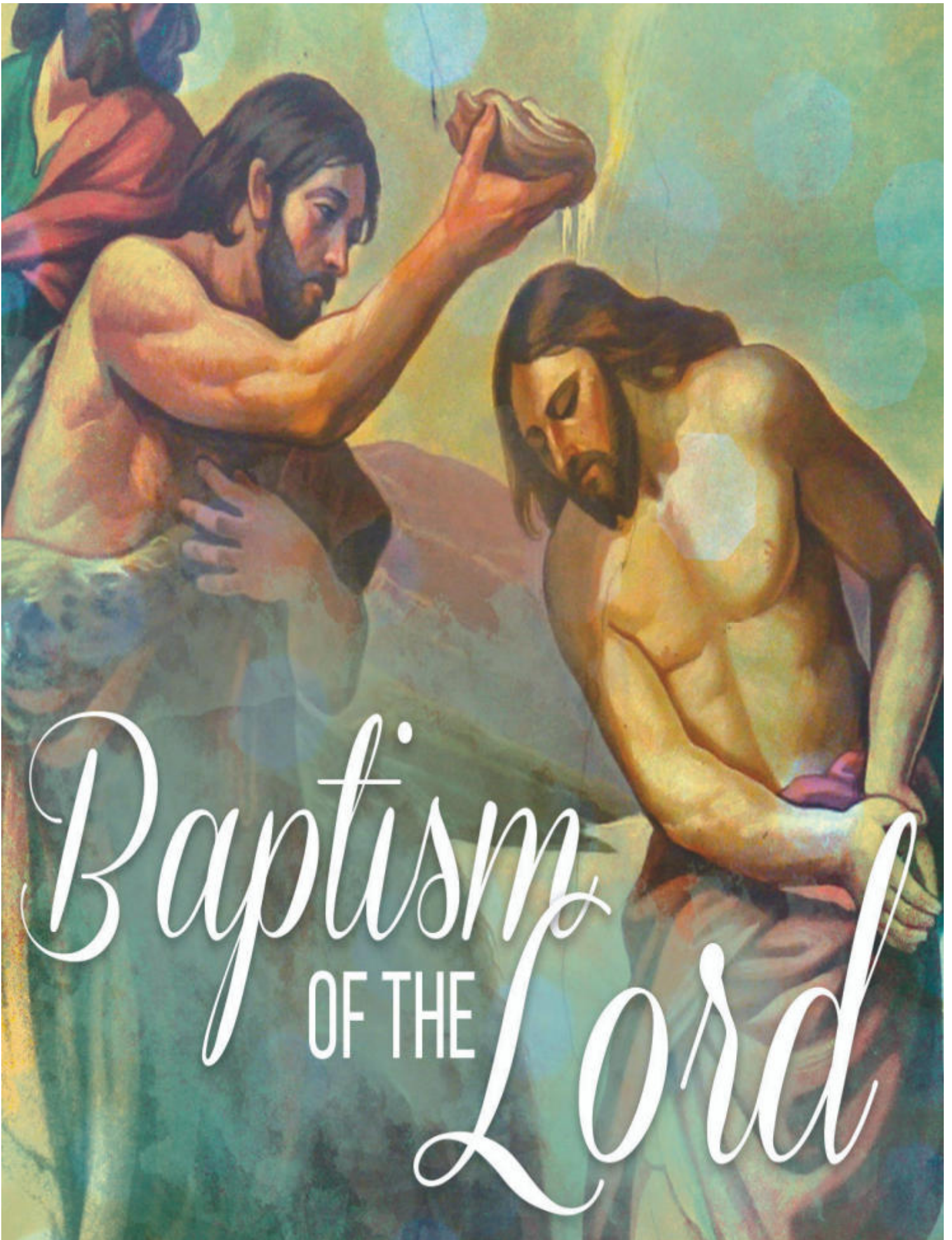


JANUARY 12, 2020

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



**THEME: FAITH INTO ACTION**

Before Jesus began preaching, teaching, and healing throughout Galilee and Judea, he came to John to be baptized. The Spirit of God descended upon him and God's voice called out, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." As Christians, baptized with the Holy Spirit, we are empowered to carry on Jesus' mission. Let us consider how God calls us to put our faith into action. May God be well pleased.

Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7

Here is my servant.

Acts 10:34-38

God anointed Jesus with the Holy Spirit and power.

Matthew 3:13-17

The Spirit of God descends like a dove.

