SACRED HEART OF JESUS
CATHOLIC PARISH

January 6, 2013
The Epiphany of the Lord



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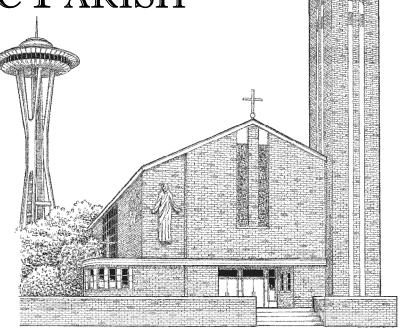
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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday—Saturday 8:00am
Monday—Friday 12:10pm
Tuesday 5:30pm
Saturday Vigil 5:30pm
Sunday 9am, 11am, and 5:30pm

Reconciliation: 30 min. before Daily Masses
Saturday 4pm-5pm

MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Catholic community dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, ministered by the Redemptorists in the Archdiocese of Seattle.

We are a welcoming community of baptized disciples. Through our Liturgy, Sacraments, Faith Formation, and Pastoral Care, we dedicate ourselves to being:

- · a Sacramental Community united in God's love
- a Community of Faith which shares in the teaching mission of Christ
- a Community of Stewardship of time, talent, and treasure serving people most in need
- a Community called to witness and proclaim the Good News through the power of the Holy Spirit

With the grace of God, the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and the maternal protection of Our Mother of Perpetual Help, we devote ourselves to living this mission.

God bless you!

Happy New Year! We have, by now, said and offer that well-wish quite a bit! And behind this salutation, what is the real reason we offer it? To some, we are only offering a "seasonal hello or goodbye" I suspect. And then depending upon the level of our relationship and sincerity of heart we do really wish the very best to the one we address. Something the same yet different.

I recently read this passage written by St. John Chrysostom: "If the Magi had come in search of an earthly king, they would have been disconcerted at finding that they had taken the trouble to come such a long way for nothing. Consequently they would have neither adored nor offered gifts. But since they sought a heavenly king, though they found in him no signs of royal pre-eminence, yet, content with the testimony of the star alone, they adored: for they saw a human, and they acknowledged a God." It took me several readings to really appreciate this quote!

The Magi searched for "the newborn king of the Jews" with enthusiasm, anticipation, and joy. They came to pay him homage and be inspired in the meeting. And they hoped to return somehow differently better than when they arrived. Herod pursued this so-called "newborn king of the Jews" out of jealousy and fear. He felt threatened and would come to kill rather than gift. His only comfort would be in destruction. The same someone seen differently.

The Giving Tree in the vestibule of the Church now stands empty of its inscribed paper ornaments. Yet it stands more beautiful, as these "ornament invitations" were exchanged for gifts by generous souls and to bring smiles to many less fortunate. Our house of worship is cleaned and beautifully decorated, a new meeting room for all our use is just about finished, shelter and food continues to be offered to the deserving, a number of needy families enjoy human comfort and true joy this day, and on and on goes this beautiful list heralding generous donations, precious time, thoughtful prayer and talent – all shared and making a difference because you followed the right star and for the right reasons.

May you continue to be inspired as you list ways you will find and follow Him, and make a true personal and other-centered difference throughout this New Year! We pray over you that quite special blessing the Lord asked Moses and Aaron to pray over His people (Numbers 6:22-27): "The Lord bless you and keep you! The Lord let his face shine upon you, and be gracious to you! The Lord look upon you kindly and give you peace." Happy New Year!

Father Mark



"All kings shall pay Him homage, all nations shall serve Him."

Psalm 72:11

Daily Mass Intentions

Sun Jan.6 9:00am †Reynaldo Gonio 11:00am †Dominador Basa 5:30pm Mary Rose Dobyns

Mon Jan.7 8:00am Earl Ryan

12:10pm Jennifer Yarnell

Tue Jan.8 8:00am †Br.Raymond Bowerson, C.Ss.R.

