

# HOLY ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Rev. Patrick Hirtz*

JANUARY  
Month of the Holy Name

*"You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation."  
Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6*



January 10, 2021 — The Baptism of the Lord (B)

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**Parish Office Hours >>>**

Monday – Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm  
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**Parish Staff >>>**

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**Youth Group Minister**

Deborah McCallen (cell: 731-297-6197)  
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Wednesday Evenings 6:00-8:00pm

## Mission Statement

Holy Angels is a Catholic community of faith joining past, present, and future members on a journey with Christ to the Father. Through worship, stewardship, evangelization, and works of charity, we strive to more perfectly image God, who is love.

## Mass Schedule

**Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm**

**Sunday: 8:00am and 11:00am**

**Spanish Mass: Sunday at 1:00pm**

**Daily Mass: M, W, F at 12 noon; Th at 9:00am**

**First Saturday ONLY is at 8:00am**

**(Holydays & Holidays: See special announcement in bulletin)**

**CONFESSION - Saturday: 4:00-4:30pm;**

**Sunday: between Masses or by appointment**



We welcome any visitors, including those who may not be of our Catholic faith. We pray that our celebration of the sacred liturgy today was a meaningful one for you. If you are a new member in the parish, complete a census form and return it to the church office. Census forms can be found in the foyer. To date we have 139 families and 353 parishioners.

# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK: Week of Jan 10<sup>th</sup>

1 6<sup>th</sup>

1/10	Su	8:00am 11:00am 1:00pm	<b>BAPTISM OF THE LORD</b> Repose of the soul of Arthur Szewczyk by Ronald Szewczyk Repose of the soul of Eileen P. Jackson by the Pinkowski Family <b>Spanish Mass</b> People of Holy Angels, living and deceased
1/11	M	12 Noon	Repose of the soul of Joe Walden, Jr. by Dot Alley
1/13	W	12 Noon	Repose of the souls of Regina & Joseph Bunnell by The Luckenbaugh Family
1/14	Th	9:00am	Special Intention of Barbara Johnson
1/15	F	12 Noon	Repose of the soul of Menraid "Bud" Lang by Dot Alley

## MINISTERS SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK:

January 16/17	5:00	8:00	11:00
<b>Lector</b>	Judy Boehmler	Jennifer Ebelhar	Katie Pugh
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Sue Hurst	Jamie McGowan Phyllis Kraus	Kathy Yarbrow Beth Bell
<b>Ushers</b>	Volunteer	Jake Ebelhar	Rad Hunsley
	Volunteer	Bryan Frank	Enrique Rodriguez
<b>Greeter</b>	Ushers	Ushers	Ushers
<b>Honor Family</b>	Ushers	Ushers	Ushers
<b>Sacristan</b>	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
<b>Minister of the Sick</b>	Suspended due to COVID	Suspended due to COVID	Suspended due to COVID



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

We are celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our *Catholic Diocese of Memphis* this year! The theme for our year-long anniversary celebration is *That All May Be One*. What an appropriate scriptural theme to share with our *2021 Annual Catholic Appeal*.

I thank you for being a devoted supporter of our Diocese of Memphis and as part of our Diocesan family, I am inviting you to participate in the *2021 Annual Catholic Appeal*. Jesus prays, "I pray not only for them, but also for those who believe in me through their word, so that they all may be one, as you, Father are in me and I in you" (John 17:20-21). We are truly one Church, one family and my prayer is that we work together to do what God has called us to do here in West Tennessee.

The Appeal provides support to our retired priests who have dedicated their lives in service to our Diocese and to our Seminarians who are working hard to be the future priests in your parishes. The Appeal also ensures that our religious education programs are available for the next generation to strengthen our families, deepen our faith as adults and help bring the loving mercy of God to our neighbors in need.

I ask you to prayerfully consider your level of support to the *2021 Annual Catholic Appeal*. For your convenience, you can make a gift securely online through the diocesan website at [www.cdom.org](http://www.cdom.org). I thank you in advance for your generous response to our *2021 Annual Catholic Appeal*. I am yours

In the light and love of the Lord,

+ David P. Conway

### Attendance

(139 families /353 parishioners)  
12/19-20 xx-xx-xx-xx . . . xxx  
12/24-25 109-37-37 . . . 183  
12/26-27 19-24-27-31 . . . 102  
12/31-1/1 37-31 . . . . . 68  
1/2-3 36-47-61-39 . . 183



### 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections for January

1/3 Building Maintenance  
1/24 The Church in Latin America

### Special Collections for January

1/1 Mary, The Holy Mother of God

If you do not contribute online, you can drop-off or mail your weekly collection checks to the Parish Office. To drop-off your check, use the outside black secure mailbox located at the office door on Tucker Street.