**MASS INTENTIONS****Vigil: Baptism of the Lord****Saturday, January 11, 2020**

4:00 PM Kathy Kaminski, req. Ken &amp; Barb Winter

**Baptism of the Lord****Sunday, January 12, 2020**

8:00 AM Rudy Schasel, req. Don &amp; Rosella Schasel

11:00 AM Debbie Bowers, req. Jerry &amp; Sue Kopyanski

**Monday, January 13, 2020 — Weekday**

8:30 AM Communion Service

Mother's Day Remembrances (said outside of the parish)

**Tuesday, January 14, 2020 — Weekday**

8:30 AM Communion Service

**Wednesday, January 15, 2020 — Weekday**

8:30 AM Communion Service

George Guenther, req. Sue &amp; Jerry Kopyanski (said outside of the parish)

**Thursday, January 16, 2020 — Weekday**

8:30 AM Communion Service

**Friday, January 17, 2020 — St. Anthony, Abbot**

8:30 AM Communion Service

Intentions of Father Dawid, req. Rick &amp; Diane Funnell (said outside of the parish)

**Saturday, January 18, 2020 — Weekday**

8:30 AM Communion Service

**Vigil: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:00 PM Bill Putney, req. Pat &amp; Dick Casseri

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time****January 19, 2020**

8:00AM Vince LaGreca, req. Bob &amp; Sharon Reed

11:00 AM Robert &amp; Doris Baunet, req. Rob &amp; Jeanne Zimmerman

**If the weekend Mass is for the intention of your loved one, inform one of the ushers so that they are aware that there is someone to bring up the gifts.**

**LET US PRAY**

We pray for the sick recommended to us, please notify the office when to remove their name: Madilyn Bocchine, Marie Hart, Joan Moulthrop, Brian Profic, Felice Krycia Teri Hoeckh, Rita Bartoszek, Peggy Habermehl.

**THINK ABOUT IT**

While there's life, there is hope!

**COMING EVENTS**

Jan. 26th	9:00 AM	Holy Name Pancake Breakfast
Feb. 3rd	6:00 PM	Eucharistic Talk with Fr. Stanley
Feb. 6th	7:00 PM	Parish Council
Feb. 8th	2:00 PM	Grade 2 First Penance Retreat

**THIS WEEK AT ICC****Sunday, January 12, 2020**

Coffee and donuts will be served after the 8 &amp; 11 AM Masses provided by the Holy Name Society.

8:00 AM Holy Name Mass / Meeting to follow

10:00 AM K—9th Religious Education Classes

**Wednesday, January 15, 2020**

9:30 AM Family of Families

**SECOND COLLECTION**

Our second collection is for Snow Plowing.

**COMMUNION SERVICES**

While Father is away from January 13th—January 23rd, we will only have Communion Services on those dates during the week. Please note that Father will say the Mass intentions for those Masses while he is away.

**GLUTEN REDUCED HOSTS**

We have available, gluten reduced hosts, which yields less than .01% gluten content per bread. Please call the office or let Father Dawid know.

**REMEMBRANCE CANDLE**

The Vigil Candle or Eternal Candle that is always burning by the Blessed Sacrament can be offered for different intentions with the suggested offering of \$10.00. This candle will burn for 7 days and every Saturday will be replaced. Please pray for the intentions of the donors.

For January 11th in the Church the candle is for Delores Richter, req. daughter Allison, and in the Chapel the candle is for intentions of Casey Sercu, req. Bible Babies.

**OUR OFFERING TO GOD**

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**With much more to come as pledges are paid.**

It is not too late to get involved by contacting the church office or the Foundation at [www.frcdb.org](http://www.frcdb.org).

**Update:** the funds received from Upon This Rock have been applied to the improvements stated in our original plan at ICC; replace boiler system in the Church and school and towards the cost of extending the canopy to the Duffy Center. Thank you for your support!

**YEAR END STATEMENTS**

If you would like to receive your Year End Statement for 2019, please call the office or sign your name in the back of the Church to request one. Your statement will then be available to pick up in the back of the church, at the office or emailed. Email your request to [icceden@gmail.com](mailto:icceden@gmail.com).

**IN GOD'S ETERNAL REST**

We offer our fervent prayers for the repose of the soul of:

Mary Pauly

Don Schasel

**HOLY NAME SOCIETY  
PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

Please join us on Sunday, January 26th, when the Holy Name Society will sponsor a **FREE Pancake Breakfast** here at ICC in the Duffy Center starting at 9:00 AM.

Come join us for a delicious breakfast and some great fellowship. Everyone is welcome!

