

# The EPIPHANY of the Lord

*When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage."*

*Mt 2: 1-2*



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## *All Saints*

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## PARISH STAFF

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### Mass Schedule

**Saturday Vigil Mass:** 5:00 p.m.  
**Sunday Masses:** 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
**Tuesday Communion Service** 9:30 a.m.  
**Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Mass:** 9:30 a.m.

### Reconciliation/Confession Times

**Saturdays:** 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

### Church Office Hours

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday - Friday

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## SACRAMENTS

**Baptism:** The celebration of Baptism is a moment of Grace for those to be baptized, for their families, and for the entire Parish Community. Preparation class is held the last Wednesday of each month at 7pm. Please call the office to RSVP. A Parish is a certain community of the Christian faithful stably constituted in a particular church, whose pastoral care is entrusted to a pastor (*Code of Canon Law #515*). Therefore, it is important for parishioners to register for contact and pastoral reasons. You must have a sponsor letter from the parish in which each of the godparents reside. A godparent must have received the sacraments of Baptism, Penance, Holy Communion and, if married, have been married in the Catholic Church.

**Marriage:** Couples planning to be married must see a priest at least six months prior to the planned marriage. Couples seeking to be married at All Saints need to fulfill the All Saints pre-marriage process. The Wedding Coordinator and/or the Pastor will provide the couple with the guidelines and secure the date and time of the wedding. Do not set a date in advance until you have spoken to the pastor.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please call the Parish Office if you or a member of your family need the Sacrament of Anointing.

**After Hours Sick Calls:** In case of serious illness after hours, please call 803-493-1714 and leave a message.

## MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Catholic Community dedicated to proclaiming Christ's message of love and salvation through worship, sacraments and ministries.

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

January 2		
5:00 pm	Mike Hogan	†
January 3		
8:00 am	Pauline Nonnon	†
11:00 am	Beth Ericco	†
January 6		
7:00 pm	Amalia Salinas	†
January 7		
5:00 pm	Joseph Rodrigues	†
January 8		
9:30 am	Dan Olenchak	†

**THE WEEK AHEAD****Saturday 1/2, Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops, Doctors of the Church**

Eucharistic Adoration until 3:30 p.m.

4:00 pm Confessions

5:00 pm Mass + Mike Hogan

*Building Fund***FOOD DRIVE****Sunday 1/3, THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

8:00 am Mass + Pauline Nonnon

9:00 am Faith Formation A

11:00 am Mass + Beth Ericco

6:30 pm Faith Formation A / Confirmation

*Building Fund***FOOD DRIVE****Monday 1/4, Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious**

7:00 pm Boy Scouts - St. Peter

**Tuesday 1/5, Saint John Neumann, Bishop**

9:30 am Communion Service

6:00 pm Knights of Columbus Officers - McGivney

**Wednesday 1/6, Christmas Weekday**

9:30 am Mass + Amalia Salinas

6:00 pm Women's Bible Study - McGivney

7:00 pm Men's Club - PLC

**THE WEEK AHEAD continued****Thursday 1/7, Christmas Weekday**

9:30 pm Mass + Joseph Rodrigues

10:00 am Women's Bible Study - McGivney

5:00 pm Women's Bible Study via Zoom

5:30 pm Legion of Mary - Lending Library

7:00 pm RCIA

**Friday 1/8, Christmas Weekday***(Sunday Obligation Mass)*

9:30 pm Mass + Dan Olenchak

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion

**Saturday 1/9, Christmas Weekday**

9:00 am - 12:00 pm Men's Renewal - McGivney

4:00 pm Confessions

5:00 pm Mass + John Hoye

**Sunday 1/10, THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

8:00 am Mass + Donald Needham

9:00 am Faith Formation B

9:30 am Faith Study - McGivney

11:00 am Mass + Joanne Saltarello

6:30 pm Faith Formation B

**CHRISTMAS FLOWER  
OFFERINGS  
IN MEMORY OF**

Harold and Mary Bender

Kathryn Bergey

Nelson Bender

Ronnie Bender

Joyce Frank

The clergy and staff would like to thank all of our parishioners for the cards, plants, cookies, gifts, and holiday wishes that we received during the Christmas season. We wish you a very blessed and joyful 2021!



Don't forget that the Parish Pantry in the main kitchen has been stocked. You may come in anytime the church is open to take advantage of the pantry.

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**TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading — The glory of the Lord shines upon you. (Isaiah 60:1-6)

Psalm - "Lord, every nation on earth will adore you." (Psalm 72)

Second Reading — The Gentiles are coheirs of the promise. (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6)

Gospel — We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage. (Matthew 2:1-12)

Living in an age well before the internet or social media, the magi from the East relied upon a single star as a sign that a king had been born. The heavens revealed to these learned foreigners that a matter of great import had occurred in Judea. Today we celebrate the revelation of the birth of our Lord to the outside world, to us. The light over the little town of Bethlehem has revealed the light of the world to the ends of the earth.

