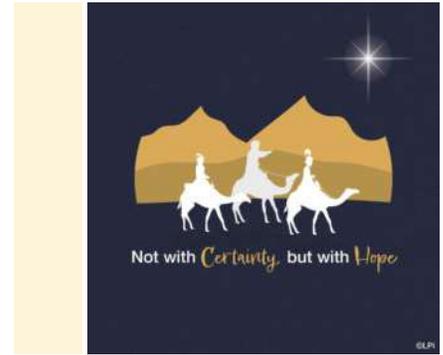
for the week of January 11, 2026

Joe VanOudenhove (*Sis & Joe VanOudenhove*) St. Nicholas Church
Phillip & Mary Ann Constantino (*Doreen*) Holy Trinity Church

Live The Liturgy

Inspiration of the Week

The journey of the Magi reflects how treacherous our Christian life on earth can be. Always, evil works against us—Satan lays traps. He sows confusion. May we, like the Magi, recognize the will of God as our guiding star.



GOSPEL MEDITATION

Encourage Deeper Understanding Of Scripture

When I was 22, I went on a pilgrimage to Rome for the Jubilee Year of 2000. I was traveling light with just a backpack, one blue shirt and black pants, little money, and no Italian. I had a few close friends and one goal: to reach the Eternal City. Despite the challenges and deprivations, I felt alive in a way I had never known before.

When do you feel most alive? I'd wager it's not when you're most comfortable or surrounded by stuff. Rather, it's when your life is aimed at something great; when you're on a meaningful and challenging journey with good friends.

That's the image the Magi give us in today's Gospel. They set out from the East not with certainty, but with hope. They study the signs, discipline their attention, and journey together, offering the best they have when they find the newborn King.

The Church gives us their story at the start of the year to reawaken something in us. We are not meant to drift. We're meant to journey as pilgrims. The Jubilee Year of 2025 may have ended, but our pilgrimage has not. Like the magi, the closer we get to Christ, the more alive we become.

— *Father John Muir*

A Prayer for the Feast of Epiphany

Lord God of heaven and earth,
you revealed your only Son to every nation
by the guidance of a star.
Bless this home and all who inhabit it.
Fill us with the light of Christ
That our concern for others may reflect your love.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Saint Nicholas School News

School Resumes Monday, January 5th, 2026

School Mass Wednesday, January 7th at 8:30am.

All are welcome.

Basketball games this week

Thursday, January 8th Boys 7th & 8th grade
5:30pm @ JFK vs. Holy Family

Religious Education

CCD: Classes resume on January 4, 2026 at the regular time.

Bible Study: Bible Study will resume at its regular time in the conference room at St. Nick's on January 8, 2026.

Centering Prayer Group - meets from **3:30 - 4:30pm** on the **2nd & 4th Tuesdays** of the month in the St. Nicholas Lower Church Chapel. Meetings will be cancelled if St. Nicholas School is closed due to inclement weather.

Chapel Crochet & Knitting Group - meets the **1st Monday** of the month at **6:30 pm** in the **St. Nicholas School library**. All skill levels are welcome. Contact Virginia Bartos at 330-406-0364 for more information.

Quo Vadis AA Meetings - Meetings are held on **Fridays** at **8 pm** in the St. Nicholas Lower Church Hall and are open to anyone seeking recovery from alcohol addiction.

Knights of Columbus Council #4471 - Meetings are held on the **first and third Monday** evenings of the month beginning at **6:30 pm** in the St. Nicholas Lower Church.

Mobility on Loan: wheelchairs, walkers, crutches, and potty chairs are available for temporary loan, at no cost to the parishioners of Christ Our Savior Parish and the brother knights and their families of Council 4471. Any parishioner having a need for a device or having one to donate, may contact brother knights Joe Wilkos at 330-782-6858, Bob Sepesy at 330-770-9543, or Andy Brincko at 330-782-2400.

The COSP Food Pantry at **St. Nicholas Great Hall** will be **OPEN** from **9:30am - 11am** on the following Mondays:



January 12 January 26
February 9 February 23

Donations can be dropped off at the St. Nicholas lower church or the parish office.

Suggested Donations for January:

Soup, Boxed Potatoes, Macaroni & Cheese, Pasta, Sauce, Cereal, Oatmeal, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Canned Chicken/Tuna, Canned Vegetables

Soap, Shampoo, Toothpaste, Toilet Paper
Paper Towels

Baby Food, Formula, Diapers, Baby Wipes

Please drop off donations at the St. Nicholas lower church or the parish office.

The COSP Holy Name Society will sponsor a **Drive Thru Dinner** at the Great Hall Entrance on **Saturday, January 10, 2026** from 4 - 6pm. Cost is \$6.00 and includes a **BBQ Riblet Sandwich**, bag of chips & bag of cookies.



PIROHY at Holy Trinity Church: Our pirohy workers will be back to take your orders on **Wednesday, January 21 from 4 - 6pm** and **Thursday, January 22 from 9 - 11am @ 234-275-8705**. Potato pirohy is \$8 per dozen (3 dozen limit). Pick up on Friday from 11am - 1pm.



BINGO is played at the St. Nicholas Great Hall on **Thursdays at 10am**. Doors open at 8:30am.

Bingo Packages:
Small \$30, Large \$40.

THANK YOU! We would like to thank all our volunteers who helped out in 2025. If you have some free time on Thursday morning, please consider spending part of your day with us. We would greatly appreciate any help.



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Alzheimer's Disease

A Caregiver's Guide with
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and a Path to Spiritual Healing

by Robert H. Needham

An essential resource guide for any family coping with a diagnosis of Alzheimer's Disease or other Dementia conditions.

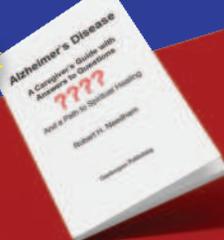
In an effort to support caregivers, essential information and resources are presented including strategies for avoiding burnout. The spiritual aspects of caregiving are also addressed, which can be helpful when dealing with such a potentially disheartening situation.

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