

JANUARY 5, 2020 | EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

# University Catholic Center

## LOCATION

633 Gayley Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90024

## OFFICE HOURS

M-F 10:00AM - 6:00PM

## MASS SCHEDULE

*Sunday Masses*

10:30AM, 7:00PM, & 9:00PM

*Weekday Mass Times*

Monday - Thursday 5:15PM

*Spanish Masses (Misa en Español)*

12:30pm on 1/13

## HOLY HOUR

Tuesdays at 7:30PM

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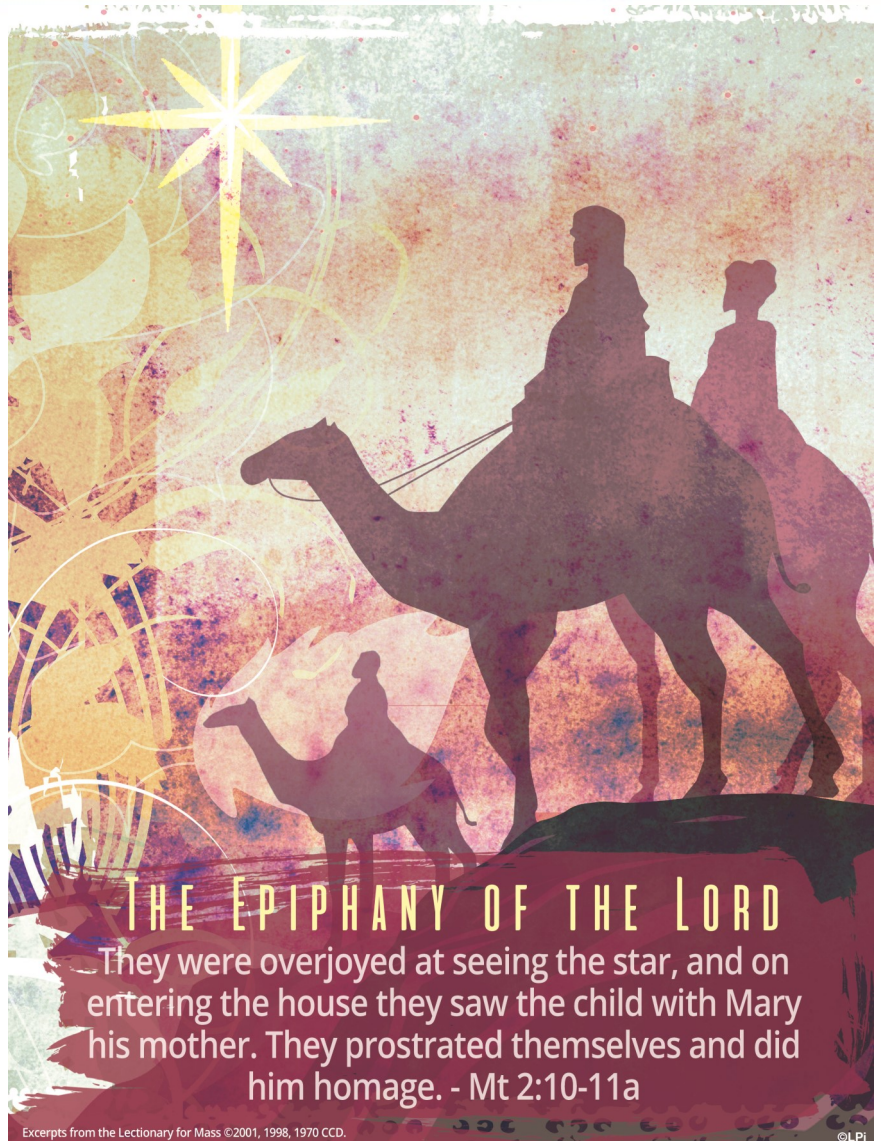
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### Praise and Waffles

Please join us for the UCC's second praise and worship night of the year! Praise and Waffles will take place Winter Quarter on Tuesday of week 1, January 7th at 7pm. Come out for a night of worship, followed by waffles and other treats!

UCC Winter Qtr Week 1 presents...

praise  
&  
waffles

Tuesday Jan. 7th

7-9pm | UCC Chapel

Join us for a night of worship, food, and fellowship!

THERE IS NO  
BETTER WOOD FOR  
FEEDING THE FIRE  
OF GOD'S LOVE  
THAN THE WOOD  
OF THE CROSS

St. Ignatius of Loyola

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Did you know you can also financially support the UCC through your purchases at Ralph's? Register an account on [www.ralphs.com](http://www.ralphs.com), click on Community Rewards in your account details, and enroll the UCC with our Non-Profit Organization (NPO) number of VS263. See more details in our Facebook post.

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*If you have questions or need assistance registering, please contact Colleen Consola by email, phone or text: [coconsola@uccla.org](mailto:coconsola@uccla.org) or (310)367-7626. Thanks for making an impact at the UCC!*

*If you know other UCLA/UCC supporters, parents or alumni who might participate please forward this information to them.*

