

# Epiphany of the Lord, January 5, 2020

## COLLECTIONS

What is God asking of me?

Our response to the Lord last week

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Youth: \$53.89 Guardian Angel: \$1550.00

E-Tithing: \$681.00 Other: \$ 8908.00

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### UPCOMING PARISH & SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

#### January

- 6 RCIA—6:30 p.m.
- 7 Strategic & Planning Mtg—6:30 p.m.
- 13 Spirituality Mtg—7:30 p.m.
- 14 PTO Mtg—7 p.m.
- 20 RCIA—6:30 p.m.
- 21 Facilities Mtg—7 p.m.
- 23 Unity Prayer Service—6:30 p.m.
- 25 PTO Soup Supper
- 27 RCIA—6:30 p.m.

#### February

- 3 RCIA—6:30 p.m.

## FOOD FOR THOUGHT

### Poco A Poco

"Little By Little"

This week's Challenge:

**Pray the Divine Mercy  
Chaplet as a family for an  
end to abortion.**

### Boxtops for Education

St. Vincent de Paul School is continuing to accept Box Tops for Education during the academic school year. Labels from cereals, etc can be clipped and dropped into a labeled teal box that is on the table in the narthex for easy drop off. Thank you!!!

## A LETTER FROM MONSIGNOR

Do you have resolutions for this new year? There is one resolution that I have and will try to promote this year.

I was talking with a couple of members of the Stewardship committee about thoughts I have for the future of the Parish. After the talk one of the guys sent me a text that had in it, "if we are going to be a stewardship parish, then". This helped me form this resolution.

What does it mean to be a Stewardship Parish and should we resolve to be one? Simply, a Stewardship Parish is where the members of the parish are committed to being Disciples of Jesus.

A disciple of Jesus is a person that is listening to Him, discerning what He wants and then asking for the grace to fulfill His will. God has given us our time, talent and treasure. It is His not ours, and He has entrusted us with its care. There are so many things that people want and desire for St. Vincent's, and we begin with acknowledging that it is God's church and we are the caretaker's of it employing our gifts to accomplish His will. This is the way to heaven!

This year I'm resolving to work on becoming a Stewardship Parish. This statement is not clearly defined, but my hope is that it will be by the end of the year. As a part of this resolve I will also work on fostering Marian devotion in the parish. Our Mother Mary will lead us to her Son, and to do God's will. Mary wants to help each of us in this way, so together we can give ourselves to her (who was the first disciple) and we will be on the right track that leads to God's will. Committing ourselves to doing God's will is the only way that we will sort out the many things that St. Vincent's parishioners want to do. Please join me in this resolution and God will do great things through us in 2020! God bless you and Happy New Year.

Msg Tucker

## PLEASE BE AWARE!

Recently scammers have been using Msgr Tucker's cell phone number again asking for favors regarding purchasing gift cards. Please do not respond in any form to those "favors" via text or email messages. Report to the local authorities and church office

(402-643-3421)

## 4-Square

With a new year comes a new session of 4-square! Sign up sheets are in the narthex for the January through April session! This has been a fun social event for parishioners of St. Vincent's to get better acquainted! All ages and family sizes are welcome. Many new friendships have started as a result of 4-Square! Call or text Mary Miner at [\(402\) 643-0605](tel:4026430605) if you have any questions!

## MONDAY ADORATION

Exposition for Monday Adoration will begin January 6! Please double check the Adoration check in book for the time you are signed up for

The St. Vincent PTO and Students would like to thank all who purchased tickets for the Firehawks Club Fund-raiser. Listed below are the January Winners! Good luck to all who have yet to win. Maybe it will be your lucky day next month.

- \$120 Jeanie Hecker
- \$75 Bill Backes
- \$75 Bronx Happ
- \$50 Mary Frisbie
- \$50 Mary Grunke
- \$50 Patrick Soucie
- \$30 Blanche Dworak
- \$25 Denise Telecky
- \$25 Sally Manzer
- \$25 Kathy Policky
- \$25 Lauren HARTmann

Proceeds for the month of January are going to help pay for the Formed.org subscription. This is a great resource for the Parish families as well as school teachers and families. If you have not used it please look on the website and see all the great resources offered to you and your family!



### Tweet from Pope Francis

Let us ask for the grace to live this year with the desire to take others to heart and to care for them.

ENCOUNTER JESUS

## CCD-GP CLASSES RESUME WEDNESDAY

FIRST COMMUNION PARENT MEETING is scheduled for Wednesday, January 15 at 7 p.m.

