

Mass Intention
9 January - 17 January 2021

9 January 2021 - Saturday - Christmas weekday

8.30 am:

4.30 pm: +Evelyn McDonald *by Doreen and Jeff McDonald*

10 January 2021 - Sunday - Baptism of the Lord

8.30 am: +John Galligan *by Ed Sykes*

11.00 am:

11 January 2021 - Monday - First week in Ordinary Time

8.30 am:

12 January 2021 - Tuesday - Weekday

8.30 am:

13 January 2021 - Wednesday - Weekday

8.30 am: No Mass

14 January 2021 - Thursday - Weekday

8.30 am:+James J King (13th Anniversary) *by Anne M.King &family*

15 January 2021 - Friday - Weekday

8.30 am:

16 January 2021 - Saturday - Weekday

4.30 pm:

17 January 2021 - Sunday - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8.30 am: +Ed & Joan Sykes *by Ed Sykes*

11.00 am:

Prayer for Peace

Lord Jesus Christ, who are called the Prince of Peace, who are yourself our peace and reconciliation, who so often said, 'Peace to you', grant us peace. Make all men and women witnesses of truth, justice, and brotherly love.

Banish from their hearts whatever might endanger peace. Enlighten our rulers that they may guarantee and defend the great gift of peace. May all peoples of the earth become as brothers and sisters. May longed-for peace blossom forth and reign always over us all. ~ Saint John XXIII

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BAPTISM OF THE LORD

**You
are
My
Beloved
SON**



**With
You
I Am
well
pleased**

Regular Mass with Social – Distancing

Saturday: 4.30 pm — Holy Cross Church

Sunday: 8.30 am — St. Patrick's Church

11.00 am — Holy Cross Church

"Peace is a gift of God, but requires our efforts. Let us be people of peace in prayer and deed." - Pope Francis.

Creating Space for God

Discipline is the other side of discipleship. Discipleship without discipline is like waiting to run in the marathon without ever practicing. Discipline without discipleship is like always practicing for the marathon but never participating. It is important, however, to realize that discipline

in the spiritual life is not the same as discipline in sports. Discipline in sports is the concentrated effort to master the body so that it can obey the mind better. Discipline in the spiritual life is the concentrated effort to create the space and time where God can become our master and where we can respond freely to God's guidance.



“The star is Christ,” “but we too can and must also be the star for our brothers and sisters, as witnesses of the treasures of goodness and infinite mercy that the Redeemer offers freely to everyone.” – Pope Francis

PRAY FOR THE SICK

J. Gottesmann, W. Rieger, K. Eschenberg, J. Feeley, R. Knack, Ron Rhodes JR, Dan Buddenhagen, Brenda Long, Mary Ann, Eileem Ohman, Madeleine Wootan, Olga Viruet, Anita Robertson, Linda Roche, Gloria Grunn, Marcia Bauer, Frank M Geosits Jr, Baby Alexian, Shirley Rangaves, Jerome Bauer, Josephine, Danny Andrews, Dr.Kuncar, Christopher Milk , Vincent McCarthy and all sick and needy.

To submit a name please call the Rectory



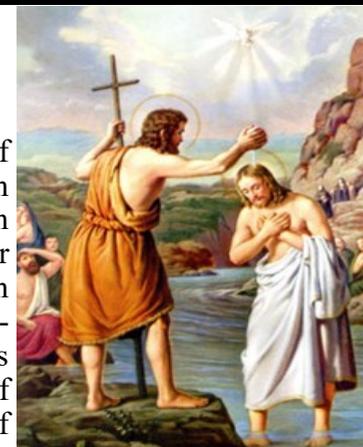
LITURGY OF WORD

First Reading: Is 55:1-11

Second Reading: 1John 5:1-9

Gospel Reading: Mk 1: 7-11

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord. This brings to an end the season of Christmas. The Church recalls Our Lord's second manifestation or epiphany which occurred on the occasion of His baptism in the Jordan. Jesus descended into the River to sanctify its waters and to give them the power to beget sons of God. The event takes on the importance of a second creation in which the entire Trinity intervenes.



In the Eastern Church this feast is called Theophany because at the baptism of Christ in the River Jordan God appeared in three persons. The baptism of John was a sort of sacramental preparatory for the Baptism of Christ. It moved men to sentiments of repentance and induced them to confess their sins. Christ did not need the baptism of John. Although He appeared in the “substance of our flesh” and was recognized “outwardly like unto ourselves”, He was absolutely sinless and impeccable. He conferred upon the water the power of the true Baptism which would remove all the sins of the world: “Behold the Lamb of God, behold Him Who takes away the sin of the world”.

Many of the incidents which accompanied Christ's baptism are symbolical of what happened at our Baptism. At Christ's baptism the Holy Spirit descended upon Him; at our Baptism the Trinity took its abode in our soul. At His baptism Christ was proclaimed the “Beloved Son” of the Father; at our Baptism we become the adopted sons of God. At Christ's baptism the heavens were opened; at our Baptism heaven was opened to us. At His baptism Jesus prayed; after our Baptism we must pray to avoid actual sin.

Stewardship January 3, 2021

Sunday Collection	\$ 1239.00
Second Collection	\$ 75.00
Candle	\$ 33.00
Poor Box	\$ 20.00
Altar Crib	\$ 11.00

With Prayers & Blessings of God the Father

Fr. John Kennady MMI
Dn. John Lyttle
10 January 2021