

Church of St. Pius X

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January 10, 2010

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EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS AND SACRAMENTS

SUNDAY - THE LORD'S DAY

VIGIL: SATURDAY 5:00 PM

SUNDAY: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON

WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY - FRIDAY: 6:30 AM & 9:00 AM

TUESDAY EVENING: 7:00 PM

SATURDAY: 9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents must be active, registered members of St. Pius X parish. Arrange preparation for baptism by calling the Parish Office for an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Either the bride or the groom must be a registered, active parishioner of St. Pius X parish. Please make an appointment with one of the priests at least six months before the desired date.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:15 - 4:45 PM

Seasonal Communal Celebrations

By appointment anytime

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Upon request and communally twice a year. Please notify the parish office if anyone in your family is hospitalized, homebound or in a nursing home.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

For men interested in priesthood, please call 518-312-9397 or visit www.albanyvocations.org

CATHOLIC BURIAL

For Catholic Burial Information contact the Diocesan Cemetery Office at 463-0134

FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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From the Pastor's Desk

Fr. Moore, Fr. Walsh and I wish you all a blessed and peaceful Year of our Lord, 2010. I wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone who worked so hard to make our Christmas Liturgies such a great celebration of the Lord's birth. It would be impossible to mention everyone by name. The ministers who served at the liturgies, such as the Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Lectors and Altar Servers are always so faithful. The choirs (adult, youth, the choral group for the 7:00 p.m. liturgy) under the direction of Charles Jones contributed so much to our worship experience. The decorations in the sanctuary and chapel, overseen by Gerri Zandri and her faithful committee all contributed to the atmosphere of Christmas joy.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all of the ministers, and others who faithfully serve the worshipping community throughout the year. Frank Pugliano oversees the Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist and the Lectors. Likewise, I thank those who serve as catechists in our Sunday School of Religion. They are overseen by Judy Ranalli, assisted by Ann Smith and Donna Brown. Fran Dennis coordinates our Sunday Children's Liturgies. I am grateful to Fran and the Children's Liturgy teams. Our RCIA team, under the direction of Maureen Kelly remains faithful, as always, in guiding new members of our faith community as they prepare to join us at the Table of the Lord. As well, Peter Ranalli and Robert Murphy assist adults who prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Sue Krosky and her committee work steadfastly to ensure quality programs for our Adult Faith Formation. Our bulletin folders and monetary committee work quietly behind the scenes and provide a valuable service for all of us. Sheila Stross faithfully volunteers to assist with the computer entry data for our Sunday offerings.

I also wish to acknowledge the dedication of parish school staff under the leadership of Dennis Mullahy, the principal. Every parishioner, whether they use our school for their children or not, can be justifiably proud of our parish school ministry. The dedication of the school board, PSA, and other groups and individuals are essential elements in the success of our school.

Our parish pastoral council concerns itself with the overall life of the parish. They are dedicated and very hard workers on behalf of the entire parish community. The parish staff serves very faithfully and goes beyond the "call of duty." Nancy Uruskyj our business manager, Brian Evers our youth minister, Jeanne Pitkin our pastoral care minister, Julie Murphy who assists Jeanne, Ellie Peterson our secretary, Mary Young who volunteers to assist Ellie one day each week, Jerry Forenzo our superintendent of buildings and grounds, and Joe Commisso who cares for our church and chapel, all work diligently to ensure that our parish community is served well. The volunteers who periodically assist in cleaning the church also witness to the importance of caring for the house of the Lord.

Last but not least, I thank Fr. Moore for his pastoral ministry among us, and also Fr. Walsh, who is in residence with us and assists with daily Mass and with other needs. Fr. Moore also serves as a part time chaplain at Catholic Central High School in Troy. Fr. Walsh, Director of Vocations for the Diocese also serves as a part time chaplain for Christian Brothers Academy and on occasion celebrates Liturgy also for La Salle Institute in Troy. We are blessed to have these two priests associated with St. Pius X Parish. The Franciscan Friars at Siena also help us. On weekends, one Mass is celebrated either by Fr. Kenneth Paulli or Fr. Kevin Mullen. Fr. Paulli and Fr. Blaise Reinhart also assist on occasion during the week. Every Friday, Fr. Dennis Tamburello celebrates the 9:00 a.m. Mass for us.

