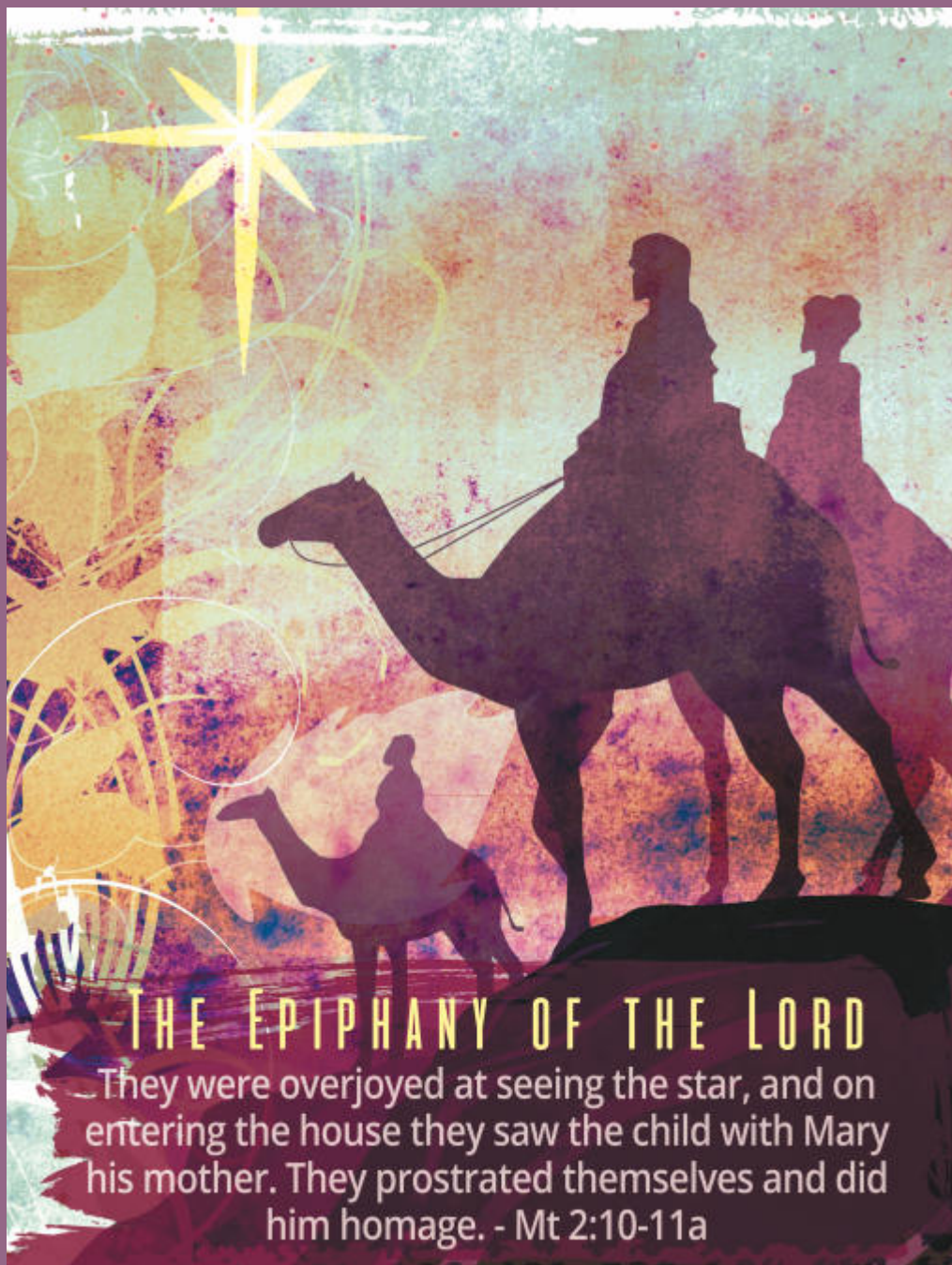


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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 pm
Sunday at 8:00 am, 10:30 am and 5:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday at 7:00 am

CONFESSION

Saturday from 3:00 pm to 3:45 pm or by Appointment

HOLY DAY MASSES

7:00 am, 9:00 am, and 7:00 pm

MISSION STATEMENT

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This Week

Sunday, January 5th

8:00, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm Masses
9:00 am- 10:15 am Faith Formation Grades K-5

Monday, January 6th

7:00 am Mass
9:15 am Exercise Class
9:30 am Matthews Closet (Loft)
5:00 pm Girl Scouts (Youth Room)

Tuesday, January 7th

7:00 am Mass
10:00 am Heavenly Stitchers (McMahon Room)

Wednesday, January 8th

7:00 am Mass
8:00 am Al Anon (McMahon Room)
9:15 am Exercise Class
6:30 pm Holy Hour for Vocations (St. Rose Convent)
7:00 pm Boy Scouts

Thursday, January 9th

7:00 am Mass
5:45 pm Cub Scouts (Hall)

