

# Holy Name Catholic Church

*Established in 1857*

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*Office Hours: 9am-4pm, Monday - Friday*  
*Bulletin Deadline: Wednesdays at Noon.*

## The Baptism of The Lord January 9, 2022



### *Parish Mission Statement*

*We, at the Church of the Most Holy Name of Jesus, strive to be a vibrant, welcoming community of faith. We are unified by our participation in the liturgy, the sacraments, and service. We are a diverse family fully alive in Christ. We serve our God, our Church, and our community through effective stewardship of God's gifts of time, talent, and treasure.*

#### **PARISH STAFF:**

##### **Pastor**

Rev. Fr. Theophilus Ebulueme

##### **Deacon**

Rev. Mr. Bob Mahoney

##### **Parish Secretary**

Renee Szefcyk

##### **Director of Religious Education**

Gan Nyawello

##### **Outreach Coordinator**

Elizabeth Fielding

##### **Director of Music**

Thomas Habib

##### **Maintenance**

Orbain Owens

#### **COUNCILS & COMMITTEES**

##### **Parish Pastoral Council**

Glenn Hutchens, Chairperson

##### **Finance Board**

Joe Gigante, Chairperson

##### **Hospitality Committee**

Connie Ransom, Chairperson

##### **Building Committee**

Peter Laurence, Chairperson

##### **Haitian Sister Parish Committee**

Gwen Blount, Chairperson

#### **LITURGY SCHEDULE**

##### **Sunday Mass Obligation**

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am

10:30am

Sudanese 12:00pm

French 5:00pm

1/16/2022

*Rosary before 8am Mass on  
Sundays.*

Mondays 8:00am

##### *Communion Service*

Tuesdays & Thursdays 11:30am

Wednesdays & Fridays 8:00am

*Daily Mass*

*Please prayerfully consider Holy Name in your will!*

## Ministers of the Altar Schedules:

<b>Jan. 8 &amp; 9</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>10:30am</b>
<b>Announcer</b>	R. DeBock	K. Caddigan	J. Gigante
<b>Lector</b>	C. Svitek	S. Pleas	E. Hutchens
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	OFF	OFF	OFF
<b>Altar Servers</b>	A. Wakefield	V. Szeftcyk	B. Yankee

<b>Jan. 15 &amp; 16</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>10:30am</b>
<b>Announcer</b>	G. Drifmeyer	D. Coleman	G. Hutchens
<b>Lector</b>	C. Azor	G. Wooten	L. Yankee
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	OFF	OFF	OFF
<b>Altar Servers</b>	A. Wakefield	A. Szeftcyk	J. Mupipi

## MASS READINGS: Cycle C

**1st: Isaiah 40:1-5,9-11**

**Responsorial: Psalm 104:1b-4, 24-25,27-30**

**2nd: Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7**

**Gospel: Luke 3:15-16,21-22**

*Today's Missal, 11/28/21-4/9/22*



## WEEKDAY READINGS: (Year II)

### January 10 — Monday, 1st Week in Ordinary Time

Reading 1: 1 Samuel 1:1-8

Responsorial: Psalm 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19

Gospel: Mark 1:14-20

### January 11 — Tuesday

Reading 1: 1 Samuel 1:9-20

Responsorial: 1 Samuel 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd

Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

### January 12 — Wednesday

Reading 1: 1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20

Responsorial: Psalm 40:2 & 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10

Gospel: Mark 1:29-39

### January 13 — Thursday

Reading 1: 1 Samuel 4:1-11

Responsorial: Psalm 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25

Gospel: Mark 1:40-45

### January 14 — Friday

Reading 1: 1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a

Responsorial: Psalm 89:16-17, 18-19

Gospel: Mark 2:1-12

### January 15 — Saturday

Reading 1: 1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1

Responsorial: Psalm 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7

Gospel: Mark 2:13-17

## 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle B) - 1/16/2022

**1st: Isaiah 62:1-5 2nd: 1 Corinthians 12:4-11**

**Responsorial: Ps 96:1-2,2-3,7-8,9-10 Gospel: John 2:1-11**

## Parish Registration Forms

New parishioner registration forms are available in the vestibule (on the bulletin board) to the right of the main entrance. Registration with the parish is required for programs, such as CCD, and/or for those wishing to celebrate the various sacraments. It helps us to stay in touch with everyone, and properly track contributions.

## Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory:	\$3,305.00
Solemnity of Mary	342.00
Bldg. Maintenance Fund Collection	858.00
Star Tree (12/31)	250.00
Titans Parking (1/2)	1,260.00
Charity Fund	25.00
<b>Avg. Weekly Expenses</b>	<b>5,855.00</b>

**Thank you for your generosity!**

Bookmark the NEW LINK to our Online Giving platform:

<https://www.osvhub.com/holynamenashville/funds>

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, 1/8

- For the intentions of Erin Hancock.  
(E. Hancock)

**5pm**

### Sunday, 1/9

- Eternal repose,  
Msgr. Thomas Kirk.  
(Fr. Theo & Staff)

**8:00a**

- For the intentions of Holy Name parishioners.

**10:30a**

- For an increase in faith among our parishioners.

**Noon**

### Monday, 1/10

- Communion Svc.  
No intentions.

**8:00a**

### Tuesday, 1/11

- Communion Svc.  
No intentions.

**11:30a**

### Wednesday, 1/12

- Communion Svc.  
No intentions.

**8:00a**

### Thursday, 1/13

- Communion Svc.  
No intentions.

**11:30a**

### Friday, 1/14

- Communion Svc.  
No intentions.

**8:00a**

## Sacraments

### Baptism

Parents & Godparents are required to attend a Baptism class. **Parents must also be a parishioner for at least six (6) months.** For more information please contact the parish office.

### First Communion

Children are prepared for First Holy Communion by participating in the CCD program. Students must be enrolled for at least one (1) year prior to enrolling in the sacramental preparation class.

### Reconciliation

Confessions are heard on Wednesdays after the 8am daily mass, Saturdays from 4:15 to 4:45pm, Sundays before Mass or by appointment.

### Confirmation

Preparation classes are conducted through our CCD program. **Candidates must be enrolled for at least one (1) year prior** to enroll in the Confirmation class.

### Matrimony

Preparation is conducted by parish clergymen and the Diocese of Nashville. **You must be a registered parishioner for at least one (1) year** and then contact the parish office at least six (6) months before the proposed date.

### Anointing of the Sick

Anyone may request for major or minor health problems. If you anticipate surgery or a stay in the hospital, request the sacrament before (surgery).

## PRAYER LIST

Anniece Tisdale  
JoAnn Coffey  
Gerald Johnson  
Pat McRae  
Barbara Harding  
Earlene Johnson  
Maureen Boyd  
Barbara Corlew  
Cheryl Tisdale  
Roselyn Martin  
Connie Downs  
Molly Highfield  
Connie Ransom

*"Almighty and Eternal God, You are the everlasting health of those who believe in You. Hear us for Your sick servants for whom we implore the aid of Your tender mercy, that being restored to bodily health, they may give thanks to You in Your Church. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen."*

**Source:**

**Catholic Prayers for the Sick**

## SUNDAY CONNECTION.

Loyola Press 1/9/2022

Today we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. In today's Gospel, as in the other Gospel accounts of Jesus' baptism, we hear John the Baptist address the confusion of the people who thought that John might be the Messiah. In response, John contrasts the baptism that he performs with the Baptism that Jesus will inaugurate. John the Baptist says that he has baptized with water, but that someone will come and baptize with the Holy Spirit. The type of baptism that John performed was not yet a Christian Baptism; it was a preparation for Christian Baptism through which sins are forgiven and the gift of the Holy Spirit is received.

