



St James  
Catholic Church

January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
The Baptism of the Lord

**Love God. Love all People. Make Disciples.**

Sunday Masses (Sat 5:30 pm) | Sunday 6:30 am, 8, 10, 12 noon, 5:30 pm | Monday-Friday 8, 12 noon, Saturday 8 am

**Welcome!**

Thank you for worshipping with us!  
We are not complete without you!

“Jesus also had been baptized and was praying,  
heaven was opened  
and the Holy Spirit descended upon him ...  
like a dove. .” Lk. 3:21-22

Office hours: Monday – Thursday 8 to 12, 1 to 8 pm Friday 8 to 12, 1-4 pm | Saturday & Sunday Closed

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## Baptism: Gateway to New Life

The sacrament of Baptism is the beginning of life—supernatural life.

Because of original sin, we come into the world with a soul which is supernaturally dead. We come into the world with only the natural endowments of human nature. The supernatural life which is the result of God's personal and intimate indwelling, is absent from the soul.

Original sin is not, in the strict sense, a "blot" upon the soul. Indeed, original sin is not a "something" at all. It is the absence of something that should be there. It is a darkness where there ought to be light.

Jesus instituted the sacrament of Baptism to apply to each individual soul the atonement which He made on the Cross for original sin.

Jesus will not force His gift upon us, the gift of supernatural life for which He paid. He holds the gift out to us hopefully, but each of us must freely accept it.

We make that acceptance by receiving the sacrament of Baptism. When the sacrament of Baptism is administered, the spiritual vacuum which we call original sin disappears as God becomes present in the soul, and the soul is caught up into that sharing of God's own life which we call sanctifying grace.

### Children of God

The sacrament of Baptism not only gives us sanctifying grace: it also makes us adopted children of God and heirs of heaven. We say "adopted" children because God the Father has only one begotten Son—Jesus Christ. He is God's only Son through generation; the rest of us become God's children by adoption.

As children of God, we receive our inheritance at the very moment of our adoption, at the very moment of Baptism. Our inheritance is eternal union with God, and we have that inheritance now, once we are baptized.

Nobody can take this inheritance away. Not even God, who has bound Himself by irrevocable promise never to take back what He has given. We ourselves can renounce our rights—as we will do if we commit mortal sin—but no one else can deprive us of our heritage.

The point to be emphasized, and never to be forgotten, is that we are potentially in heaven the moment we are baptized.

### Original sin obliterated by grace

The point needs to be emphasized because many people remember the effects of Baptism only in negative terms: "It takes away original sin." Baptism does take away original sin, of course. Also, in the case of an adult, it takes away all mortal and venial sins & the punishment due for them, if the person baptized is truly sorry for them. Baptism makes a clean sweep of everything.

But the "taking away" is not a negative removal, like the emptying of a trash can by the garbage collector. Sin and its consequences disappear when God comes into the soul, just as darkness disappears when the light is turned on. Sin is a spiritual emptiness which is obliterated by the coming of grace.

### The mark of a Christian

Two big things happen to us when we are baptized. We receive the supernatural life, called sanctifying grace, which dissipates the spiritual emptiness of original sin. And there is imparted to the soul a permanent and distinctive quality which we call the character or the mark of Baptism.

If we commit mortal sin after Baptism, then we cut ourselves off from God and from the flow of His divine life, as a severed artery would cause an organ to be cut off from the flow of the heart's blood. We lose sanctifying grace. But we do not lose the baptismal character, by which the soul has been forever transformed.

Precisely because we possess the baptismal character, we have the right to receive the sacrament of Penance (Reconciliation, or Confession) and regain the grace that we have lost through our individual sins after Baptism. If our soul did not have that character, then we could go to confession a dozen times or a hundred times and nothing would happen. The mortal sin would remain unforgiven; the soul would remain spiritually dead. (Confession is available Sat. 4-5pm in church)

Above article is from  
[www.beginningcatholic.com/baptism](http://www.beginningcatholic.com/baptism)



Maybe you haven't been to church in a while.

And maybe you are worried  
that you won't be welcome here.

We get it.

We've been there.

Now we are here.

When you attend, you'll have a chance to hear powerful  
music, learn from authentic Catholic clergy,  
and grow in faith.

Learn to be the  
holy, healthy, vibrant person that God has  
created you to be. Learn to use your gifts to make a  
difference in the lives of others.

Maybe God is calling you back.

Just as you are.

