

# Resurrection R. C. Church



**Feast of the Epiphany**

**January 3, 2021**

**Matthew 2:1-12**

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**M-F: 8:30 AM**

**First Saturday of Month 8:30 AM**

**Saturday Evening Vigil: 4:00 PM**

**Sunday: 9:00 AM and 12 Noon**

**DEVOTIONS:**

**Rosary: M-F 8:10 AM, Sunday 8:40 AM**

**Divine Mercy Chaplet after daily Mass M-F**

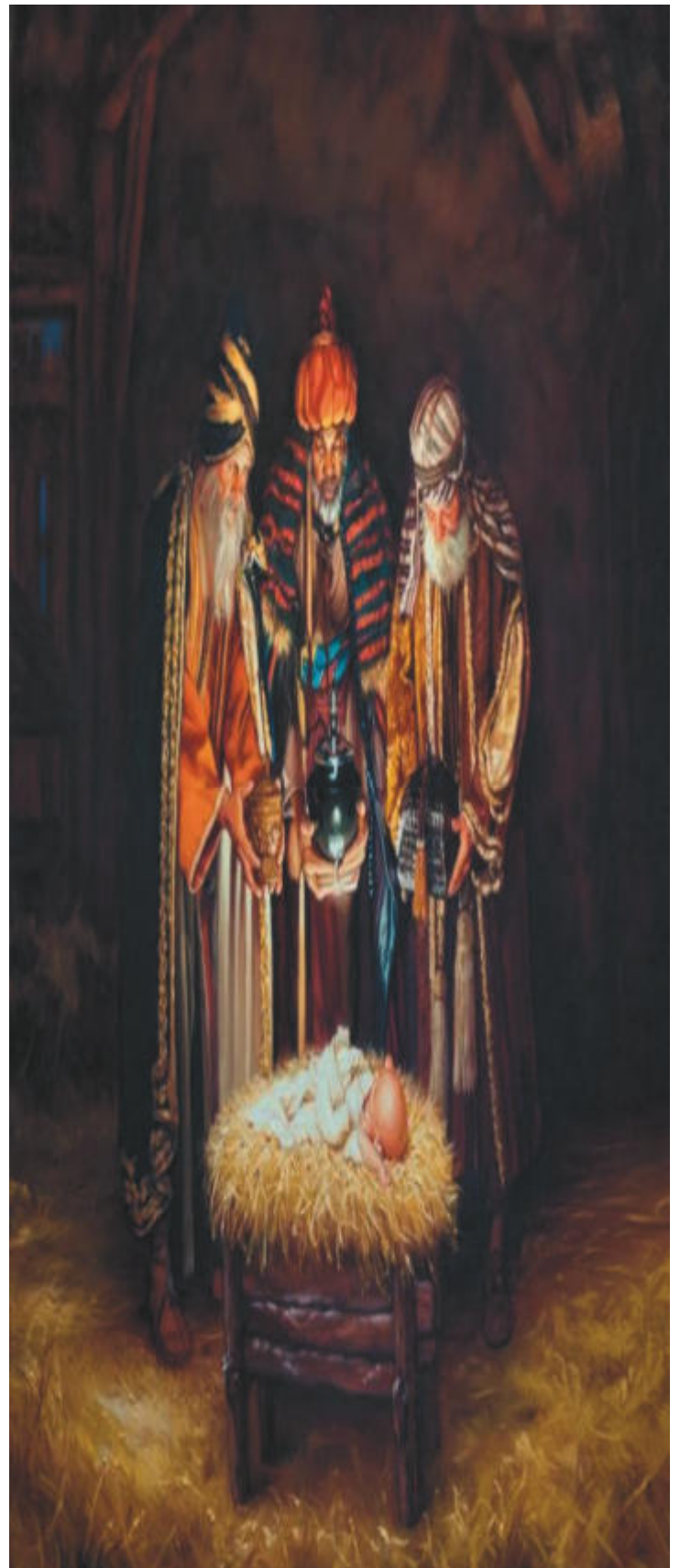
**Sacred Heart Novena after First Friday Mass**