## Strategic Planning Meeting

Meeting is scheduled for January 7 and will begin with a light pizza dinner at 6:00 PM in the Social Hall, followed by the meeting at 6:30, Babysitting will be provided for children during the meeting, but we ask that you RSVP to the school office so we know how to staff for this. Please respond by Monday, Jan, 6 by calling 402-643-9525 or email Janet at [janet-kuehl@cdolinc.net](mailto:janet-kuehl@cdolinc.net) with how many children to expect. We look forward to seeing you.

## Helping Hands Ministry

Cold weather and snow keeping you off the roads? Let the Helping Hands drive for you. Volunteers can pick up your household necessities, meds and food and drop it off right to your door. Contact Mary Henley (402)968-9091 or Sandy Shaw (402 643-0681

## CAN YOU HELP?

If you could make an occasional evening meal for Monsignor and Fr. Phan please put your name on the calendar near the entrance at church! Meals are provided by volunteers on Monday's and [Wednesday's only at 5:00 pm.](#) Call Mary Miner [\(402\) 643-0605](tel:4026430605) if you have any questions. Thank you for your help!!

**Kindergarten Preview** is coming up at St. Vincent de Paul School on Tuesday, February 11, at 9:00 AM in the Social Hall. If you plan to enroll your child in kindergarten for the 2020 – 21 school year, please submit the following by Monday Jan. 20. Parent names, address, phone numbers, and child's name and birth date. You may call the office at 402-643-9525 or email [janet-kuehl@cdolinc.net](mailto:janet-kuehl@cdolinc.net). A post-card invitation will be sent out to you with more details.

## E-Tithing

Would you like to give e-tithing a try or update your tithing amounts for the new year? Simply pick up a form in the Narthex or download the form from the church website, [www.stvincentserad.org](http://www.stvincentserad.org). If you are updating your amounts just put the words *Update* at the top of the form. Be sure to sign it and return it to the church office, attention: Tausha Dybdal. It is the safe secure way to tithe even the smallest amount on a regular bases. Because it is the most efficient process for the church to collect your gift, it helps the church get the most of every dollar you give. Thank you for your continued support of the church and school. May you be blessed for all that you give.



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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 6**  
 7:00 AM : †Ed Svoboda/ Family  
 8:10 AM: †Debbie & John Bartunek/John Kobza  
**TUESDAY, JANUARY 7**  
 7:00 AM : Thanksgiving for Tri Van Nguyen's Family  
 4:00 PM: †Corina Krieser/George & Phyllis Schaefer  
**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8**  
 8:00 AM : †Alan Hofer/ Peggy Bauer  
 10:00 AM: Special intentions  
**THURSDAY, JANUARY 9**  
 7:00 AM : †Louis & Ann Stava/ Gary & Bernie Stava  
 8:10 AM : †Randy Skoda/ The Skoda Family  
**FRIDAY, JANUARY 10**  
 7:00 AM : †Gary Fiala/ Leroy Fiala  
 8:10 AM: †Jeramie Schoepf/ Joe Baack Family  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 11**  
 8:00 AM : †Joe & Helen Kovar/ Family  
 5:30 PM : †Don Policky/ Family  
**SUNDAY, JANUARY 12**  
 8:00 AM : †Dick & Mary Hesel/ Ted & Pat Payne  
 10:00 AM : For All Parishioners

**LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE:**

**SATURDAY JANUARY 11 | 5:30 PM**  
 ACOLYTE Joe Huber, Dan Frisbie  
 SERVERS Cameron and Creighton Olson, Thomas Belleau  
 LECTOR Paula Gooder  
 GREETERS Dan Pernicek Family  
 CANTOR Joyce Smith  
**SUNDAY JANUARY 12 | 8:00 AM**  
 ACOLYTE Tim Fichtner, Jason Clark  
 SERVERS Dylan & Nathan Hochstein, Cale Oborny  
 LECTOR Linda Liska  
 GREETERS Gary Petersen, Paul Hughes  
 CANTOR Rebecca Rerucha  
**SUNDAY JANUARY 12 | 10:00 AM**  
 ACOLYTE Keith Wintz, Tim Masek  
 SERVERS Nolan Moore, Andrew Marshall, Jake Swerczek  
 LECTOR Pete Christensen  
 GREETERS Carl Jirovsky Family  
 CANTOR Karen Coufal