

JANUARY 5, 2020

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OFFICE HOURS

**Monday –Thursday 8:30 am to 12:00 pm 1 pm to 4:30 pm
CLOSED FRIDAY**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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In Newark office every other Monday & Wednesday

**ALL MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH IN
OUR CLUSTER ARE WELCOME TO JOIN
OUR YOUTH MINISTRY**

**CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST
DAILY MASS**

Monday 10:00 am at Senior Living Centers

Consult bulletin for locations

Tuesday-Thursday 8:00 am (in the chapel)

Friday, Liturgy of the Word, with Communion

Consult bulletin for changes

WEEKEND MASSES

Sunday: 8:15 & 10:30 am

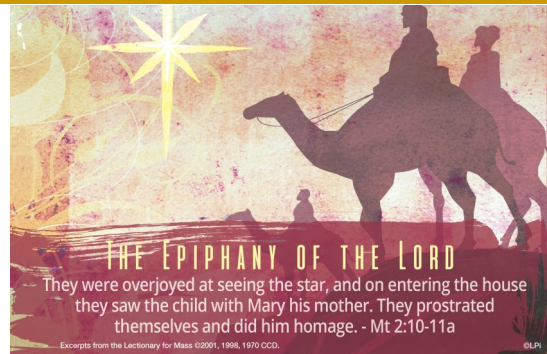
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Wednesday, 7:00-8:00 pm

Sunday, 9:30-10:15 am or by appointment

HOLY HOUR

Wednesday, 6:00-7:00 pm



My Dear People.



I want to use this bulletin letter, not so much to talk about one of the truths of our holy Faith, but to bring to your attention something more subjective and personal. Since it has been now a little over six months since I have been with you, I want to take the occasion, during this Christmas and New Year's time, to share what has often been the subject of conversations with myself and Fr Tedesche: our gratitude to you.

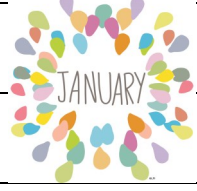
Before and during Christmas we were inundated with cards, gifts, and treats which all expressed the kindness, generosity and prayers of our good and beloved parishioners towards the both of us. We are both at a loss to thank everyone properly for all that was done for us, and above all, what was done for the different churches during the sacred days surrounding Our Lord's birth. Of course, this is itself the culmination of the many, many kind and thoughtful things that you have been doing since the cluster began at the end of last June. Not the least among the things that we are so thankful to you for is your patience with us. We know it can certainly be frustrating with so many changes. Thank you for helping make this new arrangement so successful and working together as we make the best of it. Time and time again Fr. Tedesche and I have remarked to one another how supportive people have been and how eager to be of service. To see your generosity is a great aid and inspiration to our own.

In addition to the thanks that both of us want to communicate, I can add those of a newly ordained priest in his first parish assignment. May God, Our Lady, and St Joseph reward you for all the good things you have said, done, and shown to me. Thank you for so much for your encouragement and help, your advice, your concern, and your support. It is hard for me to believe that the first seven months of my priesthood have passed by so quickly. It still seems so recently that I was preparing for ordination, and still thinking about what it would be like to finally become a priest after waiting for so many years.

But above all, both Fr. Tedesche and I want to tell you how much we appreciate and benefit from your prayers. The center of everything is Christ, and we are united and joined in and for Him. Since we can never exaggerate the good accomplished by prayer and intercession, your prayers to make us holy priests who accomplish God's will and work are the most precious treasure that you share with us.

So, for all that you have done and are doing, for all the tiny things that so easily and often go unremarked, for all the kindness shown us this Christmas and all year, we want to say "thank you". God bless you, and may we all keep each other on the path to heaven.

