

**THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD  
JANUARY 6, 2019  
MASS INTENTIONS  
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*Daily Mass in the Chapel this week will be held on Monday through Wednesday:*

Saturday, 4:00pm	Mary Jane Hamilton, req. by son, David Hamilton and family
Sunday, 9:30am	Sandy Mercuri, req. by Terri & Gary Wilson
Monday, 12:00pm	Dr. James Watson, req. by Joe & Cathy Adamitis
Tuesday, 12:00pm	Joan Lavelle, req. by Michael Lavelle
Wednesday, 12:00pm	Joe Caruso, req. by Sandy Mercuri
Saturday, 4:00pm	Mary Jo Mulpagano, birthday, req. by her parents, Olga & Nick Mulpagano
Sunday, 9:30am	Helen Robinson, req. by Theresa Montalto and family

**Weekend Masses - Blessed Sacrament Church**

**Saturday - 5:00pm  
Sunday - 7:30am, 9:30am, and 11:30am**

WE ASK YOUR PRAYERS FOR THE SPIRITUAL COMFORT AND RESTORATION OF HEALTH FOR: MaryAnne Hines, Kim Harrington (granddaughter of John and Joanne Harrington), Sandra Betts, Desiree Landers, Nate Wagner, Madeline Duda, Ann Martin, Marilynn Bause, sister of Lauren Brooks, John Ferguson, (brother of Linda James and Sue Overton) Judy D'Amore, Tom Dettmer, brother of Sharon Dettmer Welch, and Martin Griffin. (These prayer requests will remain for one month on the list and for them to continue or to be removed, or to add a new name, please contact the rectory.)

**ALTAR SERVERS WEEKEND: 01/12-01/13**

**4:00pm- ADULT VOLUNTEERS  
9:30am- Arophing Ater, Alual Lual, Jamar Lee**

**LECTORS: 01/12-01/13**

**4:00pm – Kathy Deaver  
9:30am – Lena Murphy, Ray Shandorf**

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – 01/12-01/13**

**4:00pm– Bob James, Jennifer Modugno, Olga Mulpagano  
9:30am – Felicia Castricone, Lori Gilbert, Jennifer Kline**

**GREETERS –01/13/19**

**9:30am – Jennifer Kline, Donna Kassman**



**COFFEE HOUR – January 13, 2019  
Donut Pick Up: Lori Gilbert  
Hosts: 9:30am: Donna Kassman Group**

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Hours are Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, 8:30am - 12:30pm. The office will be closed on Wednesday, and Friday.**

**Pastor's Notes**

*Dear friends,*

*It was nice to see so many of you and your families over the Christmas season! Thank you to all who served in many areas to make the St. Vincent's liturgies special.*

*Are you looking to learn more about your Catholic faith? The Office of Formation for Ministry is accepting registrations for spring courses in Syracuse, Utica and Binghamton. Courses include Pastoral Care, Evangelization, Liturgy, Church History, Collaborative Ministry, and Spirituality of Leadership. Courses are open to anyone interested in learning more about these topics. For more information, please visit our website at [formationforministrysyr.org](http://formationforministrysyr.org) or call 315-470-1491.*

*Fr. John Rose  
Pastor*

**FINANCES**

12/25/18	ATTENDANCE (Christmas)	576
	Offertory	\$2,607.75
	Received from 49 env.	\$1,437.75
	Loose:	\$1,170.00
	Bldg. Fund:	\$ 0.00
12/30/18	ATTENDANCE	204
	Offertory	\$2,190.00
	Received from 48 envelopes	\$1,350.00
	Loose:	\$ 840.00
	Bldg. Fund:	\$ 40.00

**Mary kept all these things pondering them in her heart - We would do well to imitate Mary. Instead of criticizing let's "keep it in our hearts". After meeting Jesus, the Magi returned home by "another way." What in your family needs to be done "another way?" This is a new year, time to change what isn't working.**

**A reminder from the Parish Office – articles and information for the weekly bulletin are due by the Tuesday of the previous week by 10:00am. The Parish Secretary's New Year's resolution is not to accept anything later!**



**Faith Formation Classes:**

**Classes resume today, January 6th. Please contact Kathyrene Sparaco ([315-729-0286/sparacok@gmail.com](mailto:315-729-0286/sparacok@gmail.com)) with any questions.**

**Confirmation I Class will meet on Sunday, January 6<sup>th</sup> from 10:45am-12:00pm in the church hall.**

**Confirmation II Class will meet on Sunday, January 13<sup>th</sup> from 10:45am-12:00pm in the church hall.**

**First Communion classes will be beginning in February!** If you have a child who is planning on receiving the sacrament this Spring, please plan on attending an information meeting on Sunday, January 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am in the Chapel. Contact Kathyne Sparaco at 315-729-0286 with any questions. All are invited to attend, even if your child is not currently enrolled in Sunday Faith Formation classes.



