



Rev. Eric Asante, Administrator

SACRED HEART~ST. CATHERINE

of Sweden Parish

The Baptism of the Lord

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Lords Day

SATURDAY:4:00 PM

SUNDAY:10:00 AM

NOON (African)

Weekday

MON, TUES, WED & FRI 9:00 AM

Holy Days

See Bulletin

Blessed Sacrament

Adoration/First Friday

9:30am - 5:30pm

Confessions: Every

Saturday 3-3:30pm



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Food Pantry Hours: Thursday

9:45am -2:30pm and

Saturday 10am -1pm

Prayer Shawls Ministry

call the rectory

Bingo: Every Friday 6:30-10pm

lower church hall

596 Cambridge Street Worcester, MA 01610



January 17th, 2020

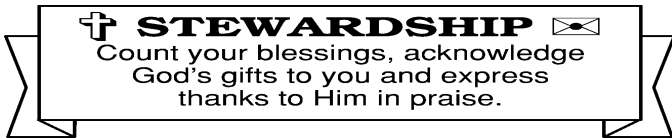
Team #3-

The Every –Week Crew and Early Shift Workers

Theresa Courtney, John Harrington, Lisa Hickory, Ed Corrigan, Carole Nourse, Jeannine Corrigan, Debra Diaz, Donald Ducharme, Fran Peperato, Debbie Plant, Paul Levesque, Donna Niles & Michael Burgraff

**Ladies Guild Kitchen Crew:
Beverly Farrar & Theresa Gallagher**

I am sorry for the confusion over the bingo schedule, I appreciate your patience. Call me anytime with corrections or feedback.



**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING
Jan. 4th & Jan 5th**

Did you forget your envelopes? Did you attend Mass somewhere else and forget to send in your missed envelope? You can sign up for online giving or use the app to never miss a stewardship giving. The app is called ConnectNow Giving or visit our website to sign up for online giving. Any questions please call the rectory. If your envelopes are not at the back of the church, please call the office. Thank You!

Thank you all for your generosity to the collection for the Religious Retirement! What a great way to give back to those who serve us and the Lord.

With winter upon us, a reminder that if Worcester Public Schools close due to snow, there will be no 9:00 a.m. mass that day. A flock note will also go out that day letting you know. If Worcester Public Schools has a delay, mass is still on. If you are not receiving flock notes and would like too, please call the office and let me know. Thank you!

Giving Tree: Warmest thanks to everyone who provided a gift for a child at Christmas. Due to the overwhelming generosity of our parishioners, Santa brought joy to 135 area children. Special thanks to those who graciously gave time, talent, and energy to this labor of love.



Upcoming Events

January

Epiphany Meal –details to come

Please join us for Coffee Shop after 10:00 a.m. mass every Sunday. You can catch up with old friends, meet some new people and have a sweet treat.

St. Anthony's Pantry is requesting blankets, comforters, afghans, etc. that are needed for families whose homes are not heated. The need for winter clothing is ongoing. Thank you in advance

First Friday Adoration

Do you have time to sit with our Lord, Jesus? Join us any time throughout the day on the first Friday of the month. Adoration begins at the end of 9:00 a.m. mass and concludes with Benediction at 5:30 p.m.

Please join us every Sunday after the 10:00 a.m. mass to recite the rosary.

Volunteers needed: If you have some spare time on Wednesday mornings after 9:00 am mass, there is a small group that has been cleaning the church at that time. Things are always done faster in a group. Drop in and lend a hand. It would be very much appreciated. We hope to see you there!

If you need a tax statement for your donations, please call Maryellen in the office

**WEEK OF January 11th & 12th 2019
SCHEDULE OF MASSES AND LITURGIES**

*Sat. Jan. 11th—Vigil The Baptism of the Lord
4:00 PM*
*Sun. Jan. 12th- The Baptism of the Lord
10:00 AM—
11:00 AM Recitation of the Rosary
12:00PM (African Mass)*
*Sat. Jan 18th-Vigil of 2nd Sunday if Ordinary
Time
4:00 PM -*
*Sun., Jan. 19th 10:00 AM- The 2nd Sunday in Or-
dinary Time
10:00 AM -*



(As of Monday)

Saint Vincent Hospital at Worcester Medical Center:
No one listed

We will not be calling UMass Memorial as they don't have an system to give us the information we need. If you or a loved one is in one of those hospitals please let us know so we can be sure to visit them and pray for them.

Please continue to pray for all of our service men & women who serve to protect us.



(Please arrive at least 15 minutes before Mass)

Saturday, January 12th

Lector:

Commentator:

Ministers of Holy Communion:

Sunday, January 13th

Lector:

Commentator:

Altar Servers:

Ministers of Holy Communion:

Can't make it to the March for Life in D. C. ? Let's kick off Respect Life Month together! "Let Life Live" event to be held at Sacred Heart-St. Catherine of Sweden Parish Hall, 596 Cambridge Street, Worcester on Saturday, January 11th 12-3:30 p.m. We will have music from Musicians for Life, speakers, Reps from Problem Pregnancy, Visitation House, Mass Citizens for life, 40 Days for Life, First Concern and more! For more information call Lynn at (508) 612-3999.

Word of Life

"Heavenly Father, thank you for the precious gift of life. Help us to cherish and protect this gift, even in the midst of fear, pain and suffering....Grant us the humility to accept help when we are in need, and teach us to be merciful to all"