## UCC Events (Week 1) [staff@uccla.org](mailto:staff@uccla.org)

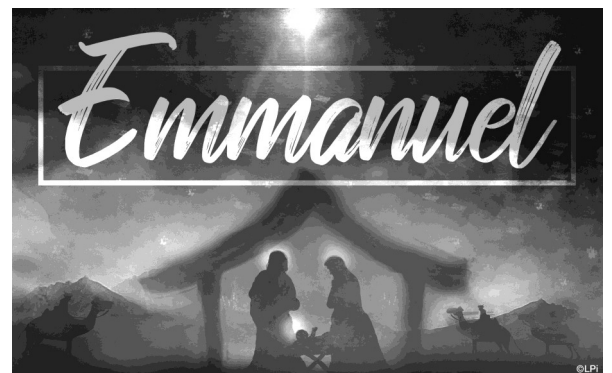
Sunday	Jan. 5	10:30am , 7pm, 9pm	Sunday Mass
Monday	Jan. 6	5:15pm 7:00pm - 9:00pm	Daily Mass Muối
Tuesday	Jan. 7	4:00pm - 5:00pm 5:15pm 7:00pm - 9:00pm	Reconciliation Daily Mass Praise & Waffles
Wednesday	Jan. 8	5:15pm	Daily Mass
Thursday	Jan. 9	4:00pm - 5:00pm 5:15pm 6:00pm 7:00pm	Reconciliation Daily Mass Student Dinner Education & Faith Development Book Club
Sunday	Jan. 13	12:30pm	Spanish Mass

### Events to look forward to next quarter:

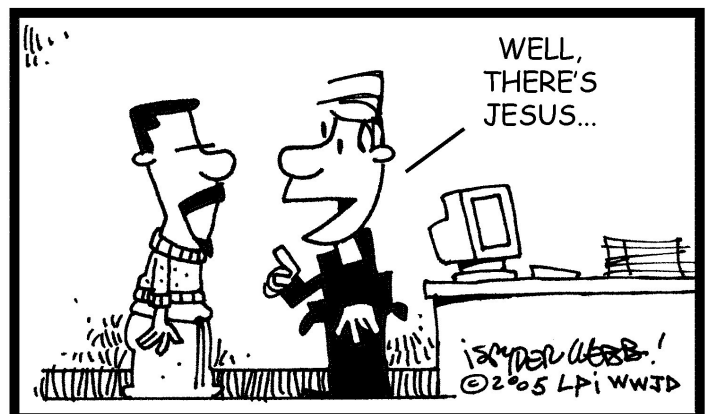
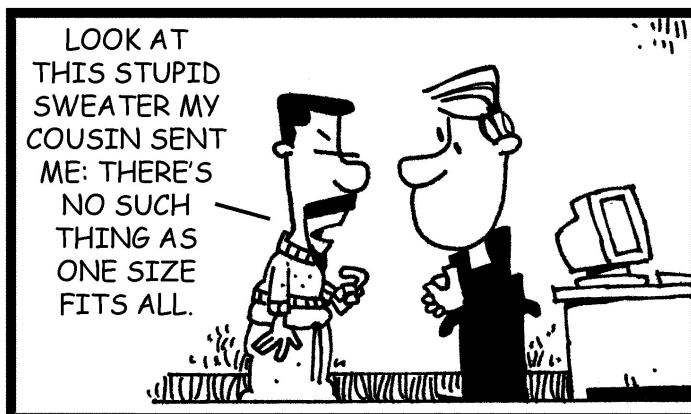
*Homeboy Industries Talk January 22nd*

*Fall Retreat Reunion January 24th*

*Liturgical Minister training January 25th*



### EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



### The Epiphany of the Lord January 5, 2020

We may walk many roads when we search for God, and He leads us all the while. The men we honor today were not Jews. The Messiah wasn't coming for *them*, not in the minds of Jesus' contemporaries. These men were astrologers. They were adept at reading portents in the sky, a practice condemned in the Mosaic covenant. Still, to the best of their knowledge and awareness, they were seeking the truth. This truth led them to journey from their own homeland to honor a king they'd never met, one they couldn't be sure truly existed. *"We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage."* Who do you know seeks God so tenaciously?

*"Magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem,"* the Gospel tells us. Who are the seekers in your own life? Maybe it's your cautiously curious co-worker, the neighbor who unexpectedly found peace on a yoga retreat, or your desperately angry child who has chosen, for now, to go their own way. Perhaps they're not overtly headed for Jesus now, not yet. But they may well be seekers of truth in ways we didn't expect. Our invitation is to listen, inquire, and give directions when appropriate. The magi and modern-day seekers can inspire us as well. When is the last time you sought God's truth so tenaciously? As believers, it can perhaps be easy to become desensitized to the Christmas season and to the miraculous reality we recently celebrated. Mass may have been lovely, but so was the succulent roast beef, the crisp smell of evergreen, and the warm glow of family. Consider asking yourself, "God, do I know you as well as I should? Would I journey as far as the magi to meet You, if I could? Do I journey to meet You daily in prayer? What do those answer say about me, and about our relationship?" Perhaps we, like the magi, can once again be *"overjoyed"* at seeing the Light of the World.

## SACRAMENTS [staff@uccla.org](mailto:staff@uccla.org)

### Reconciliation

During the quarter Reconciliation will be celebrated **Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:00-5:00pm**, by appointment, or during Holy Hour.

### Anointing of the Sick

If you have a serious illness or an upcoming surgery and would like to celebrate the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, contact Fr. Jamie or Fr. Mark.

### Weddings – Engaged?

Congratulations! UCLA students, faculty, staff, and other members of our worshipping community may contact Fr. Jamie or Fr. Mark about Engaged Encounter retreats and other aspects of Catholic marriage preparation. Please contact either priest at least 6 months before the proposed wedding date.

### RCIA/Confirmation

RCIA and Confirmation have begun **Fall Quarter 2019**. Contact Fr. Jamie at [jbacka@uccla.org](mailto:jbacka@uccla.org) for more info.

## UCC STEWARDSHIP

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\*(Staff salaries are provided by the Archdiocese of LA & aren't included here.)

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