Collection Report 12/19-20/2020		
Reg Collection		\$2097.00
Online donations		\$952.00
Total Reg Collection		\$3049.00
<b>Budget</b>	<b>\$3516.00</b>	<b>-\$467.00</b>
Votive Candles		\$16.00
Immaculate Conception		\$30.00
Campgn Human Dev		\$5.00
Retirement for Religious		\$50.00
Villa Vianney		\$20.00
Reimbursement		\$124.95
Christmas		\$125.00

Collection Report 12/26-27/2020		
Reg Collection		\$896.00
Online donations		\$325.00
Total Reg Collection		\$1221.00
<b>Budget</b>	<b>\$3516.00</b>	<b>-\$2295.00</b>
Votive Candles		\$45.00
Christmas		\$1382.00
Bread & Wine		\$130.00
Villa Vianney		\$668.00
B/M Collection		\$1413.00

Collection Report 12/31/2020		
Reg Collection		\$1320.00
Villa Vianney		\$100.00
B/M Collection		\$3200.00

Collection Report 1/1/2021		
Reg Collection		\$1713.00
Mary, Mother of God		\$270.00
Votive Candles		\$23.00
Bread & Wine		\$130.00
Cooper Fire		\$1362.00

Collection Report 1/2-3/2021		
Online donations		\$951.00
Mary, Mother of God		\$938.00
Villa Vianney		\$47.00
B/M Collection		\$312.00



### Altar Linen Volunteers

January – Debbie McAndrew



Sunday, January 24, 2021 - 6:00pm in Conference Room

**FORMED – To sign up FREE of charge as a parishioner of Holy Angels Church, go to [www.holyangels.org](#) account. After doing so, you'll have access to a wealth of material to grow in your faith.**

## JANUARY

## M O N T H O F T H E H O L Y N A M E

Throughout the month of January, we give special honor to the name of Jesus. St. Paul writes to the Philippians: "At the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father" (Philippians 2:10-11). We hold the name of Jesus in special reverence. The very name of Jesus is a prayer.

Christ's name is chosen in heaven, and the Angel Gabriel announces it when he informs the Blessed Virgin of the incarnation: "Behold thou shalt conceive in thy womb and shalt bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name Jesus". It is a name that has marvelous implications, for it means "savior." The very name bespeaks the magnitude of His mission, His infinite love, a love that will cause Him to offer Himself up for us.

The name of Jesus is the sweetest of all names, and He who bears it is most worthy of all love. He who calls Jesus his friend can be assured that this friend is the most devoted and unselfish of all friends.

Jesus is our all. In His name we may pray to the Father with assurance of being heard. In His name the Church administers all her sacraments. In His name she offers all her prayers and blesses homes, the fields, and the sick. In the name of Jesus she casts out evil spirits, and at the hour of our death bids us, "Go forth, Christian soul." She assures us that whoever shall call upon this name will be saved. When our soul has departed this life to seek its eternal home, the Church asks in the name of Jesus, "Eternal rest give unto him, O



**Our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mass Celebrations** The new dates for the Diocesan 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mass celebrations will be Wed, May 26<sup>th</sup> at the Cathedral at 7:00pm and Thurs, May 27<sup>th</sup> at St. Mary's in Jackson at 7:00pm.

**That All May Be One** About 50 years ago, Pope Paul VI announced the formation of our Memphis Diocese with the actual ordination of our Diocese taking place on January 6, 1971. The theme for our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary is: **That All May Be One**. What an excellent theme to go along with the theme: ¡Adelante! Going forward together, on mission... coming out of our recent Priest Convocation. We are truly uniting as one church, one family -- working together to strengthen our faith, increase our evangelization and grow a diverse Diocese.

**Year End Annual Financial Statements for Tax Purposes** Year-end financial statements showing tax-exempt contributions to Holy Angels for 2020 will only be prepared for those parishioners who request them. If you wish to receive a year-end financial statement, please notify the Parish Office.