Welcome home.



## Holy Hour Adoration

Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> 7-8pm.

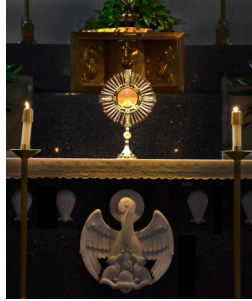
## Benediction and Adoration

Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> 8:45-12 noon

### Adoration

Here I am to worship,  
Here I am to bow down,  
Here I am to say  
that you're my God..

*"Come to Me all of you  
who are weary  
and find life burdensome  
and I will refresh you..."*

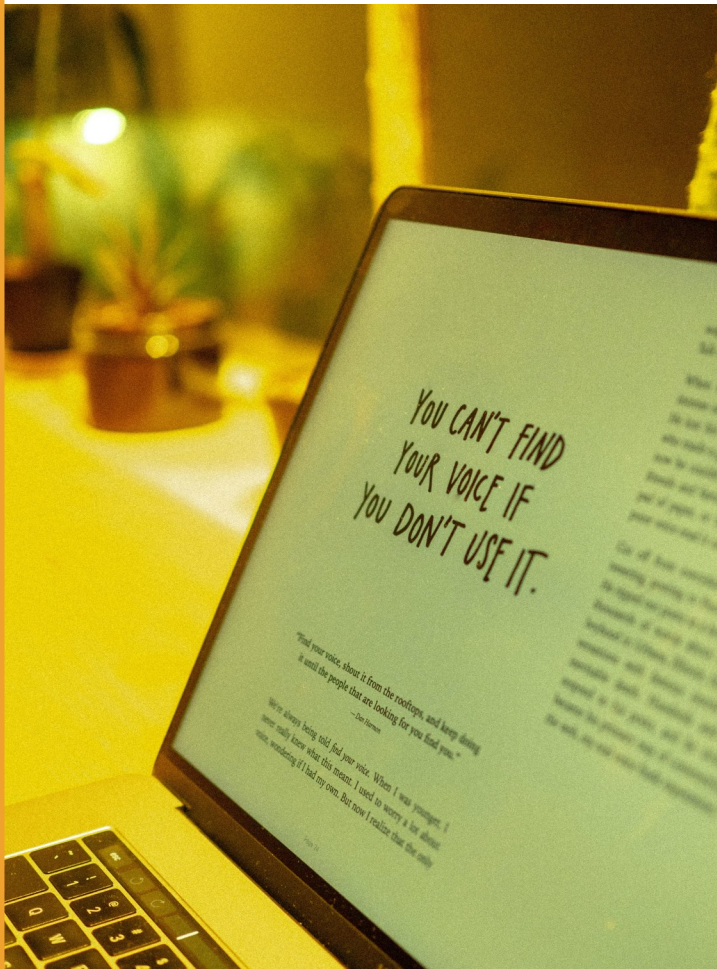


## Come Sing with the Choir in 2022

St. James Choir is looking for singers to join us for the upcoming 2022 Spring Season.

We rehearse at 7pm on Wednesdays and sing at the 10am Mass on Sundays.

Please see Kevin Babuder,  
St. James Music Director, for more information.



## Married?

Great! You're just who we're looking for to help Catholic Engaged Encounter prepare engaged couples for marriage. Whether you've been married 2 months or 40+ years, we need your help. What better way to start 2022 than with a resolution to share your sacrament of matrimony!

Paciano & Molly Diaz 310.729.5890 or email [MollvandPaciano@gmail.com](mailto:MollvandPaciano@gmail.com).

Visit [www.CEEofLA.com](http://www.CEEofLA.com) for more information



## Tuesday Night Bible Study

The Tuesday night bible study is currently studying **Matthew: The King and His Kingdom**

**Next class is Tuesday, January 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm**  
Matthew Chapters 13: Parables of the Kingdom  
The class for this week will be Zoom only.

Please contact **Donna Wilson:**  
[dwilson94@gmail.com](mailto:dwilson94@gmail.com)  
for additional information.



**Come, share and participate  
in our Church Community.**



## Coffee and Donuts

Join us in Kavanagh Hall following the **8 am & 10 am** Masses for coffee, donuts and fellowship hosted by the **Knights of Columbus.**

Be sure to ask about the path to knighthood. Special fast track procedures are now in place for a limited time.

## Religious Education

Dear Friends and Families of Saint James,

After today's celebration of the **Baptism of the Lord**, we return to Ordinary Time in our Church year.

