

SUNDAY BULLETIN

HOLY SPIRIT

CATHOLIC CHURCH

January 8, 2012

The Epiphany of the Lord

Parish Mission Statement

Holy Spirit Parish is called to be a family, finding its center in Christ and His Body, the parish - and in turn, reflecting that Love of Christ to the community and beyond.

STAFF:

Rev. John P. Zapp, Pastor
Deacon Chuck Ivan
Deacon Russ O'Neill
Mrs. Anne Weeks, Director of Religious Education & Youth Ministry
Mrs. Catherine Kasza, Coordinator of Religious Education & Jr. High Ministry
Mrs. Kim King, Secretary/Bookkeeper
Mrs. Pat Stadelman, Secretary
Mr. Dale Enix, Custodian

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday: 5:00 P.M.
Sunday: 8:30 and 11:00 A.M.

DAILY MASSES:

See inside for times.

HOLY DAYS:

Holy Day: 9:30 A.M., 7:00 P.M.

BAPTISM:

Contact the Parish to arrange parent preparation sessions.

CONFIRMATION:

Eighth Grade school students wishing to be Confirmed should contact the Director of Religious Education.

MARRIAGES:

Contact the Parish at least six months in advance of the wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 3:00 P.M.
Anytime by appointment

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Please register at the office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS:

Contact the Parish Office for information.

R.C.I.A. RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS AND CHILDREN:

Adults and children wishing to become Catholic should contact the office.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION:

Contact the Parish office for information.

HOSPITAL VISITATION:

Please notify the Parish of anyone being admitted to a hospital or nursing home.

PRAYER LINE:

Please call Marsha H. (330-575-0442 or 330-966-8210) to request a prayer intention.

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SATURDAY	JANUARY 7
5:00 p.m.	Sons, Spouses, Grandchildren
SUNDAY	JANUARY 8 <i>The Epiphany of the Lord</i>
8:30 a.m.	Parishioners of Holy Spirit
11:00 a.m.	Edward Piccari (The Modena Family)
MONDAY	JANUARY 9 <i>The Baptism of the Lord</i>
	NO MASS
TUESDAY	JANUARY 10
9:00 a.m.	Sr. Ave Maria Maickel
WEDNESDAY	JANUARY 11
7:00 p.m.	S. A. Steinle (Son)
THURSDAY	JANUARY 12
9:00 a.m.	Mark Burnette (Mark & Jenny Burnette)
FRIDAY	JANUARY 13
9:00 a.m.	Adelaide Born (Grandma & Grandpa)
SATURDAY	JANUARY 14
5:00 p.m.	Patrick Miller (John & Marie Miller)
SUNDAY	JANUARY 15
8:30 a.m.	Ken Floyd (Edna B.)
11:00 a.m.	Parishioners of Holy Spirit



LORD'S DAY OFFERINGS

12/25/2011 Sunday Collection (76 Envelopes).....\$2865.00
 12/25/2011 Christmas Collection (155 Envelopes).....\$10713.00

HELP CATHOLIC CHARITIES "KEEP THE KIDS WARM" SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

Catholic Charities' annual "Keep the Kids Warm" campaign helps to provide utility assistance for families with children across the Diocese of Youngstown. 100% of the funds raised are returned to the county in which they were collected. We will have a second collection this weekend, *January 7/8* for this campaign. Thank you for your generosity!

BIBLE STUDY

If you are interested in joining a Wednesday afternoon Bible study beginning January 18, please see Fr. John for more information.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 8

Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12
 Monday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9/Mk 1:7-11
 Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20/Mk 1:21-28 or 1 Sm 1:1-8 and 1:9-20/Mk 1:14-20 and 1:21-28
 Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Mk 1:29-39
 Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Mk 1:40-45
 Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Mk 2:1-12
 Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1/Mk 2:13-17
 Next Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/
 Jn 1:35-42

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ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to provide flowers for our Saturday and Sunday Masses, the 2012 Flower Chart will soon be available on the bulletin board. Just place your name & phone number on the chart next to the date that has special meaning for you. A week before your floral arrangement is due, you will receive a reminder call and will be asked about your special intention. For many parishioners it is a wonderful way to commemorate Wedding Anniversaries, Birthdays, Loved Ones (living and deceased), etc. Your name and special intention will be noted in the bulletin to thank you for your thoughtfulness in adding beauty to the Holy Spirit environment.

OUTREACH SUNDAY FOR FISH

FISH, our Lake Township community food pantry, relies on the generosity of the area churches to stock the food pantry with essential items needed on a continual basis. Once a month, each church is given a list of most needed pantry items and this is designated as "Outreach Sunday." This month's "Outreach Sunday" items for Holy Spirit are **Juice, Jelly or Laundry Detergent**. Please bring your donations *next weekend and place under the wood table by the main entrance*.



NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK JANUARY 9 - 15, 2012

The festive season of Christmas will conclude next week with the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Jesus' baptism is a significant moment in his public ministry. As we celebrate this feast we recall our own baptism and renew our baptismal commitment. It is fitting that this feast marks the beginning of *National Vocation Awareness Week*. This is a special time in which the Church prays for the renewal and strengthening of vocations of dedicated people as married and single people, men to serve as priests, deacons, brothers, and women as religious sisters.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE by Bud Ozar

The Magi in today's gospel were led to Jesus by a star. Resolve in this New Year to let Jesus Christ and His holy Church be the guiding star in the life of your family.

