

All Saints Church



Holy Cross Church



St. Anthony Church



January 8, 2017

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Year A

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Sacramental Life

Baptism

Baptismal preparation is offered and required for parents of children to be baptized in our churches. Please contact the parish office for an initial interview and baptismal preparation.

Marriage

Couples must contact the parish office at least six months prior to the celebration. Marriage preparation prerequisites must be fulfilled before the celebration of marriage.

Sacramental Preparation

Please contact the Faith Formation office regarding preparation for First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and Confirmation.

Reconciliation (Confession)

1st Saturday at 10:30am at Holy Cross Church; 3rd Saturday at 3:00-3:45pm at St. Anthony Church; or by appointment at All Saints Church, Holy Cross or St. Anthony.

Pastoral Care / Hospital Visitation

Please contact the parish office if you know of a parishioner who is sick, homebound, or hospitalized and who would appreciate Communion or a pastoral visit.

RCIA/RCIC

Those interested in becoming Catholic or wishing to complete their Christian initiation through the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist are asked to call the parish office.

Faith Formation & Youth Ministry

Rel. Ed. for St. Anthony & Holy Cross takes place at Holy Cross Sundays 9:45am; Rel. Ed. at All Saints after Sunday Masses (11:30am). The All Saints Teen Group meets the 1st & 3rd Sunday at 7:00pm. The Holy Cross High School Youth Group meets at various times at Holy Cross.

Liturgy Schedule and Mass Intentions

Saturday • Jan. 7 (1 Jn 5:14-21 Jn 2:1-11)

10:00 am Mass at **Holy Cross** for Marian & Jim Jackson

4:30 pm Mass at **St. Anthony** for Jim Buck (30th Anniv. Mass) by The Family

Sunday • Jan. 8 The Epiphany of the Lord (Is 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 Mt 2:1-12)

8:30 am Mass at **Holy Cross** for Dick Bierl by Nan & Don Lisk

10:30 am Mass at **All Saints** for Victor Composti by the Schafer Family

Monday • Jan. 9 1 The Baptism of the Lord (Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Acts 10:34-38 Mt 3:13-17)

Tuesday • Jan. 10 (Heb 2:5-12 Mk 1:21-28)

9:00 am Mass at **St. Anthony** for Rev. Thomas Hickey by Keith Randolph

Wednesday • Jan. 11 (Heb 2:14-18 Mk 1:29-39)

9:00 am Mass at **Holy Cross** for Jim Dineen by Don & Nan Lisk

Thursday • Jan. 12 (Heb 3:7-14 Mk 1:40-45)

9:30 am Mass at **All Saints** for The Parishioners of the Cluster

Friday, Jan. 13 (Heb 4:1-5, 11 Mk 2:1-12)

12:00 pm Mass at **St. Anthony** for Mickey Gallagher by Carina & Frank Emerson

Saturday • Jan. 14 (Heb 4:12-16 Mk 2:13-17)

4:30 pm Mass at **St. Anthony** for Elizabeth Doppel by Kay Bishop and Nancy Brown

Sunday • Jan. 15 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (Is 49:3, 5-6 1 Cor 1:1-3 Jn 1:29-34)

8:30 am Mass at **Holy Cross** for Jim Dineen by Cas Flanagan

10:30 am Mass at **All Saints** for MaryLee Howes by Andra & Chuck Benson



A NOTE FROM DCN. GEORGE . . .

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany, also known as Theophany or Three Kings Day. This feast celebrates the revelation of God in Jesus, His Son. It is traditionally celebrated on January 6, and the day before (January 5) is called Twelfth Night (or the Twelfth day of Christmas); and it was considered the traditional end to Christmas. Now-a-days, the Roman Catholic Church celebrates this feast on the Sunday after January 1st, and the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord which follows is considered the official end to Christmas. In the Eastern Catholic Church, they celebrate the baptism of Jesus on the Epiphany, as well.