**STEWARDSHIP**

Our parish serves to remind us of the special presence of God in our community. By our worship, by receiving the Eucharist, by sharing in parish activities, we welcome God as a partner in our daily life. Being generous with our time, our talents and our income is a praiseworthy expression of that partnership.

**LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION**

To receive a letter of recommendation for a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation you must be registered members of the parish (for at least 6 months); who regularly attend Mass and receive the sacraments. Regular use of envelopes indicates attendance at Mass. Sponsors are to be Baptized, Confirmed, and if married, have done so in conformity with the laws of the Church. Adult children (18 and over) should be registered on their own. Out-of-town college students should receive a letter from their campus minister. People in the military should receive a letter from their chaplain.

**Young adults** who were confirmed recently and also are working, even part time, should assume their own identity in the parish by registering in their own name.

**EDUCATIONAL CORNER**

*Frequently Asked Questions about the Mass*

*Why do we have a Mass?* We celebrate the Mass because Jesus asked us to do this when he instituted the Eucharist at the Last Supper. St. Paul tells us that Jesus took bread, gave thanks, broke the bread, and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." Then he took a cup of wine and said, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me" (1 Cor 11:23-27). The Acts of the Apostles tells us that the early Christians would gather for the breaking of the bread in remembrance of Jesus' death and resurrection. They believed (as we believe today) that the bread and wine is transformed into the Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

*How does the bread and wine change into the Body and Blood of Christ?* During the Eucharistic prayer, the priest asks God to send the Holy Spirit and transform the bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ. This is called transubstantiation. It is the conversion of the *substance* of the Eucharistic elements into the Body and Blood of Christ at consecration, with only the *appearances* of bread and wine still remaining.

**SACRAMENT OF HOLY EUCHARIST**

We will bring Communion to the Sick and Homebound; if you know of anyone who has had recent surgery, chronic illness, unable to drive any longer, or just homebound and would like to receive communion, please contact either Barb Cook at 992-3539 or Amy Karstedt at 992-2674.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

After Jesus was baptized, he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and a voice was heard "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." As we give to the poor, we also can hear these same words.

Have you considered joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that you can live your Baptism more fully?

**ONLINE GIVING**

If you aren't currently using online giving but would like to enroll, please visit [www.icchsc.org](http://www.icchsc.org) to sign up.

**VOCATIONS**

Christ gives us the gift of Baptism, through which we each have a vocation in the Church. Pray for those who are discerning a call to live their Baptismal commitment as religious brothers, sisters, priests or deacons. If God is calling you to this, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535.

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR  
JANUARY 18 & JANUARY 19 AT ICC**

	<u>4:00 PM</u>	<u>8 AM</u>	<u>11 AM</u>
<u>P</u>	Fr. Andrew	Fr. Andrew	Fr. Andrew
<u>L</u>	J. Kopryanski	L. Ursitti	D. Partridge
<u>EM</u>	S. Kopryanski P. Casseri D. Casseri	C. Livecchi R. Schasel R. Gullo	R. Smith R. Zimmerman J. Zimmerman
<u>AS</u>	Team 3	Team 4	Team 5

**Mass Intentions****Saturday, January 11, 2020**5:30PM *Jane Brewster by Marge Mackey***Sunday, January 12, 2020**9:30AM *Father's Day Intentions by Parishioners***Monday, January 13, 2020**8:30AM *Communion Service***Tuesday, January 14, 2020**8:30AM *Communion Service***Wednesday, January 15, 2020***"No Morning Mass"***Thursday, January 16, 2020**8:30AM *Communion Service***Friday, January 17, 2020**8:30AM *Communion Service***Saturday, January 18, 2020**5:30PM *For Lynn & Pat Bowman on their 66th Wedding Anniversary by Family***Sunday, January 19, 2020**9:30AM *Don Schasel by Jean Martin*

*\*If a weekend Mass is for the intention of your loved one, please inform the ushers so that they are aware there is someone to bring up the gifts.*

**Pray For The Sick**

Pray for those who are ill; Fr. Joe Badding, Jackie Bollinger, Albert Booth, Russell D., Stella Debicki, Sara Dunn, Bob Felterick, Debra Galloway, Sean Hanley Jr., Christian Jacobs, Janet Jones, Steve Jumper, Baby Kaufman, Peggy Kessler, Kristy Kohler, Michele Kujawinski, Joanne Lauber, Judy & Paul Lawton, Mark Lawton, Angeline Lehner, Kathy Leiker, Luana Lipka, Patsy Loretto, Donna Motak, Ellie P., Maria Pacsirta, Daniel Palmer, Sam Palmisano, Levi Perkowski, Isabella Phelan, Sydney Piniewski, Bill Popple, Marge & Vinny Puntillo, Jerry Redmond, Joette Reid, Jeffrey Riehle, Kevin Riehle, Bill Roberts, Susan Schiffner, Roberta Simmons, Michelle Smith, Charleene Spicola, Joseph Stefan, Lois Thompson, John Tomaka, Chuck Tretyak, Valerio Villagomez, Keith Wright, Fr. Richard York