Fr Walter

DAY	MASS INTENTION	EVENTS
Sunday, January 5 Epiphany of the Lord Is 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a,5-6 Mt 2:1-12	8:15 am ~ Esther Ahrens—Ron 10:30 am ~ Al Loson—Joe & Korie	9:30– 10:15 am ~Confessions 8:15 am ~ RCIA Mass and sending 12:15 –1:30 pm ~ Confirmation class years 1 &2
Monday, January 6 Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 3:22-4:6 Mt 4:12-17, 23-25	<i>Mass at DeMay Living Center</i> ~ Germaine & Frank Simonse—legacy	6:15-7:30 pm ~ KFC (middle school youth group)
Tuesday, January 7 Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 4:7-10 Mk 6:34-44	8:00 am ~ Stepner & McHale families—Alvares & McHale family	6:30 pm ~ Parish Council
Wednesday, January 8 Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 4:11-18 Mk 6:45-52	8:00 am ~ Eleanor Brown—legacy	11:30 am ~ Faith Sandwiched In 6-7 pm ~ Holy Hour 7-8 pm ~ Confessions
Thursday, January 9 Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 4:19-5:4 Lk 4:14-22	8:00 am ~ Brian Bouwens—family	
Friday, January 10 Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 5:5-13 Lk 5:12-16	8:00 am Liturgy of the Word, with Communion ~ In the chapel	
Saturday, January 11 Christmas Weekday 1 Jn 5:14-2 Jn 3:22-30	<i>No Mass</i>	9 am—12 pm ~ Cleaning church
Sunday, January 12 Baptism of the Lord Is 42:1-4, 6-7 Acts 10:34-3 Mt 3:13-17	8:15 am ~ Ron Atkinson—Betty 10:30 am ~ Tracy Malkowski—The Rosary & Altar Society	9:30– 10:15 am ~Confessions 8:15 am ~ RCIA Mass and sending 12:15 pm ~ SCOOCH (high school youth group)



SUNDAY, JANUARY 12

MASS	ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	COMMENTATORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
SUNDAY JAN. 12, 8:15 AM	I. Humphrey B. Talbot	D. Switzer	D. Jackson	G. Donnelly, W. Crowley, L. Lauster bold = bread minister
SUNDAY JAN. 12, 10:30 AM	I. Bailey F. Rinella	C. Wersinger	A. Diamond	K. Zappia, S. Hartman, K. Joslyn bold=bread minister

GREETER MINISTRY SCHEDULE	
JAN. 12, 8:15 AM	B. Hegeman, G. Donnelly
JAN. 12, 10:30 AM	C. Acquista, S. Eagley

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TEAM 2 Addyman

NANCY MURPHY'S COFFEE HOUR
Michele McManus & Kathy Zappia

ST. MICHAEL'S FINANCIAL GIVING DECEMBER 22	Weekly Offertory \$6790.05
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Many thanks for your support of St. Michael's	Actual YTD 9/30/19	Budget YTD	YTD Overage shortage
Total Collections	\$80,050.00	\$85,937.00	\$5887.00
Total Operating Income	\$94,052.00	\$105,969.00	\$11,917.00
Total Operating Expenses	\$95,916.00	\$107,049.00	\$11,133.00
Deficit/Surplus	\$1863.00	\$1080.00	XXXXXXXXXX

ELECTRONIC GIVING PROGRAM St. Michael's is pleased to offer this safe and convenient option for you to contribute your Sunday offerings to the Church automatically through your checking, savings account or credit card. Please contact the business office at 331-6753 if you need assistance.

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL
Goal: \$44,851.00 Actual: \$21,692.00 Donors: 144
We thank those who have given generously and ask all who have not yet given to prayerfully consider doing so. The CMA helps our Church and our parish in so many ways. Please consider all the ways that God has blessed you and your family and think how the Church has brought goodness into your lives. Join our appeal and give back what you can so that we remain strong and able to do God's great work!

I AM the Vine you are the BRANCHES

**"He who is generous
will be blessed."
~Proverbs 22:9**



YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR ANNUAL ADULT VOLUNTEER OPEN HOUSE

If you have volunteered at St. Michael's Church any time in the past year, you are invited to attend our
VOLUNTEER OPEN HOUSE

On **FRIDAY**, January 17th from 7-9 pm at the
CHURCH HALL.

This is hosted by St. Michael's staff as thanks for the dedication of your time and talents to St. Michael's Church.

Please RSVP by calling the Parish Center at 315-331-6753.



CHURCH CLEANING TIME

The church will be cleaned on **Saturday, January 11th from 9:00am to noon.** Please join us! (*We mainly wash windows in entry doors, dust, clean under the pews, and a few other chores. No climbing of ladders or heavy lifting would be required.*)

Thank you to those who gave of their time in the past and worked hard to keep our church beautiful and clean. *Please join us, again!*

Contacts: *Pauline DeCann (315) 945-2157, Chris Hasseler (315) 879-8429, Diana Dubler (315) 573-5816* Thank you and God bless!!