Many of us are already back at work and school, and the pace of our lives has returned to normal. Hopefully, the joy of the Christmas season remains in our hearts, giving us strength for the road ahead!

Here in Religious Education, the road ahead includes finding more parents to help as **Traffic Monitors** (3:45-4pm), on **Yard Duty** (3:50-4pm), and on **Yard Patrol** (4-5:15pm)!

As you have all experienced, our drop off is slow due to our COVID protocols. Please consider if you could help our Religious Education community by giving a little of your time to help ensure the safety of all of our children.

Our annual **Empowering God's Children** classes will begin this week on **January 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>**. Please see the January newsletter, which was emailed on January 3<sup>rd</sup> and is posted on the parish website, for more information.

Also, **Children's Liturgy of the Word** returns today on Sunday, **January 9<sup>th</sup>, at the 10am Mass** and will be held on January 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>, as well! We look forward to seeing our parish children, ages 4-12.

Finally, we postponed the start of **Sunday School** this past Fall due to low enrollment.

We would love to see it return this Spring. Please call the office if you would like more information on this wonderful program.

God bless!

*Andrea Sullivan,*  
Director of Religious Education

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## Sunday School Enrollment

We're back!

This year, our parish will be offering Sunday School to students ages 3 1/2 to 7 years old in the Red Room at the St. James Preschool. In-person classes will only be offered on **Sunday's during the 10 am Mass**. All current COVID-19 county guidelines will be followed during instruction.

For more information regarding the program, enrollment, and volunteering, please reach out to the Religious Education office at **310.379.3221** and view the informational video on the parish's website: **SaintJames.church/sunday-school**

Thank you and we look forward to a wonderful school year!

## Thank you for your support

This time last year the world was turned upside down due to COVID-19, but our parish ministries continued because so many people needed our help. Recurring gifts helped sustain our parish in unprecedented times, and continue to be a vital source of support for ministries that are a lifeline to those in need in our community.

If you are able, your best options are:

**Mail** your envelopes to the  
St. James Parish Office  
124 N. Pacific Coast Hwy.  
Redondo Beach, CA 90277

**Place** in the Rectory mail slot at  
415 Vincent St. 90277 or in church baskets in the  
Communion line.

Set-Up **Automatic Payments** with your bank  
**Enroll** in Faith Direct's E-Giving  
By calling toll free 1-866-507-8757 or  
<https://www.faithdirect.net> Use the code **CA560**

**Use Faith Direct's Text-to-Give number**  
Simply text any dollar amount to  
St. James' Number: **424.317.8878**  
**Thank you for your generous support of Saint James!**

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## Gift Shop

The Gift Shop is open for your  
**gift and spiritual growth** needs.

**Wed. Thurs. Fri. 10am to 4pm**  
**Saturday 9am to 12 Noon**

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## Join the Catholic Daughters of America

We donate generously to several charitable causes. Members give their time, energy and support to help others in the service of Christ. CDA members enjoy each other's company at their **monthly meetings held on the third Wednesday of each month at Kavanagh Hall.**

At this time, **we are inviting all Catholic women** of all ages from all surrounding parishes who are dedicated to Church and country to join our Court. Before each meeting we start by saying the holy Rosary.

We have various functions throughout the year to help raise funds for the different charities we support.  
**If you are looking for a Catholic women's group to join, we are the one!** Please call **Kristin Flannery** for further information if you are interested.  
**310.529.6813**  
Email [courtourladyofvictory@gmail.com](mailto:courtourladyofvictory@gmail.com)



Dear Friends and Families of Saint James,

Happy New Year to the parishioners of St. James from the students, faculty, and staff of St. James School!

We are accepting applications for the 2022 – 2023 school year! Plan early to visit St. James and discover the difference.

Applications are available at the elementary school office, at St. James preschool, the Church office and on our website [SJCatholicSchool.org](http://SJCatholicSchool.org)

Call or email the school to schedule a private tour and meet the principal.

Kindergarten Round – Up Appointments are available on January 21<sup>st</sup> and January 24<sup>th</sup>. Call or email to reserve a spot.

TK Families are invited to visit school with their child, visit the classroom and find out more about our program. TK is a steppingstone and a bridge to begin your child’s academic journey. Call or email to reserve a time.