As we enter this new Year of our Lord 2010, we thank God for the many blessings that we experience as a parish community. Everything that we do and all that we are and try to be is only possible because of the grace of God who is kind and merciful beyond description. We are conscious that we are one parish of 136 that make up the local Church we call the Diocese of Albany. We are united with the entire diocese under the leadership of Bishop Hubbard who has been our Bishop for 32 years.

This past year has seen the consolidation of parish communities, a consolidation that has been a long time in coming. This experience for our diocesan Church is not unique. There is hardly a diocese in the Northeast and in other urban areas of the country that has not had to reconfigure its worshipping communities in order to adjust to changes that are beyond their control and position themselves for the future.

Whenever we consider the planning process that leads to consolidations we have to keep in mind that, in our diocese at least, we have not had a drastic decline in the overall number of Catholics, practicing or not. A radical change has taken place in where Catholics live. Like the general population, there has been an out-migration of Catholics from the cities to the suburbs. Just consider our own parish. Not too many decades ago, the housing tracts that now comprise a large percentage of our parish territory were farms. Formerly quaint looking four-corners are now bustling with businesses. Homes that once dotted Wolfe Road are long gone and we now shop in the very spot where people once raised their children. The Church is not immune to social change in its many forms. Sometimes it is good to keep this in mind because all too often consolidations of parishes are seen as a sign of decline when in reality it all could simply be what it appears to be: adjusting to the realities of the time.

We enter the Year of our Lord 2010 with faith and hope. We have faith in the abiding presence of Jesus Christ and we embrace the realities of our lives, individual and ecclesial, with trust that Jesus will take us where we need to be; where he wants us to be. That trust, in the end, is what our hope is all about.

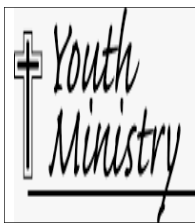
Fr. Farano

A Call to Communal Prayer

In order to respond more consistently with compassion and prayer beyond our Sunday commitment, the names of those who are seriously ill are printed below.



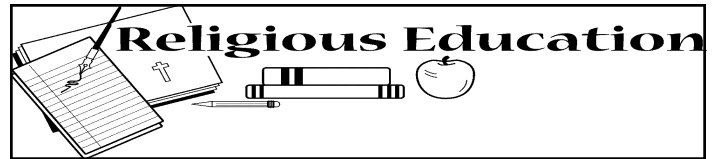
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| Richard Malinowski | Nicholas D'Alleva Valas |
| Paul Sullivan | Abey Varghese |
| Rose Laiacona | Joseph Schmidt |
| Karen Szesnat | Colleen Clapper |
| Dominick DeFilippo | Lorie Clapper |
| Jeanne Fairchild | John Szesnat |
| Mark Farrell | Joseph Pepe |
| Lisa Pilla | Robert Owens |
| Robert Campbell | James Gaetani |
| Lauren Dapice | John Scheckton |
| Iris Marini | John Massimilian |
| Edward Kosier | Catherine Reynolds |
| Joan Morrison | Judy Delaney |
| Patrick Lennon | Jizziyah Skelly |
| Miriam Kleinberger | Charlotte Anne Wolfstich |
| Bob Raffaele | Henry Slesman |
| Gertrude Abele | John Agrusti |
| Jennifer Garland | Marilyn Gradoni |
| Anne Egan | John Tomchik |
| Kym Hynes | Nathan Natale |
| Ed Burnham | Sarah McDonough |
| Phyllis Cullen | William Stephans |
| Joseph Wrobleski | Elaine Lubiniecki |
| Maura Mendel | Marie Hallock |
| Sandra Farrell | Jean Platt |



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*He saved us through the bath of rebirth
and renewal by the Holy Spirit.*



Sunday School Classes: Sunday School classes for the month of January are: Jan. 10 #13 and Jan. 31 #14. There are no classes on January 17 - Martin Luther King Holiday and January 24 - St. Pius X School Open House. Sunday School classes for the month of February are: Feb. 7 #15 and Feb. 28 #16. There are no classes on Feb. 14 and Feb. 21 due to Winter Recess from school.