ROMAN CATHOLIC
DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

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1-800-388-7177 x1266

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Internal Audit Department • Diocese of Rochester
1150 Buffalo Road • Rochester, NY 14624

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Manifestación de la Luz de Dios

La presencia tan especial se presenta en la biblia de distintas maneras. Hoy celebramos cómo Jesús se dio a conocer a tres sabios cuando Él era un bebé. La tradición les da a esos tres los nombres de Gaspar, Melchor y Baltasar—los que aparecen del oriente para adorar a Jesús, ofreciéndole los regalos simbólicos de oro, incienso y mirra.

Mateo en su evangelio menciona que unos sabios siguieron una brillante estrella para adorar y llevar regalos al niño Jesús. Esta fiesta junto con la de Navidad a veces se refiere como una gran fiesta de la luz. El Papa Juan Pablo II habló de esta luz en una homilía en 2002. Jesucristo nació siendo luz—como una luz externa en la historia y también dentro de los seres humanos en su historia personal. Así Cristo dio nuevo valor a nuestra existencia en la tierra. Esta luz brilla en las tinieblas. Jesucristo, el Mesías que se manifestó en Belén a los pastores, hoy en esta fiesta se revela como luz de los pueblos de todos los tiempos y de todos los lugares. Para los Magos sabios la luz del “rey de los judíos ha nacido” toma la forma de un astro celeste, tan brillante que atrae su mirada y los guía hasta Jerusalén.

Esa estrella nos habla a nosotros en nuestro tiempo de la verdad y el deseo de conocer lo absoluto. Muchos de nosotros deseamos una “estrella” para guiarnos a lo largo de nuestro camino en la tierra. Ambos: individuos y naciones necesitan un guía. Dios al principio había elegido a Israel para recibir la Luz, pero extendió su elección a todos los pueblos. Así nació la Iglesia a la cual pertenecemos: mujeres, hombres, niños—todos reunidos en Cristo y guiados por el Espíritu Santo.

Quizás tenemos una idea hacia dónde queremos ir, pero no conocemos el camino. Es Cristo quien es la Luz que nos manda a penetrar las tinieblas, y es su Espíritu que nos va a guiar para poder hacerlo. Como Cristo había acompañado a la gente de Palestina, es su Espíritu que nos acompaña y nos ayuda a compartir las Buenas Nuevas con los demás. Pidan la ayuda del Espíritu Santo. Reconozcan a Jesucristo como la Luz del mundo. Compartan esas Buenas Noticias. Esa noticia no es solamente para guardar para sí mismos, sino es para ser compartido.

Feliz día de los tres reyes quienes seguían esa estrella fantástica para descubrir una persona fantástica: Jesucristo. Es un reto a todos nosotros.

Hna. Kay



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an ad in our bulletin.*



You can find Fr. Tedesche's homilies at
www.catholicpatrimony.com

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

January 26 ~ Review session 4-5 pm at Lyons Community Center. Please remember there is a box dedicated for the worksheets for Religious Education at each church.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE

All classes will meet in the church hall youth room from 12:15-1:30 pm on Sunday.

January ~ 5, 19, 26—Youth host coffee hour after 10:30 am Mass— need goodies donated by the youth

YOUTH MINISTRY

KFC (Kids For Christ) Middle School Youth Group Grades 6-8

Monday evening at 6:15 pm –7:30 pm in the youth room in the church hall. Changes in schedule will be in red.

January ~ 6, 26— Youth hosting coffee hour after 10:30 am Mass. There will be sign-ups for youth and parents to let me know what you will be bringing. Youth will need to help set, serve and clean up.

SCOOCH (Super Catholics Of Our Church) High School Youth Group Grades 9-12

One Sunday a month at 12:15-1:30 pm in the youth room in the church hall. Changes in schedule will be in red.

January ~ 12, 26— Youth hosting coffee hour after 10:30 am Mass. There will be sign-ups for youth and parents to let me know what you will be bringing. Youth will need to help set, serve and clean up.

