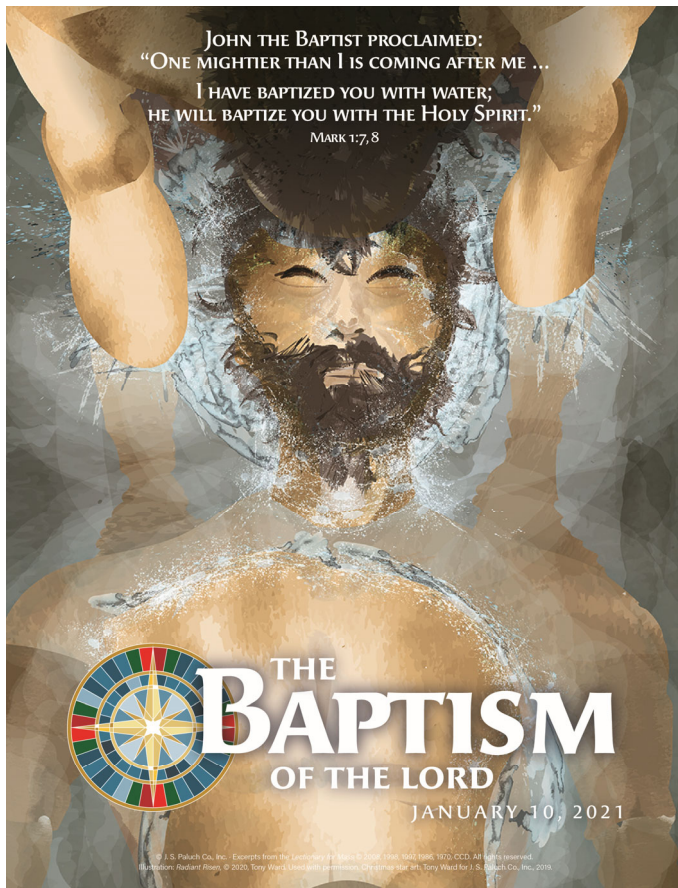


Sacred Heart of Jesus & St. Mary Church

January 10, 2021



Mass Schedule:

Confessions are heard 30 minutes before every Mass.

	<u>Sacred Heart</u>	<u>St. Mary</u>
Tuesday	12:05 p.m.	
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.	
Thursday		7:00 a.m.
Friday	7:00 a.m.	
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	
Sunday	7:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
	9:00 a.m.	

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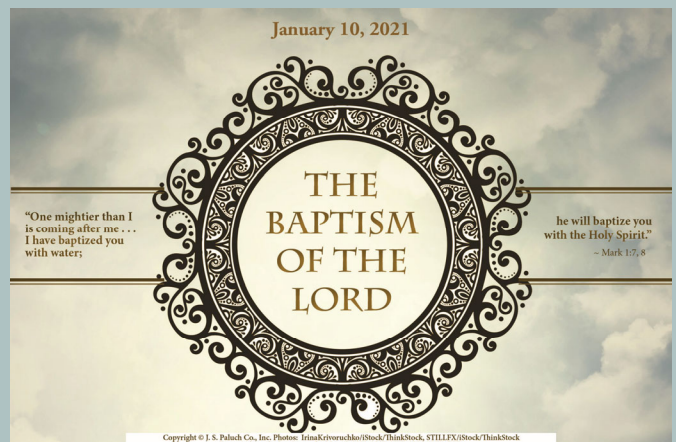
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MASS INTENTIONS
JANUARY 10 – JANUARY 17, 2021

Tuesday, January 12, 2021, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 12:05 p.m.: Thelma Brasseaux, Geraldine Richard

Wednesday, January 13, 2021, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 6:00 p.m.: Hilary Bourque

Thursday, January 14, 2021, St. Mary's 7:00 a.m. Bert Guiberteau, Sr., Fermin Matarrita, Vita Matarrita, Julia Matarrita

Friday, January 15, 2021 Sacred Heart of Jesus 7:00 a.m John and Rosemary Dugas, Joseph and Toot Thibodeaux, Anthony DiCapo

Saturday, January 16, 2021, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 4:00 p.m. In thanksgiving of Mother Mary, Michael Race, Robin Cropper, Malcolm Meche, Owen Henry, Joseph Carroll Wyble & Alzier

Sunday, January 17, 2021, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 7:00 a.m.: Willie & Laura Galloway, Perkins & Georgia LaHaye & Carolyn & Randy, Betty Scruggins

Sunday, January 17, 2021, Sacred Heart of Jesus, 9:00 a.m.: Parochial Mass for all Parishioners

Sunday, January 17, 2021, St. Mary Church, 11:00 a.m.: John and Rosemary Dugas, Joseph and Toot Thibodeaux

First Saturday Mass will be on Saturday, February 6, 2021 at St. Mary's Church at 9:00 a.m.