The baptism of Jesus is reported in each of the three Synoptic Gospels—Matthew, Mark, and Luke. Clearly, it was an event of great significance for Jesus and for the early Christian community. The Evangelists Mark and Luke report the story from Jesus' perspective; the voice from heaven is addressed to Jesus. Compare this to Matthew's Gospel in which the voice from heaven speaks to everyone. In Luke, however, the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus during his time of prayer after his baptism. Through his Gospel, Luke will show Jesus to be a person of prayer who withdraws regularly from the crowds and his disciples to pray to his Father.

The baptism of Jesus is considered a manifestation of God in Jesus, another "epiphany." On this, the last day of the Christmas season, our Gospel reveals to us Jesus' relation to God: the son of Mary and Joseph is also God's own Son. In Luke's Gospel, all three members of the Trinity are manifested here: God the Father in the voice, the Holy Spirit descending, and Jesus the Son. At the beginning of his Gospel, Luke is communicating to us important information about the identity of Jesus. In the verses that follow, Luke lists the genealogy of Jesus, tracing Jesus' ancestry back to the first person, Adam, who is also identified as the son of God. We, the children of Adam and Eve, are again made children of God through Baptism.

## SPECIAL ATTENTION

**Offerings and Stipends.** Unless the Bishop of the Province determines otherwise, the offering for a Mass shall be \$5, and the stipend for administering other sacraments shall be \$25 (Canon 1264). Portions in excess of these amounts may be considered a gift to the priest.

**Mass Intentions.** Please contact the parish office if you wish to schedule a Mass. You are welcome to book Masses for various intentions.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.** Will you pray for 30 minutes or 1 hour with The Lord? Adoration is on Wednesdays from 8:30am until 10:30am.

**HOME OR AWAY?** Use Online Giving! Holy Name offers a convenient and secure way to support our parish through Online Giving with no hassle; home or away! Visit our website and click on "Make a Gift" in the menu bar.

**Flocknote.** Holy Name is using Flocknote to send messages via email and text about upcoming events and ministry programs. Flocknote is a safe and confidential app. You don't have to set up an account or password. You can unsubscribe at any time. Signing up is easy and free. Text the letters "HN" to 84576 or visit [www.flocknote.com/HolyNameCatholicChurch/5](http://www.flocknote.com/HolyNameCatholicChurch/5).

**Sunday Livestream Information.** We will continue to stream the Sunday Mass at 8am on our Facebook page until further notice.

**Bishop's Annual Appeal Update.** As of January 5, Holy Name parishioners have raised a total of **\$17,501** of our \$18,838 goal amount for 2021. The 2022 campaign will begin soon. More information to come.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

**Religious Education** classes resume this Sunday, January 9, after the 8am Mass.

**Christmas Decoration removal** in the church is TODAY, Sunday, January 9, after the Noon Mass. Please consider volunteering to help store away everything until next season!

**Parish Pastoral Council** meets this Tuesday, January 11, at 6pm in the auditorium. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

**Next weekend's 2nd Collection** is for our sister parish in Haiti, St. Antoine. Please be generous.

**2022 Calendars.** Our parish calendars have arrived. Please take one (1) per family. Calendars are located on the table in front of the holy oils.

**2022 Church Envelope boxes** are available on the table in the church. Please contact the parish office if you are not on our list but wish to receive a box for your household.

**Together in Holiness Marriage Conference** (February 19), Catholic Pastoral Center, 2800 McGavock Pike, entrance #4 Nashville. Presented by the St. John Paul II Foundation and the Diocese of Nashville. This one-day conference for Catholic married and engaged couples provides an opportunity for quality time together and includes presentations, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, on-site childcare, and more. Celebrant: Most Rev. J. Mark Spalding, JCL Speakers: Damon Owens; Ryan Hanning, PhD; and Sr. Elizabeth Anne Allen, OP, EdD. Registration: \$64/couple and \$40/individual. On-site childcare (2-12yrs); pre-registration required. Info: [togetherinholiness.org](http://togetherinholiness.org) or [TH@forlifeandfamily.org](mailto:TH@forlifeandfamily.org).

