

Holy Rosary Church



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WEEKEND MASSES

Holy Rosary: Saturday 5:30 p.m. & Sunday 9:30 a.m.

St. Stephen: Sunday 8:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Holy Rosary: Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

St. Stephen: Sunday 7:15 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.

or anytime by appointment

Mass Intentions

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| Saturday 5:30 p.m. | January 8 Mike & Therese Long Tina Schmitt |
| Sunday 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. | January 9 Families of Holy Rosary and St. Stephen Matthew & Jannett Long |
| Monday | January 10 No Scripture Service |
| Tuesday 9:30 a.m. | January 11 – Manor Mass Martha Wujek |
| Wednesday 7:30 a.m. | January 12 Tim Kendrick |
| Thursday 7:30 a.m. | January 13 Patricia Mudd Yates |
| Friday 8:20 a.m. | January 14 Roger Crowe |
| Saturday 5:30 p.m. | January 15 Dede Yager Kenny Fulton |
| Sunday 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. | January 16 Kathy Smith Families of Holy Rosary and St. Stephen |

Daily Mass Servers: January 12-14

Marah Greiman, Rance Greiman

Your Gifts to God and Parish

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| December 12 | \$ 5,141.25 |
| December 19 | \$ 6,424.25 |
| December 26 | \$ 17,099.75 |
| January 2 | \$ 7,196.25 |

Intention of Pope Francis: For true human fraternity:

We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.

Intention of Bishop McKnight: As we begin a new year, may the opportunities for the grace to clearly recognize the dignity of life, education and ecumenism allow us to better support our brothers and sisters who need the warmth of Christ's love and our compassion during this winter season.

Parish Goal: \$ 24,990

Pledged: \$ 22,930

Collected: \$ 17,215.50

Diocese Goal: \$2,000,000

Pledged: \$ 1,463,755.88

Received: \$ 1,245,696.49



Catholic
STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

January 9, 2022 The Baptism of the Lord



Dear Parishioners,

I pray that 2022 is going well for you. We come to the end of the Christmas season this weekend. The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord is a liturgical season bridge between Christmas and Ordinary Time. It is the conclusion of the Christmas season, and yet the Lectionary also calls it the First Sunday in Ordinary time. The prayers at Mass today point to our sharing in the Baptism of Christ.

During the Penitential Rite at the beginning of Mass you'll notice we have the Rite of Blessing and Sprinkling of Water. When John the Baptist baptized, his cleansing with water washed away sin. John says that Jesus will come baptizing in the Holy Spirit. The blessing and sprinkling of water serve as a memorial of Easter and of our own Baptism. In the rite, God is thanked for intervening to save us through the medium of water and is asked to continue to give forgiveness and life to us.

Today the water blessed at the Sprinkling Rite will be used throughout Ordinary Time and the season of Lent in the holy water font and bowls around church that we dip our finger into and bless ourselves with as we enter church. This blessing of ourselves with holy water is another remembrance of our baptism and our salvation through Christ's death on the cross.

Holy water bottles are placed near the baptismal font. It is customary to keep holy water in our homes and to bless our homes with this water. You are welcome to take some holy water with you today. It may be time, if you already have blessed water at home, to refresh it with this newly blessed water. When disposing of holy water, you should do so in a life-giving manner. Reverently pour it into a plant or at the base of a tree, or pour it out into the ground in a place that will not be walked on. Never pour holy water into the sink or down a drain. If you did not do so last weekend on the Solemnity of the Epiphany, bring your holy water bottle to church with you next week and refill it.

I hope that during the weeks of Ordinary Time you get to see God work through you in extraordinary ways. Prayers and Blessings.

Fr. Greg Oligschlaeger

"The celebration of Jesus' baptism invites every Christian to remember his or her own baptism. I cannot ask you whether you remember the day of your baptism, because most of you were infants, like me; we were baptized as infants. But I ask you another question: do you know the date of your baptism? Do you know what day you were baptized? Each one think about it. And if you do not know the date or have forgotten it, upon returning home, ask your mom, grandma, uncle, aunt, grandpa, godfather, godmother: what is the date? We must always keep that date in our memory, because it is a date of celebration; it is the date of our initial sanctification; it is the date on which the Father gave us the Holy Spirit who encourages us to walk; it is the date of the great forgiveness. Do not forget: what is the date of my baptism?"

(Pope Francis, Angelus Address, January 7, 2018)

Contemplative Outreach – An introduction to centering prayer. All are welcome on Saturday, January 29, 2022 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. (Registration begins @ 9:30 am) (We will offer coffee, tea & lemonade. Feel free to bring a snack to share if you choose.) Presented by Fr. Matthew Flatley Call (573) 202-3590 or E-mail; mflatley@diojeffcity.org if you would like more information. Holy Family Catholic Church (St Michael's Hall in the Lower Level of the Church) 1111 Broadway Hannibal, MO 63401

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- Contribute using a bank account or credit card.

Parish Benefits

- Regular giving allows responsible budgeting and planning for our parish.
- With secure transactions, our parish staff does not store bank information or make multiple trips to the bank.
- Efficient transaction management saves parish staff time and removes opportunities for human errors.
- All transactions are made in real-time, which means funds can be used for our ministries immediately!

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On the Calendar...