Friday, January 10th

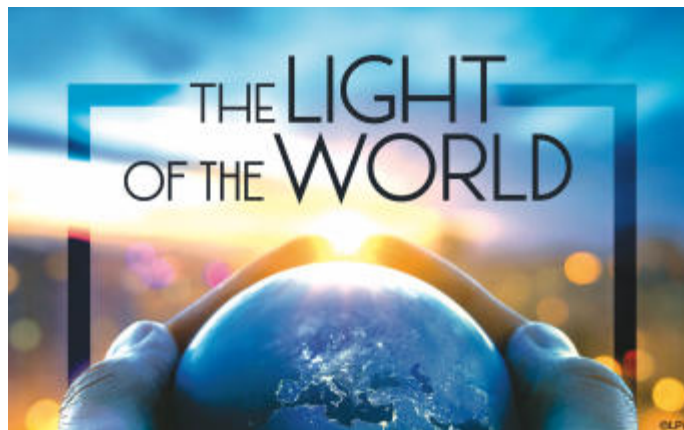
7:00 am Mass

Saturday, January 11th

4:00 pm Mass

Sunday, January 12th

8:00, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm Masses (*Children's Liturgy 10:30 Mass*)
9:00 am- 10:15 am Faith Formation Grades K-5



Readings for the week of January 5, 2020

Sunday: 60:1-6 Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12 **Monday:** 1 Jn 3:22-4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a [8ab]/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25 **Tuesday:** 1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8 [cf. 11]/Mk 6:34-44 **Wednesday:** 1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Mk 6:45-52 **Thursday:** 1 Jn 4:19-5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17 [cf. 11]/Lk 4:14-22a **Friday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12a]/Lk 5:12-16 **Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Jn 3:22-30



If St. Rose of Lima School is cancelled or delayed due to inclement weather, there will NOT be a 7:00 am Mass that day.

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 2020

The Epiphany of the Lord

4:00 PM + Celeste Fishlock (7th Anniv.)
4:00 PM + Marie Therese Thibeault (1st Anniv.)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2020

The Epiphany of the Lord

8:00 AM + Parishioners of SS. Rose & Clement
10:30 AM + Paula Frappier
11:30 AM *Baptisms*
5:00 PM + Parishioners of SS. Rose & Clement

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 2019

St. André Bessette, Religious

7:00 AM + Elias Mardo

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2019

St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest

7:00 AM + Parishioners of SS. Rose & Clement

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019

Weekday

7:00 AM + The Deceased Members of the McGovern & DiSaia Families

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 2019

Weekday

7:00 AM + Daniel J. Reynolds

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 2019

Weekday

7:00 AM + Richard Richard

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 2019

The Baptism of the Lord

4:00 PM + George Corrente
4:00 PM + Thomas Hanley (Month's Mind)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12, 2019

The Baptism of the Lord

8:00 AM + The Deceased Members of the Kelley & Gonwa Families
10:30 AM + Carmella Hogan (4th Anniv.)
10:30 AM + Teresa Lage (1st Anniv.)
5:00 PM + Parishioners of SS. Rose & Clement

December 22, 2019

Weekly Collection.....	\$ 7,634.50
Poor Box	\$ 455.00
Annual Collection.....	\$ 3,095.00
Online Parish Giving	\$ 50.00
Total	\$ 11,234.50

(Due to early bulletin submission deadlines any collections after 12/22 will be reported in the next bulletin)

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The Epiphany of the Lord

Hi everyone!

I hope all is well.

As I reflect on the last several weeks, I am very much struck with the many amazing things that have happened. First and foremost, we celebrated the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. His birth is truly the gift of all gifts. Our lives fundamentally changed when Jesus was born, and we are further graced when we celebrate that momentous occasion at church every year. For that, I am very grateful.

We had another special moment when Bishop Tobin celebrated Mass for us on December 29th, the Feast of the Holy Family. Despite his many responsibilities, he spent time with us on another special day of celebration when we recognize the major roles played by the Blessed Mother Mary and St. Joseph. For that, I am very grateful.

Then today, we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, another momentous occasion. Here we remember the three kings bringing gifts to the King of all kings and the Lord of all lords. It reminds us that, not only is giving to others necessary, but giving to God is at the top of the list.

As I continue to spend time here with you at this wonderful church and school, I am often struck realizing that this assignment is an exceptional gift. Yes, there are challenges, and yes, there is a lot of hard work, but all of that is worth it. Being here with you has been a *great* Christmas present for me this year. Words cannot expression my appreciation for all the kindness you have shown toward me. Thank you for all the nice words, the cards, and the gifts. For that, I am very grateful.

May the good Lord continue to bless you and all your loved ones - and thank you!

Peace!

Father Andrew



They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. — Mt 2:10-11

Sunday, January 5, 2020



From the Desk of Mrs. Izzi

As we begin a new year, I want to congratulate the following students on earning Honor Roll for Trimester One!