**Jan 10<sup>th</sup> The Baptism of the Lord** REFLECTION - The human psyche is similar for all people, even if we don't want to believe in our shared reality. We all desire approval and need love from our parent(s). Today's Gospel speaks of the most beautiful relationship that is desired in our hearts. If you are a parent, be this same kind of bold, embracing and affirming parent to your child. Purposely seek out opportunities (or times) to tell your child that you are well pleased with them. If you never received this kind of attention from your parent(s), living or deceased, name all the gifts and traits they gave to you to be this blessed creation of God's. You are loved deeply and God is well pleased. Are you well pleased with yourself? Focus on the innate gifts you have been given as a chosen

**Jan 13<sup>th</sup> Scriptural Rosary and Bible Study** The Scriptural Rosary will be recited on Wednesday, January 13<sup>th</sup>, at 5:45pm in the Church. This is an opportunity for you to enhance your experience of praying the Rosary and it offers a way for you to deeply meditate as you pray. Following the life of Christ, we will be reciting the Luminous Mysteries this week.

**NO Bible Study until further notice due to COVID**

## SACRAMENTS

**Baptism** - A preparation class is required of the parents requesting Baptism for their first child. Parents and godparents are encouraged to attend the class before the baby's birth.

**Confirmation** - is celebrated with students who are at least in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade and have completed the requirements for the preparation process in our PRE program.

**Matrimony** - Couples planning to marry should contact the Pastor at least 6 months prior to the proposed date so all parish and diocesan requirements may be completed.

**Holy Orders** - If you feel called to a vocation in the priesthood or religious life, please contact the pastor.

**Anointing of the Sick** - If you wish to receive this sacrament, contact the pastor. If there is an emergency situation, an immediate family member should contact the pastor.

## Nursery

The nursery is located in the classroom next to the kitchen in the parish hall. The nursery is open to children birth to 4 years.

## Notify the Parish of Seriously Ill Family Member

If a family member has been admitted to the hospital or is ill at home, please let us know by contacting Cathi Shea in the Parish Office.

## Bulletin Announcement Deadline

Items must be received by Monday at 12 noon. Please submit all items to [ccshea@cableone.net](mailto:ccshea@cableone.net)

The Catholic Diocese of Memphis in Tennessee encourages all victims, or parents of minors who are victims of sexual abuse by a bishop, priest, deacon or diocesan employee or agent, to report such abuse by phoning any of the following numbers:

**Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline**  
1-877-237-0004

**Victim Assistance Coordinator**  
901-652-4066

**Dir. of Child and Youth Protection**  
901-359-2027

All reports will be treated in a confidential manner. The Diocese of Memphis offers a program of psychological and spiritual assistance to abused victims in need.

(2/14/2019)

[www.holyangelscc.formed.org](http://www.holyangelscc.formed.org), click on the "REGISTER NOW" button and establish an account. Please take advantage of this opportunity to benefit yourselves and others.

**JANUARY -- Month of the Holy Name**

Christmas Time concludes with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord that narrates the baptism of Jesus at the hands of his cousin, John. All three readings of the day emphasize the singular identity and role of Jesus, culminating in the voice from heaven that announces unique, divine favor upon this “beloved Son. As one of the three major “epiphanies” of the Lord, this day culminates the season that has been all about manifestation. A light cannot be hidden under a bushel basket and Jesus is the Light of the World who must be made known and recognized. He is the fulfillment of the longing of ages, the rabbi who teaches, the savior who heals, the miracle worker who has authority over heaven and earth. He came in power and compassion to comfort and unsettle just like the prophets of old. Those of us who minister in his name will do the same if we announce the good news of his kingdom with equal vigor to the powerful and to the lowly.

The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord proclaims a theophany, a revelation or manifestation of the divine Sonship of Jesus by his anointing and appointing to his messianic office. It is the feast that proclaims the Baptism that elevates believers to the status of sons and daughters of God.

Christmas Time ends with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, the event that the Gospel accounts portray as initiating Jesus’ public ministry. In a sense, the feast recapitulates the readings we’ve heard throughout the season: Jesus is the beloved Son of God on whom God’s Spirit rests. He is the fulfillment of God’s promises of old: the revelation of God’s power and glory, the Savior in our midst, bringing comfort and care, healing, wholeness and peace to God’s people. He became what we are in order that we might become what he is, beloved sons and daughters of God, his chosen servants, filled with his Spirit that we might carry on the mission that he has begun.