These feasts bring our Christmas celebration full circle. In Advent, Christ is a wish and a hope. At Christmas, Christ is born as God becomes man, and on the Epiphany, Jesus is revealed to the world as the Savior. The Magi represent the world at large. Scriptural scholars believe that the Magi (astrologers) came from Persia (present day Iran), but over the centuries their identities have grown and changed.

Originally, they were considered to be three wise men named Melchior (from Persia), Caspar or Gaspar (from India), and Balthazar (from Babylon...modern day Iraq). Over time, they were identified as Kings, and Balthazar's origin shifted to India and then to Ethiopia in Africa.

Syrian, Ethiopian and Armenian Christians have different names and origins for these three, and Chinese Christians even believe that one came from China; and even faithful Muslims know of the three wise men.

No matter what their origins, they came to find a king, and accepted the poor little child living in Bethlehem, as something greater than any king they had known. Like them, we come seeking something greater than the rulers of this world. They came bearing gifts. We come by ourselves, and we receive the greatest gift of all: Jesus Christ.

God Bless,

Deacon George

GOOD NEWS

An amazing thing happens in today's Gospel: Representatives from the farthest ends of the earth follow a heavenly light and end in the humble cave of Bethlehem. The Wise Men first consult with King Herod, Galilee's civil authority. He checks with the high priest and rabbis to determine when and where the Messiah is to be born. The Jewish leadership is able to read the Scriptures and give Herod and the Wise Men all the information they need. Yet only the Eastern travelers go to adore the Lord. The priest and lawyers lack faith to see in those Scriptures a fulfillment of their hopes, while King Herod is blinded to Christ's salvific mission and moved by a will to power, as the killing of the Innocents will make clear. They all have ears to hear and eyes to see but few pay heed to the signs of the times. The Wise Men from the East, merely following their study of the stars and asking help from others, travel months in search of Jesus. Raphael shows the moment when they finally find what they have been looking for. The band of travelers—complete with horses, guards, and royalty—arrives at a broken-down stall. One of the Wise Men kneels, removes his crown, and offers Jesus his treasure. This small gesture shows an internal attitude that Herod and the chief priests were missing: the humility to lay aside power, wealth, and status to bend the knee before the king born in their midst.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC

ask Padre

Does calling Mary "the Mother of God" mean that she came before God?

No; it simply expresses our belief that Mary is truly the Mother of Jesus, who from the moment of his conception was both human and divine. Catholics believe that God is a Trinity of persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—in one divine nature. We believe that God existed from all eternity and is the source of all created things. We also believe that, to save us from sin, the second person of the Trinity, the Son, took on a human nature. God became one of us in the mystery of the Incarnation. Luke's Infancy narrative (1:26–38) tells us that God sent Gabriel to Mary to announce that she would have a child, the Son of God, by the power of the Holy Spirit. Mary consented, and Jesus Christ was conceived in her womb. Later, Mary is greeted by Elizabeth as "the mother of my Lord" (1:43). This greeting expresses the reality that the Lord, the God of the Hebrew Scriptures, is present in Mary's womb. Other passages testify to the same fact. Mary is the Mother of Jesus. Jesus is God (John 20:28). Therefore, Mary is the Mother of God. When we honor Mary as "the Mother of God," we are professing our belief that Jesus is truly God. We are not saying that Mary came before God but rather that the Son, who existed from all eternity, "became flesh and lived among us" (John 1:14).

Source: Dear Padre: Questions People Ask, Liguori, 2003 sundaybulletin@liguori.org

CALENDAR

THIS WEEK IN OUR FAITH COMMUNITIES

Sat., Jan. 7 Rosary after Mass 5:30pm @ **St.A.**
Sun., Jan. 8 The Epiphany of the Lord
 Donut Day 9:30am @ **H.C.**
 Rel. Ed. **St.A./H.C.** 9:45am @ **H.C.** **A.S.** 11:30am
Tues., Jan. 10 Mass 9:00am @ **St.A.**
Wed., Jan. 11 Mass 9:00am @ **H.C.**
 Bible Study 10:00am @ **H.C.**
Cluster RCIA 7:00pm @ **St.A.**
Thurs., Jan. 12 Mass 9:30am @ **A.S.**
 Rosary 7:00pm @ **St.A.**
Fri., Jan. 13 Mass 12noon @ **St.A.**
Sat., Jan. 14 Food For The Poor — Fr. Steve Blum
 Knots of Love 10:00am @ **A.S.**
Sun., Jan. 15 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Food For The Poor — Fr. Steve Blum
 Rel. Ed. **St.A./H.C.** 9:45am @ **H.C.** **A.S.** 11:30am