**Adoration: 9:00 to 12 Noon (First Fridays)**

**RECONCILIATION**

**Saturday 3:15-3:45**

**ENCOURAGING ALL TO CHECK THEIR  
TEMPERATURES. PLEASE CONTINUE  
TO WEAR MASK AND KEEP SPACING**



## Mass Intentions

<b>Monday</b> 8:30 AM	+	<b>January 4, St Elizabeth Ann Seton</b> <b>Leonard Maida</b> (Maryann & Dave Borgioli)
<b>Tuesday</b> 8:30 AM	+	<b>January 5, St John Neumann</b> <b>Robert Zurek</b> (Dorothy Skrok)
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:30 AM	+	<b>January 6, Christmas Weekday</b> <b>Dan Kazmierczak</b> (M. Kazmierczak Family)
<b>Thursday</b> 8:30 AM	+	<b>January 7, Christmas Weekday</b> <b>Joseph Wozniak</b> (Wozniak Family)
<b>Friday</b> 8:30 AM	+	<b>January 8, Christmas Weekday</b> <b>Frances Fydrych</b> (Daughter, Dolores)
<b>Saturday</b> 4:00 PM	+	<b>January 9, Baptism of Lord Vigil</b> <b>Rzod &amp; Glinski Family</b> (Charles & Judith Glinski)
<b>Sunday</b> 9:00 AM	+	<b>January 10, Baptism of Lord</b> <b>William Sturm</b> (Wife & Children)
<b>12:00 PM</b>	+	<b>Hank Radzikowski</b> (Hank, Doreen & Dan)

### \*\*PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK\*\*

Bernadette Coyner, David Borgioli, Sr., Helen Walkowiak, Martin Bochinski, Jr., Diane Wasielewski, Kathy Puleo, Leo Nowicki, Aaron Ring, Rita Ross, Angela Mata, Robert Mata, James Wojcik, Sr., Wendy Hicks, John Russillio, Justine Janora, Kenneth Gerspach, Chet Ross, Renee Hernandez, Brian Whaley, Vic Burgio, Doreen Radzikowski, Marie Lelek, George Bretl, Michele Sisti, Joe Pace.

### SANCTUARY LAMP

Our sanctuary lamp is lit for Jerome and Jane Mazurek, from daughter, Nancy. Please pray for their intentions.

### COLLECTION

**Our weekly operating expenses are \$7,300.00**

**We Thank You For Your Generous Giving.**  
Please remember Resurrection Parish in your will.  
Remember on-line giving as an option.  
See parish web-site.

### RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the souls of Angeline Chojnacki and Angela Pricoli.

My dear parish family,

A very Happy New Year to all my parish family at Resurrection. We pray for each other for all the best in 2021.

As we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany of the Lord and contemplate on the journey of the Magi to see the child Jesus, we ponder our own journey to the Lord. Let's continue to love our Lord and one another. As we journey to our Lord, and worship during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, let's remember to say AMEN after receiving our Lord. Many have grown lax and are not offering the great AMEN, I believe. I pray we are not jaded by the world or feel there is no need to say AMEN. We are receiving our Lord and should want to gladly say AMEN, not only avowing our belief, but also in respect and thanks to our Lord and Savior.

As I write this bulletin, the scaffolding is coming down and revealing the beautiful job they did in putting up the stone wall on lower level of the Malikowski center. We are nearing completion of project. Again, we thank our benefactor Theresa for funding this project. By the time the project is completed, it will cost about \$450,000. Thanks Theresa.

Thanks to all the parishioners who continue to support our parish. Your continued support is greatly appreciated by me and I am sure your fellow family members in the family at Resurrection.

God's Best to all of you.  
Love and prayers,  
Fr Mike

### THANKS

Thanks to the "SANTA" who donated 4-\$50 Wegmans Cards. They will be distributed as appropriate.