**Collection for the 12/20/2020 Weekend**

Offertory .....	\$9,042.00
Offertory (Online Giving) .....	\$3,839.00
Friends of the Oratory .....	\$510.00
Building Fund .....	\$2,563.00
Christmas .....	\$515.00
Immaculate Conception .....	\$10.00
Faith Formation .....	\$50.00
Retired Religious .....	\$235.00
Church in Africa .....	\$295.00
Votive .....	\$65.00

Adults: 435 Children: 54

**Total Attendance: 489**

**The Building Fund total is .....\$312,309.78**

**Weekly Offertory Budget.....\$12,400.00**

**Offertory Collection this week .....\$12,881.00**

**Thank you for your generosity.**

The tithe of \$1,288.00 for the weekend of December 20th is for the Boy Scouts.

**Food for Families**

The All Saints Council of the Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a food drive as part of their Food for Families Program. This month the Clover Area Assistance Center (CAAC) is in need of: peanut butter, rice, rice mixes, pasta, pasta sauce, canned fruits, canned potatoes, canned meats, canned pinto beans/baked beans, canned diced tomatoes, toothpaste, toothbrushes (individually packaged), mouthwash, shampoo/conditioner, soap, and laundry soap/cleaning products. Any other non-perishable items will be appreciated and used. These will be distributed to needy families in our community. Please take all food items for **FOOD FOR FAMILIES** to the main kitchen. We collected 416# in December. **Collection will take place this weekend after all Masses.** The next collection will be the weekend February 6th and 7th.

**HOUSE OF MERCY**

Thank you for your commitment to the House of Mercy in 2020. Your generosity provided hope, healing, and a home for people living with HIV in this unprecedented year. This holiday season, we are grateful for you!

**PALMETTO WOMEN'S CENTER**

Thank you for your recent donations to the Palmetto Women's Center. Your generosity will allow us to bless the women who come to see us. May the Lord's blessings be yours this holy season. Yours in Christ Jesus,  
Karen Kearney



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## Stewardship Bulletin Reflection

### January 3, 2021 — The Epiphany of our Lord

Today, we celebrate the Epiphany of our Lord. "Epiphany" comes from the Greek word meaning "to manifest" or "to make known." In other words, today we celebrate the first manifestation or revelation of Jesus as the Son of God. Our readings today remind us of God's numerous manifestations in our lives and how we are called to share these manifestations with others.



The Gospel account of the three magi traveling to meet the newborn Baby Jesus bearing gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh is one that we know well. Yet, when we pause to reflect on this passage and unpack the richness of that moment when these men met Christ for the first time, we recognize that there is much to be said for us still today.

As today's Gospel tells us, the magi traveled quite a distance as they followed the star, and "on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage." Clearly these men knew that they were in the presence of their King, for one prostrates himself out of reverence and submission. They also came bearing gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh, which symbolize Christ's kingship, divinity and humanity. These gifts make known to us Who Christ is — our Lord, our God and our Redeemer.

Christ is still manifesting Himself to us today. We enter God's house weekly. Upon entering His house, we are in His presence. Is meeting Christ our top priority each week? When we meet Him, do we give Him homage and show reverence knowing that He is our King? Do we offer Him our gifts — our time, talent and treasure? As Christian stewards, we are called to respond to Christ's manifestation in the Eucharist with love, reverence and gratitude.

And as Christ primarily manifests Himself in the Eucharist, He also manifests Himself in everyday moments — like a beautiful sunrise, a good conversation, a merciful spouse. He gifts us with little manifestations throughout our days and we often miss them. In order to recognize Him, we need an attitude of gratitude — a key component of a stewardship way of life.

A faithful steward not only receives Christ gratefully, but also shares His goodness responsibly. St. Paul expresses this in our Second Reading in his letter to the Ephesians, "the mystery was made known to me by revelation... the Gentiles are coheirs, members of the same body." St. Paul is sharing the Good News that has been revealed to him with the Gentiles. As a Christian steward, we too are called to share what has been revealed to us. We are called to manifest Christ to others by the way we live our lives.

As we strive to become more faithful disciples of Christ, let us prepare our hearts to receive Christ's many manifestations in our lives, both big and small, and let us be Christ to others. In other words, let us look at every moment through the lens of gratitude, and share what we receive with one another. God gifts us with countless little epiphanies! We just need a grateful disposition to receive them.

