



ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass Times: M, W, Th, F 8:30 a.m.

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days: 8:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Holy Hour: Friday: 3:00 p.m.

*We pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary before Mass at 5:00 PM Saturday and 8:25 AM Sunday. The Rosary and Chaplet is also prayed after weekday Masses.

Confessions: Saturday: 12:00 noon, Sunday: 8:00 a.m., after Holy Hour, after Mass, or any time by appointment.

Religious Education: grades 1-11 on Sunday: 10:00 – 10:45 a.m. –Contact Fr. Fairman

Catholic Charities: (814) 944-9388, call Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

January 8, 2023 The Epiphany of the Lord

In search of the King...

Matt 2:1-2 Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, ²"Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the east and have come to worship Him."



LITURGY- January 7-15

SATURDAY

5:30 PM

January 7

All Members of the Parish

SUNDAY

9:00 PM

January 8

C. Fred Grover
Fred & Margaret Grover

MONDAY

8:30 AM

January 9

Katharine Dively
by Bob & Kathie Spargo

TUESDAY

8:30 AM

January 10

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY

8:30 AM

January 11

Mary Harclerode
by Carol Harclerode

THURSDAY

8:30 AM

January 12

Terry McCaulley
by Bob & Kathie Spargo

FRIDAY

8:30 AM

January 13

Eugene & Delores Burkhardt
by estate

3:00 PM

EUCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

Saturday

5:30 PM

January 14

John & Alberta Baca
by Fred Baca

SUNDAY

9:00 AM

January 15

All Members of the Parish

PRAYER LIST:Sue Balog, Bev Swindell, Kelly Barron, Chaddie Kidd, Danity Mellott, Tyson Grove, Bernadette Gardner, Jen Horne, Nancy Pennel, Doreen Spargo, Chris Feather, Mary Belle Zelanko, Pat Waltman, Rose Marie Stoeffler, James Bernarding, Dorothy Rupert, Shirley Smith, Todd Hillegass, Linda Stubler, Paula Grassi, James Ford, Tom Regester, Sr, Janine Anna, Calvin Amick, Tom Jaber, Kathleen Tomkosky, Caden Davis , Melinda Stone, Jane Cunard, Gary Daniels, Peggy Scritchfield, Bob Will, Kathleen Yingling, Tony Dagostino, Shirley Hoffman, Gary Schetrompf, Tara Musselman, River Troutman, Sue Durr, Richard Koontz, Anne and Casmir Majcher, Joette and Brent Reid, Terry Young, Ryan Wigfield, Hope Burkett, J.B. Whisker, Jackie Verdiglione, Pat Young, Rose and Ben Feight, Helen Snyder, and Nancy Stolarski .

(Please call to add or remove a name once the person is recovered or no longer in need of special prayer. If you are placing someone other than a family member on the list, please be sure to have their permission first.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: *“Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.” Matthew 2:11*

The image of the Magi kneeling before the infant Jesus and opening their treasure chests for Him is an image that we should all try to follow each day. In gratitude for all that we have been given, we are called to generously share all of our gifts, not just the ones we pick and choose. God wants us to be generous with everything, but especially that one thing that means the most to you.

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL: Today we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, where the Magi find the newborn king and offer him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. In the spirit of the Magi, please put your gift in the collection basket so that comfort and peace can once again be given to a newborn child. For more information call **814- 979-0272**.

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

After meeting Jesus, the Magi returned home by “another way.” What in your family needs to be done “another way?” Do you need “another way to resolve differences, to communicate or show affection? This is a new year, time to change what isn’t working. Take a tip from some wise men, there’s always “another way.”

SUNDAY OFFERING

January 1, 2023

Weekly:	\$1,346.00
Christmas:	\$25.00
New Year:	\$215.00
Local Needs:	\$305.00

Thank you!

2ND COLLECTION: This weekend, Jan. 7/8 we will have our annual collection and Local Needs Focus for the **Everett Food Pantry**. Please use your Monthly Envelope.

2022 MINISTRIES DRIVE (CMD): Our goal for the diocese is \$9,281.00. As of **November 30**, we have received **\$10,735.00** in cash and pledges; plus **\$2,620.00** directly to us for the doors.

LADIES OF ST. JOHN: the next meeting of the Ladies of St. John will be, March 8, 2023.

NORTHERN DEANERY RAFFLE: Ticket distribution for the Northern Deanery raffle of Chevy Trax, Kubota mowers, Yeti cooler bundle and PSU game day package will resume after mass on 1/14 and 1/15. While tickets will be available until late May, this will be the last planned distribution after mass; please contact Pat Winters at 814-735-2386

or Winters3089@gmail.com for more tickets. **ALL TICKETS MUST BE RETURNED** whether sold or not; sold ticket stubs and monies can be placed in a separate envelope marked raffle and placed in the weekly collection basket. Thank you for your support.

Light of the Epiphany

Phyllis A. Tickle

"The twelve days of Christmas come to an end on January 6, and the season of the Epiphany begins. But Epiphany not only ends Christmas, it also fulfills it by celebrating the revelation of the Christ to the whole world. The coming of Incarnate God to all people, especially to those of us who are Gentiles, is the bridge from birth into life, the event that makes Easter possible for most of us. The light of the Epiphany illuminates the church's year as it illuminates the human race from whom the kings came."