Contact us 310.371.0416 or [office@stjamesweb.com](mailto:office@stjamesweb.com)

**Open House: Tuesday, February 1<sup>st</sup> 5:30 – 7:00**

A Catholic School Education is a gift and a blessing!

God Bless you,  
*Noreen Maricich,*  
Principal

**Fingerprinting Service Appointments**

Appointments are available **Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>, 12:40- 6:40pm.** If you need fingerprinting for coaching, volunteer positions, or church ministries, please call the Saint James School Office **310.371.0416**

**Human Trafficking Awareness**

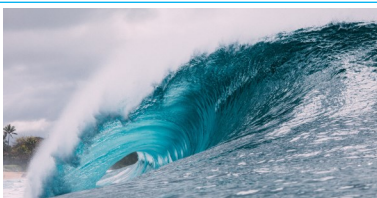
Sex Trafficking is driven by pornography to a large extent. Private use of pornography is not a victimless crime. The people in the pictures are often appearing under duress.



F.A.I.T.H. MINISTRY of  
St. Lawrence Martyr and St. James  
[Rick Page CandRPage@verizon.net](mailto:RickPageCandRPage@verizon.net)

**This is the day  
the Lord has made,  
let us rejoice  
and be glad.**

Ps. 118:24



**Feed the Needy Ministry**

The Feed the Needy ministry wants to wish all our parishioners a happy and healthy new year. We thank you for all your donations over the holiday season. We now begin a new year of providing meals on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. We have continued to feed our homeless community throughout the months of the pandemic.

Our work continues and we once again ask for your assistance to ensure that we maintain the items needed for our ministry. We are still in need of the following:

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|----------------|-----------------------------|
| hamburger buns | cheese sticks               |
| fruit          | (oranges, bananas & grapes) |
| chips          | granola bars                |
| lunch meat     | 8 oz. water and juices      |

Some of these items can easily fit into their backpacks.

In addition to the food items we are in need of toiletries and socks.

Due to the pandemic and limited storage space we are unable to accept used clothing.

Again we thank you in advance for your generosity in allowing us to keep our homeless community fed and healthy.

If you have any questions regarding our ministry I can be reached at 310.488.9480.

Linda Cabibbo, Ministry Coordinator

**Spiritual Communion Prayer**

*My Jesus, I believe that You  
are present in the  
Most Holy Sacrament.*

*I love You above all things,  
and I desire to  
receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment  
receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.*

*I embrace You  
as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.*

*Never permit me  
to be separated from You. Amen.*

UPCOMING DATES:

**Confirmation Nights**

**Year 1:** Sunday, January 9th

**Year 2:** Sunday, January 16th

Happy New Year to you and yours!

The Youth Ministry office will be on break through Friday, January 7th. We look forward to reconnecting with you all, beginning with our Year 1 session on January 9th.

Our vibrant ministry is always looking for people who are willing to walk alongside our teens in their journey with Christ. For more information on how you can share your gifts & talents with the community, please contact us at one of the options below.

*Gretchen Nobleza*

Director of Confirmation & Youth Ministry

**Contact us:**

Email: [saintjamesym@gmail.com](mailto:saintjamesym@gmail.com)

Website: [www.saintjamesym.weebly.com](http://www.saintjamesym.weebly.com)

Text: **424.265.8336**

 [saintjamesym.rb](https://www.facebook.com/saintjamesym.rb)  [@saintjamesym](https://www.instagram.com/saintjamesym)

**The Gathering Place**

If your family has suffered the loss of a loved one, **The Gathering Place**, a nonprofit associated with Providence Little Company of Mary, offers support groups for children and adults.

For more information, please visit their website at [www.providence.org/locations/gathering-place](http://www.providence.org/locations/gathering-place).



It's normal to grieve a pregnancy loss, including the loss of a child by abortion.



It can form a hole in one's heart, a hole so deep that sometimes it seems nothing can fill the emptiness.

You are not alone...  
<https://hopeafterabortion.com/>

**Torrance Memorial Hospice Seeks Volunteers**

*"I used to be uncomfortable with death and dying but volunteering with hospice patients has become a passion of mine. It is such an honor to be welcomed into their home and to listen to their lifetime of stories. I have made many friends and this is a wonderful way to give back to the Community."*

-Clara Forwell, Hospice Volunteer



Would you like to give back to your community and provide love and support to patients nearing end of life?

