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Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 4:00 pm - Confession
5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am
11:00 am
Daily (M-F): 8:45 am
Holy Days: 7:00 pm - Vigil
8:45 am
7:00 pm

All Masses are open to the public.
Daily Masses are also live-streamed on
the parish Facebook page.

Weekly Offering:

Week of Dec. 27 thru Jan. 2, 2023:

Weekly Online:	6,536.00
Weekly Mail & Mass:	<u>10,770.00</u>
Weekly Total:	17,306.00
Budget:	13,243.00
Variance:	4,063.00

The Weekly Offering amount includes only: regular collections at Mass, online and mail donations to be retained by the parish, and Building & Maintenance donations. Christmas and Easter collections will be reported separately. Other parish income is not included above.



The Pastor's Corner:

Dear Parishioners and Friends:

When we think about the Epiphany, many of us likely picture something like the image above - three wise men on camels who saw a star and made a long and perilous journey in search of the truth. This image beautifully captures our conception of our role in seeking God - that we are restless truth-seekers whose search for God depends primarily on what we think and do. There is certainly some truth in this. For us to successfully encounter God, we must be open to such an encounter - we must choose to believe and act and let his grace do its work in and through us.

What this Epiphany image, unfortunately, leaves out is God's part in the encounter. Without God's constant extension of himself lovingly down

Parish Programs:

Adoration of the Blessed

Sacrament - Tuesdays following the 8:45 am Daily Mass until 4 pm

Scripture Study

- Meets Wednesdays at 7 pm in the Parish Life Center.

Men's Gospel Reflection Group

- Meets Thursdays at 7 pm in the Parish Life Center.

Spiritual Book Club

- Meets the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 9:30 am via Zoom.

Parents of Special Needs Children

- Meets the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 9:30 am via Zoom.

Order of Christian Initiation of

Adults - For those thinking about becoming Catholic.

Discovery Discipleship Faith Study

- Rediscover your faith and a personal relationship with God.

Programs are for parishioners who are 18 years old or older. Contact the parish for details and to register.

Parish Groups & Ministries:

Please see our website for details.

Please pray for:

A complete parish prayer list is on our website.

Rest in Peace: Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, James Lane, Janet Horan, and all of our faithful departed.

To Add People to Parish Prayer List:

Please contact the parish to add loved ones in need of special prayers to our prayer list and to remove them once they are no longer in need of such prayers. Thank you for praying for those in our parish who need special prayers.

Has your contact information changed? Now is a great time to let us know and update it!

and toward us, we would never be able to find him. Without him allowing us to hear his word, see his acts, and encounter him in the sacraments, he would remain utterly ineffable, unknowable, incomprehensible. No amount of our climbing the mountain would bring us close to him without his coming down it to meet us. The Incarnation is the culmination of his great love for us, and the Epiphany is the announcing of it to the entire world - Jesus is God who became man to save us from our sins. For he came to save everyone, as represented then by the shepherds (the Jews) and the Magi (the Gentiles). Indeed, without God's grace, those present wouldn't even have been able to understand who was swaddled in the manger before them. The same is true for us.

Our mission now is to join our efforts to those of Christ's Church to keep this Epiphany going - to keep showing and telling the world that Jesus Christ is our Lord and Savior and that he deeply loves and came to save every single one of us. May we pray for and accept the grace to do this work. May we also pray fervently for those who search for something more than this world and don't yet believe, for as Edith Stein once said, "All those who seek truth, seek God, whether this is clear to them or not."

Fr. Gary

Mass Intentions:

Sunday, January 8, 2023

Vigil - John A. Scalise, 13th Anniv. (Karen A. Scalise & Family)

8:30 am - Carol Dalton (George & Kathy Detwiler)

11:00 am - People of St. Basil the Great

Monday, January 9, 2023

8:45 am - Michael Vogt (JoAnne Vogt)

Tuesday, January 10, 2023

8:45 am - Joan Gallagher (Lorraine & Jack Purcell)

Wednesday, January 11, 2023

8:45 am - Ryan Koroncai (JoAnne Vogt)

Thursday, January 12, 2023

8:45 am - Louis Viola, Sr. (Carol & Jerry Trecroce)

Friday, January 13, 2023

8:45 am - Sr. Helen Ann Gaidos (Dolores Mastrangelo)

Saturday, January 14, 2023

5:00 pm - Enrique Valasquez Carranza (John & Mary Colarusso)

Next Sunday, January 15, 2023

8:30 am - Joseph Bodick (Bodick & Nicolas Family)

11:00 am - People of St. Basil the Great



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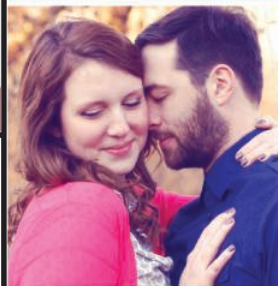
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