

JANUARY 13, 2019

FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

READINGS: Isaiah 40.1-5, 9-11 Psalm 104
Titus 2.11-14; 3.4-7 Luke 3.15-16, 21-22

SATURDAY JANUARY 12, 2019 4:00 PM

Offered for: Wallace Roundpoint, 12th Anniversary Memorial Mass, Requested by the family
Altar Servers: Megan, Phillip and Morgan
Lectors: Nicky King and Janine Rourke

SUNDAY JANUARY 13, 2019 10:00 AM

Offered for: Sarah and Noah Ransom, Manfred and Orlo Ransom, Memorial Mass, Requested by Noah Ransom Jr.
Altar Servers: Kenia, Reagan, Analeyna & Rylee
Lectors: Brian Thomas and Abram Benedict

TUESDAY JANUARY 15, 2019 7:00 PM

Offered for: Danny Thompson, Memorial Mass, from the funeral collection

**WEDNESDAY JANUARY 16, 2018 10:00 AM
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Offered for: Esther Jock, Memorial Mass, from the funeral collection

THURSDAY JANUARY 17, 2019 12:10 pm

Offered for: Beatrice Bero, Memorial Mass, from the funeral collection

FRIDAY JANUARY 18, 2019 12:10 PM

Offered for: Colleen Bero, Memorial Mass, from the Funeral Collection

SATURDAY JANUARY 19, 2019 4:00 PM

Offered for: Wallace Jacobs, 5th Anniversary Memorial Mass, requested by family
Altar Servers: Megan, Phillip and Morgan
Lectors: Caroline Peters and Jamie Bay

SUNDAY JANUARY 20, 2019 10:00 AM

Offered for: Kerney Cole, Birthday Memorial Mass and Charlotte Cole, requested by Toni and Vernie Herne
Altar Servers: Kenia, Reagan, Analeyna & Rylee
Lectors: Bernice Lazore and Jamie Ross

COLLECTIONS

**DEC 25 & DEC 30 COLLECTION TOTALS
WILL BE REPORTED NEXT WEEK
Jan 5-6: Reg. Mass \$ 427.90 CDN \$ 602.50 US**

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY ANNOUNCEMENT:

The Altar Rosary Society will be taking down the Christmas Tree and Decorations on Monday January 15, 2019 at 10:00 AM. If you are available to volunteer to help your assistance would be greatly appreciated. NIAWEN:KOWA

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A voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved, with You I am well pleased."Lk.3

Today the Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Baptism of Our Lord, the second manifestation or Epiphany. At the will of His Father, the Son of God emptied Himself, living a hidden life subject to Mary and Joseph in a little town of Nazareth. At the age of thirty, He began His public life, joining the great crowd of sinners who listened to the preaching of John the Baptist, repented, and came to be baptized in the Jordan River.

Why would Jesus, absolutely sinless, the All Holy One, ask to be baptized? He had come to be Savior of the world. He loaded the burden of all mankind's guilt upon His shoulders and bore it down into the depths of the Jordan. The Spirit moved John the Baptist to recognize Christ, the Anointed One,: "Behold the Lamb of God, behold Him Who takes away the sin of the world".

On this feast, we might recall our own baptism. When did it happen? Who was the baptizer? Who were the witnesses, godparents? At Christ's baptism the Holy Spirit descended and remained on Him, definitively consecrating His whole being as the CHRIST, THE ANOINTED ONE. At our Baptism the Trinity took its abode in our soul. At His baptism Christ was proclaimed the "Beloved Son" of the Father; at our Baptism we became the adopted sons/daughters of God. At Christ's baptism the heavens were opened; at our Baptism, heaven was opened to us. Read the beautiful description of Baptism in the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* pages 312-325 to appreciate more the greatness of the Sacrament of Baptism.

Baptismal grace is a rich reality that includes forgiveness of original sin and all personal sins, birth into the new life by which man becomes an adoptive son of the Father, a member of Christ and a temple of the Holy Spirit. By this very fact, the person baptized is incorporated into the Church, the Body of Christ, and made a sharer in the priesthood of Christ

**INTERNATIONAL WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN
UNITY JANUARY 18-25, 2019**

The theme of this year's Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is "Justice. Only Justice, You Shall Pursue" (Deuteronomy 15: 18-20) All Christian churches are called to unity in a common concern and a common response to an unjust reality. When we see injustices in our community, our nation, our world, we are obliged as Christians to seek ways to combat the injustice and to serve the needs of those who are its victims.

