

# *All Saints Church*



## *The Epiphany of the Lord*

Parish Staff

Rev. Msgr. Michael John Witt, Ph.D., M.Div. - Pastor

Sunday Mass: 10:00a.m.

Confessions: 9:45-9:55 a.m. Sun. or by appointment

Weekday Mass: In church Mon. through Thursday 7:30a.m.

Holyday Mass 7:30a.m. in rectory

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Mass Intentions

7:30AM Mass will be in the rectory.

Table with 4 columns: Date, Time, Day, Intention. Rows include 01/04 Mon Eldon Carren, 01/05 Tues Ellen and Carl Covey, 01/06 Wed James & Isabelle Patterson, 01/07 Thurs Albert Ortiz, 01/10 Sun People of the Parish.

Liturgical Roles

January 10, 2021
There will be no servers or Eucharistic ministers at this time.

Table listing roles: Lectors (Art Wynkoop, Pam Nickels), Usher/Greeter (Joe Clooney, Tom Lachajczyk), Finance Ministers (Steve Marsh, Ed Nickels).

Your Gifts to God and Parish

Contributions for December 20

Table with 2 columns: Category, Amount. Rows: Envelopes (15) \$2890.00, Loose \$5015.00, Total Contributions \$7905.00.

Totals for the rest of December will be in the January 10 bulletin.

No one who is uncomfortable attending mass is obligated to do so. If you are uncomfortable being a minister there is no obligation to do so.

Many parishes are still broadcasting Mass. You can find them on their web sites.



In your charity, please remember those who are suffering in body, mind or spirit:

- List of names: Glori L'Ecuyer, Mary Ann Bourbon, Dorothy Figueras, Dona Langheier, Darryl Bullard, Rita Carr, Suretha Thomas, Daven Schanche, Orson Abernathy, Billie Hoffman, Annie Howard, Fr. Fred Edwards, Jacob Schneider, Nicole Meyer, Kyle Patterson, Tim Patterson, Rita Stanley, Elsie Glickert, Kathy Breeding, Linda Davis, Jessica Williams, Alphonso Thomas Jr., William Leo Bursak, Susan Burgers, Adela Ciza, Mattie Pruitt, Sandra Spirk, Kevin Wirthlin, Tanya Gibson, Dorphine Deavault, Robert Levy, Carol Kueker, Judith Wolf, Sue Anne Whitener, Brandon Carter, Pat Patterson, Cathy Jacobi, Mark L'Ecuyer, Fay Barnett, Andre Turner.

Those in Assisted Living and Nursing Homes
Mary Jaquet, Ollie Wilson, May Mosbey, Hazel Chambers, Robert Roberson



Readings for the Week of January 4 through January 10, 2021

- Monday: 1 Jn 3:22 — 4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a; St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; St. John Neumann Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13; St. Andre Bessette Mk 6:45-52
Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19 — 5:4; Ps 72: 1-2, 14, St. Raymond 15bc, 17; Lk 4:14-22a
Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 5:12-16
Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 3:22-30
Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Mk 1:7-11

### Reflecting on God’s Word

What are the major attractions in your area? Are they natural wonders, spectacular buildings, engaging activities, powerful people, works of art? We expect people to stream to see rock stars and queens, the Eiffel Tower and the Grand Canyon. In today’s scriptures, however, we see “tourists” attracted to two very lowly and humble “sights.”

Jerusalem was a sorry sight when the scripture from Isaiah was written. The prophet’s vision must have seemed impossible to those who heard this message. And yet, today Jerusalem is a major tourist attraction. We also know that through the Jews many other people—Christians and Muslims—have been attracted to the one Lord.

Jesus himself must have seemed very weak and insignificant in comparison to the rich and powerful King Herod, and later on compared to the priests and Pharisees. Yet, even from his birth, people streamed to him. Like the “tourists” in today’s Gospel, people saw something in him that led them to worship and serve the Lord. And through him they came to understand what God intended for their life journeys.

—Virginia Stillwell  
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Promise Fulfilled

Isaiah reminds the people of God that the land shall be restored to their possession, they shall rejoice to see their people return from the bondage of exile, and they shall be a light to the nations. In other words, through the people of Israel, the Savior shall come to all people who seek God with a sincere heart. This brings joy and the radiance of God’s glory to all the world and to all people everywhere. Through the fidelity of the people of God, and through God’s fidelity to them, all people shall become God’s children and rejoice in the fulfillment of God’s promise to Israel.

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*If you see only shadows,  
that means a light  
is  
shining nearby.*

### Living God’s Word

The Church is the new Israel, called to attract all people to the Lord. We must be “the place where the child” (Matthew 2:9) is found today. God’s glory shines through the Church and, despite our many flaws, we are called to become the “place” where everyone can find the Lord and “[do] him homage” (2:11).

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When the song of  
the angels is stilled  
When the Star in the sky  
is gone  
When the kings and the princes  
are home  
When the Shepherds are back  
with their flocks

The work of Christmas begins:  
To find the lost  
To heal the broken  
To feed the hungry  
To release the prisoner  
To build the nation  
To bring peace among people  
To make music in the heart

Howard Thurman

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