

SACRED HEARTS OF JESUS & MARY R. C. CHURCH

January 10, 2010

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Readings: Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Acts 10:34-38; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Masses for the Week of Jan 11-17

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| Monday | 12:00 | Anthony Modafuri |
| Tuesday | 8:15 | Marge Hughes |
| Wednesday | 12:00 | Chris Sadowski |
| Thursday | 12:00 | Special Intention |
| Friday | 12:00 | Theresa Donatelli |
| Saturday | 5:00 | Lt. William M. Ellard, Jr. USMC |
| Sunday | 8:00 | Harriet & William Zaluski & Barbara Corwith |
| | 9:30 | People of the Parish |
| | 11:00 | Mary Ellen Pernice, Stella & Albert Kruzal, Deceased Members of the Polkosnik Family, Virginia Cleary |
| | 12:30 | Spanish Mass |
| | 5:00 | Dr. John Marino |

MINISTERS SCHEDULE

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| JAN 16 | 5 PM | Father Madley |
| SERVERS | B. Alvarez, M. Kropiwnicki, J. O'Brien | |
| E.M.'S | T. Grimaldi, M. Lynch, B. Miller | |
| LECTOR | J. Fox | |

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| JAN 17 | 8 AM | Father Gill |
| SERVERS | Martin Sisters, A. Wesnofske | |
| E.M.'S | T. Cavallaro, K. Duggan, N. Conroy M. Steinbrecher | |
| LECTORS | J. Clarke | |
| GREETERS | P. Corrigan, I. Hurley, N. Scanlon M. Steinbrecher | |

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| | 9:30 AM | Father Madley |
| SERVERS | T. Malone, F. Schneider, M & M Wilson | |
| E.M.'S | Sr. M. Assunta, A. Lesta, M. Nugent, C & J Wilson | |
| LECTOR | P. Lynch | |
| GREETERS | A Lesta, J & N McCulley | |

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| | 11 AM | Father Trench |
| SERVERS | W. Menghini, A. O'Brien, M. O'Connor, O. Valle | |
| E.M.'S | S. Adelante, G. Bauer, J. Hanlon, S. McCulley | |
| LECTOR | P. Jordan | |
| GREETERS | C. Brown, C. Butler, V. Grattan | |

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| | 5 PM | Father Dahm |
| SERVERS | L. Cirillo, P. Rossi | |
| E.M.'S | C. Diesing, G. Reisig | |
| LECTOR | K. Rossi | |

SOUTHAMPTON HOSPITAL -January 10 – M. Baskin
January 17 – M. Steinbrecher

HAMPTONS CENTER – January 10- TBA

ALTARS - TBA

LINENS - Jan 10-16 – L. McClain

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

January 3rd collection was \$4,917.00

Our Christmas collection is still being tallied. Based on the prior year's financial statement our average weekly operating expense is \$15,613.00 May God bless you for your continued support and generosity. Thank you, Fr. Jeff.



ST. THERESA'S ALTAR FLOWERS were given in loving memory of Theresa Donatelli by her son, Donald Garvey.

Anyone who would like to donate flowers, please call the Parish office at 283-0097.

If you would like to donate **Altar Candles, Wine or Altar Bread** in memory of a loved one or for a special intention please call the parish center at 283-0097.



WE PRAY FOR OUR BELOVED SICK

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| Keith O'Brien | Isabelle Lanin-Tanquay | Winnie Chin |
| John Bishop | Connie Kane | Pat Reinhardt |
| Howard "Corty" Bishop | | Grace McNamara |
| Gene Travers, Jr. | Suzanne Parillo | Andrea Gulija |
| Patrick Dermody | Gwendolyn Porter | Robert O'Shea |
| John Cuccia, Sr. | Jean Smith | Jean Kearns |
| Jo Counihan | Celestino Gambino | Beth Larkin |
| Mike Kent | Eileen Finlay | |



BANNS OF MARRIAGE:

I – Jesse Snider and Therese Azar
Here St. Raphael's, El Paso, TX

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER JEFF:

On Saturday, January 16th we will have a special Memorial Mass to honor the memory of a past president of the Altar Rosary Society, Carmen Pizzarello. The Mass will take place at 9 AM.

Thank you for your generosity in the Christmas collection. I will have the final numbers soon.

Next Wednesday, Brother Terence Skorka, O.P. will be speaking at all masses on behalf of the Propagation of the Faith. Please bring a pen or a

pencil next weekend.

If a member of your family is receiving the Eucharist from a Eucharistic Minister and they no longer need the visits, please contact Peg Jordan to discontinue the visits. Her number is 283-5886.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education classes resume this week on Wednesday.

Please check the website for meetings and announcements

www.sacredheartsofjesusandmary.org. Click on Religious Education.

