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Wednesday & Friday 7:00 a.m.
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Sunday 5:00 p.m. (Vigil), 7:30 & 9:30 a.m., 12:00 noon
Monday–Friday 6:30 & 7:30 a.m.
Monday–Saturday 12:00 noon

RECONCILIATION

Monday–Saturday 11:00–11:45 a.m. and 12:30–1:15 p.m.

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Thursday after noon Mass - 5:00 p.m.

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MASSES THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY (†) DENOTES DECEASED
<p>SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4 <i>Weekday</i> 6:00 p.m. Bruno & Marie Tripodi † (G.D.)</p>
<p>SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5 <i>Fifth Sunday, Ordinary Time</i> 8:00 a.m. Florence Fagan † (Anniv) (Michele Fagan) 10:00 a.m. Pat Gaito † (K. Gaito) 5:00 p.m. Mass for the people of Epiphany</p>
<p>MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6 <i>St. Paul Miki</i> 12:05 p.m. Mark Jedrzejewski † (EMJ)</p>
<p>TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7 <i>Weekday</i> 12:05 p.m. Clara Manfredi † (Sam & Marilyn Manfredi)</p>
<p>WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 <i>Weekday</i> 7:00 a.m. David Jedrzejewski † (BD) (EMJ) 12:05 p.m. Salvatore Fenicato † (Friends of Epiphany Fish Fry)</p>
<p>THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9 <i>Weekday</i> 12:05 p.m. Al & Anna Marie Larkin † (Helene A. Larkin)</p>
<p>FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10 <i>St. Scholastica</i> 7:00 a.m. Anna Voelker † (Mary Voelker) 12:05 p.m. Joseph Torregrossa † (Anniv) (Rose Torregrossa)</p>
<p>SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11 <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> 6:00 p.m. Vida M. Canova † (Anniv) (Louis, Janet and Dominic Canova)</p>
<p>SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12 <i>Sixth Sunday, Ordinary Time</i> 8:00 a.m. William & Margaret Garvey † (Fr. Jim Garvey) 10:00 a.m. James McAndrews † (Eleanor McAndrews) 5:00 p.m. Mass for the people of Epiphany</p>
<p><i>Epiphany ~ Stewardship ~ thank you!</i> 1st Collection.....\$ 2,966.56 2nd Collection..... 559.91</p>
<p><i>Bulletin Sponsor this week</i> <i>Vince Marino, LLC</i></p>
<p><i>Readings for the Week of February 5, 2012</i> Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39 Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Mk 6:53-56 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Mk 7:1-13 Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Mk 7:14-23 Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Mk 7:24-30 Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Mk 7:31-37 Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Mk 8:1-10 Next Sunday: Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/1 Cor 10:31--11:1/Mk</p>

MASSES THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY (†) DENOTES DECEASED
<p>SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4 <i>Weekday</i> 12:00 p.m. Pietro, Carmella & Angelo Nigro † (Elizabeth Hight) 5:00 p.m. Elizabeth T. Hrehocik † (Thomas & Elizabeth Walcott)</p>
<p>SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5 <i>Fifth Sunday, Ordinary Time</i> 7:30 a.m. For the people of St. Mary of Mercy 9:30 a.m. Fred Zapf † (Kirby Family) 12:00 p.m. Imelda Vogel † (Clare Knorr)</p>
<p>MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6 <i>St. Paul Miki</i> 6:30 a.m. Elizabeth Weaver † (Family & Friends) 7:30 a.m. Intention of the Sorrowful Mother (Dario Lorenzi) 12:00 p.m. Betty Arnold † (Dolores Nypaver))</p>
<p>TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7 <i>Weekday</i> 6:30 a.m. Cathy Gimilianc † (Family & Friends) 7:30 a.m. Sara R. Khalil † (Christina Nehme) 12:00 p.m. Marie Lusckay † (Daughter, Gerry)</p>
<p>WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 <i>Weekday</i> 6:30 a.m. Juanita Suehr † (Stan Hindes) 7:30 a.m. Robert Bridge † (Family) 12:00 p.m. Betty Arnold † (Jane & Elwyn Hildum)</p>
<p>THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9 <i>Weekday</i> 6:30 a.m. Margaret Topol † (Joe, Lynne, Erica, & Michael Orlich) 7:30 a.m. Stanley Wojnar † (Paul & Mary Ann Basinsky) 12:00 p.m. Betty Arnold † (Virginia Miles)</p>
<p>FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10 <i>St. Scholastico</i> 6:30 a.m. Robert Williams † (Rick & Chris Zappone) 7:30 a.m. Caterina Lazzaro Asturi † (M/M Frank & Angela Scalamogna) 12:00 p.m. Loretta J. Barbish † (Mo & Al LaBella)</p>
<p>SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11 <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> 12:00 p.m. Rose Barket † (Tom Barket) 5:00 p.m. William Wingertsahn † (Children))</p>
<p>SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12 <i>Sixth Sunday, Ordinary Time</i> 7:30 a.m. Emanuel "Val" Valasek † (Mike DeVanney) 9:30 a.m. For the people of St. Mary of Mercy 12:00 p.m. Ed Taylor Family † (Ann Flaherty)</p>
<p>St. Mary of Mercy's Financials will be published next weekend.</p>
<p>Victim Assistance Hotline 1-888-808-1235 CHILDLINE 1-800-932-0313</p>

From the Pastor's Desk....

