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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE
8:00 a.m. Low Mass | 10:00 a.m. High Mass

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 8:00 a.m.
Thursday 8:00 a.m.
Friday 8:00 a.m. | First Friday 6:00 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m.

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

6:00 p.m. High Mass

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Sunday - 7:15 - 7:45 a.m. & 9:15 - 9:45 a.m.
Daily - 30 Minutes before Mass

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday Following 6:00 p.m. Mass
Friday 9:00 a.m. - Noon
First Friday 4:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

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Where do we find Christ?

In this feast of Epiphany – which means, literally, “manifestation” – right off the bat we are forced to look more deeply at the season we have just celebrated in order to find God made manifest in our world. Where is the one who is the reason for the season?

Amid the darkness, Christ is discovered where there is light. A star guides the way to the place where this new king is found. The point is clear: If you want to find Him, follow that light. It's difficult to do in a world so often overcome by shadows and darkness.

Where is the Christ? Follow the light. There you will find Him, our ultimate source of light and redemption and hope. **He is often found where we don't expect him.**

If the first words spoken in this Gospel offer us a profound challenge, the last ones offer profound hope. The Magi, we're told, had to “go home by another way.” An encounter with Christ means we need to change direction.

I can't think of a better message from the Magi – or for the start of a new year. “Where do we find the newborn King of the Jews?” Herod's answer to the Magi still speaks to us: “Search diligently.” If we open our eyes, and open our hearts, we will find Him. He will be made manifest, perhaps in ways we never imagined. We will share in the greatest epiphany of all. And then, like the Magi, we will find our way home...by another way.



Canon Antoine Boucheron

Sunday, January 6, 2019 - Epiphany Sunday

Feast of the Epiphany of Our Lord

The Feast of the Epiphany is the continuation of the mystery of Christmas. It appears on the Calendar of the Church with its own special character although in the United States it is a non-obligatory holy feast. Its very name, which signifies Manifestation, implies that it celebrates the apparition of God to his creatures. It is also the feast of the Baptism of Our Lord. In the Eastern Church it is known as the "Theophany," meaning "appearance of God."

The Epiphany is indeed great for it shares with the Feasts of Christmas, Easter, Ascension, and Pentecost, the honor of being called, in the Canon of the Mass, *a Day most holy*. The joy caused us by the Birth of our Jesus must be renewed on it, for, as though it were a second Christmas Day, it shows us our Incarnate God in a new light. It leaves us all the sweetness of the dear Babe of Bethlehem, who hath appeared to us already in love; but to this it adds its own grand manifestation of the divinity of our Jesus. At Christmas, it was a few Shepherds that were invited by the Angels to go and recognize THE WORD MADE FLESH; but now, at the Epiphany, the voice of God himself calls the whole world to adore this Jesus, and to hear him.

The mystery of the Epiphany brings upon us three magnificent rays of the Sun of Justice. There are united in the Epiphany the three manifestations of Jesus' Glory: the mystery of the Magi coming from the East, under the guidance of a star and adoring the Infant of Bethlehem as the Divine King; the mystery of the Baptism of Christ, who, while standing in the waters of the Jordan, was proclaimed by the Eternal Father as Son of God -- when Saint John baptized the Lamb of God the heavens were opened and the Holy Ghost appeared as a Dove over the head of Christ, and the Father's voice was heard: "This is My Beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased" -- ; and thirdly, the mystery of the divine power of this same Jesus, when he changed the water into wine at the wedding of Cana.

Saint Gregory Nazianzen sermonized over 1,600 years ago that on the Epiphany, "The heavens like Paradise with its flaming sword, closed by Adam for himself and his descendants, are rent open. The Spirit comes to Him {Jesus} as to an equal, bearing witness to His Godhead. A voice bears witness to Him from heaven, His place of origin. The Spirit descends in bodily form like a dove that so long ago announced the ending of the flood and so gives honor to the body that is one with God."

We ought to spend this holy day with great solemnity and religious feeling. Let us remember with joy and gratitude the gift of the Incarnation. May the light of Christ shine in our hearts and in our lives! Let us keep it throughout the year so that the new year can really be a year of grace, marked by the celebration of the mysteries of Our Savior Jesus Christ. Let us go in spirit to the manger of Bethlehem with the Wise Men -- Gaspar, Melchior, and Balthazar -- and adore our Redeemer. And may our Blessed Mother be always with us, so that we can recognize the signs of her Divine Son.