"Among our tasks as witnesses to the love of Christ is that of giving a voice to the cry of the poor." Pope Francis

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in Mohawk)

Ta kwa ien ha, ne, ka ron hia ke, te si te ron, a ie sa sen na ien, a ie sa wen ni ios ta ke, a ie sa wen na ra kwa ke, non wen tsia ke, tsi ni iot, ne, ka ron hia ke, kie sa wen na rak wa. Ta kwa nont, ne, ken wen te, ia kion he kon, nia te wen ni se ra ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ne ion kwa ri wa ne ren, tsi ni iot, ni, i, tsi on kwa ni konr hens. O the non, ion ki ni konh rak sa ton, non kwe; to sa, a ion kwa sen ni, ne ka ri wa ne ren, ak we kon, e ren, sa wit, nio tak sens.
NE NE KA NA KE RAH TSHE RA, NE NE KA SATS TENH SE RA, KA IA TA NE HRA KWAH TSHE RA, SA WEN'K NON:WA NOK TSI NEN:WE – E THO E THO NA IA WEN.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Please complete applications for baptism and provide a copy of your child's Birth Certificate for the sacrament of baptism. Interviews are required with Father Jerome. **Baptisms are the THIRD SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH PROMPTLY AT 10:00 AM.** Call 613-575-2753 for more information.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD
VOLUNTEER TEAMS AND DATES**

Team 1: Jamie/Valerie **Team 2:** Lorraine/Guzzy
Team 3: Marianne/Lisa **Team 4:** Debbie/Jean

Jan 6, 2019 Children's Mass Feb 3, 2019 Children's Mass
Jan 13, 2019 Team 4 Feb 10, 2019 Team 3
Jan 20, 2019 Team 1 Feb 17, 2019 Team 4
Jan 27, 2019 Team 2 Feb 24, 2019 Team 1

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The schedule for the upcoming weeks is as follows:

CONFIRMATION CLASSES: THURSDAYS, 6-7 PM -St. Kateri Tekakwitha Center (**JANUARY - MAY 2019**)

FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES: THURSDAYS 6-7 PM St Kateri Tekakwitha Center (**FEBRUARY – MAY 2019**)

EVERY SUNDAY: AT THE 10 AM MASSES IN THE CHURCH: CHILDREN's Liturgy of the Word (Sacristy)

**JANUARY 22, DAY OF PRAYER AND FASTING
FOR LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN**

In the United States there have been over 56 million deaths of innocent unborn children since the 1973 Supreme Court decisions of Roe v. Wade and Doe v. Bolton. With heartbreaking magnitude, killing of the unborn reflects the "throwaway culture" of our time. How can we help to end abortion and euthanasia? Beg God to change the hearts of those who promote evil. Pray that people will respect all human life from conception to natural death.

In all the Dioceses of the United States, January 22 will be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life. It will be a day of fasting and penance to atone for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion. For nine days, January 13-22, offer prayers and penance for this intention. Thousands will join the MARCH FOR LIFE in Washington D.C. Pray for their safety as they sacrifice and witness to the Right to Life.

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Lord, look with compassion on all who are sick, especially those undergoing surgery, those on dialysis, those suffering cancer treatments. We beg the grace of healing for Richard Phillips, Hubert Jock, Marjorie Thompson, Isabel Garrow, Louise Jacobs, Cindy Cole, Danielle Cole, Eddie Terrance, Mary Ellen Jackson, Marilyn Tarbell, Baby Grayson Caron, Isabelle McDonald, Teddy Thompson, Alexina Auger, Michael Herne, Beverly Thompson, Marjorie Lazore, Dan George, Phillip Francis, Loran Lazore, Marie Casey, Jack Angus, Marcia Barnes, Joyce Kelso, Robert Jacobs, Laurie Connors, April Benedict, Kelly Back, Hattie Jackson Lazore, Marita and Dickie Francis, Louis Garrow, Leonard Garrow, Angus Lazore, Francis Cree, Clyde Cree, Abby David, Jimmy Bero, Maggie Terrance, Rosalie Peters, Laurie Connors, and all in the hospitals, nursing homes, and rehabilitation centers.

**WE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED AND THEIR
FAMILIES**

May God grant eternal rest to Angus Ransom, Norma Louise Jock, John Lafrance, Bruce Johnson, and Calvin Point. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace. **AMEN.**

**A MESSAGE FROM CARDINAL COOKE
WHO DIED OF CANCER**

"The gift of life, God's special gift, is no less beautiful when it is accompanied by illness or weakness, hunger or poverty, mental or physical handicaps, loneliness or old age. Indeed, at these times, human life gains extra splendor as it requires our special care, concern, and reverence. It is in and through the weakest human vessels that the Lord continues to reveal the power of His love. "

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

Our baptism connects us intimately with the sacred power and properties of water that heal, cleanse, renew, purify and sustain all life. Spend some time this week thanking God for this most essential source of life. Choose one way that you will express your gratitude for this precious gift of God. **Then DO it.**

BE THOUGHTFUL

It is the season for colds and flu. Please do not be offended if someone near you decides to extend the Sign of Peace verbally or by a wave, and not by taking your hand. It is said that flu and cold germs travel most by hand. Wash your hands often. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. Stay healthy and holy.