

MASS INTENTIONS

January 6, 2024 – January 14, 2024

Sat. January 6, 2024 4:00 P.M.

Carroll Lee & Sylvia Vincent; Rayo Daugereau; Cosude & Annie Monte; C J Spell; Lionel (15th An) & Barbara Thevis; Louis & Oran Richard; Sapha Richard; Judy Miller; Brandy Matte Letchworth; Amadine & Willie (An) Wingate

Sun. January 7, 2024 8:00 A.M.

Lorita, Winnie & Lloyd Bearb; Comeaux & Lantier families

10:00 A.M.

Lorena “T-Moon” Guillot; Allen & Vivian Arceneaux Faul; Claire Daigle; Francis L & Lillian C Bergeron; Anna Lou Guillot; John D, Leota, Robert, Patrick, Jeffery & JoJo Bergeron;

Mon. January 8, 2024 8:00A.M.

COMMUNION SERVICE

Tue. January 9, 2024 8:00A.M.

Nicholas Hightower (Bd)

Wed. January 10, 2024 8:00A.M.

For all caregivers

Thurs. January 11, 2024 8:00AM

Gadric (Bd) & Al Fontenot

Fri. January 12, 2024 8:00AM

For all deceased Pastors of the Assumption Church

Sat. January 13, 2024 4:00 P.M.

Carroll Lee & Sylvia Vincent; Rayo Daugereau; Mentor & Louella Doucet; Kerminth, Theresa & Keno Cormier; Elmo Broussard; Judy Miller; Lyons & Fontenot families

Sun. January 14, 2024 8:00 A.M.

Charlie Prevost; Lorita, Winnie & Lloyd Bearb; Sapha Richard

10:00 A.M.

Flora Bourque; Claire Daigle; Sybil Blanchard (100th Bd); Joseph Irby Cormier; Allen & Vivian Arceneaux Faul; Comeaux & Lantier Families; Francis L & Lillian C Bergeron



Pastor: Fr. Edward Duhon

Receptionist/Secretary: Sandra Daigle

D.R.E./Bookkeeper: Edna Meche

Assistant D.R.E.: Kasey Meaux

Parish & Rectory Maintenance:

Elton & Kay Cahanin

Richard Faul

Camella Richard

Computer Tech: Andrew Fruge'

Music: Jeff Cormier & Kip Faulk Wedding & Funeral

music: Kip Faulk-(337) 296-2474

Mass Schedule:

Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday & Friday-8:00AM

Monday-8:00AM Communion Service

Saturday 4:00PM

Sunday 8:00 & 10:00AM

Confession:

Saturday 2:30PM-3:30PM

Weddings: Contact Pastor 6 months prior to wedding date.

Baptism Preparation & Baptisms: Contact Fr. Edward Duhon

Mass Intentions: Contact Sandra Daigle

Cemetery Information: Contact Sandra Daigle-337-873-6574

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January 7, 2024

ASSUMPTION of the B.V. M. CHURCH

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



MINISTERS: January 13 & 14, 2024

EUCH. MIN.

LECTOR

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday (4 PM) Nicole R (FA) Mary Kay (RA)

Chad (RA) Brandon © Garret ©

Rebecca

Lillian & Anna

Sunday (8 AM) Lynette (FA) Addson (RA)

Drew (RA) Connie © Michelle ©

Mitzie

Kathryn & Adalyn

(10 AM) Josh (FA) Sarah (RA)

Angel (RA) Nicole B © Connie ©

Mollie

Luci & Anistyn



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Weekly Financial Report: December 31, 2023

Offertory	6,152.00
Building Fund	200.00
Candles	61.00
Donation	1,500.00
Total	7,913.00

St. Matthew's Guild: January 14, 2024

Rachel, Jason, Frank, Geraldine, Al, Angela

SECOND COLLECTIONS

Projects & Maintenance

All weekend masses January 6 & 7, 2024

Bishop's Services Appeal

All weekend masses January 13 & 14, 2024

"HEALTH BUGGY BUS"

8-11am-Tu., January 9, 2024

Church parking lot

The Epiphany of the Lord

The Gospel reading reveals the journey, the visit and the gifts of the Magi. They read the stars and inspired by their own wisdom and vision they truly want to find and pay homage to Christ Jesus who they understood would bring about a kingdom of justice and peace. Although they are not astrologers like the Magi, good stewards go about the task of reading the signs of the time as well. Moreover, they help others discover the loving presence of Christ through their own actions, bringing mercy, compassion and hope for a better world. How do you live each day to bring about a better world, a better life, unity with those who gather around the Eucharistic table and a deeper communion with God?