PARISH PROGRAMS

FRANCISCANS

The Secular Franciscans meet on the third Sunday of the month, after the 11 AM mass in the Parish Center. Would you like to know what we are all about? Please come to our meeting. Bring a bag lunch and we will supply the coffee.

BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study Group meets in the 2nd floor meeting room of the Parish Center at 1 PM. Meetings resume on Tuesday, January 5th.

New members are always welcome!

SPIRITUAL BOOK GROUP

The Spiritual Book Group meets every Tuesday from 1-2 PM in the dining room of the Parish Center. New members are always welcome!!

DIOCESAN TWO SESSION PRE CANA CLASS

Most Holy Trinity Church, 57 Buell Lane, East Hampton will hold a 2 session Pre Cana Class on January 23 & 30th 2010 from 9 AM – 4 PM. There is a \$300 fee per couple. *FOCCUS* and lunch are included in the fee. To register or for more information please call Cindy at the Office of Faith Formation 516-678-5800 Ext 204 or www.drvc-faith.org/marriagePrep.html.m



TEEN MUSIC MINISTRY

Currently joins in the Sunday 5 PM Mass every second and fourth weekend of the month. All are welcome to attend this liturgy and join in the celebration.

Baptism of the Lord

January 10, 2010

Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Ps 29:1-2,3-4,3: 9-10; Acts 10:34-38; Lk 3:15-16,21-22

The prophet Isaiah proclaimed the coming of one who would bring forth justice to the nations. The people were full of anticipation, wondering if the voice they heard was that of the long-awaited Messiah. It was John the Baptist, thundering in the desert, announcing the coming of God's reign. Yet there would be one more powerful who would baptize with the purifying fire of the Holy Spirit.

When Jesus stepped into the waters of baptism, a voice was heard that tore the heavens in tow. Yet the words descended as gentle as a dove. "You are my beloved Son. On you my favor rests." Jesus, God's son and God's servant, was called to bring forth justice and peace to the people.

Peter learned that God's favor rests on all. For Peter, this message was radically new. All were God's chosen people. All were welcomed in the house of God. Whoever enters the waters of baptism hears the words of God spoke to Jesus: "You are my beloved child. On you my favor rests."

For reflection: How do I experience God's voice in my life? Am I living my baptismal call to bring healing and liberation?

OUR LADY OF THE HAMPTONS

Information leading toward placement in grades K-8 at OLH for the 2010-2011 school year is now available at the school. Personal interviews will be scheduled for January 2010. Placement in the Pre-school program at St. Rosalie's campus for three & four year olds, as well as kindergarten class at the Southampton Campus is at a premium and early application is advised. Limited seating is available in grades one through seven for the next school year. Please call 283-9140 for details or consult the school website www.olh.org.

Catholic Schools Week will be celebrated from January 28 thru February 6 with several special events planned. The community is invited to keep the dates open for Family Supper at the Southampton Publick House on Thursday, January 28th and the Family Pancake Breakfast at the school on Sunday morning, January 31st.

The annual raffle, formerly known as "Bucks for Books", is now open for the school year. For a donation of \$100 per ticket, holders will be

eligible for major cash prizes of \$15,000, \$5,000 & \$2500. The raffle will be held at a gala cocktail party at Starr Boggs Restaurant on February 6th. Please call the school for information at 283-9140.

THE CHRISTMAS PRESEPIO
LAST DAY!

December 7th through January 10th, 2010

McGann-Mercy High School celebrates the holiday season with an installation of a traditional Italian presepio in The McGann-Mercy Chapel, 1225 Ostrander Avenue, Riverhead. This Christmas nativity scene is made up of more than a thousand pieces collected by Fr. Jerry Cestare over the years. This extensive display of the traditional nativity was put together with the help of students and faculty members. Everyone is welcome to share in this wonderful depiction of the true gift of Christmas, and discover this traditional Italian art form.

Hours for viewing the presepio are Monday – Friday 12:00 PM to 8:00 PM, Saturdays 3:00 PM-8:00 PM and Sundays 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM. To learn more about the Christmas presepio, please call 631-727-5900*15."

HUMAN RESOURCES OF THE HAMPTONS

DUE TO MASSIVE DUMPING OF GARBAGE AT THE CLOTHING BINS, THE BINS HAVE BEEN REMOVED.

Donations of clothing will be accepted Monday, Wednesday & Friday from 10 AM – 12 Noon at the food pantry or Parish Center. To receive clothing please call 283-6415 for an appointment. We are not accepting yard sale items.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

St. Andrew R C Church in Sag Harbor invites you to attend a **Marriage Encounter Weekend at CorMaria Retreat House** in Sag Harbor, February 5, 6 & 7. Hosted by Father Peter Devaraj. To reserve your place, please send \$100 registration fee, payable to Worldwide Marriage Encounter, to St. Andrew R C Church. Please call St. Andrew for more information and to register. 631-725-0123. Space is limited.