Remember for just \$5.00 you could be the next winner of the 50/50 raffle. The next drawing is Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup> after the 9:30am mass. Contact Bob James at 315 471-0818 for tickets or more information.

### **YOUTH**

Youth Committee will meet on Monday, January 14<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-7:00pm in the church hall.

Movie Night is Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-8:00pm in the church hall.

Basketball Ministry is on Saturday from 12:00-4:00pm in the school gym. Volunteers to assist with this program are needed. Other mini-programs will be offered.

Please support St. Vincent's Youth Ministry programs with donations of cans and bottles to the Shop City Bottle and Can Return (New Location) where we have an account. It is in the Shop City Section near the Fish Cove.

### **MEETINGS**

Legion of Mary will meet on Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup>, from 1:00-2:00pm in the church hall.

### **OTHER EVENTS**

Monthly French Toast Breakfast for the first Sunday of each month is in the Blessed Sacrament School Cafeteria, 3127 James St. A full breakfast of French Toast or waffles, real maple syrup, Gianelli breakfast sausage links and more! Adult full portion is \$7.00. Seniors and 12 and under junior portion is \$5.00. 4 years and under is free. Maximum charge for immediate family is \$20.00. The next breakfast will be on Sunday, January 6<sup>th</sup>, from 7:30am-11:00am. Proceeds from this breakfast to the Yunlife El Salvador youth mission trip, hosted by the Knights of Columbus. Questions, please call Dan Horan at 315-741-0011.

Msgr. Stephen J Rossetti of the Diocese of Syracuse will present "The Crisis in the Church: Didn't We Fix This?" Saturday, January 12, 2019 at Holy Cross Church in DeWitt. The presentation will begin at 10:00am and all are welcome to attend. Msgr. Rossetti is an international speaker and the author of several books focused on the clergy child sexual abuse crisis. He assisted the Bishops of the US in drafting the "Dallas Charter" and is currently a consultant for the Pontifical Commission for the Protection of Minors. Msgr. Rossetti currently teaches Pastoral Studies at Catholic University of America.

For many years, LeMoyne College and the Catholic Youth Organizations have worked together to offer eight \$4,000.00 scholarships (1,000/year). The C.Y.O. Scholarships will be conferred again this year to eight deserving students in the geographical Diocese of Syracuse. The scholarships will be awarded to prospective LeMoyne students who have demonstrated leadership abilities and have performed outstanding service to their school, community and parish. If you are interested, please contact Fr. John Rose who will need to recommend you for the award as soon as possible. Completed application packets must be returned to the Regional Chairperson, not LeMoyne College, no later than January 15, 2019. If you have any questions please call 315-445-4300.

Christ the King Retreat House presents a Women's Retreat, "Faith: a Gift from God" with Kathy Meus on February 8-9 (Friday at 5:00pm and Saturday at 7:00pm). The retreat begins at 6:00pm with dinner on Friday and ends with dinner on Saturday. If you can, bring a snack or beverage to share. Offering is \$105.00, (commuters are \$75.00). Call 315-446-2680 or email [ctkretreat@syrdio.org](mailto:ctkretreat@syrdio.org).

Join the Catholic Sun on a Lenten Pilgrimage to Italy led by Bishop Cunningham, visiting the holy sites of Rome Assisi, Florence, Venice, and more. 11 days beginning March 11-21, 2019. Contact Select International Tours at 1-800-842-4842.

### **Catholic Humor**

How to Get to Heaven – A teacher asked the children in her Sunday School class, "If I sold my house and my car, had a big garage sale, and give all the money to the church, would I get into Heaven?" "No!" the children all answered. "If I cleaned the church everyday, mowed the yard, and kept everything neat and tidy, would I then get into heaven?" Again the answer was "No!" "Well" she continued, "then how can I get into heaven?" In the back of the room, a five year-old boy shouted, "you gotta be dead!"

### **PEACE AND JUSTICE**

Monetary donations for the Food Pantry at the Northeast Community Center are accepted at any time and may be placed in the collection basket. Food for the pantry is planned for the 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend of the month to consolidate the collection for the person who delivers it to the pantry.

Words from Pope Francis:

The gift of piety means to be truly capable of rejoicing with those who rejoice, of weeping with those who weep, of being close to those who are lonely or in anguish, of correcting those in error, of consoling the afflicted, of welcoming and helping those in need. The gift of piety is closely tied to gentleness. The gift of piety which the Holy Spirit gives us makes us gentle, makes us calm, patient, at peace with God, at the service of others with gentleness. (6/4/14)