Torrance Memorial Hospice Volunteers play an important role with our patients

and their families. They provide companionship visits where they may read, go for a walk or play music for the patient. They can also provide respite to the family, assuring them the patient is safe while they are away from the home or getting some much-needed rest. Our volunteers are also trained to provide bereavement support for the families or caregivers of our patients by making phone calls or co-facilitating our weekly support groups. We provide online and hands-on training for all volunteers, request 8 hours a month and a 6-month commitment. If you would like to learn more about this rewarding volunteer opportunity, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator: [Christine.McCaverly@tmhc.com](mailto:Christine.McCaverly@tmhc.com)

**Invite Someone to Mass**

The church is again open for quiet prayer from 7am- 7pm daily.

Our **daily Mass is at 8 am and 12 noon Monday-Friday** with the rosary prayed immediately afterward.

Our **Saturday Mass is at 8am**. Help others attend Mass and receive the Eucharist; the true body and blood of Christ hidden in the form of a host.

Many persons are Interested in attending, but may lack transportation.

For those unable to attend Mass, please assist them in setting up their computer or iPad or phone to view the Mass that's posted online daily by 9:30 am.

Reach out to those who have been away, and check on their well being.

God Bless!



## Habitat for Humanity Build Day



Habitat for Humanity build sites have been closed to volunteers for the past 20 months due to COVID-19.

There are now opening on a limited basis and St. James is having another Build Day at the build site in Long Beach. **The Build Day is Saturday, January 15, 2022.**

We are limited to 10 volunteers at a time, but morning and afternoon shifts are available. No building skills are required and all tools and safety equipment are provided.

All volunteers are required to wear an N95 mask while working. We will carpool from the church parking lot for anyone needing a ride to the site.

Anyone interested in being a member of the build team should send an email to Tom Miller at [tmillerosu@aol.com](mailto:tmillerosu@aol.com) indicating whether you want a morning or afternoon shift. Additional details regarding the Build Day will be provided to those who participate.

## Isn't anyone listening?

It's something we do well.

If you feel it would be helpful to have a confidential space and caring listener as you are trying to work out a problem in your own mind, please consider a Stephen Minister.

We would be happy to act as a sounding board as you work out solutions.

**Stephen Ministry Connect 310.541.1403**



To the men of our parish, please consider joining the Knights of Columbus, Council 1990. You can sign up online at <https://www.kofc.org/joinus>.

Enter 1990 for the Council and MCGIVNEY2020 for the special

promotion.

The charities we help support include House of Yahweh, Pregnancy Help Center, Rancho San Antonio, Seminarians, and Star House.

Besides serving our church and community, we meet twice a month for business, fun, and fellowship at our Council Hall, 214 Avenue I, Redondo Beach.

We look forward to having you join us!

## Medjugorje Rosary Prayer Group Join us!



We continue to pray the rosary in the midst of this difficult time.

We meet in **Kavanagh Hall every Monday at 7 pm.**

Experience inner peace.

**All may offer their own intentions.**

**Dean Campazzie 310.372.5182**

## Bingo! Bingo! Bingo! Bingo! Bingo!

Time for some fun! St. James Thursday night BINGO is every Thursday night in Kavanagh Hall!

**Doors open at 5:30pm. Early bird game at 6:45**

**Play all night for \$15**

**One pack covers all games  
St. James School  
receives the profits**

Questions? Contact:  
**Parish Office 310.372.5228**

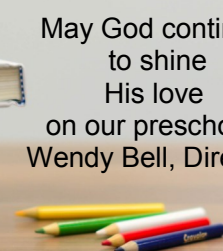


## Saint James Catholic Preschool

Accepting applications  
call **310.376.5550**

visit [SaintJames.Church/preschool](https://www.saintjameschurch.org/preschool)

May God continue  
to shine  
His love  
on our preschool.  
Wendy Bell, Director



## Gospel Meditation

*"We are called to live our baptism every day, as new creatures, clothed in Christ."*  
— Pope Francis

What reference point do you use when making decisions?

Many times, impulse takes control and decisions are made based solely on emotion and desire. We all know that these types of decisions can often get us into trouble. When a person has a confident sense of who they are and a real understanding of what is important and of value, the likelihood of kneejerk impulsive choices diminishes.

Baptism gives us what we need to make well informed and purposeful decisions. By this simple gesture, God claims us as His own and provides us with the identity and purpose we need to properly live life.

It is tremendously reassuring, when we truly embrace this revelation and realize that we no longer have to wonder about the purpose of our lives or struggle to find our way.