Cluster Mass Schedule

St. Joseph the Worker (St. Michael Lyons, St. Patrick Savannah & St. John the Evangelist, Clyde)& **Blessed Trinity** (St. Thomas Red Creek, Winter, St. Jude Fair Haven, Summer & St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott)

Weekend Schedule

4:00 pm ~ Saturday	St. Michael Lyons
4:00 pm ~ Saturday	St. Patrick Savannah
8:00 am ~ Sunday	St. Thomas Red Creek (winter)
8:00 am ~ Sunday	St. Jude Fair Haven (summer)
10:00 am ~ Sunday	St. John the Evangelist Clyde* time change
12:00 pm ~ Sunday	St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott

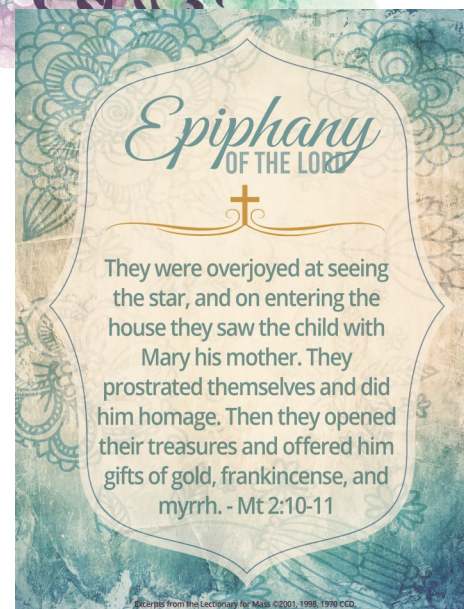
Daily Mass Schedule

8:30 am ~ Monday	St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott
7:30 am ~ Tuesday	St. John the Evangelist Clyde
Wednesday no Mass	except at St. Michael in Newark
7:30 am ~ Thursday	St. John the Evangelist Clyde
7:30 am ~ Friday	St. Michael Lyons
8:30 am ~ Friday	St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott

Confessions

2:45-3:45 pm ~ Saturday	St. Michael Lyons
Before & After Mass ~ Sunday	St. Thomas Red Creek
After Mass ~ Sunday	St. Jude Fair Haven
After Mass & 1st Tuesday of the month	6:30-7:15 pm St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott

5:30-6:20 pm ~ First Friday St. John the Evangelist Clyde



ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

Victims of sexual abuse should always report to the civil authorities.

To receive help and guidance from the Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester, contact our Victim Assistance Coordinator:

Deborah Housel

585-328-3228, ext. 1555

Toll-free: 1-800-388-7177, ext. 1555

or by e-mail to victimassistance@dor.org.

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To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven

"... a time to be born..."

"...a time to love..."

"... a time to be healed..."

Please pray for the sick of our Parish.

*Steven Sapp, Leigh Ann Henry, Nate Barnes, Claire Childs, Kim Zielinski, Michael Kowaleski, Gretchen Switzer Bouwens
Mary Santoro, Cathy Wilhelm, David Murphy, Darlene Fletcher, Marie Wemesfelder, ET Trunick, Donald Pieters, Marcia Palermo,
Jean Condit, Jerry Sielawa, Georgette Eagley, Mary Gilligan, Fran DeVelder, Mary Talbo, Ann Straight, Ivana Ernst,
Jared & Jacob Gajan, Chris McLellan, Gloria Viola, Betty Howlett & Pearl Johnson*

And please pray for our Parish friends. *Scott Weber, Richard Schweitz, Jr., Michael DePauw, Bonnie Crane, Tracy Diaz-Cruz,
Toni Petrosino, Barb Gallant, Ann Maliborski, Sherry Caughell & Michael Bauer, Jr*

"... a time to die..."

"... and a time for peace."

In our world and for all people, military and civilian, who are in the midst of war. ***Ecclesiastes 3:11***



FOOD CLOSET ITEMS NEEDED

The Newark Food Closet has a goal to educate and support clients and our community in making balanced, healthy choices. We are asking for your help when donating non-perishable goods. . Below is much need items.

Please leave in the gathering space. Thank you for your generosity.

canned chicken breast

canned tuna fish

spaghetti, Elbows rigatoni, etc.

spinach

beets

corn

Mandarin oranges

pineapple

peaches

applesauce

strawberry/grape jelly

jello

pudding