### EPIPHANY

Thanks to Art & Cheryl Tubisz for providing the packets for Epiphany for use in our own homes. We appreciate your generosity and kindness.

### FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION, ADORATION and FIRST SATURDAY

Please note, our first Friday devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be moved to Friday, January 8, 2021, followed by Adoration and Benediction at Noon. First Saturday Morning Mass at 8:30 will remain on January 2, 2021.

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR  
THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK in re  
The Diocese of Buffalo N.Y. Case No. 20-10322.**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT, On February 28, 2020, The Diocese of Buffalo N.Y., (“Diocese”) filed for protection under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the “Bankruptcy Code”). The Bankruptcy Court has established August 14, 2021 at 11:59 p.m. (prevailing Eastern time) as the deadline to file proofs of claim against the Diocese (the “Bar Date”). If you have a claim against the Diocese, including, without limitation, a claim related to sexual abuse committed by any person connected with the Diocese, you must file a claim on or before the Bar Date. Please visit <https://case.stretto.com/dioceesofbuffalo> or call 855-292-7696 for more information on how to file your proof of claim. IF YOU DO NOT TIMELY FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM, YOU MAY FORFEIT YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE ON ANY PLAN OF REORGANIZATION AND TO SHARE IN ANY DISTRIBUTIONS TO CREDITORS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DIOCESE’S CHAPTER 11 CASE.

**OUR LADY OF POMPEII MONTHLY SPEAKER  
SERIES CONTINUES:**

Monday, January 11, 2021 from 7-8 PM in the AUD, 129 Laverack Ave, Lancaster, NY 14086. Rev. Tom Roman presents: “INFINITE LOVE: Knowing God Loves Us Infinitely Changes Our Lives” (RSVP REQUIRED for social distancing. 683-6522).

**Word of Life**

“Through the Incarnation and birth of Christ, God reveals to us the dignity of all human life. Human life, as a gift of God, is sacred and inviolable. The Son of God has united himself with every human being and desires for us to share eternal life with him... Each of us is made in the image and likeness of God, and we reflect his glory in the world.”

“Put on the Armor of God”: Exorcist Reveals the Powerful Protection Sacramentals Provide Against Satan. By Msgr. Stephen Rosetti. (from Church Pop-12/17/20.

“Julia” grew up in a good Catholic family. She went away to college and began dating a young man who was heavily engaged in the occult. She participated in these rituals and fell into other sinful behaviors as well.

By the grace of God, she came in contact with a dynamic Catholic youth group at the University and it turned her life around. She broke up with her boyfriend.

She started attending Mass and went to confession. Things were looking up.

A few months after her conversion, she awoke one morning with horrible marks on her back. It looked like a beast had raked its claws down her back.

Demons began to attack her. They nightly harassed and abused her. She had difficulty entering a Church or going to Mass. She knew her past had come back to torment her.

Two of her female friends at the University wanted to help. They had entered her room at night and could see what was happening. They decided to sleep in her room and to be a support during the demonic attacks.

Unfortunately, these young women, although well intentioned, were not spiritually ready for what they encountered.

One fell into drug abuse and sexual promiscuity, and shortly thereafter left the University. The other became filled with rage, threatened suicide, and she, too, left the University. Julia’s family referred to her to an exorcist who began the Rite.

Julia noted that when she went home to her family, the demons did not enter the house.

The Father explained that their house had been blessed; it was filled with sacramentals including crucifixes, holy statues, and often sprinkled with holy water. The parents were fervent Catholics.

Ephesians 6 says, “Put on the armor of God so that you may be able to stand firm against the tactics of the devil.” These two young women were not ready. The parents were.

Faith in God and Jesus Christ are the armor that protects us. As faith slips away in these secular days, I worry that our homes and families will not be protected.

As faith slips away in our nation, what will become of it?

“Allow the light and healing presence of Christ to shine brightly through your lives. In that way, all those who come in contact with you will discover the loving kindness of God.” - St. John Paul II.

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