

MONDAY, January 9

The Baptism of the Lord

7:30 AM Mem. for Alice F. Byrne & Deceased Members of the Byrne Family – A Bequest

TUESDAY, January 10

7:30 AM Mem. for Timothy Sheehy, by Family

WEDNESDAY, January 11

7:30 AM 9th Anniv. for Rev. Msgr. Paul A. Lloyd

FRIDAY, January 13

7:30 AM Communion Service

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY, January 14

4:00 PM 6th Anniv.for Manuel Martins and Mem. for Norberta C. Martins by Children

SUNDAY, January 15

9:00 AM Mem. for Lois Barry

11:00 AM Mem. for Luis Neto & Maria Joanta Carlos, by Family - Birthday Remembrance

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of all those having Masses celebrated this week. Also pray for our Homebound Parishioners and all the sick in Hospitals and Nursing Homes.

Readings for the Week of January 8

Monday Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11;

Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Mk 1:7-11

1 Sm 1:9-20; Mk 1:21-28 or 1 Sm 1:1-8 **Tuesday**

and 1:9-20; Mk 1:14-20 and 1:21-28

Wednesday 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Mk 1:29-39

Thursday 1 Sm 4:1-11: Mk 1:40-45

Friday 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Mk 2:1-12

1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19, 10:1a; Mk 2:13-17 Saturday



Tuesday, January 10

9:00 - 11:00 AM or 7:00 - 9:00 PM - Adult RCIA Classes – Saint Mary's Rectory Meeting Room

Sunday, January 15

9:00 AM K thru 6 from 9 to 10:30 followed by Mass 10:30 AM Grades 7 & 8

begin with 10:30 AM Mass ending at 1 PM.



SATURDAY, January 14

4:00 PM E. Ministers: Beat Sharkey

Steve Sharkey Lector: Sarah Colson Servers:

SUNDAY, January 15

9:00 AM E. Ministers: Art Eichholz

Lector: Susana Medeiros Servers: MacKenzie McBurney

11:00 AM E. Ministers:

Kerrie Mendes Cris McBurnev Lector:

Nicole Saar, Ashley Monteiro Servers:

Parish Support

Weekly Support for Week of January 1

Weekly Collection...... \$2435.00 Fuel & Maintenance.... \$1294.00

Thank you for your continued generosity.

The Second Collection next weekend will be for Catholic University



Dear Parishioners;

Today the Church celebrates the feast of the Epiphany. Usually the Church celebrates the Epiphany on January 6 but for convenience in the United States we transfer the feast to Sunday. Epiphany is the "12th" day of Christmas and is sometimes called "Little Christmas." The opening prayer of the Mass tells us what we celebrate. "Father, you revealed your Son to the nations by the guidance of a star."

The Church is speaking of the universal Kingdom of Christ; The manifestation - which is what Epiphany means - to the nations, the pagans, the Magi - the three Kings - are a representation of all the nations. Who they were and where they came from were unessential to the early Christians. What was most important was that they represented the whole world.

This manifestation of Jesus to the world reestablished the conversation of men and women with God. It is reestablished at God's initiative after being lost by our sin. In Jesus, God reconciles us to himself - and shows us the depth of his love for us!

The Celebration of Christmas is also a reminder to us of our need to be generous to those who have not been so greatly blessed. I have seen your generosity in response to this call during the past few weeks. Through you sharing of your gifts we have been able to help a number of families enjoy Christmas.

I pray that the new born child of Bethlehem may reward you every day for your support of this parish and its ministries.

Have a good week! Fr. Ledoux