

The Epiphany of the Lord, January 7, 2018

COLLECTIONS

What is God asking of me?

Our response to the Lord last week

Adult: \$36,278.00 Plate: \$282.00

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

UPCOMING PARISH & SCHOOL ACTIVITIES January

- 6-7 Blest Art Wood Display (Narthex)
- 7 Eucharistic Study 4-6 p.m. (Social Hall)
- 7 Spirit Mtg - 7 p.m. (Library)
- 8 PCCW Officer Mtg (Social Hall)
- 9 Choir Practice - 7 p.m. (Music Room)
- 15 K of C Mtg - 7:30 p.m. (Library)
- 16 Choir Practice - 7 p.m. (Music room)
- 16 PTO Mtg. (Social Hall)
- 22 Parish Council Mtg - 7 p.m. (Library)

Save the Date

2018 SPIRIT

AUCTION/DINNER

theme is

"Catch the SPIRIT"

Mark your calendars to
join the fun on

Saturday

April 14, 2018

A LETTER FROM MONSIGNOR

Dear Parishioners,

As we begin the new year there are a three things that I want everyone to be thinking about. The first I mentioned last week and that is to take an hour of adoration. Next week we will have the signup sheet for Monday and Friday hours in the narthex and I hope that the hours will be filled by February 14th, which is the beginning of Lent.

Also with the new year beginning I ask you to review your financial situation and make proper adjustments to your individual tithing. We should be doing this on a regular basis and make changes to our tithing as our individual income changes. Our tithing is our way of giving gratitude to God for the blessings He has given to us. Everything we have; our time, talent and treasure are gifts from Him, our return of our time, talent and treasure is our way of showing our gratitude. Pray and honestly review how you are charitably sharing Gods gifts with others, and make appropriate changes as things have changed in your life.

Finally, registration for Pre-School and Kindergarten at our parish school will be here soon. For families that will have a child entering Pre-School or Kindergarten, I ask you to prayerfully consider sending your child to our parish school. Having completed my first semester with the school I can truthfully say that there are very good children in the school. Daily Mass and the opportunities for the children to grow in their knowledge of God and their personal faith is the benefit of a Catholic School. I am grateful for the tremendous financial support that parishioners have made to provide for the needs of our school and I hope that more families will take advantage of the opportunities that our school offers.

Did you know that I can't count? There will also be many opportunities for growth in our faith, through adult education, a Lenten series on prayer, an emphasis on the family rosary and other opportunities that will be directed by our spirituality committee. I'm looking forward to the growth in our parish that will occur with God's grace and blessings that will be ours in the new year.

Msgr. Tucker

Rosary Crusade

Bishop James Conley has designated
Sunday, March 18th, as Rosary Sunday for
our parish. More information coming soon!

Special Thanks

We would like to give a special thank you to Sarah Johnson for the beautiful portrait of the nativity cache in our narthex. She is a sophomore at Concordia University majoring in art education and theater and did not hesitate when approached if she would be interested in this project. She is from Waconia Minnesota and loves it up there. She has an older sister who inspires her everyday for pursue her dreams and ambitions and her parents who are so supportive of her following her dreams. Her hope is to someday inspire her students to follow their dreams and always look to the Lord for guidance.

Do You Like to Cook?

If you enjoy cooking and are able to make an occasional meal for Monsignor, please sign up on the calendar in lobby (near PreSchool classroom) as you enter the church. Meals are very much appreciated and can be delivered to the rectory door by the offices on Mondays and Wednesdays at 5:00 PM. Any questions call Mary Miner (402) 643-0605. Thank you so much!

Eucharist Bible Study- Sunday, Jan 7th

We will be meeting again in the social hall for sessions 2 & 3 this Sunday, Jan 7th from 4pm to 6pm. All are welcome! There is no need to sign up or obligation to attend all sessions. Each session has wonderful insights into the Jewish roots of the Eucharist. We will continue to meet on the first Sunday of each month until April. In April, we will meet on the second Sunday, April 9th for our final session. If you have any questions, please text or call Christine McCullar at 785-448-5423. We hope to see you there.

Soup Supper

Mark your calendar for our annual St. Vincent de Paul School Soup Supper, Saturday, January 27th, from 5-8 p.m. If you would like to donate items for the soup preparation, please see the soup donation area in the narthex for a list of items needed.



"Heighten our heart-to-heart-communication."