Teacher's Meeting: Our next Teacher's Meeting will be held on January 10 at 8:25 AM in the Faculty Lunch Room.

First Reconciliation: Our Parent Meeting for First Reconciliation will be held on Tuesday, January 12 from 7:30 to 8:30 PM in the Parish Center. This meeting is for parents in St. Pius X School and the Sunday School Program who have children preparing for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. One parent should be present for each child. Informational packets will be handed out and parents will be choosing a Mass time for First Communion. Fr. Moore will be giving a presentation on the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Progress Report #1 for our Sunday School Program will be handed out on February 7. Parents, please sign the report and return it to your child's Teacher by Feb. 28. Thank You.

The Evangelist ~ Life long learning is the goal for which all of us ought to be striving as far as our faith is concerned. Graduation celebrations and the rightful acknowledgement of persons who have achieved notable academic degrees and awards remind us of how important faith formation is for all of us. No one who graduates today expects to have all the knowledge/skill necessary for employment in his/her chosen profession in five years. Continuing education is essential for on-going success. The Evangelist enables us to grow in our faith. Weekly reading of the various articles in this outstanding publication keeps us abreast of the latest theology and scholarship that is developing in our church and also keeps us excited about being a follower of Jesus.

Attention All Parish and School Organizations

With a Parish as large and as busy as ours, we need to be more vigilant in adhering to the policies and procedures set forth at our yearly calendar meeting. This will help to ensure the smooth operation of our parish.

Any use of our parish facilities, that is, meetings, fund raisers, concerts etc. need to be coordinated, pre-scheduled and approved through our parish calendar and facilities coordinator, Brian Evers. This also includes any functions that might be held off campus. Our volunteers and staff do a great job and are to be commended for sharing their time and talents so generously.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call Brian Evers at 462-1336 and he will be most happy to answer any questions that you may have.

PASTORAL CARE NEWS

"The grace of God has appeared, saving all and training us to reject godless ways and worldly desires and to live temperately, justly and devotedly in this age, as we await the blessed hope, the appearance of the glory of our great God and savior Jesus Christ..."

In the first reading Isaiah delivers a message of hope. He promises that all will see God's glory and be renewed as the Messiah brings salvation to the whole world. *How does the Lord reveal His tenderness, and compassion to you? Where does He strengthen you the most in your mission?*

In the second reading St. Paul urges Titus to live out his baptism as devoutly as possible. Our salvation requires responsible living and a commitment to Jesus and God's people. *Knowing you belong to Christ, what difference does it make in your life?*

Luke's gospel speaks of the prayerfulness and intimacy surrounding Jesus' baptism. For Jesus, it was a time for His Father to affirm Him and direct Him as He lived out His Mission. *What impact has your baptism had on your life? How does the Lord affirm you in your mission and ministry?*

**Because you are a child of God,
Do what is good!**

GOOD NEWS: Thank you to all who donated Christmas gifts to the Pastoral Care Office for all parishioners who are homebound or residing in nursing homes and struggling financially. Your loving care is worth a million to all of us. Thank you!

MINISTERS OF PRAYER: In JANUARY please pray **THAT THE FAMILY MAY BECOME MORE AND MORE A PLACE OF TRAINING IN CHARITY, PERSONAL GROWTH AND THE TRANSMISSION OF THE FAITH (Papal Intention)**

**Give the Gift of Prayer for 2010
Become a Minister of Prayer!**

Our Women's Scripture Study/Faith Sharing Group will meet Wednesday January 13th, 2010. If you are interested in joining us on Wednesdays from 10 to 11:30 AM please call the Pastoral Care Office at 462-1336. The weekly theme is *"Relating to Others as Jesus Would"*. To prepare for our January 13th meeting, read the following scriptures: Luke 5:27-32; 7:36-50 John 8:2-11; and Luke 23:32-43.

At the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center:

"Out of Defeat... Strength" with a 12-Step Afternoon Presentation with Sr. Carol Davis, OP will be held today Sunday January 10th, 2010 from 1 to 4:30 PM. Cost: \$20 couple.