The answer of who we are in God has been given to us. We no longer have to fumble around, trip over ourselves or walk aimlessly about. Issues surrounding the sacredness of life, the meaning of death, the protection of those most vulnerable, care for the weak and the poor, offering hospitality to those in search of a home, the purpose and proper place of work, how to create a just social order, caring for creation, and understanding our roles as heralds and stewards are just a few of the wonderful gifts baptism brings.

When we make decisions based on things such as these core Gospel truths we really act as Christ himself, revealing to others the new creations that we are. This is how we live our baptism.

It is difficult to walk against the tide. Yet, that is precisely what baptism calls us to do. Although we are sinners, in need of mercy and far from perfection we are called to order our life and make decisions based upon the wisdom and guidance of Almighty God.

He alone is the one who can claim us as His sons and daughters. Standing up for our principles will not make us popular. But who ever said Christianity is a popularity contest? Baptism calls us to stand up for that which goes against the grain of secularism.

Standing in line with other sinners, we have our anchor to steady us in the tempests of life and God is very pleased.

Forge ahead.  
There is nothing to fear.

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## Catholic Q & A

J.P. Alegria

This week's Topic: "A Christmas Coda"

**Q:** "Gloria in Excelsis Deo!"  
"Glory to God in the highest!"

That angelic proclamation of grandly cosmic proportions first reached the ears of lowly shepherds in the field.

**A:** What does the Church teach about the Christmas mystery?

The Catholic News Agency underscores this broadly-reaching arc of the nativity spectrum:

*"God does not rise up in grandeur, but lowers himself into littleness. Littleness is the path that he chose to draw near to us, to touch our hearts, to save us and to bring us back to what really matters. Baby Jesus, you are God, the God who becomes a child. Let us be amazed..."*

The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* teaches:

*"Jesus was born in a humble stable, into a poor family. Simple shepherds were the first witnesses to this event. In this poverty heaven's glory was made manifest. No one, whether shepherd or wise man, can approach God here below except by kneeling before the manager at Bethlehem and adoring him hidden in the weakness of a new-born child."*

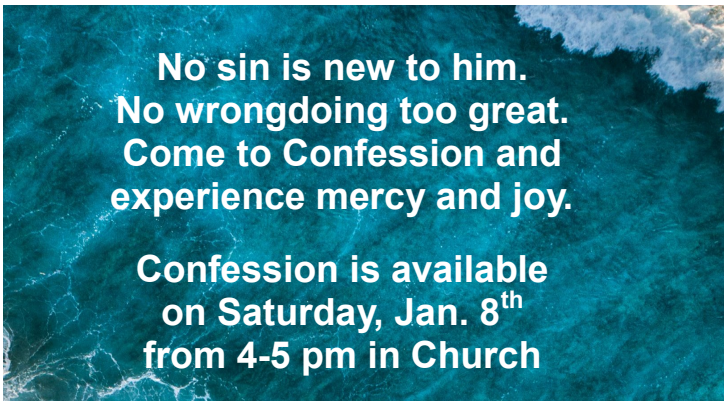
Pope Francis, in an address delivered from the central balcony overlooking St. Peter's Square this Christmas night, sprinkled his remarks with spiritual similes:

*"The Word of God...became flesh and came to dwell among us. He came like a whisper, like the murmur of a gentle breeze, to fill with wonder the heart of every man and woman who is open to this mystery."*

Pope St. John Paul II wrote:

*"The celebration of Christmas has just reminded us of God's tenderness for humanity, manifested in Jesus, and has made the ever-new message of Bethlehem ring out once again."*

The Nativity of the Lord.  
Heaven's glory.  
Let us be amazed.



**No sin is new to him.  
No wrongdoing too great.  
Come to Confession and  
experience mercy and joy.**

**Confession is available  
on Saturday, Jan. 8<sup>th</sup>  
from 4-5 pm in Church**



## Readings

Monday

**To you, Lord, I will offer a sacrifice of praise.**  
1 Sm 1:1-8 / Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday

**My heart exults in the Lord, my Savior.**  
1 Sm 1:9-20 / 1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd /Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday

**Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.**  
1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20 / Mk 1:29-39

Thursday

**Redeem us, Lord, because of your mercy.**  
1 Sm 4:1-11 / Mk 1:40-45

Friday

**For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.**  
1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a / Mk 2:1-12