— **Stewardship Reflections by** [Catholic Stewardship Consultants](http://www.DiscoverMass.com)

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**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Faith Formation, Joanne Kazista .....	367-3299
Confirmation	
Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)	
Preschool Bible Story Hour	
Baptism Class, Deacon Andy Fatovic and	
Deacon John Hall .....	831-9095
R.C.I.A., Fr. John Giuliani.....	831-9095
Adult Faith Study,	
Jon & Pat Varvel .....	831-8247
Bible Study,	
Fr. John Giuliani .....	831-9095
Women's Bible Study	
Dana Hogue .....	704-451-5707

**SUPPORT OF THE PARISH**

Building Maintenance, Jim Tully .....	831-8256
Bulletin, Wendy Mason .....	831-9095
Flowers & Plants, Linda Schifferle .....	704-678-5385
Kitchen Keepers, Rich and Sue Kruger.....	847-878-9725
Landscaping, Jim Tully .....	831-8256
Parish Liaison, Mary Cussen .....	708-785-6112
Safe Environment, Joanne Kazista .....	367-3299
Safety Team, Joe DePalma.....	704-301-8149
Saint Vincent de Paul, Fr. Ed McDevitt .....	831-9095
Sound, Jim Bryant.....	980-251-4566
Wedding Coordinator, Ricki Alley .....	831-2063

**PARISH ORGANIZATIONS**

Men's Club, Kirk Bumber .....	704-502-8170
Women's Organization, Lidia Sundberg ....	526-2547

**REGISTRATION**

**If you are new to our parish, you are encouraged to register as soon as possible.** Registration in a parish is the norm. It is helpful information for enrollment in Religious Education programs, sacramental preparation, and sponsorship certificates. Registration forms are available in the Vestibule.

**CLOSED WEEKENDS FOR 2021**

<b>January 30-31</b>	<b>February 27-28</b>
<b>March 27-28</b>	<b>April 3-4</b>
<b>May 29-30</b>	<b>June 19-20</b>

**MINISTRIES**

Adult Senior Fellowship, Peggy Hamilton ...	701-7334
Altar Servers, Deacon Andy.....	609-439-6134
Annulments, Rita Kincaid .....	704-907-3607
Bereavement Ministry, Joan Epping .....	831-8060
Catechists, Joanne Kazista .....	367-3299
Dining Out Group, Mary Long.....	746-5881
Employment Search Ministry, Lou Foery .....	627-4743
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist,	
Deacon Andy .....	609-439-6134
Finance Council, Jerry Epping .....	831-6838
Friends of the Oratory, Jon Varvel .....	831-8247
Greeters, Stephanie Cates .....	831-0075
GriefShare, Charlene Horgan.....	704-517-9193
Historian, Russ Bumba .....	315-6802
Homebound Ministry, Deacon Andy ....	609-439-6134
Lectors, Deacon Andy .....	609-439-6134
Martha's & Mary's, Mickey Dillon .....	322-9924
Music Coordinator, Kathy Lichter .....	684-1492
Organist 5:00 p.m., Kaye Lewis .....	831-1983
Organist 11:00 a.m., Cecilia Carlson.....	389-3233
Contact 8:00 a.m., AJ Rohaly .....	704-941-7455
Children's Choir, Mary Beth Hall .....	818-8206
Newcomers Ministry, Mary Long .....	746-5881
Parish Pastoral Council, Fr. John Giuliani	
.....	831-9095
Prayer Angels, Carla Cullon .....	831-8549
Prayer Shawl Ministry, Kathy Rapp .....	684-7852
Ranger Rosary, Julie Byrne.....	704-825-4386
Respect for Life, Connor Leahy .....	746-5545
Sacristans, Stephanie Cates .....	831-0075
Ushers, Deacon Andy .....	609-439-6134
Wholistic Ministry, Pam Cullen .....	443-223-1326
Middle and High School Youth	
Ministry, Fr. John Giuliani,.....	831-9095

**PARISH ALLOWED ORGANIZATIONS**

Boy Scouts, Chad Beaulieu.....	860-869-7622
Friends of Bill W .....	675-6411
Girl Scouts, Kristy Strong .....	810-241-3631
Knights of Columbus Council, Bob Altenburg	
.....	631-379-4119
Knights of Columbus Assembly, Scottie Tilley	
.....	704-519-5006

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## BLESSINGS OF FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

### Collection for the 12/27/2020 Weekend

Offertory .....	\$10,369.00
Offertory (Online Giving) .....	\$7,280.00
Friends of the Oratory .....	\$395.00
Building Fund .....	\$112.00
Immaculate Conception .....	\$135.00
Christmas .....	\$12,564.00
Solemnity of Mary .....	\$195.00
Thanksgiving .....	\$125.00
Retired Religious .....	\$170.00
Votive .....	\$97.00

Adults: 360 Children: 67

Total Attendance: 427

The Building Fund total is .....\$312,309.78

Weekly Offertory Budget.....\$12,400.00

Offertory Collection this week .....\$17,649.00

Thank you for your generosity.

The tithe of \$1,764.00 for the weekend of December 27th is for the Pastor's Discretion.

The tithe for the weekend of January 3 is for the Sisters of Charity.

### UPCOMING COLLECTIONS—2021

January 2-3	Building Fund
January 23-24	Church in Latin America
February 6-7	Building Fund
February 13-14	Bishop's Stewardship Appeal
February 17	Eastern Europe
February 20-21	Black and Indian Missions

Thank you for the recent donation of \$4,377.00 to The Friends of The Oratory. God bless you for your generous and constant support.

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