"Fresh things I now reveal; Before they appear I tell you of them" a Dreaming in Winter Weekend with Sr. Carol Davis OP will be held from Friday January 15th to Sunday January 17th, 2010. Cost: \$185 (\$170 for seniors).

"I AM ` The God Revealed by Jesus" a Scripture Weekend for Men and Women with Sr. Katie Eiffe, CSJ OP will be held from Friday January 15th to Sunday January 17th, 2010. Cost: \$185 (\$170 for seniors). For more information and to register call 393-4169.

THIS SUNDAY: A Mother-Daughter Workshop (Ages 9–13) to enhance communication and learn about and discuss the physical and emotional changes of puberty will be held **this Sunday January 10th, 2010 from 1 to 3 PM at St. Peter's Hospital.** For info and to register call 525-1388.

SAVVY CAREGIVER PROGRAM: This **free** six-week course provides skills, knowledge, and a sense of competence in caring for a loved one. It begins Tuesday January 19th, 2010 and continues through February 23rd, 2010 from 6 to 8 PM and is held at the Marjorie Doyle Rockwell Center. Spaces are limited so call 238-4164 ASAP.

Extra Helpings

The Regional Food Bank **Extra Helpings** program is a community food-buying club. You can purchase nutritious foods at lower-than-retail costs. There is no age or income limit. For just \$20 you receive a variety of meats and fresh produce, plus there are additional specials every month. Everyone is welcome to join and save. For more information call 459-5051.

Do you know someone who might benefit from a program like this? Will you tell them about it? Do you want to help a senior in your neighborhood or a family struggling with making ends meet? Consider collaborating with the order and pick up of monthly food items. You will be twice blessed.

The Capital District Compeer Program is a volunteer driven, non-profit organization that helps adults and children overcome the difficult effects of mental illness, such as loneliness, isolation and low self-esteem through the power of friendship. Free volunteer - based programs and services serve as a complement to therapy and help in the journey of recovery. Volunteers are trained and supported by empathetic staff.

Consider Volunteering in a Compeer Program such as:

"1-1 Match Program" – 4 hours per month with a new friend;

"Skillbuilders Program" – 1-2 hours in a group setting

Monthly Social Activities - already planned

Sample events and activities include gardening, cooking, photography, softball, museum and historical attractions, music and art programs.

For more information see the following websites:

www.compeer.org

www.timesunion.com/communities/compeer or call Joshua Radliff at 462-1094 Ext. 274.

Friendship can be powerful medicine.

WE ARE SEEKING THE NAMES AND WHEREABOUTS OF PARISHIONERS WHO ARE SICK, OR HOMEBOUND, OR NOW LIVING IN ADULT RESIDENCES OR NURSING HOMES. We are unaware of numerous parishioners who are sick, homebound, or living in adult residences or nursing homes because of their changing health conditions. Please let the Pastoral Care Office know if a family member is living in one of these facilities or is no longer able to gather with us at the weekend liturgy. We want to keep in touch. Your help will keep us informed so we can be supportive during their illnesses and declining health. Please call 462-1336 to let us know. Thank You!



Eucharistic Adoration

When the Lord had been baptized, the heavens opened, and the Spirit came down like a dove to rest on him. Then the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, with him I am well pleased.

Come join us for **Eucharistic Adoration** every **Friday** after the 9:00 a.m. mass up through closing prayer at 7:00 p.m. All our welcome. For more information about how to become a weekly or substitute adorer, contact Peter Ranalli at 482 - 9087 or Margaret Purcell at 453 - 9302.

The St. Pius X Parish School Board invites you to become a sponsor of their annual event "A Winter's Night Out," being held on February 6th at the Wolferts Roost Country Club.

It is the hope of the Parish School Board to provide an opportunity for our church community to come together for an evening of entertainment while raising money for our parish school. The theme this year is **HOLLYWOOD!**

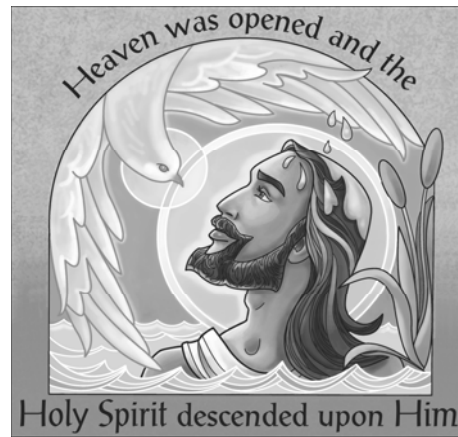
Look for event invitations in the bulletin during the first week of January! Come walk the red carpet and join the fun! We hope to see you on February 6th.