That day, beloved children, on which Christ, the Savior of the world, for the first time appeared to the Gentiles, is to be venerated with a most holy honor by us also... For that day is not past in such a way that the power of the work which was then revealed should be past as well.

— Pope S. Leo I, (5th Cent.)

Magnify, my soul, her who is more honorable and glorious than the hosts above, O most pure Virgin, blessed Mother, the mystery of the childbirth passeth understanding, and by it we have gained full salvation. We worthily praise thee as our benefactress, and bring thee songs as a thank-offering.

— Byzantine Menaea, Theophany, (6th Cent.)

O God, Who on this day didst reveal Thine only-begotten Son to the gentiles by the leading of a star; mercifully grant, that we who know thee now by faith, may be brought to the contemplation of the beauty of Thy majesty.

— Roman Missal, Epiphany, Collect. (6th Cent.)

This day the Church is joined unto the heavenly Bridegroom, since Christ hath washed away her sins in Jordan; the wise men hasten with gifts to the marriage supper of the King; and they that sit at meat together make merry with water turned into wine. Alleluia.

— Roman Breviary, Epiphany, Lauds (6th Cent.)



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION
TODAY - SUNDAY, JANUARY 6 - O'Brien Hall
Following the 10:00 a.m. Mass
All who have signed up are invited to celebrate the birth of the Christ Child on the feast of Epiphany with a special Pot Luck and Talent Show!

Epiphany water and chalk have been blessed and both are now available for families to take and bless their homes.

EPHIFANY WATER, HOUSE BLESSING

If you would like to have your home blessed using this most powerful sacramental, **please contact Canon Boucheron** canon.boucheron@institute-christ-king.org to schedule a time. It is always preferred that a Priest bless the home although the Epiphany home blessing may be done by the head of household if a Priest is not available.

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*The "Blessing of the Home" prayers and instructions are available next to the "Epiphany" Holy water and chalk which are located in the side (North) entrance of the church.*

# LITURGICAL CALENDAR: JAN 6 - JAN 13, 2019

|                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
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| <b>Sun., Jan. 6</b><br><b>8:00 a.m.</b><br>Low Mass                                               | <h2 style="margin: 0;">EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">(1st Cl., W)<br/>                 Commemoration for the Pope</p> <p style="margin: 0;"><b>Blessing of Epiphany Water and Chalk at 7:00 a.m.</b></p> <p style="margin: 0;"><b>Blessing of the Children after both Masses</b></p> | †Jennifer Rasmussen<br><i>by Grace Skaletski</i>                | Daniel Lexow<br>Gibbon Lexow                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>10:00 a.m.</b><br><b>High Mass</b><br><i>St. Cecilia</i><br>Choir                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Charles & Colleen Jessel<br><i>by Dane &amp; Teresa Thorsen</i> | MC: Nicholas Reif<br>Thurifer: Jacob Mihalski<br>Acolytes: Sebastian Ellis & Nathan Reif<br>Candle: Paul & Josh Mihalski, Jean-Marie & Augustine Helfenberger<br>Crucifer: Nicholas Furtak<br>Scott LaLonde |
| <b>Mon., Jan. 7</b><br><b>8:00 a.m.</b>                                                           | <b>Votive Mass of the First Sunday after Epiphany,</b><br>(2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Canon Boucheron<br><i>by Mr. &amp; Mrs. Lasee</i>               | Raphael Cary<br>Gabe Cary                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Tues., Jan. 8</b><br><b>8:30 a.m.</b>                                                          | <b>Votive Mass of the First Sunday after Epiphany,</b><br>(2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Jack Whaley<br><i>By Tom &amp; Mary Roehrig</i>                 | Raphael Cary<br>Gabe Cary                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| ↪ <b>Mass Today will be held at St. Joseph's Church   936 Ninth Street   Green Bay, WI. 54304</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>Wed., Jan. 9</b><br>Noon                                                                       | <b>Votive Mass of the First Sunday after Epiphany,</b><br>(2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | †MaryAnn DeBaker<br><i>by Cal DeBaker</i>                       | David Stillwell<br>Andreas Kempen                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Thur., Jan. 10</b><br><b>8:00 a.m.</b>                                                         | <b>Votive Mass of the First Sunday after Epiphany,</b><br>(2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | John & Margaret Gwidt<br><i>by Margaret Gwidt</i>               | OPEN                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Fri., Jan. 11</b><br><b>8:00 a.m.</b>                                                          | <b>St. Hyginus, Pope &amp; Martyr</b><br>(4th Cl., R) Commemoration for the Pope                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Nadi & Rose Qamar<br><i>by Cheryl Danz</i>                      | OPEN                                                                                                                                                                                                        |

### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - 8:45 am - Noon

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| <b>Sat., Jan. 12</b><br><b>9:00 a.m.</b>                                               | <b>Our Lady on the Saturday,</b><br>(4th Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope                                                                      | Beverly Fonferek<br><i>by Thomas Fonferek</i>      | Jacob Mihalski<br>Adam Mihalski                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>Sun., Jan. 13</b><br><b>8:00 a.m.</b><br>Low Mass                                   | <h2 style="margin: 0;">FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY FAMILY</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">(2nd Cl., W)<br/>                 Commemoration for the Pope</p> | Canon Gardner<br><i>by Joseph &amp; Lori Lasee</i> | Aaron Rasmussen<br>Jacob Mihalski                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>10:00 a.m.</b><br><b>High Mass</b><br><i>St. Cecilia Choir</i><br><br>Confirmations |                                                                                                                                                  | Cardinal Burke<br><i>by Del &amp; Lee Mayer</i>    | 1st MC: Alex Barga<br>2nd MC: Jacob Mihalski<br>Thurifer: Andreas Kempen<br>Acolytes: Raphael Cary & Adam Mihalski<br>Crosier: Gabriel Cary<br>Mitre: Peter Cisler<br>Bugia: Vic Neumann<br>Book: Michael Simia<br>Candle: Nathan & Nicholas Reif, John Kanzenbach, Eric Lexow |

#### CONFESSION SCHEDULE

**Sunday** .....7:15 - 7:45 a.m. & 9:15 - 9:45 a.m.  
**Daily** .....30 minutes before every Holy Mass  
**Upon appointment**..... Call the rectory

#### Adoration Schedule

**Tuesday** ..... Holy Hour following the 6:00 p.m. Mass  
**Friday**..... Eucharistic Adoration 8:45 a.m. - Noon  
**First Friday**..... Eucharistic Adoration 4:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

#### DEVOTION SCHEDULE

**Daily**....Rosary followed by the special Memorare Prayer for the Shrine of Christ the King  
  
**Monday** ..... Fatima Prayers after Holy Mass  
**Wednesday**..... St. Joseph Novena after Holy Mass  
**Friday** ..... Sorrowful Mother Novena and Adoration after Holy Mass  
**Sunday** ..... Legion of Mary - between the 8:00 & 10:00 a.m. Masses  
**Monthly**..... Infant Jesus Novena (Recited on the 17th to 25th)

### \*\* CATECHISM CLASSES - CHRISTMAS BREAK\*\*

Our weekly Catechism classes are on break Tuesdays, January 1 & 8. Classes will resume on Tuesday, January 15.

## Today - Blessing of Children after both Masses

The Confraternity of Christian Mothers of St. Patrick's Oratory has requested a special blessing for children. **The children are to be assembled near the front of the church immediately following each Mass.** The priest begins the ceremony with antiphons and psalms. Several prayers follow that beg God's blessing on them to "let them constantly advance, desiring thee, loving thee, fearing thee, obeying thy commandments -- thus coming to their destined home, through thee, Savior of the world." Another prayer asks God's protection of children in every adversity and a special invocation directed towards the children's angel guardians.

We are very privileged to have these special blessings and sacramentals available to us and therefore it is incumbent upon us to take full advantage of them in order to help protect ourselves and our loved ones in these wicked times.