Christmas Time ends quietly with the Baptism of our Lord. Decorations can come down this day and all your special memories and prayers are packed away as precious gifts in boxes, but also within your hearts. As Jesus was presented back to his Father, we each are called to claim our baptismal call to know our true identity. Honor that call. Speak to those in your family of their giftedness. Christmas now lives in you and the actions you give the world.

**FIRST READING** (Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7) No doubt the invitation to “come to the water” prompted the selection of this beautiful text of Isaiah for today’s First Reading. In the water, life is to be found. Note the themes of repentance and turning to the Lord, of metanoia in the second part of the reading. We think of the word (Word) in the last lines of the reading not only as Torah (Law), but also, in Christmas Time, of Jesus, the Word made flesh, who will do Go’s will and accomplish the purpose for which he was sent.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM** (Psalm 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10) Today’s response is actually a hymn taken from the prophet Isaiah. Our antiphon, from the hymn, associates water with salvation. The stanzas are a confident and joyful hymn of praise to the Lord who is and has been experienced as Savior.

**SECOND READING** (Acts of the Apostles 10:34-38) The language of “begotten” points to parental relationships: both Jesus’ and ours with the heavenly Father. Our new birth comes through belief in Jesus. The testimony of the Father and the Spirit is evident at Jesus’ baptism. The testimony of blood will come in the gift of his life on the Cross, his mission completed.

**GOSPEL** (Matthew 3:13-17) Jesus comes forward as one of the many people who heard John, as one just like any other person. John knows that the one to come is at the same time different from all other people. Jesus’ baptism was a moment of intense revelation: he saw the Spirit descent upon him; he heard the voice of the Father say: “You are my beloved Son ...” (Mark 1:11). He will show us the way to the Father by walking it himself.

**Readings: 1<sup>st</sup> Week on Ordinary Time (B)**

Su	1/10	Is 42:1-4, 6-7 • Ps 29:1-4, 9-10 • Acts 10:34-38 • Mark 1:7-11
M	1/11	Heb 1:1-6 • Ps 97:1, 2, 6-7, 9 • Mark 1:14-20
Tu	1/12	Heb 2:5-12 • Ps 8:2, 5-9 • Mark 1:21-28
W	1/13	Heb 2:14-18 • Ps 105:1-4, 6-9 • Mark 1:29-39
Th	1/14	Heb 3:7-14 • Ps 95:6-11 • Mark 1:40-45
F	1/15	Heb 4:1-5, 11 • Ps 78:3-4, 6-8 • Mark 2:1-12
Sa	1/16	Heb 4:12-16 • Ps 19:8-10, 15 • Mark 2:13-17



**Anniversaries: Jan 10<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>**

- 1/10 Andres & Ciria Martinez
- 1/13 Erin & Matthew Rudolph

**Birthdays: Jan 10<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>**

- 1/10 Caroline Dedmon, Bethany Green
- 1/11 Stacy Ann Hilliard
- 1/12 Tracey Metz, Joel Ramiréz
- 1/13 Shane Cozort, Sue Hurst, Phyllis Kraus
- 1/14 Jasmin Olvera
- 1/15 Czarina Kellett, Moises Benjamin “Benji” Perez-Ramirez 10
- 1/16 Kerrie Leon

**FOOD DRIVE for Matthew 25:40**

Help us fill Matthew’s Food Pantry!!!  
Place donations in the grocery buggy located in the foyer.

**SHARE WHAT YOU CAN**

**Pope Francis  
Monthly Prayer Intention**

Each year, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. You are invited to answer the Holy Father's request and to join with many people worldwide in praying for this intention each month. Only one intention is offered per month, whether universal or related to evangelization.

**JANUARY  
Human Fraternity**

May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one

**Funerals**

When planning a funeral for a loved one, please call the pastor before making any arrangements with the funeral home regarding the date and time of visitation, the funeral Mass or service at the funeral home.

**Hospitality Committee**

Holy Angels will provide a funeral luncheon if the family of the deceased requests one. The Hospitality Committee consists of several women from the parish who volunteer to host the luncheons. Someone from the committee will be calling on you for food and help when the need arises.