A LOOK AHEAD:

Jan. 17 Cluster Council Mtg. 7:00pm @ **A.S.**
Jan. 19 Doug's Fish Fry @ **A.S.**
 Finance Council Mtg. @ **A.S.** — **CANCELLED**
Jan. 21 Red Cross Blood Drive @ **A.S.**
Jan. 25 **H.C.** Finance Council Mtg. 6:00pm @ **H.C.**



FR. ELOO'S OFFICE HOURS

(it is best to schedule appts. **St.A Office 898-5135**)

Tuesdays at St. Anthony 9:30am—12:00pm
 Wednesdays at Holy Cross 9:30am—1:00pm
 Thursdays at All Saints 10:00am—1:00pm

E-mail: fnwosu@dor.org

ALL SAINTS PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Sun./Tues./Thurs. 9am-1pm Mon. 1-4pm

HOLY CROSS PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon. & Wed. 8am—12noon; Fri. 1-5pm

ST. ANTHONY PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon.—Thurs. 8:00am—2:00pm

ST.A/H.C. PASTORAL ASSOC./FAITH FORM. HRS.

Mon. & Wed., Holy Cross 9:30am—2:30pm

Tues. & Thurs., St. Anthony 9:30am—2:30pm

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REMEMBER THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL

**Our will should reflect who we are
and who we love.**

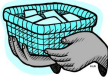

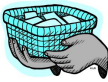
Is God in your will?




LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR: January 14 & 15, 2017

Mass Time	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Altar Servers	Greeters / Ushers	Gift Bearers	Sacristans
4:30 pm Saturday ST. ANTHONY	Rich Morse Linda Bonavia	Rich Morse Linda Bonavia	Wyatt Miller Alexa Miller	Sallie Devlen Marie Pollack	Linda Bonavia Howard Bonavia	Deacon George
8:30 am Sunday HOLY CROSS	Lee McGill Bill Schickel	(C) Pat Brennan (C) Dick Buechel (H) Doc McQuade	Andrew McDaniels Sophie Lynch	Dennis Lynch Andrew Lynch		<u>Oak Hill</u> Lynch Family
10:30 am Sunday ALL SAINTS	John Callister Pat Miller	(C) Ed Pasto (C) Georgia Eastman (C) Choir: Cheryl Casey (C) Choir: Anne Drake	Cross: Andra Benson Altar: Zora Benson	Randy McDonald Trey McDonald Logan McDonald Matt Montague	<u>Nursery</u> Carol Barry Lena Gisler	Matt Connolly

STEWARDSHIP

PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS

December 25, 2016 (Week 26)	
All Saints Church Attendance (Adults): 232 (Children): 95	Regular \$ 8,248.00 Christmas \$ 2,645.00 
Holy Cross Church Attendance (Adults): 176 (Children): 34	\$ 1,691.25 
St. Anthony Church EVE: Attendance (Adults): 201 (Children): 37 MORNING: Attendance (Adults): (Children):	Regular \$1,039.00 \$ 1,511.00 \$ 734.00 

January 1, 2017 (Week 27)	
All Saints Church Attendance (Adults): 84 (Children): 25	\$ 1,981.00 
Holy Cross Church Attendance (Adults): 91 (Children): 3	\$ 1,383.85 
St. Anthony Church Attendance (Adults): 81 (Children): 5	\$ 1,055.50 