## UPDATED 7/1/2021: Covid-19, Masses and Events.

Adjustments at Holy Name with recent updates from Bishop Spalding (March 17, 2021). Visit our website for a link to the Bishop's letter and decree and other details: [www.holynamenashville.com](http://www.holynamenashville.com).

- Parishioners are encouraged to receive their Covid-19 vaccines.
- As our church continues to open up more, based upon recent releases from the State and also Metro government, *we encourage all parishioners to get vaccinated*. It is an act of charity toward our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ.
- **Masks are no longer required for those parishioners who have been fully vaccinated.**
- **Masks remain mandatory at ALL Masses for those who have not been vaccinated.**
- **Additionally, please follow CDC guidelines for social distancing and maintaining proper personal hygiene.**
- Families living in the same household should also sit together whenever possible.
- The obligation to attend Sunday Mass and holy days of obligation was reinstated by decree of Bishop Spalding, dated March 17, 2021. We will continue to live-stream the 8am Mass for those with serious health conditions/risks.
- The Sign of Peace and distribution of the Precious Blood both remain suspended. Holy Water receptacles will also remain empty during this period.

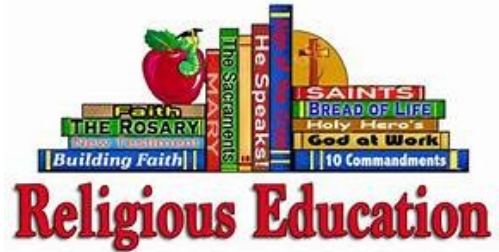




# Parish Information and Sponsors

## 2021-2022 Religious Education

- **Religious Education Classes resume** TODAY, Sunday, January 9, 2022.
- **All students, volunteers and catechists must wear a mask.** Social distancing and proper cleaning procedures are being utilized in all classrooms and hallway spaces, including bathrooms. We also continue to encourage proper hand washing and hygiene.
- Please remember that **if you or your student is sick**, email Gan using the information below, and stay home until you recover and/or any quarantines have ended.
- **Gan Nyawello, DRE** may be reached via email at: [religiouseducationHN@comcast.net](mailto:religiouseducationHN@comcast.net). You may also contact the parish office and leave her a voice message by choosing: Option 4 (Ext. 203), from the main greeting menu.
- For more about our Religious Education program visit: <https://www.holynamenashville.com/religious-education>.



To support Holy Name,  
Access our secure Online  
Giving platform using the  
QR code above.

### Estate planning?

Bequests to Holy  
Name will help  
the parish  
continue sharing  
the Gospel for  
generations to come.

### COMING IN 2022!



### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

*Please join us every  
Wednesday from 8:30am  
until 10:30am, praying the  
presence of Our Lord.*



### Father Theo's Parish Email

Do you have a question for our pastor?  
Would you like to ask for prayers or  
schedule an appointment? Please feel  
free to contact Father at  
[pastorHN@comcast.net](mailto:pastorHN@comcast.net)

### Holy Name Church Rentals

The church is available for  
special masses such as  
weddings and funerals,  
funeral home visitations,  
memorial services and a  
variety of other related  
events. Please contact the  
parish office.



### St. Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church January 13, 2022



### The Holy Father's Prayer Intention

January 2022

#### For true human fraternity

We pray for all those  
suffering from religious  
discrimination and  
persecution; may their own  
rights and dignity be  
recognized, which originate  
from being brothers and  
sisters in the human family.



### PARISH CENTER & AUDITORIUM RENTALS

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FOR RATES  
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OUR PARISH CENTER  
IS A SPACIOUS AREA TO  
HOLD YOUR EVENTS  
OR

OUR AUDITORIUM IS A COZY  
PLACE FOR YOUR SMALL  
GATHERINGS.