



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, January 3rd

**9:00 am Living & Deceased Members
of the Holecek Family**

**11:00 am Living & Deceased Members
of St. John Altar & Rosary Society**

Monday, January 4th

No Morning Mass

Tuesday, January 5th

8:30 am Theresa and Luch Katz

Wednesday, January 6th

No Morning Mass

Thursday, January 7th

4:00 pm All Souls

Friday, January 8th

8:30 am Amelia Brindza

Saturday, January 9th

4:00 pm St. John Nepomucene Parish

Sunday, January 10th

9:00 am Dee Leuck

11:00 am Irene Hrdlicka

Sanctuary Guild Volunteers
for January 6th thru January 19th

Barb Nieszczur & Toni Suchy

Sick Calls – Please call the rectory to arrange for Father Jasany to bring the Sacraments when a member of your family is hospitalized.

Weddings – Parishioners are asked to call the rectory office at least 6 months in advance of the wedding to schedule an appointment with Father Jasany.

Baptisms – The 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 12:00 pm. Parents are required to attend Pre-Baptism Class.

Arrangements must be made a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the date of baptism. Before parents baptize their child, Diocesan and parish policy requires you to complete a Baptism Preparation Class.

The next class will be on Sunday, February 7th at Holy Name Parish at 1:00 pm. Reservations needed; please call 216-271-4242 to make your reservation.

Godparent and Sponsor Certificate – Sponsors for Baptism or Confirmation must be registered and practicing members of the Church, attending weekly and Holy Day Masses for a minimum of 3 months prior to the celebration of the Sacraments for which they have requested the certificate. Please note individuals 18 years of age and older, no longer in school, need to register.

Pre-Cana Program for couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage at the Jesuit Retreat House on **January 31, 2016 at 12:45 pm.** Program satisfies the requirement for marriage preparation as stipulated by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland. Register at 440-884-9300 or www.jrhcleve@att.net

A Blessed New Year



Dear Parishioners,

Use this in case of emergency...

EMERGENCY BIBLE NUMBERS

Upset	John 14
Weak	Psalm 18:1-29
Lonely	Psalm 23
Sinned	Psalm 51
Worried	Matthew 8:19-31
Anxious	Philippians 4:4-9
Unhappy	Colossians 3:12-17
In Danger	Psalm 91
Depressed	Psalm 27
Lack of Faith	Exodus 14
Need Courage	Joshua 1
Need Direction	Psalm 73 21-26
Seeking Peace	Matthew 11:25-30
Leaving on A Trip	Psalm 121
Struggling With Loss	Luke 15
Struggling Financially	Psalm 37
Discouraged with Work	Psalm 126

Place these important Bible numbers on your refrigerator. Pass copies out to your Family, Friends and Co-Workers. Use these Bible numbers in case you find yourself or your loved ones in a State of Emergency.

The wise men followed the star and

found the Christ Child. God gives you stars as well to light your path. The stars that God gives you are verses of Scripture. When you find yourself in one of the above states, refer to the proper Bible number. God will give you what you need!

My prayers and Best Wishes for a Holy, Healthy, Happy and Prosperous New Year!

Father Jasany

Stewardship of Treasure

<i>Sunday, December 27th</i>	<i>\$3398.92</i>
<i>Memorial Gifts</i>	<i>100.25</i>
<i>St. Vincent DePaul Society</i>	<i>200.00</i>

*God Bless You & Thank you for your generosity to our Parish.
May Our Lord continue to bless you!
Our Christmas Contributions will be published in our January 10th Bulletin!*

Readings for the Week of January 3rd

Sunday:	Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13/ Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12
Monday:	1 Jn 3:22--4:6/Ps 2:7-8, 10-12/ Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
Tuesday:	1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-4, 7-8/ Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday:	1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13/Mk 6:45-52
Thursday:	1 Jn 4:19--5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14-15, 17/Lk 4:14-22a
Friday:	1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-15, 19-20/ Lk 5:12-16
Saturday:	1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-6, 9/ Jn 3:22-30
Next Sunday:	Is 40:1-5, 9-11 or Is 42:1-4, 6-7/ Ps 104:1b-4, 24-25, 27-30/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7 or Acts 10:34-38/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22



Sunday, January 3rd
Epiphany of Our Lord

Throughout Germany at this time of year, you will find most main doorways

inscribed with:20+C+M+B+16. Children known as Sternsinger (star singers) dress up and go door to door, requesting candy for themselves and money for the Church. As they leave, the house is blessed and the inscription written chalk. The 20 and 16 refer to the year, the CMB are said to represent either Caspar, Melchior and Balthasar, the Magi; or the Latin Christus Mansionem Benedicat, which means "Christ, bless this Home." Today, we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, in which we remember the adoration of the newborn Christ by three wise men from the East. This should leave no doubt in anyone's mind just how far and wide the promise of a Savior had spread. These representatives of pagan religions from other lands were determined to pay their respects. It was as if they were born to do this, to acknowledge in some way the beginning of the greatest reign of the greatest king of all. The Epiphany is the third manifestation of the mystery of the Incarnation, following the Annunciation and the Birth of Christ. Today is truly the beginning of the paschal mystery.