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR OUR SICK & SHUT-INS



Angelo Alaimo, Elaine Apgar, Jane Baldwin, Pamela Barnes, Cathy Bishop, Ginny Bradshaw, Ron Bradshaw, Gerald Carey, Chrissy Bravo-Cullen, Karen Brown, Phyllis Campbell, Ian Charles, Donna Cocca, Richard Compton, Paul Conklin, Robert Deely, Jerica Duso, Lois Fahey, Pat Fairbank, Mary Falise, Gordon Gladden, Amy Grosser, Charlene Haskell, Kirsten Hess, Nimr Ibrahim, Autum Kenyon, T.J. Keegan, Diane Kimmich, Steve Kletjian, Dorothy Kubinski, Tate MacDowell, Leah Mayor, Emma Mazingo, Joe McCarey, Betty McCarey, Chris Montreuil, Sara Morse, David Olson, Barb O'Sullivan, Jim Oswald, Don Palmer, Karen Randolph, Geraldine Rankin, Hank Roberts, Sunhee Schickel, Beth Schwab, Tom Schickel, Emilie Searle, Diane Senecal-Shields, Lucy Steger, Ethel Thomas, Melanie Toolan, Vicky Toro, Maria Unterreiner, Sharon Vincent, Gary Vrabel, Richard Weiss, Jocelyn Woods, and several Special Intentions.

Please keep our area servicemen and women in your prayers.

OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS are extended to Sallie and Bud Devlen (St.A.) on the loss of Sallie's sister, Bonnie Mack Joyce.

FULFILLING GOD'S WISH — FIRST SATURDAY JAN. 7


The Rosary for **Peace** was one of the requests of Our Lady of Fatima. Please plan to stay and pray the Rosary with us immediately after Mass today at **St. Anthony's** for **peace** in the world.

ALL SAINTS BOOK OF INTENTIONS



Our prayers from our Book of Intentions during the Mass on **December 24** were: For my daughters / For Marlene / For Ron, Maureen Ronsvale & Family, TJ, Carla, Lynn, Greg, Jean Hoag, Ellen Botsford, Rochelle Foster, Jimmy S, Jimmy M, / For the All Saints Community and all of our visitors tonight / For my friend to get stronger.

Our prayers from our Book of Intentions during the Mass on **January 1** were: For comfort and healing for Chuck and Justin Benson / For a special intention / For the safety of all travelers / For my neighbor searching for a new job / For a friend, who is depressed / For my daughters / For my best friend, who needs healing.

Our Church Mission  The people of All Saints, Saint Anthony's, and Holy Cross are a Roman Catholic Community that joyfully embraces our baptismal call to worship God, to preach the Good News of Christ, to teach through Word and sacrament, to build the community of faith and hope in the Holy Spirit, and to serve those who are our neighbors, especially those in need. As pilgrims nourished by the Eucharist for our journey of faith, we are commissioned by the Lord Jesus Christ to reach out together and work with all who seek harmony within the human family to advance the reign of God.

STEWARDSHIP MOMENTS

Baptism of the Lord

In today's reading from the Gospel of Luke, we hear the proclamation of the baptism of Jesus with "all the people." Indeed, "heaven was opened," and the Father announced his special favor. Whenever we partake of the body and blood of Christ, heed his call in our daily lives, share his Good News, become instruments of his transforming justice and peace, heaven is opened to us, and through the Holy Spirit, the Lord announces his special favor on us as well. A good stewardship reflection this week might be this: How, or in what ways, have we personally experienced God's special favor in our lives?

2016-2017 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Raised in Christ

St. Anthony Goal:	\$ 8,940	Pledged:	\$ 8,553	(95.67%)
Holy Cross Goal:	\$ 17,817	Pledged:	\$ 16,220	(91.04%)
All Saints Goal:	\$ 17,503	Pledged:	\$ 11,233	(64.18%)

GIVING THANKS

NOTICES

HOLY CROSS CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Thank you to the parishioners of Holy Cross for making the Christmas season a little brighter for 11 families in the Dryden School District. We were able to provide gifts for over 30 children, as well as ham dinners, eggs and fresh fruit. Thank you also to those who braved the icy weather to help with deliveries and to Doug Albern for transporting the food from the Dryden Kitchen Cupboard. What a wonderful example of the holiday spirit of giving. We truly appreciate your help.