God invites all creation to move away from the cold and bitter darkness and seek warmth from His brilliant and radiant light. Even though we are invited and sometimes do not accept the gift, we are always issued that same wondrous invitation to follow the star that leads to Him. The Father draws creation to Himself to be with Him. He sends Jesus as the invitation. Jesus who is enfleshed in our very being, the Word incarnate, nudges us with love and grace to the Father. The love that the Father has for the Son that bears the name of the Holy Spirit, inspires us to say a resounding 'yes' to the invitation.

The Epiphany is about the great theophany of the shining star that leads the Magi to the newborn king. It is through that star that the Father breaks through time and history to reveal Himself in the star and lead us all to His Son. The Son in turn leads us to the Father. We are caught up in this dance of the love of the Father-Son-Holy Spirit God who wants us to join the dance.

The light brings warmth and comfort, but it also challenges us to move away from the darkness. It is the darkness that tells us we are forgotten, we are not loveable, we are despised and rejected. The brilliance of the light calls us to the Father's heart, the home of who we are. The Father's heart is the center of us, our purpose, our goal. It is He who defines us and lifts us to Himself. We are His. Jesus reminds us of this constantly.

The three Magi bring gifts to honor the Christ-child, but also to help us understand who Jesus is. He is priest, prophet and king. As priest He is given the frankincense of worship to lift our prayers and hopes to the Father. As king He is given the gold to rule His kingdom of justice, peace and love, challenging us to love God and our neighbor. As prophet He is anointed with the myrrh to bring the sacred aroma of life in the midst of death, to lead us to resurrection and the fullest expression of the Father's love. As any prophet Jesus reminds us of our covenant with the Father; we are His people and He is our God. We belong to Him, even after death – especially after death.

Now that all the busy-ness of the holidays seems to shift a bit we are afforded the opportunity to look again at the creche. There is a Holy Family; a father of humility, a mother full of grace and a son of promise. There are shepherds from the fields with their sheep to see the Lord of their longing. There are three Magi to see the newborn king. There is a man who leads the unseated camel, almost as if to invite us to jump on up and take the journey with all those gathered there. And there is a donkey at rest, because one day one like him will carry this child of promise into Jerusalem amidst fanfare and raised palms – leading Him to His death and resurrection. This is where the star of Bethlehem leads us; to this sacred place of holiness and grace, where we come to meet God and others.

Epiphany is about the star, about the gifts, but also about the people who witnessed this extraordinary event in human history. Epiphany is about us, about how we become the shining star of God's love in the lives of others. It's about how we bring gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh to others along the way, affirming them in their journey of faith. They too are priests, prophets and kings leading us to the Father.

Epiphany is about the Father. It is about His profound love for a creation He breathed into life that keeps forgetting who it is and keeps

getting lost in darkness. It is loved. It is redeemed. It is filled with grace and light. The skies are bright with God's love.

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First Communion Class;

Sun., January 7, 14 & 21, 2024

Sun., January 27, 2024

Dress Rehearsal & Pictures

10:00am-church

First Communion

Saturday, February 3, 2024 :4:00PM

Rosary for the sick

Monday, January 8, 2024

6PM-Church

Leaders of the rosary:

Lyndon/Nadine Lejeune



MEETINGS

C D A-Mon., Jan. 22, 2024-6:00pm-FLC

Knights of Columbus-Thu., Jan. 11-7:00pm-K C Hall

If you judge people, you have no time to love them.

St. Teresa of Calcutta

THAT MAN IS YOU (TMIY)

We will begin TMIY on January 17th at 5:00am with coffee followed by a Presentation starting at 5:30am in the Family Life Center. All men are welcome! Please bring a friend!!