# Sunday, January 6, 2019 - Epiphany Sunday

## Apologetics Book Club

The Apologetics Book Club continues this Friday, January 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Rectory. The book club is open to all who are 18 years and older. If you have questions, please feel free to contact: (Jacob Steiner) at [jsteiner12@alumni.uwosh.edu](mailto:jsteiner12@alumni.uwosh.edu)

**Mandatory Confirmation Mass Server Practice**  
Saturday, January 12 - Following the 9:00 a.m. Mass

### SCRIP AT-A-GLANCE

| Month      | # Weeks | # Buyers | Total Sales | Oratory Profits   | Avg per week |
|------------|---------|----------|-------------|-------------------|--------------|
| Aug. 2018  | 3       | 30       | \$10,714.00 | <b>\$388.13</b>   | \$129.38     |
| Sept. 2018 | 5       | 40       | \$26,366.00 | <b>\$1,046.40</b> | \$209.28     |
| Oct. 2018  | 4       | 30       | \$12,250.00 | <b>\$538.93</b>   | \$134.73     |
| Nov. 2018  | 4       | 35       | \$17,705.00 | <b>\$860.02</b>   | \$215.01     |
| Dec. 2018  | 5       | 38       | \$41,185.00 | <b>\$1,699.94</b> | \$339.99     |

Thank you for your fantastic support of the Scrip gift card program for the month of December! We hope you continue your support of buying gift cards for your everyday use in the New Year. This ongoing fundraiser is an important source of income for St. Patrick's Oratory restorations and future needs. Profits add up quickly with everyone's participation!

Note: Sunday, January 13, Scrip will be sold only until 10:00 a.m. (not after the 10:00 a.m. Mass) due to the Confirmations.

### Calendar of Upcoming Events

**TODAY, Sunday, January 6**

**Christmas Celebration/Blessing of Children**

Celebration following the 10:00am Mass/Blessing after both Masses

**Monday, January 7 - St. Jerome Book Club**

6:00 p.m. in the Rectory

**Tuesday, January 8 - Catechism Classes Canceled**

Catechism classes resume on Tuesday, January 15.

**Tuesday, January 8 - Mass Location and Time Change**

8:30 a.m. Mass held at St. Joseph's Church | 936 Ninth St. | Green Bay

**Friday, January 11 - Apologetics Book Club**

All welcome to attend - 18 years and older - 6:30 p.m. in the Rectory

**Sunday, January 13 - Confirmations**

At the 10:00 a.m. Mass

**Friday, January 18 - Young Married Couples Meet**

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in the Rectory

### MASS TIME & LOCATION CHANGE

On Tuesday, January 8, Mass at 8:30 a.m. at St. Joseph's Church | 936 Ninth St. | Green Bay due to St. Patrick's church floors getting professionally cleaned and finished.

### O'Brien Hall Closing

O'Brien Hall will be closed and off limits from Sunday, January 6, following the annual Christmas Party until Wednesday evening, January 9, due to St. Patrick's church floors and O'Brien Hall getting professionally cleaned and finished.

### Volunteers Needed

In preparation for the upcoming cleaning/finishing of the floors in the church and in O'Brien Hall and to set up for the Bishops visit for Confirmations will be in need of volunteers to help with the moving of the tables, chairs, Christmas decorations and various items. Listed are the days and times many volunteers will be needed:

- **TODAY, SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, NOON - 1:00 P.M.**  
4 or more men needed to move Christmas Trees and various items. After the Party, helpers are needed to remove tables and chairs from O'Brien hall.
- **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 8:40 A.M.**  
Set up tables and chairs in O'Brien Hall and move items back into the church.
- **FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 5:00 P.M.**  
Pick up extra chairs from Annunciation church and deliver to O'Brien Hall.
- **MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 8:40 A.M.**  
Remove extra chairs from O'Brien Hall, load and return them to Annunciation church.

### Collections

December 30th Collection: \$3,300.35

Monthly Collection Goal for December: \$14,300.00

December Total: \$30,049.10

Quarterly Collection Goal for Oct/Nov/Dec: \$43,000.00

Total Quarterly Collection Oct/Nov/Dec: \$63,360.29

Monthly Collection Goal for Jan: \$14,300.00

Quarterly Collection Goal for Jan/Feb/Mar: \$43,000.00



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