Dear Parishioners,

Make It A Labor of Love!

The things we create have energy: a meal we cook, a task we perform, no matter how big or small. What we do contains our energy and the attitude we put into it. Have you ever cooked a meal when you felt angry, disrupted or hurried? Have you noticed the difference when you cooked that meal in a loving frame of mind? Merely doing the job isn't always enough. We need to do the job with our best energy, our most positive emotional and mental attitude.

Take time before you begin a task to become conscious of the energy you want to put into it; the energy you want that task to have and reflect to yourself and others. Make conscious, deliberate choices. The larger the task, the more time you may want to spend developing your ideas about it. On particular significant projects, you may want to spend time visualizing and writing down your ideas, so you can focus that energy into your work.

Experiment with this idea. See how it comes to life as you do your daily tasks. See how much better the people around you feel when you do your task in love. See how much more joy and pleasure work brings you.

There is honor in all work, in all tasks, but take it one step further. Make what you do a labor of love. Then your work will truly touch and change the world in the way you desire. The work you do, whatever your chosen field, will be a work that heals.

~Melodie Beattie

In God's Love,
Fr. John

White Mass, Healthcare Workers

The Annual White Mass for all Healthcare Workers in the Diocese of Pittsburgh, will take place at ***St. Paul Cathedral next Sunday, Feb. 12 at the 10:00 Mass.*** Bishop William J. Waltersheid will be the main celebrant. All physicians and Healthcare workers throughout the Pittsburgh Diocese are invited. After Mass, a reception will take place in Lower Cathedral Hall.

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

When it was evening, after sunset, they brought to him all who were ill or possessed by demons. The whole town was gathered at the door. He cured many who were sick with various diseases, and he drove out many demons, not permitting them to speak because they knew him.
- Mk 1:32-34

World Day of Consecrated Life

This Sunday, Feb. 5, the annual *World Day for Consecrated Life* will be marked in Dioceses nationwide. The theme is "***For the Sake of the Gospel***". On this day we recognize and give thanks for those who have consecrated their lives to God and the Church through vows of poverty, chastity and obedience. This day we thank them for the day-to-day faithfulness of their lives. *Bishop Zubik invites* religious communities and all parishioners, relatives and friends of religious men and women to the ***12:00 noon Mass this Sunday, St. Paul's Cathedral.*** A reception will follow.

Collection of Palm

You are invited to place your used palm in the baskets provided in front of the church. This palm will be burnt and used for ashes on Ash Wednesday.

Presentation of the Lord

Blessing of Candles

Candles were blessed on Thursday, Feb. 2. If you care to have a set of blessed candles for your home, they are available this weekend. We ask a donation for the set.

Volunteers, Volunteers!

Lent is just around the corner and it is ***not too early*** to volunteer to help with our ***Lenten Fish Fry!*** Please give us a call or pick up a flyer in the church. Volunteers receive training and some "perks" come with it! ***Reminder*** ~ Our Fish Fry is open each Friday from 11:00 am to 6:30 pm. ***For take out orders,*** call 412-471-1008 on ***Thursdays between 9:00 am and 3:00 pm or Fridays after 9:30 am.*** Come to Epiphany for a dinner or lunch and eat with a great and friendly bunch!

Catholic Press Mass

The month of February is National Catholic Press month. Bishop Zubik will be the celebrant at the noon Mass at St. Mary of Mercy on ***Monday, Feb. 13,*** to commemorate this event of Catholic media.

Epiphany Sanctuary Lamp Intention

The Sanctuary Lamp for the weeks of ***Feb. 5 & 12*** will burn in loving memory of ***James McAndrews*** requested by his wife, ***Eleanor McAndrews.***

Please pray for those who have requested our prayers:
Sophia Anisko, Mary Barry, Robert Delaney, Robert Doherty, Chrystil Dougherty, Carmen Gaito, Dorothy Hill, Bob Kaniecki, Karen Kraeer, Johanna Lench, Vince Lusardi, Carmella Magnelli, Susan McCaffrey, K. Prosey, Mary Beth Starosielec, Dan Simsick.

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