Christian Works and Service

On January 9/10 and 16/17 we will be having our annual collection for the Homeless Shelter run by the Capital Area Council of Churches based at the First Lutheran Church on Western Avenue near the S.U.N.Y Campus. It is a 40 bed shelter for men. They are in need of: detergent, bleach, coffee, non-dairy creamer, white socks, thermal underwear (all sizes), gloves, hooded sweatshirts (x large, xx large), foot powder, deodorant, men's clothing.

Those individuals who also wish to write a check may make the check out to "C.A.C.C. Shelter Account" drop the check off at the parish office attention Tom Christman. Again thank you for your support in this endeavor.

The Fund-a-Feast program sponsored by Hannaford Supermarkets has ended as of December 26, 2009. Thanks to your generosity and the generosity of other shoppers we were able to provide Sacred Heart Food Pantry a total of 245 boxes which comes to 1,470 pieces of food, surpassing our total from last year. Again thank you for your generosity and may God continue to bless you throughout the New Year.



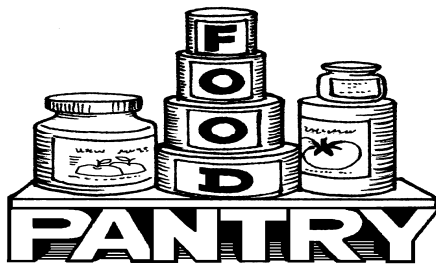
MANIFESTING THE SPIRIT

The Christmas season closes this Sunday with the Baptism of the Lord. This feast is a sister to last week's feast of the Epiphany. Each of them celebrates an "epiphany," or a manifestation of the Spirit of God in Jesus—first in his birth, and now at his baptism.

The divine Spirit is manifested in all of the scriptures for this feast. Psalm 104 highlights the Spirit of God creating and renewing the earth, while the reading from Isaiah describes God restoring Israel. In Luke's account of the baptism of the Lord the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus. And the letter from Titus reminds us that the Holy Spirit was "richly poured out" on us also, through the "bath of rebirth" (Titus 3:5, 6).

The Shrine of Our Lady of Martyrs at Auriesville will host its monthly Mini Retreat on Saturday January 16th from 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. in the Visitor Center. Theresa Schweigert's presentation, "St. John Vianney and the Year for Priests," will include a talk, DVD, and power point presentation. Discover why St. John Vianney said, "A priest is the doorway to the treasures of heaven." The day includes Mass, Confessions, pot luck lunch. Free Will Offering. Call 518-853-3033 ext 223 for more information.

SAVE THE DATE! On Saturday, March 6, 2010 (snow date March 13) the St. Pius X Choir is hosting "Murder at the Kit Kat Club", a murder mystery dinner theater. The evening will include appetizers, a full dinner, wine, dessert, coffee and tea. Tickets will be available beginning in February. This is a fundraiser for the choir's pilgrimage in 2011. Thank you for your support. Watch the bulletin for more information.



January Food Collection ~Next Weekend Jan. 16/17

With the temperatures dipping into the single digits and below in our part of the country, the need for hot, hearty food is even more urgent than at any other time of the year. Your generosity is desperately needed and gratefully appreciated. Suggested items are stews, chili, spaghetti, hearty soups, ravioli, canned meats, tuna. Also sauce, pasta, rice, peanut butter, jelly, mayo, canned fruits and veggies, beans, hot and cold cereals, juice, tea, coffee, hot chocolate, macaroni and cheese. Also personal care items and paper products. Thank you for sharing.

We respectfully remind everyone to observe the **No parking** areas on the parish grounds. These areas provide for everyone's safety, and in case of emergency they provide access for emergency vehicles. Also, please park only within the lines designated as parking spaces. Areas outside of those lines are for emergency access. Thank you.