Baptism Preparation Class at Immaculate Heart Parish at 1:30 pm.

Monday, January 4th
PSR Class 6-8:30 pm

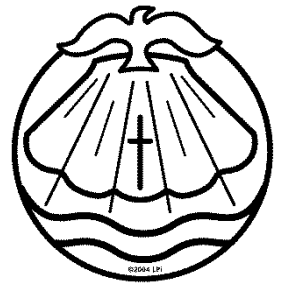
Tuesday, January 5th
Finance Council Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday, January 6th
Rosary Makers 10 am – Noon at the rectory. If you are interested in learning more about making rosaries, please stop in.

Liga Morska Meeting 11 am at Cuyahoga Hts. Village Hall
Choir Practice 7 pm
Zumba Class 7 pm

Sunday, January 10th
The Baptism of the Lord

Holy Name Society Meeting at 10 am followed by 11 am Mass
World Apostolate Holy Hour -12:30 pm Benediction, Rosary and Chaplet of Mercy. Everyone is invited to attend the Holy Hour.



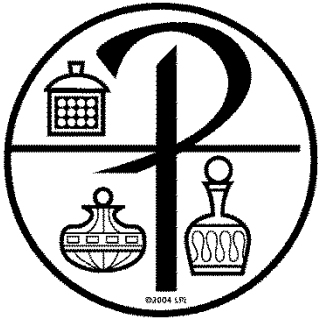
Congratulations to the Winners of our December \$1000 Raffle

\$1000 Winner – Sue Camp
\$100 Ticket Seller – Sue Camp

\$10.00 Consolation Winners
Sue McDonough, Al Thomas, Roseann Lozar, Cecilia Gage & Ron Walk

Our January Raffle will be held on Sunday, January 24th. A book of raffle tickets is \$5.00. If you are interested in receiving ticket monthly, please call the rectory office at 216-641-8444





May our prayers
bring healing,
comfort and
strength to the sick
and their caregivers,
remembering
especially
Mary Adams,

Agnes Bartoszek, Greg Basco,
Gloria Benitez, Gwen Beres, Bill Bican,
Joyce Bican, Diyamol Binu,
Mary Ann Betliskey, Bill Connors,
Corrine Dawe, Dolores Dobransky,
Jose Dybzinski, Stan Frankel, Kristin Hill,
Gertrude Kocab, Lucy Konkoly,
Madeline Koston, Judy Landolph,
Pat Lubrano, Art Madsen, Cindi Magyar,
Marilyn O'Meara, Jeannette Morrow,
Dan Palmentera, Suzanne Patton,
Rita Petkoff, John Pocius, Betty Rhine,
Brianna Rhine, Laurel Salupo,
Noreen Spehar, Elaine Stack,
Janice Tommer, Dana Trzaska, Ron Walk
& Barb Witovicz.

May Our Loved Ones who have died
rest in eternal peace in heaven .

For the Men and Women serving in
the military, especially those from our
parish and their families.

Calendars for 2016 are located near the
entrance doors of the church. We are
grateful to Bican Brothers Funeral Home
& Fortuna Funeral Home for their
generosity in providing these calendars to
our parish annually. God bless them for
their generosity.



**New Year's Bonus Week January 18th-
22nd. To ring in the New Year, River
Valley Paper is giving us an extra
\$5/ton during bonus week.** Don't forget
to Recycle your holiday paper. Just add it
to your regular collection and bring it to
the bin. Wrapping Paper! Packaging and
Boxes! Holiday Catalogs! Holiday Cards!

Please remember these individuals, who
have been called to the priesthood in your
daily prayers. Also, please remember the
Conventual Franciscans (OFM Conv.) in
your prayers.

Sunday, Jan. 3rd – Bishop Anthony Pilla

Monday, Jan. 4th – Daniel Morgan

St. Mary Seminary

Tuesday, Jan. 5th – Peter Morris

St. Mary Seminary

Wednesday, Jan. 6th – Reverend Mr.

John Mulhollan

St. Mary Seminary

Thursday, Jan. 7th – Adam Nestor

St. Mary Seminary

Friday, January 8th – Emmanuel Armando

Padilla Contreras

Borromeo Seminary

Saturday, January 9th – Ivan Perez

Gallagos

Borromeo Seminary

Sunday, January 10th – All Pastors

TAX LETTER – Parishioners who would
like a letter to verify their church
contributions for the 2015 tax year are
asked to call the rectory at 216-641-8444
or drop a note in the collection basket to
the attention of Mrs. Kowalski. A letter
will be prepared and mailed to you after
January 9th. If you call the rectory after
office hours and need to leave a message,
please go into voicemail box #10.