Marriage Encounter-weekend in Lincoln, Feb. 9--11

Contact couple Pat & Janelle Benson

Janelle 308-940-1105 Pat 308-940-0670

Home 308-946-3568

CCD-GP classes resume on January 10, 2018

FIRST COMMUNION PARENT MEETING will be January 17 at 7 p.m. for School and CCD Parents of First Communicants.

The Trulywed Game

Join your fellow parishioners for fun, laughs, and love as we celebrate World Marriage Weekend! Saturday, February 10th at 7:00 pm in the Social Hall. Snacks and beverages will be provided by the Connectivity Committee. Invite your friends and neighbors to come with you! All are welcome to attend. Look for sign-up sheets in the Narthex in the coming weeks!



4-Square

If you signed up for 4-square, be on the lookout for an email from the leader of your group. Groups were established earlier this week, and we are ready to have a good time!

Adult Choir Practice

We have practice on 1/9 and 1/16 @ 7pm will be singing on 1/21 @ the 10am Mass.

Finance Committee


The Finance Committee has not met since the last meeting and did not provide a report. Currently the parish has received \$170,000 from Joy of the Gospel. These funds are to be used for Facilities, Connectivity events and future needs. There is not a clear idea of the exact use of these funds. Some Joy of the Gospel funds were spent on the sewer fascia repairs.

The Finance Committee is still working on the budget. It is about 80% done for this year. The Council thinks it would be prudent to project a budget for a few more years.

The parish has \$400,000 in the Diocesan Investment and Loan account. Additionally there is \$60,000 in a capital account and another \$40,000 in Cattle National Bank for capital projects.

It is very important that the Facilities, Finance, Stewardship and School Advisory committees communicate since they oversee large expenditures.

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NEW UPDATED TEMPLATE FOR BULLETINS!

We have updated our bulletin. We are currently looking for parishioners and/or businesses to purchase ads for the bulletin. If you are interested in advertising in our new bulletin, please email Lisa Lindau at lisa-lindau@cdolinc.net



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MASS TIMES:

FOR DAILY MASS TIMES PLEASE CALL (402) 643-3421
SATURDAY 5:30 PM | SUNDAY 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

CONFESSION TIMES:

MONDAY THRU FRIDAY 20 MINUTES BEFORE 7:00 AM DAILY MASS
SATURDAY 20 MINUTES BEFORE 8:00 AM MASS & 4:30 TO 5:20 PM
SUNDAY 7:30 TO 7:50 AM & 9:30 TO 9:50 AM

MASS INTENTIONS:

MONDAY, JANUARY 8
7:00 AM : †Alan Hofer/ Peggy Bauer
8:05 AM: †David Hamilton/ Family
TUESDAY, JANUARY 9
7:00 AM : †Suzanne Kolterman/ Gary & Bernie Stava
8:05 AM : †Bern Kralik/ Family
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10
7:00 AM : †Betty Hauf/ Carol Kralik
8:05 AM : †Charles & Frances Pesek/ Chuck & Susan Kotera
THURSDAY, JANUARY 11
7:00 AM : †Rosalie Barry/ Delores Hain
8:05 AM : †Grant Mullally/ Mike & Judy Mullally
FRIDAY, JANUARY 12
7:00 AM : †Clara, Adolph & JoAnn Oborny/ Family
8:05 AM : †Libby Policky/ Dan & Rose Policky
SATURDAY, JANUARY 13
8:00 AM : †Dorothy Lynch/ Deb Porter
5:30 PM : Toni & Richard Bohac/ Becky Reisinger
SUNDAY, JANUARY 14
8:00 AM : For All Parishioners
10:00 AM : †Ted & Madeline Nave/ Dan & Mary Frisbie

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY	JANUARY 13 5:30 PM
ACOLYTE	Dan Pernicek, Joe Huber
SERVERS	Bryce Jakub, CJ Hibbert Deklan & Kohltyl Lindau
LECTOR	Mark Policky
GREETERS	Dan Duffek, Michael Murphy
CANTOR	Joyce Smith
SUNDAY	JANUARY 14 8:00 AM
ACOLYTE	Jeff Spahr, CJ Novak
SERVERS	Mitchell Wingard, Bostyn Happ, Joseph Reimers
LECTOR	Ken Meyer
GREETERS	Lyle Hamling Family
CANTOR	Karen Coufal
SUNDAY	JANUARY 14 10:00 AM
ACOLYTE	Chad Peery, Keith Wintz
SERVERS	Connor & Hunter Towle, Matt Kenney
LECTOR	Ken Reinsch
GREETERS	Carl Jirovsky Family
CANTOR	Judy Mullally