REMINDER ~ If you have or are recovering from a cold or the flu, please remember the appropriate precautions at the Sign of Peace and refrain from receiving from the cup or on the tongue.

On Saturday, January 16 from 12 noon to 3 PM, at St. Ambrose Church Parish Center in Latham, the **Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat** is having an afternoon of Praise and Thanksgiving for women lead by Phyllis Murphy. The afternoon will include healing prayer. For more information, please call Lenora - 664-4374.



Take Shape for Life offers:

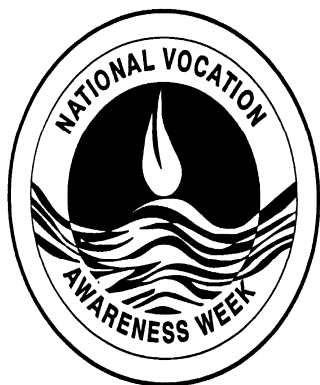
- ◆ Medically supervised Rapid Weight Loss
- ◆ Free Assessment and Evaluation
- ◆ Free Support and Coaching
- ◆ No drugs or stimulants
- ◆ No Meetings or Weigh Ins
- ◆ No Program Fees
- ◆ Lose Fat, Not Muscle
- ◆ Proven Maintenance Plan
- ◆ Personal and Internet Health Coach Support
- ◆ Cheaper than Nutrisystem

If you've tried every diet known to man without success, this program is for YOU!!! You can start this Program at the FREE Weight Loss Seminar

Tuesday , January 19th, 6:00 pm
St. Pius X Parish Hall

23 Crumitie Road Loudonville, NY 12211

The **#1 physician** recommended weight management program in America – developed by **Johns Hopkins University**. Clinical studies performed by Johns Hopkins University proved the **average female lost 47 lbs** and the **average male lost 67 lbs** in **16 weeks**, without hunger or muscle loss. For 24 years this program has been a leader in Weight Management and now offers programs for: Diabetics, people with heart conditions, joint pain, hormone imbalances, athletes and a new program for adolescents.



WASHINGTON-
 The Catholic Church in the United States will celebrate National Vocation Awareness Week, Jan. 10-16.

“This week provides the opportunity for parishes across the country to promote vocations through prayer and education,” said Cardinal Sean O’Malley of Boston, chairman of the Bishops’ Committee

on Clergy, Consecrated Life and Vocations. “It is our responsibility to encourage young people to be generous in their response as they discern the possibility of a call to service in the Church. We must also ask parents, families and our parish communities to assist with this work, vocations are everyone’s business. As we pray for an increased number of seminarians and candidates for religious life, we recognize the importance of safeguarding the gift of vocations.”

Father David Toups, interim executive director of the Secretariat of Clergy, Consecrated Life, and Vocations for the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, added, “The church needs to help young people hear the Lord in prayer, so they can recognize him in their lives. “This week reminds us that it is our responsibility to pray for vocations and to invite young people to consider a call to ordained ministry and consecrated life.”

The observance of National Vocation Awareness Week (NVAW) began in 1976. In 1997, this celebration was moved to coincide with the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, which falls on January 10 in 2010, marks the initiation of Jesus into public ministry. At his baptism Jesus is named the beloved Son of God. With this celebration the faithful recommit themselves to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. They are also initiated through their own baptism to be the Beloved of God, commissioned to proclaim Good News with their lives.



Baptism of the Lord

John the Baptist said to the crowds, “I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I will is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the straps of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.”

PARISH DIRECTORIES ARE HERE

If you had your picture taken, please stop by the Parish Office to pick up your copy of the Parish Directory.