The Knights of Columbus meet on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. The next meeting is on Tuesday, January 19, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.

**Sacred Heart of Jesus
Collections**

Offertory
12/28/2020
5,638.10
1/3/2021
3,286.00

**St. Mary Church
Collections**

Offertory
12/28/2020
1,035.71
1/3/2021
1,468.32

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Sunday, January 10, 2021

Baptism of the Lord

January 10, 2021 The Baptism of the Lord

THE WATERS OF BAPTISM

When new sod is put in, it needs constant saturation with water. Landscapers say that this “knits” the sod to the soil. The same when a branch is grafted onto a tree: the poultice that joins them at the splice must be kept wet at all times. Water is the stuff that binds the very cells of our bodies together. No wonder religions throughout all times and cultures have used it so prominently. When Jesus stepped into the Jordan for baptism, he “knit” himself to what had come before him. By going to the Jordan, he made himself one with the people of Israel who had crossed it into their Promised Land. With John the Baptist, Christ wove himself into the prophetic tradition that heralded the coming reign of God. He had become fully human in the waters of Mary’s womb, and by partaking in the rite of the baptism of repentance, Jesus identified himself with our sinful, frail humanity. It is through the waters of baptism that Christ continues to graft new members onto his Body, the Church; through these waters we are cleansed from sin and filled with the promise of grace, given our destiny for eternal life. For us, as for Jesus, it is also the waters of baptism that inaugurate our mission to proclaim the Good News.

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TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — Behold my servant with whom I am pleased; he shall bring forth justice to the nations (Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7) or Isaiah 55:1-11.

Psalms — The Lord will bless his people with peace (Psalm 29) or Isaiah 12:2-6.

Second Reading — God anointed him with the Holy Spirit (Acts 10:34-38) or 1 John 5:1-9.

Gospel — You are my beloved Son, with you I am well pleased (Mark 1:7-11).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1, 2b, 6, 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-11; Mk 1:40-45

Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4bc, 6c-8; Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 2:13-17

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10;

1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

Confessions

Confessions will be held in St. Joseph’s Hall

Tuesdays 11:00-11:45

Wednesdays 5:00-5:45

Saturdays 3:00-3:45

Masks must be worn during Confessions

Confirmation Retreat

Confirmation Retreat for Sacred Heart/St.

Mary students will be on

January 16, 2021 at

St. Joseph’s Hall. Students arrive at

8:30 a.m. All students are required to

attend.

SAINT HILARY (c. 315-367)

January 13

Born in Poitiers, France, whose populace would later elect him bishop, Hilary, married and a father, was converted from paganism to Christianity through his reading of scripture. The focus of his prayerful study was the Prologue to the Gospel according to John, which portrays Jesus as the divine Logos, eternally begotten of the Father. As a result, Hilary became in the words of the biblical scholar Jerome, “the Latin Trumpet against the Arians,” heretics who believed Jesus to be merely human, not divine.

In defense of Christ’s divinity, Hilary was not only eloquent in debate but utterly fearless in the face of relentless persecution and even exile. Thus by the witness of his own discipleship, Hilary taught that faith in Jesus as the divine Son of God has consequences. Reflecting on Jesus’ challenge to his disciples, “You are the salt of the earth” (Matthew 5:13), Hilary notes that, as salt both preserves

from corruption and adds savor to food, so must the faithful disciple bear a witness that, by word and example, leads others to immortality and virtuous living.

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Health Buggy Bus

Health Buggy Bus will be in Sacred Heart Parking Lot on Thursday, January 14, 2021 from 8:00 a.m.

to 11:00 a.m. Free cholesterol checks, Glucose (Blood Sugar) levels and dietary consults.

Open to all.

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