Saturday

**Lord, in your strength the king is glad.**  
1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a / Mk 2:13-17

Sunday

**Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations.**  
Is 62:1-5 / 1 Cor 12:4-11 / Jn 2:1-11

## Prayer Requests

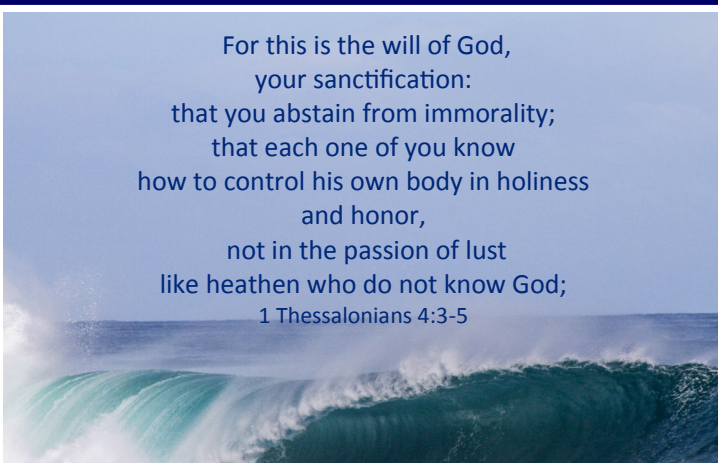
For those suffering illness, infirmity  
and those in need of our prayers:

**Caroline Deneen**

From death to new life.  
For the souls of the recently departed,  
that through the mercy of God,  
They may rest in peace:

**Mildred Blazejack, Patrick Kelly**

For this is the will of God,  
your sanctification:  
that you abstain from immorality;  
that each one of you know  
how to control his own body in holiness  
and honor,  
not in the passion of lust  
like heathen who do not know God;  
1 Thessalonians 4:3-5



## Weekly Mass Intentions

<b>Sat.</b> 8 am 5:30 pm	<b>January 8</b> Fr. Thaddeus Fr. Thaddeus	Leon Campazzie † Walter Cox † Lupe Hernandez †
<b>Sunday</b> 6:30 am 8 am 10 am 12 Noon 5:30 pm	<b>January 9</b> Fr. Thaddeus Msgr. Mike Fr. Thaddeus Fr. Jim Msgr. Mike	Saeko Matsuma † Jessica Bailey † Joseph Roman † Martha & Samuel Gaza † John Laney † Lois Kunsch † Magdalena Griesbauer † Ida Miller † Neil Mitchell † Larry & Joan Roughen †
<b>Monday</b> 8 am 12 noon	<b>January 10</b> Msgr. Mike Fr. Thaddeus	Jim Gaynor † Nattie Naughton †
<b>Tues.</b> 8 am 12 noon	<b>January 11</b> Fr. Thaddeus Msgr. Mike	Giosue Patteri † Raul W. Andutan, M.D. †
<b>Wed.</b> 8 am 12 noon	<b>January 12</b> Msgr. Mike Fr. Jim	Michael Romero † John Hofert †
<b>Thurs.</b> 8 am 12 noon	<b>January 13</b> Fr. Jim Fr. Thaddeus	Sr. Mary Rose Creegan † Doug Hensel †
<b>Friday</b> 8 am 12 noon	<b>January 14</b> Fr. Thaddeus Fr. Jim	Debbie Lescoe † Diane Lange †
<b>Sat.</b> 8 am 5:30 pm	<b>January 15</b> TBD Msgr. Mike	Lonney Joe Blodgett † Maria Toner † Lucille Cervantes †
<b>Sunday</b> 6:30 am 8 am 10 am 12 Noon 5:30 pm	<b>January 16</b> Msgr. Mike Msgr. Mike Fr. Jim Msgr. Mike TBD	Carl Bledsoe † Rey Santos Lupe Hernandez † Lorenzo Gomez † Pat Straub Fernando Sy † Raul W. Andutan M.D. † Herb Rooker † Carl Bledsoe † Vincent Rutherford †

For prayer requests or to request a Mass intention,  
please call or visit the Parish Office **310.372.5228**

We're here to help you become  
the holy, healthy, vibrant person that  
God has created you to be.



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"Lord, cleanse me of my guilt"

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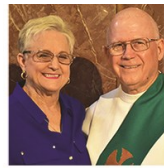
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## Helping Children Grow in Faith

*'Train the young in the way  
they should go;  
even when old,  
they will not swerve  
from it' Proverbs 22:6*



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