RELIGION AND ROCK

Tune into "Religion and Rock" with Msgr. Jim Vlaun on Sunday from 7 AM – 8 AM on WBAB

102.3 FM or 95.3 FM on Long Island's East End. Listen on Saturdays at 11 PM on Sirius Radio Channel 159, the Catholic Channel and at 11 PM on XM Satellite, Channel 117. This Sunday's theme is **Life's Struggles** don't miss it. www.ReligionandRock.com

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CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL
UPDATE

We are very grateful to the 134 families who made pledges and gifts.

Amount Pledged: \$43,540.00

Parish Goal: \$50,159.00

Amount to goal: \$6619.00

Any amount over goal will be returned to the parish at 85%.

If you have not made a gift or pledge, it is not too late. Please do so as soon as possible. A heartfelt thank you to all those who have made a gift or pledge. With your help, we have reached 98.4% of our goal. We would like to especially thank the families who have made a sacrifice to help those in need.

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU

JANUARY PROGRAMS AT
ST. JOSEPH RENEWAL CENTER

Jan. 12: 10 AM-12 Noon – Women's Gathering: A Time Set Aside for YOU" \$15

Jan 15-17: **Career Enrichment** – The purpose is to support those individuals who have lost their jobs, have been unemployed for a long period, are seeking to return to the workforce after many years. Questions may be referred to S. Josephine Daspro, CSJ at 631-273-1187 Ext. 43. Offering for the workshops is free will.

All programs are held at St. Joseph Renewal Center, 1725 Brentwood Road, Brentwood, NY 11717. Call for reservations, 631-1187 Ext. 43

7 NIGHT ALASKAN CRUISE

The Suffolk County Chapter of the **Knights of Columbus** is sponsoring a 7 night cruise to Alaska, July 16-23, 2010, ocean view cabin for \$1119. or land and cruise for 11 nights, July 12-23, 2010, ocean view cabin for \$2119. Contact Don a 631-567-0025.



KID'S PAGE

Prayers and history of the Church

January 10, 2010

Today is the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. After his baptism Jesus began his ministry of preaching and teaching about the Kingdom of God.

Gospel

Luke 3:15-16,21-22

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie his thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire."

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

The Gospel of the Lord.

For reflection: When we were baptized we received the same Holy Spirit that came to Jesus at his baptism. How do we show that we are children of God?

Prayer:

God our Father,
in Baptism you call us
to be your sons and daughters.
We thank you for the great gift
of your life in us.
May our lives give you praise.
We ask this through him, in whom all things are
possible, Jesus Christ the Lord.
Amen.



January 10, 2010

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

January 11, 2010

During the next few weeks we will learn about the Old Testament prophet Samuel and the first two kings of Israel, Saul & David. As you listen to the story, think about the ways they experienced God in their lives. In today's reading we learn about Samuel's parents and his family before he was born.

Reading:

1 Samuel 1:9-12, 16-20

A reading from the first letter of Samuel

There was a certain man whose name was Elkanah (el-KAY-nah). He had two wives; the name of one was Hannah, and the name of the other was Peninnah (pen-I-nuh). Peninnah had children but Hannah had no children.

Now this man used to go up year by year from his town to worship and to sacrifice to the Lord of Hosts at Shiloh. On the day when Elkanah sacrificed, he would give portions to his wife, Peninnah and to all her sons and daughters; but to Hannah he gave a double portion, because he loved her, though the Lord had closed her womb. Her rival used to provoke her severely, to irritate her, because the Lord had closed her womb. So it went on year after year; as often as she went up to the house of the Lord she used to provoke her. Therefore Hannah wept and would not eat. Her husband, Elkanah, said to her, "Hannah, why do you weep? Why do you not eat? Why is your heart sad? Am I not more to you than ten sons?"

The word of the Lord.

For reflection: Because Hannah did not have children, some people teased her. What is it like to be treated badly by other people?

Prayer:

Lord God,
Draw us closer when we are hurt
So that we can rest secure in your love.
We ask this through Christ Our Lord.
Amen



Blood Drive

DONATE BLOOD NOW...

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JANUARY 12th

1:45 to 8:30 PM

Where: Sacred Hearts Parish Hall

Contact: Jim at 283-2431

Please have identification & drink lots of fluids

Share your gift for making someone feel better.



Knights of Columbus

Southampton Council #1967

Are sponsoring a free bus to
St. Patrick's Cathedral



New York City

January 17, 2010

Annual Pro Life Mass
Archbishop Timothy Dolan
President

Mass 10:15 AM

Bus leaves Sacred Hearts of Jesus & Mary parking lot at 6:45 AM
St. Rosalie's at 7:00 AM

Contact: Ken 283-3943

Or Bob at 728-3025 for more information or to register.

Good will offering