12:10pm Sally Guinasso 5:30pm †John Buckley

Wed Jan.9 8:00am Agnes Bugni 12:10pm Betty Tamayo

Thu Jan.10 8:00am †Santiago Valenciano

12:10pm †Llyod Wolfe

Fri Jan.11 8:00am Kethlenn Kirschner

12:10pm †Ruth Ann Houser

Sat Jan.12 8:00am Redemptorist Community

5:30pm Sacred Heart Parish

Daily Readings

 1/7
 1 John 3:22--4:6
 Psalm 2:7-8,10-12
 Matthew 4:12-17,23-25

 1/8
 1 John 4:7-10
 Psalm 72:1-4,7-8
 Mark 6:34-44

 1/9
 1 John 4:11-18
 Psalm 72:1-2,10,12-13
 Mark 6:45-52

 1/10
 1 John 4:19--5:4
 Psalm 72:1-2,14-15,17
 Luke 4:14-22

 1/11
 1 John 5:5-13
 Psalm 147:12-15,19-20
 Luke 5:12-16

 1/12
 1 John 5:14-21
 Psalm 149:1-6,9
 John 3:22-30



Please join in a viewing of *A Vast Company of Witnesses: The Communion of Saints*, the eighth video in Fr. Robert Barron's Catholicism series. This video explores the Church's most extraordinary saints, including Edith Stein, Mother Teresa, Therese of Lisieux, and Katherine Drexel. The showing will be on January 6 at 6:45pm in the Fellowship Room. You do not need to have viewed any previous Catholicism videos to join!

Mass for Life

Archbishop J. Peter Sartain will be celebrating the annual Archdiocesan MASS for LIFE at Marcus Pavilion on the campus of St. Martin's University in Lacey at 9:30am, January 22, Tuesday. If you wish to help organize or participate in this event, please contact Fr. Binh for further information.

"The Incarnation reveals to us...that every human life has a very lofty and incomparable dignity."

Pope Benedict XVI Homily, Vigil for All Nascent Human Life Nov. 27, 2010

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Please Pray for the Following People

Christina Buckley
Diedre Evans
Rose Ann Haas
Paul Sweeney
Paul Dargan
Joseph Usher
Margaret Hernandez
Barbara Felzer
Louise Steuart & Family
Leticia Manzano



Dorothy Usher Bernadette Berry Jerry & Mary Pat Dan Rosenberg Jerry Usher Ellen Donohoe Kayla Preston Vito Grieco Anne Carroll George Sammut

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This Week at Sacred Heart

January 6, Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord

- Special Latte Coffee Hour after the 9:00am & 11:00am Masses
- Legion of Mary, Adoration Chapel, 12:30pm
- Catholicism Video Series, Fellowship Room, 6:45pm

January 8, Tuesday

- MPH Novena after 8:00am, 12:10pm, & 5:30pm Masses

January 9, Wednesday

- RCIA session, Fellowship Room, 7:00pm

January 12, Saturday

- La Luz de Cristo, Adoration Chapel, 10:00am noon
- Legion of Mary Comitium, Fellowship Room, 1:00pm -3:00pm
- Anointing of the Sick, after the 5:30pm Mass

DACA Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals

Certain undocumented youth and young adults up to age 31 are now eligible for deferred action and work authorization. To find out if you are eligible or to get help with the application process or to volunteer to help with the project, contact Anne Soerens with the St. James Cathedral Dreamers Project at 206-382-4374. For further information, visit www.stjames-cathedral.org/esl and click on Dreamers. This program is recognized and the staff is accredited by the U.S. Department of Justice Board of Immigration Appeals to assist with immigration cases.

Save Your Baby! 24/7 Toll Free Crisis Line: 1-877-440-2229 Your baby is counting on you.

An unwanted pregnancy can be a traumatic experience. Washington State Law allows a parent to bring their unharmed newborn, up to 3 days old, to any hospital, staffed fire station, or federal designated rural health clinic during hours of operation. Tell the employee/volunteer that you want to leave your newborn as a "Safe Place Baby."