Grade 6 – High Honors with Distinction

Madison Bianco
Zoe Clay
Claire Damiano
Delilah Tully

Grade 6 – High Honors

Nora Armstrong
Jackson Kretzer

Grade 6 – Honors

Madelynn Iozzi
Evan Perez

Grade 7 – High Honors with Distinction

Alexander Arnold
Elaina Bartolini
Michael Carreiro
Mary McMahon
Deirdra Picillo

Grade 7 – High Honors

Timothy Wishart

Grade 7 – Honors

Talia Soares
Logan Toussaint

Grade 8 – High Honors With Distinction

Calista Aguinaldo
Alexa Dellolacono
Claire Fitzgerald
Olivia Noon
Roslyn Torres

Grade 8 – High Honors

Charles Kretzer

Grade 8 – Honors

Nicholas Lupino
Lauren Quattromani



From Rachael Czepyha

Welcome to 2020! I hope you all enjoyed a wonderful Christmas and a very Happy New Year. Great things are to come in this New Year for all of our students in Faith Formation.

Our 2nd grade class is going to start to talk about their First Penance and the importance of making a good confession. The students are going to start to work on the steps of a good confession and will even start to practice in the confessionals so if you see us upstairs in the church during class time, they will be working hard. Please stop and say a prayer for all these young people that they may learn what it takes to make a good confession and see God's forgiveness. Of course, once the 2nd graders make their First Penance then they will begin to focus on the importance of receiving the Eucharist for the first time at First Communion. They will be very busy for the next few months!

While our 2nd grade focuses on their First Penance and First Communion our 10th graders are busy preparing to make their Confirmation this May. Please pray for our 10th graders as they make big decisions during this time.

This is not to say that all our other classes are not working on important things. All our students are learning and growing in their faith each and every day. Let us all pray that they all follow God's path in Faith.

At Next week's Masses there will be a basket placed in front of the Baptismal Font. It will hold envelopes with a name of a First Communion Student or a Confirmation Student. Please consider taking one and praying for that student as they continue on their journey of Faith toward their Sacrament. White envelopes will be a First Communion student and red envelopes will be a Confirmation student. All you need to do is pray for the student you choose. You may send your student a card or a note of encouragement, but you do not have to. Any correspondence to the student can be left in the office. If you have any questions about being a prayer partner for a student please talk with Mrs. Czepyha at rczepyha@ssrcparish.com

Thank you to all the Families that join us on 12/22 for the Faith Formation Christmas Pageant. It was a wonderful time spent in faith with all of you.



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For more information contact Principal Kim Izzi (401) 739-6937
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Sunday, Jan. 12th, 10:30 Mass

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Holy Hour for Vocations at St. Rose Convent



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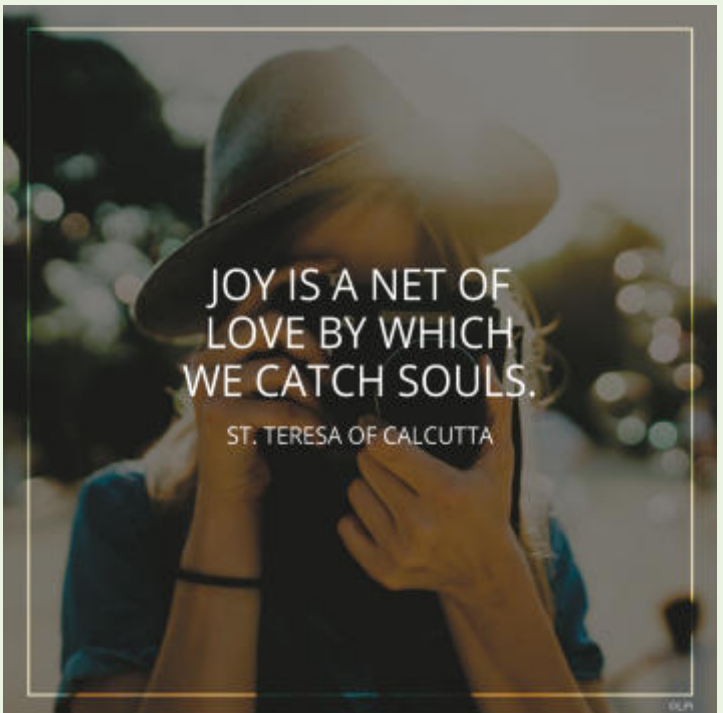
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The Mother Teresa Outreach Ministry will be celebrating their third anniversary of serving our friends in need in West Warwick and Oakland Beach in 2020. We provide home-cooked (prepared at the church) meals and gently-used clothing to almost 150 individuals at both sites and to the homebound. Won't you consider sharing some of your time and talent? We particularly need meal coordinators and able-bodied individuals to carry the food, clothing and supplies on the 2nd Tuesday and 4th Friday of every month.

Please contact Deb Nelson (deb@deb-nelson.com) or Karen Pertuso (tuze4@yahoo.com) for more information.



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