GRATITUDE FROM THE KOZAKS

Deacon George and Mary Ann would like to thank everyone for their cards, gifts, well-wishes, and prayers. We are overwhelmed by your generosity, and we will continue to pray for and serve you, our Cluster Community. Thank you and God Bless you.

GRATITUDE FROM FR. ELOO

Fr. Eloo is very grateful for all the generous gifts and beautiful cards he received this Christmas season. He thanks you for thinking of him, and he will keep you in his prayers. Let us pray for him, as well.

"A person without prayer is like a tree without roots" Pope Pius XI

CHRISTMAS ENVIRONMENTS

Thank you to those responsible for adorning each of our parishes so beautifully for this Christmas season !!

FUND RAISERS

ST. ANTHONY'S BON TON COMMUNITY DAYS RESULT

We received our "bonus check" from the Bon Ton in the amount of \$461.81 for our participation in the 2016 Fall Community Days event !! Thank you to everyone who bought a coupon booklet so that we reached our quota and were eligible for this bonus check (free money) !! Our total amount raised was \$1,006.81 !

Spring Bon Ton Days is around the corner, and your continued support for this easy fund raiser is appreciated.

ST. ANTHONY'S WINTER RAFFLE

Since we raffled off the blanket chest in late Fall and didn't hold our annual raffle of items made by our talented parishioners and donations from our generous local businesses, we will hold this fundraiser next month. So, if you have a talent you can share, please consider donating an item for this raffle. Tickets sales and displays will begin February 4 . . . and the drawings will be held February 25.

CLUSTER RCIA MEETING

There will be an RCIA meeting at St. Anthony's in the room overlooking the courtyard on Wednesday, January 11, at 7:00 pm.

FOOD FOR THE POOR VISITING PRIEST

Please join us the weekend of January 14-15 to hear Rev. Stephen J. Blum speak at all the Masses about a ministry providing direct relief to the poor throughout Latin America and the Caribbean.

Father Blum will share personal witness about Food For The Poor's mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out the Gospel mandate to love one another.

Father Blum attended the Pontifical College Josephinum and was ordained for the Diocese of Toledo in June 1976. He also studied Spanish in Mexico and received an MA from the University of Notre Dame. Fr. Stephen has served as an associate pastor and pastor in the diocese for many years and although has reached "senior status" continues to remain active in his priesthood. Fr. Stephen developed a relationship with FFP in 1997 and with a big heart for the destitute has visited Haiti and built clinics and schools there. He has set up educational funds so Haitian students may attend university and trade schools. One of the ways Fr. Stephen continues to serve the destitute of many countries is by working from here. Please join us in welcoming Father Blum next weekend.

SNOW SHOVELING AT ALL SAINTS



All Saints needs help keeping the sidewalks clear of snow and ice for Sunday Mass. Please consider volunteering one Sunday this winter. Shovels and salt are stored in the bin outside the parish center. Many hands make light work and a safe winter for all!

⇒ Sign-up sheet on the kitchen door in the parish center.

LANSING YOUTH MISSION BOTTLE/CAN COLLECTION: Collection of recyclable bottles/cans is on the 3rd Sunday of the month.

Please drop off next to the green garbage box or bring directly to the Lansing Redemption Center on Triphammer Road. Please ask to have your donation credited to the Lansing Youth Mission Group. (We are no longer putting them by the side of road.)

ELECTRONIC BULLETIN

If you miss the bulletin, or misplace your copy, the bulletin is posted online every week. **Thank you** to Dcn. George! Go to any of the following addresses to access the cluster site:

- holycrossdryden.org
- allsaintslansing.org,
- saintanthonygroton.org



LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

Do you need to avoid gluten for your health? Do you worry about the gluten levels in the Host? Low gluten (0.01%) hosts are available in the cluster. Please let your parish office or sacristan know if this is something you require.