Mass Intentions for the week

JANUARY 11- JANUARY 17

Mon	6:30	Ann Ganner req. Mary Pat & Tom Devane Catherine S. Britton req. Her Family
	9:00	Margaret Houlahan req. Her Husband and Family Ruth Wessach req. Frank & Peg Dirolf Nicholas Lauria req. Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Small
Tues	6:30	Thomas O'Connell req. Cindy Pettit
	9:00	Jeanne O'Donnell req. Her Family Joanna Griniewski req. Rose Tangredi Mass of Thanksgiving req. John & Joyce Roman
	7:00	Catherine Stehr req. Her Family Nicholas Lauria req. Lucille and Joseph Egan
Wed	6:30	Sr. Irene Kruse CSJ req. The Williamson Family
	9:00	Vincent P Kelly req. The Thayer Family Dorothy Fitzgerald req. Janet Hans Thomas O'Connell req. Margaret Marino & Family
Thur	6:30	Richard Lynn req. Marilyn Lynn James & Lyda Minahan req. Their Family William & Mary Ryan req. Their Family
	9:00	Dorothy Taylor req. Mary & William Brizzell Jane S. Garrett req. John & Helen Garrett Joe Bautista req. Josie Miranda
Fri	6:30	John C. Raffaele req. Bob & Betty Raffaele
	9:00	Cynthia Safran req. Aunt Pat McCarthy Michael John Seppi req. Peggy & Jack Seppi Mary R. Brennan req. Her Family
Sat	9:00	Lilian Rose Califano req. Her Family Dorothy Fitzgerald req. Mr. & Mrs. Richard Gegan Charles Arthur req. Eucharistic Team 1
	5:00	Vigil
Sun	8:00 am; 10:00 am; 12:00 Noon	

Eucharistic Ministers & Greeters - Team 2

SERVERS FOR January 16/17

5:00 pm	8:00 am	10:00 am	12:00 pm
K. Bouchard	N. Fruscio	S. Hulbert	A. Tanski
M. Bouchard	J. Puleo	E. LaBerge	M. Hope
J. Bouchard	S. Puleo	M. Laberge	C. Tebbutts
T. Buff	J. Graziano	D. Shade	E. Tebbutts
N. Buff			

READINGS FOR JANUARY 17, 2010

First Reading: Isaiah 62:1-5

Psalm: Psalm 96

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:4-11

Gospel: John 2:1-11

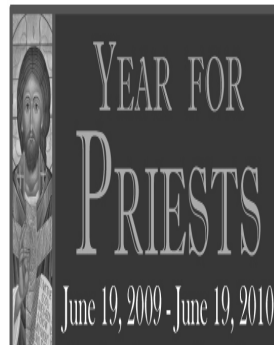
WEEKLY PARISH CALENDAR

DAY	DATE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE
SUN	1/10	Sunday Eucharist Religious Ed. Hospitality Sunday After 8 & 10 Collection for Homeless RCIA	8, 10,12 9:00 am 11:00 am	Church School P. Hall Church Conf A
MON	1/11	10th Gr. Confirmation Workshop PSA Meeting	6:30 pm 6:30 pm	P. Hall Library
TUE	1/12	AA Meeting Youth Choir 4:15 pm & 6:15 pm Chime Choir First Reconciliation Parent's Mtg	5:30 pm 3:30 pm 7:30 pm	Church Church Church P. Hall
WED	1/13	Bible Study Children's Choir Finance Committee Meeting	10:00 am 4:15 pm 5:30 pm	Conf B Church Conf B
THU	1/14	AA Meeting Adult Choir Boy Scouts	7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Conf B Church P. Hall
FRI	1/15	Renew Adoration	7:00 am 9:30 am	Conf B Chapel
SAT	1/16	Vigil	5:00 pm	Church

Music for Weekend of January 9/10

Gathering: **110** – When Jesus Comes to Be Baptized
Sprinkling Rite: **Gloria** from *Mass of Light*
Preparation: **705** – Healing River of the Spirit
Communion: **607** – Shall We Gather at the River
Going Forth: **413** – The Church's One Foundation
Adult Choir: Beautiful Savior (#34)

~Prayer for Priests~



Praise to you, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for in your infinite love you care for your people by the ministry of priests. May their faithful service bring lasting good to your Church and great happiness to them. Help them to do what is right, that by their teaching and living we may grow in the knowledge of your love. As our priests instruct your people, enlighten them with the wisdom of Christ the

Teacher. As they preach your Word and celebrate the sacraments, sanctify them with the holiness of Christ the High Priest. As they face weakness, suffering and discouragement, strengthen them with the grace of Christ the Life-Giver. As they work for peace, unity and healing in your Church, uphold them with the courage of Christ the Reconciler. Giver of all good gifts, make the ministry of our priests a spiritual offering pleasing to you, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.