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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Friday 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.
Closed Thursdays

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil.....5:00 p.m.
Sunday.....9:30 a.m.
Weekdays.....see schedule

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.—4:30 p.m.
Also by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Normally celebrated on Sunday and are encouraged at a Sunday Eucharist. Baptism preparation is required.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made one year in advance.
Marriage preparation is required.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

A family member must notify the parish office if a parishioner is hospitalized or confined to home.
Eucharist is brought to the homebound on the third Sunday of each month.



**The Epiphany of the Lord
January 6, 2019**

Masses For The Week

Saturday, January 5, Vigil: The Epiphany of the Lord
5:00 p.m.—For Our Living & Deceased Parishioners

Sunday, January 6, The Epiphany of the Lord
9:30 a.m.— Birthday Remembrance for Tom McCloskey—
Bob Bishop Family

Monday, January 7, St. Raymond of Peñafort, Priest
No Mass

Tuesday, January 8, Christmas Weekday
6:00 p.m.—Larry Crawford—Monica Andreassi & Family

Wednesday, January 9, Christmas Weekday
9:00 a.m.—Irene DeBacco—Florence DeBacco

Thursday, January 10, Christmas Weekday
9:00 a.m.—Sandy Crawford—Bernie Conerty

Friday, January 11, Christmas Weekday
9:00 a.m.—Ida Smith—John & Ann Marie Olszak

Saturday, January 12, Vigil: The Baptism of the Lord
5:00 p.m.—Stephen Sheakley—Donna & Family

Sunday, January 13, The Baptism of the Lord
9:30 a.m.—For Our Living & Deceased Parishioners

The Epiphany of the Lord

Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

Secret Plan

The birth of Jesus became the worst kept secret in the history of the world. All along, people knew God had a plan. God had told everyone from Adam and Eve, to Abraham and Sara, to Moses and Miriam, to David and Bathsheba, to Hosea and Gomer, to Mary and Joseph that there was a plan. Nobody fully understood it. Nobody knew how God would bring the plan to fulfillment. But they all believed. They had seen God work mighty deeds in their lives, and they believed that one day the promise of redemption would be fulfilled.

Jesus was God’s secret. When Jesus was born in humble surroundings outside of royalty and pageantry, only a handful of people even began to realize what God had done.

But the secret got out. Angels appeared in the sky. Shepherds showed up. And Magi traveled from a faraway land. Everyone was finding out God’s two great surprises: Jesus was born as the promised Messiah, and he came not just for his own race, but for all the people of the world.

The Letter to the Ephesians says, God’s mystery “was not made known to people in other generations as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit.” Jesus was born, and he came to save each of us, no matter what family we came from, what we believed, or how we behaved. The mystery of God’s love is open now to the whole world. That is the epiphany, the revelation of God’s secret.

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Sanctuary Candle



The Sanctuary Candle will burn from January 4—January 17 in memory of Basilio and Louise Pederzoli, from The Klingensmith Family of Buffalo, NY.

In a troubled marriage? Retrouvaille can help. Go to <http://www.retrouvailleofpittsburghinc.org>.

Young at Heart

The Young at Heart will meet in the parish hall on Wednesday, January 16 at noon.

Meeting

The St. Paddy’s Ladies Group will meet in the parish hall on Tuesday, January 8 at 6:30 p.m.

Liturgical Ministers for January 12 & 13

| Mass Time | 5:00 p.m. | 9:30 a.m. |
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| Lectors | Monica A. | Ginny H. |
| Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion | Judy C. Peggy W. Mary Q. | Vicki S. Karen T. Mary Anne A. |
| Altar Servers | Katelyn G. Anthony G. | Joseph O. Stephen O. |