REGIONAL NEWS

PLANNING FOR YOUR LEGACY

A free seminar to help you make informed choices

- ◆ Pre-planning With Your Parish
 - ◆ Wills & Estate Planning
 - ◆ Health Care Proxies
 - ◆ The Power of Attorney & Other Legal Documents
 - ◆ Legacy Gifts That Make An Impact
- ⇒ Jan. 23 7-8:30pm @ St. John of Rochester Church, Fairport
 ⇒ Mar. 13 7-8:30pm @ Our Lady of Peace Parish Center, Geneva
 ⇒ Apr. 24 7-8:30pm @ St. Mary's of the Lake Parish Center, Watkins Glen (905 N. Decatur St.)

Sponsored by Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester

MEMORIAL CONCERT

In Loving Memory of an Ithaca Giant Ken Sanderson

Sunday, January 22, 2017 3:00pm
 Immaculate Conception Church, 113 N. Geneva St., Ithaca
 Featuring the **Schiller Institute Chorus**
 A reception will follow the concert. For more info: 201-220-9014



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SAVE THE DATE FOR OUR ENROLLMENT OPEN HOUSES

Immaculate Conception School will be hosting Enrollment Open Houses for the 2017-2018 school year on February 2nd from 9:00am to 2:00pm and February 4th from 5:00pm to 6:30pm. Don't miss your opportunity to experience the difference our Catholic school will make for your child's education. Families of those who tour are invited to our Catholic Schools Week Family Roller Skating Party on February 4th to meet other families.

PRE-K3, PRE-K 4 AND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Immaculate Conception School continuously accepts registrations for all of our academic programs, Pre-K through sixth grade. Tuition assistance and parish subsidy are available. Call the school at 273-2707 or visit icsithaca.org for more information about Ithaca's Catholic School.



And find out the great things that are happening in our classrooms and the community - <https://www.facebook.com/ICSIthaca>

SOCIAL JUSTICE & MINISTRY

(WEB) Weekend Backpack Program — Holy Cross Church is collecting **Peanut Butter** during the month of January.

2017 MARCH FOR LIFE IthacaToDC

"One decision and one person can impact the world." Ryan Bomberger "The Power of One" is this year's theme for the **2017 Annual March For Life** in DC.

Join other pro-life supporters from Ithaca on one of **TWO** buses leaving late evening **Thursday, January 26th**, returning late evening Friday, January 27th. Buses will arrive to DC in time to take part in a variety of events prior to the MFL including: *The MFL Expo @ Renaissance DC-Downtown Hotel.

- Mass @ National Basilica of the Immaculate Conception and area Catholic Churches
- The 22nd Annual National Memorial Prayer Service for the Pre-born, Their Mother's and Fathers @ DAR Constitution Hall with guest speaker, Tony Melendez
- Youth Rally and Mass for Life @ Verizon Center
- Prolifecon Digital Action Summit
- Pre-March Rally @ National Mall Buses stop for breakfast and dinner. Seats **ONLY \$25** each. Trip details with paid reservation.
- **Contact:** ithacatodc@yahoo.com OR Carolann 607-351-6668, MaryAnne 315-246-7479
- Sponsored by: IthacalsGoingToDC

2017 PUBLIC POLICY WEEKEND CAMPAIGN ON PHYSICIAN-ASSISTED SUICIDE

No Assisted Suicide in NY

Legislation has been introduced in New York State that would authorize assisted suicide by allowing doctors to legally prescribe a deadly dose of pills at the request of a patient with a terminal diagnosis. While proponents may call it "death with dignity" or "aid in dying," in reality this bill would authorize the direct and intentional taking of human life. Catholic teaching upholds the dignity of all human life from the moment of conception to natural death. Check out www.dor.org, click on Public Policy (lower left sidebar) for more info. Sign a letter or petition to your legislators opposing assisted suicide on Public Policy Weekend February 4-5.



Death with Dignity means proper care, not a lethal drug dose. nyscatholic.org/stop-assisted-suicide/ #noassistedsuicideny