

## The Epiphany of the Lord

January 3, 2021

"All kings shall pay him homage,  
all nations shall serve him." *Psalms 72:11*

### CALENDAR OF MASSES/EVENTS

#### Sunday, January 3, 2021 – Epiphany of the Lord

9:30 am Liturgy **Intentions of Michael Griffin**  
(Live Stream also) by: Diane Cullen

#### Monday, January 4, 2021

#### Tuesday, January 5, 2021

#### Wednesday, January 6, 2021

#### Thursday, January 7, 2021

8:00 am Liturgy + **Eileen Johnson** by: Mary Margaret Brasher

#### Friday, January 8, 2021

8:00 am Liturgy + **Susan Terry** by: Holy Spirit

#### Saturday, January 9, 2021

6:00 pm Liturgy **For The Parish Community**

#### Sunday, January 10, 2021 – Baptism of the Lord

9:30 am Liturgy **Intentions of KK Smith**  
(Live Stream also)



### PARISH SUPPORT

Needed Weekly for Budget.....	\$6,094.81
Offering .....	\$6,635.00
Maintenance Fund Last Wk....	\$ 520.00
Community Services.....	\$ 85.00
Flowers.....	\$ 50.00
Christmas .....	\$2,475.00

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**Holy Spirit Catholic Church.**

**P O Box 424**

**Hernando, MS. 38632**

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**Pregnancy Care Center-** Holy Spirit is collecting diapers, formula, and gently used baby gear for infants/toddlers for the Care Center in Southaven. Mini hygiene items for mom's bags are welcome as well.

Please place items in the crib located in the Narthex.

Thank you!!!



**Facebook live stream Sunday Mass**

**Take advantage of this blessing.**

**Link to access:**

<https://www.facebook.com/Catholic-Parishes-of-Northwest-Mississippi-103393917976850/>

## Ministry Schedule

### PLEASE REMEMBER:

You are to arrive at least 20 to 30 minutes before mass is to begin. This is important to be prepared and ready.

#### Saturday, January 9 – 6:00 pm

**Greeter:** Tijuana Buchanan/Bettye Mize

**Usher:** Don Greer/Jim Donnelly

**Server:**

**Lector:** Tijuana Buchanan/Roxanne McIngvale

**Gift Bearer:**

**Eucharistic Minister:** Frater Long

#### Sunday, January 10 – 9:30 am

**Greeter:** Diane Cullen/Robin Brantley

**Usher:** Ron & Shirley Henderson

**Server:**

**Lector:** Alan Gho/Mark Printup

**Gift Bearer:**

**Eucharistic Minister:** Amanda Ready

**REMINDER:** If you are unable to fulfill your ministry obligation, it is your responsibility to find someone that can serve in your place. Thank you.

Jesus Christ,

you traveled through towns and villages

"curing every disease and illness."

At your command, the sick were made well.

Come to our aid now,

in the midst of the global spread of the coronavirus,  
that we may experience your healing love.

Heal those who are sick with the virus.

May they regain their strength and health  
through quality medical care.

We make this prayer in your name, confident that you  
listen and respond to our prayers.

Amen.

### RELIGIOUS GOODS STORE

January 2/3 – Closed

January 9 – Kelli Bishop/January 10 – Len Wright

### ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY

January – Rose Powell



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your parish during these difficult times.



## FLOWER MEMORIAL

**Claudette Ostrozny**

**by: Oz Ostrozny**





## NW Mississippi Parishes

FINALLY!! We now have a custom address for our YouTube Channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/c/NWMississippiParishes>.



### The Former Prophets

The biblical era they lived, the challenges they exhibited. What can we learn from the Former Prophets through the challenges we exhibit today?

Dates: **Each Tuesday from January 12-February 9.**

Time: **7:00 PM. Holy Spirit Church. (Hernando, MS)**

**The first session on Jan. 12<sup>th</sup> will be livestreamed on our YouTube Channel. (NWMississippiParishes)**

### COVID-19 TESTS

If you have been tested recently for Covid-19 please **DO NOT** come to Mass or participate in any group activities

until you receive a negative test result. You

should be self-quarantining if you have been tested and have not gotten the result back yet.

