#### The Celebration of the Eucharist:

Monday through Friday: 8:00 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. Saturday: 8:00 a.m.; Vigil Mass at 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 a.m. (Family Mass), 12:00

pm (Adult Choir) and 7:30 pm (Contemporary Choir)

#### **Sacrament of Baptism:**

Baptisms are celebrated on the First and Third Sunday of the month at 2:00 p.m. Parents are asked to contact the Parish Office to make the necessary arrangements.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Confessions are heard in the church on Saturdays from 3:00-4:00 p.m. and during the week at the Parish House or by appointment with a priest

#### **Sacrament of Marriage:**

Couples planning to get married are asked to contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to their wedding date to begin their marriage preparation.

#### Sacrament of the Sick:

Parishioners, especially those who are entering the hospital, who wish to receive the Anointing of the Sick are asked to contact the Parish Office.

#### **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:**

Saturday from 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.

#### **Novenas:**

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal: Monday after the 8:00 am and 12:10 pm Masses.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Wednesday after the 12:10 p.m. Mass

#### Parish House (Rectory):

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# Church of the Epiphany February 1, 2015

#### Welcome Religious

In this year dedicated to the men and women who have consecrated themselves in religious life, we welcome the men and women religious of the East Manhattan Deanery to Epiphany today. They join us for the celebration of the 12:00 Noon Mass. We thank them for their many years of service to the Church, and in particular to the Archdiocese of New York. We recognize especially the Mother Cabrini Sisters who reside in Epiphany parish.

#### **Save the Date**

The next concert in our Music Series will take place next Sunday, February 8, 2015 at 1:30 pm. Our guest artists will be the soprano, Meaghan Joynt, and the organist and pianist, Sean Jackson. The concert will feature the music of Wagner, Verdi, Puccini, Mozart, and Carter (an American composer.) Admission is free. We hope you can join us for an afternoon of good music.

#### **Feast of Saint Blaise**

Tuesday, February 3rd is the feast of Saint Blaise. The traditional blessing of throats will take place at the 8:00 am and 12:10 pm Masses.

#### First Saturday Rosary

Saturday, February 7th is the first Saturday of the month. The Ladies of Charity of our parish invite you to join with them in praying the first Saturday rosary in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament beginning at 3:00 pm.

### Family Life Rosary

The members of our parish Respect Life Community invite you to join with them in praying the rosary on Monday, February 2nd, following the 8:00 am Mass for the intention of family life and the sanctity of marriage, especially for families in our own parish.

### **Parish History**

This Wednesday, February 4th, is the 103rd anniversary of the death of our founding pastor, the Reverend Doctor and Msgr. Richard L. Burtsell.

#### **Sacrament of the Sick**

Wednesday, February 11, 2015 is the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. It is also the World Day of Prayer for the Sick. On that day we will celebrate the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick at the 12:10 pm Mass. There will be more information about this in next week's bulletin.

#### **Announced Mass Intentions**

Monday, February 2, 2015
The Presentation of the Lord

8:00 am Amalia and Frank Stancato 12.10 pm James Capuano

Tuesday, February 3, 2015
St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr

8:00 am Hanna Maguire 12:10 pm James Fagan

Wednesday, February 4, 2015

8:00 am Msgr. Richard L. Burtsell

(103rd Anniversary)

12:10 pm Mary T. Walsh (Anniversary)

Thursday, February 5, 2015 St. Agatha, Virgin and Martyr

8:00 am Elsie Brown 12:10 pm Sandra Morgan

Friday, February 6, 2015

First Friday; St. Paul Miki and

Companions, Martyrs

8:00 am Damaso Rotor 12:10 pm Lucy Spadaro

Saturday, February 7, 2015 First Saturday

8:00 am Dorothy R. Walsh

May the Souls of the Faithful Departed
Through the Mercy of God
Rest in Peace.

#### Stewardship

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Pause for Prayer So busy we are about so many trivial things. Perhaps that's why, Lord, you blanketed us with snow last week, slowing our steps, hitting our pause button. We needed that, Lord, we needed to be inconvenienced. interrupted, slowed down, stopped, by the pure, soft beauty of your presence settling gently, flake by flake, dressing us and our world in a garment of pure grace. Let your snow fall upon our upturned faces, Lord, as a child catches snowflakes on the tongue, so let us taste the sweetness of your wintry advent. Are we too old, Lord, for making angels in the snow? Then send some snowy angels to make of us what you would have us be. Even as the snow chills our limbs, let your touch melt our hearts and draw us all inside to where the fire of your love burns for us always crackling, bright, and warm ...

Remind us Lord, of those burdened by the weather and call us to empty our pockets and purses in support of those who serve and shelter the homeless.

And later, Lord,

when the snow's been shoveled and our pace has quickened once again: keep us mindful of the moments when the blanket of your presence calmed and warmed our hearts and brought us close to you. Amen.

A Concord Pastor

#### **Registration for The Epiphany School**

Registration for The Epiphany School 2015/2016 school year will take place this week. For additional information please call the school office at 212-473-4128 or visit www.theepiphanyschool.org for required documentation.

#### **Registration Dates**

| Monday, February 2, 2015    | 9:00 am | Pre-Kindergarten (birth year 2011) |
|-----------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|
| Tuesday, February 3, 2015   | 9:00 am | Kindergarten (birth year 2010)     |
| Wednesday, February 4, 2015 | 9:00 am | Grades 1 thru 7                    |

9:00 am

Thursday, February 5, 2015

Registration will take place in Msgr. Farricker Parish Hall located at 373

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#### **Beginning Experience**

"Beginning Experience" is offering a healing weekend from March 20-22, 2015 at the St. Lawrence Retreat Center in Beacon, NY. This invitation is open to women and men of all ages who have suffered the loss of a spouse through death, divorce, or separation. It is a time to heal and a time to begin anew. Registration is required. For information or registration please call Tom at 845-462-6192 or Nancy at 518-785-1351 x304, or send an email to ny.hudsonvalley@beginningexperience.org.

#### **Slave Labor and Consumerism**

The Peace and Justice Committees of St. Francis Xavier Parish and St. Ignatius Loyola Parish are sponsoring a workshop on Thursday, February 5, 2015 beginning at 7 pm at Wallace Hall, St. Ignatius Loyola Church, Park Avenue at 84th Street. The workshop is meant to raise awareness about the many ways that slave labor produces the goods we use in our daily living. Please RSVP to AntiSlaveryRSVP@gmail.com or call 212-288-3588.

#### **Young Adults Retreat**

The Marianist Family Retreat Center in Cape May, NJ is holding a Young Adults Retreat the weekend of February 13-15, 2015. This retreat is for women and men, age 22-35, single or married, who wish to examine their personal faith in relation to God, self, co-workers and others. There will be time for Eucharist, prayer experiences, faith sharing, social interaction and free time to explore Cape May. The cost is \$125 per person, double occupancy. For additional information call 609-884-3829 or email to mfrc@capemaymarianists.org.

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