- January 10** – Rosary at St. Stephen at 12:00 noon
January 11 - First reconciliation for 2nd graders – 6:30 p.m.
January 31 – Catholic Schools Week
February 5 - 1st Saturday Rosary at 10:00 a.m.
February 12 – Lucky Hearts Banquet
March 19 – Sacrament of Confirmation Mass
March 23 – Family Faith Night

Liturgical Ministries

January 15 - 5:30 p.m. Mass

Rosary: Therese Long
Servers: Brynn Williams, Macy Painter
Eucharistic Ministers: Dorothy Ritter, Ruth Ann Shaver, Bob Kendrick, Mary David, Debbie Durbin, Regina Miskell, Kathy Dean
Lector: Leanna Moss
Ushers: John Ritter, Kent Bichsel, Kevin Bichsel
Cross Bearer: Jeannine Murray
Gift Bearer: Mark & Jane Vollrath
Greeters: Williams & Mandy Painter

January 16 - 9:30 a.m. Mass

Rosary: Paula Karr
Servers: Jaxyn Helm, Keegan Hunter
Eucharistic Ministers: David Wilson, Phil Thompson, David Pfaff, Ed Born, Toni Hunter, Cathy Jo Pfaff, Kay Elliott, Zachary Jones, Jennifer Richardson
Lector: Dianne Kunce
Ushers: Mike Bichsel, Mike Hunter, Bill Schneider
Cross Bearer: Conner Pfaff
Gift Bearer: Rodney Yager Family
Greeters: Brett Shively Family

Readings for January 16, 2022

1st Reading – Isaiah 62:1-5 As a young man marries a virgin, so the Lord will marry Israel. No longer will she be called "Forsaken," for she is now the precious one of God and will be called "My Delight."

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 96:1-3, 7-10
Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations.

2nd Reading – 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 There is one Spirit from whom come many gifts. Each person is given a different gift to use for the common good. We are all united in the one Spirit through our individual gifts.

Gospel – John 2:1-11 Jesus and his mother were invited to a wedding feast at Cana. There he performed the first of his great signs, changing water into wine. Thus he revealed his glory to all.

"If anyone has any warm clothing, blankets or food they would like to donate to the tornado victims in Kentucky, contact Parker Kendrick 735-4746. I have a fellow Knight that wants to fill the back half of an RV full of stuff to take down there the first of February, and then have a local K of C council distribute it asap. He already has a few blankets, but wants to take more. Thank you"

Father, we lift up those today that are fighting disease and ailments, whether in mind or body. When they want to give up, give them fresh strength and courage. Comfort them in times of pain, give them peace in times of fear and bless them with your healing touch. Come Lord Jesus!

Please pray for:

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| David Griffin | Mark Leake | Caitlin Shively |
| Geoffrey Preckshot | Trent Zeiger | Jeff Thomas |
| Kayla Benson McAndrews | | Phyllis Taylor |
| Lakian Lehenbauer | Janice Kendrick | Richard Elliott |
| Rusty Adam | Regina Hays | Frankie Maddox |
| Tim Quinn | John Kendrick | Deacon Mike Long |
| Hazel Smith | Sue Gilbert | Natalee Amos |
| Rosemary Evans | Deanna Buckman | Jackie Ryan |
| Logan Maher | Bonnie Ess | Barbara Kendrick |
| Connie Kendrick | Nick Mudd | Michael Kellerman |
| Bill Smith | Teresa Ritter Toland | |

School News

- Holy Rosary Sports Banquet will be held on Monday, January 10, beginning at 6:00 in the KC Hall. It will be a carry-in meal with meat, drinks and tableware provided.
- Catholic School Week will be celebrated from Monday, January 31, thru Friday, February 4. Festival of Learning Projects will be on display in the gym.
- Mass at 8:20 on Friday, January 14, will be led by the seventh grade students.

MONROE CITY MANOR CARE CENTER

Sunday Ministerial Alliance Scripture Service

January 9 – Howard and Linda Willard
January 23 – Jim and Sheryl Underhill

Rosary

January 18 – Annette Carmean / Dorothy Shively
February 1 – Donna Thompson / Marie Puroil

Following God's Lead along with Donna

PSR classes resume for 7-12 PSR today, January 9, 2022. PSR classes resume for K-6 PSR on January 12, 2022. Students not yet enrolled in PSR are welcome to join their class in January.

RCIA Sessions – Our next session will be January 12, 2022 at 6:30 pm at Holy Rosary Church basement. Our topic will be The Sacraments: An Introduction.

FORMED.org – Today we celebrate The Baptism of the Lord. I listened to this presentation by Fr. Mike Schmitz (The Bible in a Year) entitled Changed Forever: The Sacrament of Baptism. I encourage you to sign into FORMED and listen. There is no video, this is audio only. <https://watch.formed.org/videos/changed-forever-the-sacrament-of-baptism-by-fr-mike-schmitz>

Our Next Parish-Wide Study will be The Bible and the Virgin Mary from St. Paul Center as our next parish study. Please watch the bulletin for more information in upcoming weeks.

Continue Yours Prayers for Confirmation Candidates
If you wish to send them cards of encouragement, please mail cards to school, 415 S. Locust, or to church, 405 S. Main, and we will make sure the student receives your card of encouragement.