### RESERVATION TO ATTEND WEEKEND MASS

Don't forget to call the parish office each Monday from 9 am to 12 noon to reserve a spot for you and your family at either the Saturday 6:00 pm Mass or the Sunday morning 9:30 am Mass. 662-429-7851 or you may e-mail the church at [holyspiritchurch@shsm.org](mailto:holyspiritchurch@shsm.org) Unfortunately we must ask you to do this each week until further notice. **More people are coming.** You have all been so wonderful. Please, Please call!!! We are so richly blessed to have such great parishioners.



### Facing surgery or serious health tests?

Due to COVID regulations at all hospitals, our

priests are not allowed to go into the hospitals to anoint a parishioner with the Sacrament of the sick. We encourage all parishioners to make an appointment with one of our priests to receive the Sacrament **BEFORE** an anticipated entrance into the hospital. Call (662) 429-7851 to set up an appointment.

## Seriously Sick & Hospitalized

### Please Pray For The Sick

Your prayers are requested for the following who are having/recovering from surgery or are seriously ill:

Bethany Brotherton (B Martin sis), Becky Ashworth (Gaudet Niece), Sarah Galtelli, Brenda Caruthers, Bill Warner, Don Greer, Mike Willey, Joesphine Muzzi, Lucy Holland, Deanne Greer, Scott Peck (Creg Holland bro-in-law), Pat Mentgen, George Nickarz (dad), Wanda Ruby (Pam Hall mom), Claudia Runken (Bettye Mize sis), Rebecca Baker (LaRae), Emma Wilkerson (S. Henderson mom), Joe & Betty Kuhel, Charles Hill, Gene Winters (Nix), Lorraine Faulkner, Chris Reimer (R. Powell bronlaw), Angela Porter (Nix), Donald Grafe (J.Hughes bro), Stanley Chimahusky, Kathy Eldred, Jamie Sullivan (Sabbatini), Chris Bedsole (L. Holland), Al Gawel, Bill & Nancy Brown, Fr. Bob Tucker, Tommy McFarland (K. Church), Glenn Donnelly, Juanita Young, Freda Stovall (Lisa Ward mom), Bobby Nickarz (brother), Betty Ann Byrad (Terry), Joeng Won Cho (Myong's mother), Dorothy Sheffe (C. Massa sis), Fred & Jane Ries, Jennifer Thompson (L. Holland), Melissa McNary (Kistler), Sr. Mary Myles (Powell sis), Jennifer Donnelly, Michael Fancher, Ann Landers (Massa sis-n-law), Toni Fink (Dennie's sis), Rosemary Sabbatini, Lester Johnson (Bob's twin), Jacob Bynum (Blumer nephew), William Selvo (N. French bro), Pat Smith, Chris Selvo (N. French), Barney Norys (Terry), Mary Greenwell (B. Dean's sis), Jared Smith (Liz Brown). Please notify the Pastor when serious illness occurs or when hospitalization is indicated: we would like to strengthen the ill with the Eucharist and the Sacrament of the Sick (Anointing).



Pray for medical professionals, caregivers, and researchers responsible for fighting the new coronavirus. Pray for people at higher risk of developing the disease.

## Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that

You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You **into my soul.**

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually **into my heart.**

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.



### Weekday Mass Schedule

Queen of Peace—Monday, Tuesday & 1<sup>st</sup> Friday at NOON  
Christ the King, Southaven—Wednesday (Bilingual Mass)  
and Thursday (English Mass) at NOON.

**Holy Spirit, Hernando—Thursday and Friday at 8:00 AM**

To send a card or note to **Fr. Bob Tucker, SCJ** you can mail it to:

**RML Specialty Hospital  
Attn: Fr. Robert Tucker, SCJ.  
5601 S. County Line Rd. Room B137  
Hinsdale, IL 60521**



Your continued prayers are much appreciated.

For the purposes of the IRS, we must credit donations in the calendar year we receive them. Consequently, the last day to receive credit for 2020 taxes is December 31<sup>st</sup>, Vigil Mass of the Mother of God.



#### CURRENT Office hours:

**Monday to Friday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.**

Our Religious Goods store is open as well.

### NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS

1. Take God seriously in your life. In this way your life will become living worship.
2. Know that God loves you, and live accordingly. God made you for a reason, and the world would be poorer without you.
3. Take time for prayer; there is no better conversation or greater consolation anywhere else.
4. Trust God to take care of all your needs, for He knows them far better than you do.
5. God has forgiven you much; forgive others. Grudges and anger will only make you miserable, and in the end you will find yourself a lonely, bitter person.
6. Work at making others happy; this is the true road to self fulfillment.
7. Tell those you love that you love them. There is no greater regret than losing a friend or relative to whom we have not expressed our love.
8. Open your heart, your home and your purse to the poor and needy. It will make you a better person and lay up treasure for you in heaven.
9. Seek consolation and forgiveness through genuine contrition. No one ever stands so straight as one who kneels before God as sinner.
10. Love your religion and be proud of your Christian calling and faith. Teach it to your children and grandchildren. And remember; actions speak louder than words.

Peace and a Happy New Year  
by: Fr. Charles E. Yost, SCJ (2013)



### BAPTISM REGISTRATIONS--

Please contact Sister Emily (662-342-1073 or [ctksemily@aol.com](mailto:ctksemily@aol.com)) for an appointment by **January 7<sup>th</sup>**.

Interviews will take place on Saturday, January 16<sup>th</sup>. **Baptism days will be on Saturday, January 30<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup>.**

Qualifications for Godparents are that they are practicing Catholics, registered in a parish, attending Mass regularly, baptized, confirmed, Holy Communion and if married, married in the Catholic Church.

Godparents who live in another parish require a letter from their pastor recommending them as godparents.

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### First Reconciliation.

**Christ the King / For all 6 parishes.**

**Saturday, January 16<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am.**

**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and**

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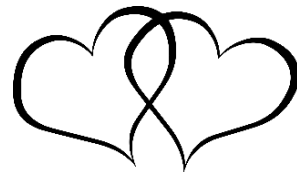


# JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

1. Sarah Leach, Conley Brant
2. Walker Craft
3. David Yelverton, Anna Brooke Lara, Alice Rush, Carl Simmons
4. Hailie Bradley (Hoover), Elias Abide
5. Simon Dean
6. Amy Arnell, Andrew McIngvale, Ned Sabbatini, John Leach, Adam Henning
7. Jane Thompson
8. Natalie Radic
9. Sandra Pannell
10. Sheila Tatum Johnson, Ann Goff, Alex Robinson
11. Isabel Young
12. K K Smith, Barbara McAnally
13. Bradley Wallace, Hudson Hunt
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15. Josh Michael, Gavin Vincent
16. Emilio Flores
17. Alice Gunn, Connor Skinner, Liz Wheeler
18. Mark Kemper, Bob Filiault
19. Minerva Hanna, Shaw Moore
20. Charles Menne, Hu Smith, Matthew Raff, Paul Mahla
21. James Salmon, Anna Edwards, Michael Six, Elaine Riffe
22. George Wallace, Jessica Jansen, Angela Ringer, Leslie Rhodes
23. Scott Rials, Linda Davis
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25. Deidre Thyer
- 26.
27. Gonda Riggs
28. Ashley Haskins, Chris Fleming, Dwaine Scott, Ginger Raff, Michael Fuselier, Brad Palmertree, Jackson Loftis
29. Kimberly Reed, Joseph Ingoglia, Dennis Johnson, Dan Voshake, Rusty Watts
30. Sam Hall III, Diamond Ramirez
31. Pam Hall, Jennifer Barrasso, Ethan Michael Hall, Shawn Arnell, Alex Bowles, Jr.

# ANNIVERSARIES

1. Alfre & Diamond Ramirez
5. Kevin & Heather Farmer
6. Steve & Katrina Owens "29"
7. Patrick & Arlie Walters
10. William & Allyson Nicholas
12. Lee & Felicia Hill
16. Adam & Christa Hawks
- 18.
- 19.
23. David & Andre Mroz, Chuck & Roxann Hendryx "44"
26. Josh & Stacy Michael
27. Ryan & Sasha



**THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD  
HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH**

**January 3, 2021**

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**OPENING SONG**      *Once In Royal David's City*

**IRBY**

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| <p>1. Once in royal David's city Stood a lowly cattle shed, Where a mother laid her baby In a manger for his bed. Mary was that mother mild, Jesus Christ her little Child.</p> <p>2. He came down to earth from heaven Who is God and Lord of all, And his shelter was a stable, And his cradle was a stall. With the poor and mean and lowly Lived on earth our Savior holy.</p> <p>3. And through all his wondrous childhood He would honor and obey, Love and watch the lowly maiden In whose gentle arms he lay. Christian children all should be Kind, obedient, good as he.</p> <p>4. For he is our childhood's pattern, Day by day like us he grew; He was little, weak, and helpless, Tears and smiles like us he knew: And he feels for all our sadness, And he shares in all our gladness.</p> <p>5. And our eyes at last shall see him, Through his own redeeming love; For that child so dear and gentle Is our Lord in heav'n above: And he leads his children on To the place where he has gone.</p> |
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**PENITENTIAL RITE**