*Please notify the office when we can remove a name.*


**Pray For The Happy Repose  
Of The Soul Of:**


*Mary Lou Smith*

**Question Of The Week**

Are we open to seeing the Holy Spirit acting through unexpected people or guiding us in unexpected ways?

**Remembrance Candle**

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**Please pray for the intentions of donors.**

The Church, Jan 11th: Birthday Wishes for Darren Woronowski by Bowman Family

The Chapel, Jan. 14th: For all those devastated by the Australian Fires.

**Coffee Hour**

Our next Parish Coffee Hour will be held NEXT Sunday, January 19th. Please join us in the parish hall following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. Everyone is invited!

**Calling All Holy Spirit Eucharistic Ministers**

There will be a meeting for ALL Eucharistic Ministers NEXT SUNDAY, January 26th immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. Please join together with all our E. Ministers for a prayer service, important meeting, and coffee and donuts. It will be held in the Rectory/Office Meeting Room.

**Parish News**

It has come to our attention that the church dumpster is being used by others. We do not have the room for outside garbage to be put into the dumpster, and it has been overfull lately. Please respect that it is strictly for church use only!

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**Holy Name Society**

The next Holy Name meeting will take place on Monday, January 27th at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Meeting Room. All members are asked to attend.

**Thinking About Separation Or Divorce?**

Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Retrouvaille is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages. For details or to register call (716)-474-9371 or visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.org](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.org). The next weekend is February 14-16. All calls are confidential and pre-registration is required.

"As the family goes, so goes the nation and so goes the whole world in which we live." —John Paul II

**Liturgical Ministry Schedule**

<u>Jan 18/19</u>	<u>5:30 p.m.</u>	<u>9:30 a.m.</u>
<u>Presider</u>	Fr. Lauricella	Fr. Lauricella
<u>Lector</u>	Marge Awald	Brandi LoBianco
<u>E. Minister</u>	B. & M. Kender, E. Bowman	J. Martin, M. Blidy G. Jablonski
<u>Altar Server</u>	Volunteer needed	Angelo Fera

**Our Offering To God**

Your sacrificial Gift presented at the Offertory:

Regular Collection	\$3,227.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$659.00
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Fuel	\$81.00
Christmas	\$530.00

**Thank you to all for the support of our parish.**  
**GIVE TO GOD What is RIGHT, not what is LEFT**  
 Please remember Holy Spirit Parish in your will.

**Welcome**

We are very happy to welcome Joshua Renaldo and Caitlin Johnson to our Parish Family. May you find peace and joy here at Holy Spirit Parish.

**Follow ICC & HS On Social Media**

NEW...Follow Immaculate Conception and Holy Spirit Parishes on our new website and Facebook link. You can follow Parish groups, Faith formation, Updates for the parishes and more. Also, access our bulletin. An exciting new way to have information and stay up to date on the goings on at both parishes. Just scan the QR Codes below.

**H. S. Prayer Shawl Ministry**

Prayer shawls are available and given to those who await surgery, are ill, homebound or in crisis. Please remember shawl recipients in your prayers. "If you know of someone who is in need of a shawl, please contact the Parish Office". Please consider joining to help our ministry in any capacity. You'll be surprised by the many blessings we receive from this ministry.

You may contact Frances George at 337-2724 or the Parish Office for more information.

**PRAY FOR**  **Our Men and Women in the Service**

**Local Happenings****St. Francis Park events January: -**

Gentle Chair Yoga, Monday, January 20, 1:00pm to 2:00pm

Monday, January 27, 1:00pm to 2:00pm

Yoga is a great activity for the mind, body and soul. Join us for a class designed to improve balance & improve strength.

**Pilgrimage to Greece 2020**—"In the Steps of St. Paul and St. John the Apostles". Join the 11 day Catholic Pilgrimage to visit the best Biblical and historical sites in Greece, October 6-16, 2020, under the spiritual guidance of Fr. Matt Nycz. Visiting Athens, Cornith, Mykono and more.

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