**GLORY TO GOD**

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**OPENING PRAYER**

**+ + LITURGY OF THE WORD + +**

**First Reading** — Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! The Lord shines upon you and the glory of the Lord appears over you (Isaiah 60:1-6)

**Psalm** — **Lord, every nation on earth will adore you** (Psalm 72)

**Second Reading** — The Gentiles are coheirs, copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6)

**Gospel** — Magi from the east arrived, looking for the newborn king of the Jews (Matthew 2:1-12)

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**ALLELUIA**

**GOSPEL:**

**HOMILY**

**CREED** I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL - UNIVERSAL PRAYER**

**+ + LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST + +**

**PREPARATION SONG**      *We Three Kings*

**Kings of Orient**

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| <p>1. We three kings of Orient are; Bearing gifts we traverse afar Field and fountain, Moor and mountain, following yonder star. <b>R</b></p> <p>2. Born a King on Bethlehem's plain, Gold I bring to crown him again, King forever, Ceasing never Over us all to reign. <b>R</b></p> <p>3. Frankincense to offer have I: Incense owns a Deity nigh; Prayer and praising Gladly raising, Worship him, God on high. <b>R</b></p> <p>4. Myrrh is mine; its bitter perfume Breathes a life of gathering gloom; Sorrowing, sighing, Bleeding, dying, Sealed in the stone cold tomb. <b>R</b></p> <p>5. Glorious now behold him arise, King and God and Sacrifice; "Alleluia, Alleluia!" Sounds through the earth and skies. <b>R</b></p> <p><b>Refrain:</b> O star of wonder, star of night, Star with royal beauty bright; Westward leading, still proceeding, Guide us to thy perfect light.</p> |
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**HOLY HOLY** Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

**MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION**

**GREAT AMEN**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**SIGN OF PEACE**

**LAMB OF GOD**

**COMMUNION SONG**

*What Child Is This*

*Greensleeves*

1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, On Mary's lap is sleeping? Whom angels greet with anthems sweet, While shepherds watch are keeping? **R**
  2. Why lies he in such mean estate Where ox and ass are feeding? Good Christian, fear: for sinners here The silent Word is pleading. **R**
  3. So bring him incense, gold, and myrrh, Come peasant, king, to own him; The King of kings salvation brings, Let loving hearts enthrone him. **R**
- Refrain:** This, this is Christ the King, Whom shepherds guard and angels sing; Haste, haste to bring him laud, The babe, the son of Mary.

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

**CONCLUDING RITES**

**FINAL BLESSING**

**CLOSING SONG**

*God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen*

*God Rest You Merry*

1. God rest you merry, gentlemen, Let nothing you dismay; Remember Christ our Savior Was born on Christmas Day To save us all from Satan's pow'r When we were gone astray. **R**
  2. From God our heav'nly Father A blessed angel came, And unto certain shepherds Brought tidings of the same, How that in Bethlehem was born The Son of God by name. **R**
  3. "Fear not, then," said the angel, "Let nothing you affright; This day is born a Savior O Virgin pure and bright, To free all those who trust in him From Satan's pow'r and might." **R**
  4. Now to the Lord sing praises, All you within this place, And with true love and charity Each other now embrace; This holy tide of Christmas is filled with heav'nly grace. **R**
- Refrain:** O tidings of comfort and joy, Comfort and joy; O tidings of comfort and joy.

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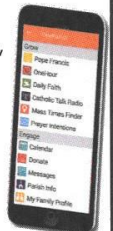
### WHY IS IT

A man wakes up after sleeping  
under an ADVERTISED blanket  
on an ADVERTISED mattress  
and pulls off ADVERTISED pajamas  
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shaves with an ADVERTISED razor  
brushes his teeth  
with ADVERTISED toothpaste  
washes with ADVERTISED soap  
puts on ADVERTISED clothes  
drinks a cup  
of ADVERTISED coffee  
drives to work  
in an ADVERTISED car  
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