ANNUAL STATEMENTS


For the sake of privacy, we are asking individuals who wish to have a tax statement regarding their charitable contributions to please contact the parish office. They may be picked up or arrangements may be made to mail them. If you wish to come in to the office to pick up your statement, please be sure to give us at least one working day's notice to print your statement. Thank you! Parish office hours are Monday thru Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

DIOCESAN MASS FOR LIFE

Bishop Murry will celebrate the annual diocesan Mass for Life at St. Columba Cathedral on **Saturday, January 21**, at noon. There will be a special presentation to honor the recipient of the first annual Rev. William J. Witt Respect Life Award. Following the Mass, all are invited to a pasta luncheon at St. Columba Hall. Guest speaker will be Rev. Gregory Maturi, O.P., on "Life and Justice 2012."



Congratulations to our newly baptized:
Riley Michelle Rife,
 daughter of Cody and Brittany Rife



SATURDAY, JANUARY 7
Euchre, 7:00 p.m., Social Hall

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8
Coffee & Donuts after Masses, Social Hall
Elementary PSR, 9:45 - 10:45 a.m., Uniontown Elementary
First Reconciliation Parent Meeting, during PSR at Uniontown Elementary
High School PSR, 9:45 - 10:45 a.m., Meeting Room

MONDAY, JANUARY 9
Eucharistic Adoration, 7:30 p.m., Church

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10
K of C Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Social Hall
RCIA Session, 7 - 8:30 p.m., O'Neill home

THURSDAY, JANUARY 12
Choir rehearsal, 7:15 p.m., Church

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13
Camp Fitch Departure
Rosary, 7:00 p.m., Church

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15
Coffee & Donuts after Masses
Elementary PSR, 9:45 - 10:45 a.m., Uniontown Elementary
NO High School PSR
Camp Fitch Return

PSR CLASSES

Elementary and High School PSR classes will resume TODAY, **Sunday, January 8.**

FIRST RECONCILIATION PARENT MEETING

The next meeting for parents of students preparing for their First Reconciliation is TODAY, **Sunday, January 8** during PSR at Uniontown Elementary. Please meet in the library after accompanying your child to his/her classroom.

PRESENTATION OF THE LORD'S PRAYER TO FIRST COMMUNICANTS

At all the masses this weekend, our first communicants will be presented with a framed copy of the Lord's Prayer. Please pray for them as they continue on their journey towards First Reconciliation on **Saturday, January 28 at 10:30 a.m.** and that the words Jesus taught us to say resonate in their hearts.

IMPORTANT!

PSR REMINDER FOR JANUARY 15

Please note that there WILL be *Elementary and Jr. High PSR* on **January 15** despite the Martin Luther King holiday. There will be *NO High School PSR* on that day as they will be on their annual winter retreat at Camp Fitch. Check your PSR calendar for the complete schedule.

HIGH SCHOOL WINTER RECREATIONAL RETREAT

Today is the deadline for Camp Fitch. Parents encourage your high school teen to go on this winter excursion filled with fun, prayer, sharing and winter fun. Contact Anne Weeks today.

CONFIRMATION SESSION

The next Confirmation session is **Sunday, January 22** from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Speaking on the Spirituality of Confirmation as a Calling & Vocation of Christian Life will be Fr. Chris Luoni, Vocations Director for the Diocese of Youngstown. Confirmation candidates, parents, and sponsors must attend.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST

In appreciation of your support of us, the High School Youth invites the Holy Spirit Parish Family (and their guests) to our pancake breakfast on **Sunday, January 22 from 9:15 a.m. - Noon.** Come after Mass, before, or just come. Menu includes sausage, all-you-can-eat pancakes, and drinks. Donations will be accepted for our summer Mission Program trips to Kentucky and New York City.

ACME RECEIPTS FOR FISH

It's that time again! Please save your Acme receipts dated *September 24, 2011 to February 11, 2012* for FISH. Circling the cash-back amount on the receipts is a big help! If the cash-back amount is \$0, please do not turn them in. Place your receipts in the FISHbowl on the usher's table or turn in to the parish office.

WORLD DAY OF CONSECRATED LIFE

Since 1997 the universal Church has been celebrating *World Day of Consecrated Life*. Bishop George Murry, S.J. invites our diocesan church to celebrate the gift of Consecrated Life with him & the religious of our diocese on **Sunday, Feb. 19, 2012** at St. Columba Cathedral at 10:30 a.m. All are welcome.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CLASSES

Mercy Medical Center is offering Natural Family Planning (NFP) classes with the next series beginning Sunday, January 8 at 2 p.m. at Mercy in Conference Room C. All classes are taught by certified teaching couples. The fee for the class series is \$40 per couple which includes all materials. Parking is free. Offered in cooperation and under the guidance of the Office of Marriage and Family Ministry of the Catholic Diocese of Youngstown. To register, call Mercy's Women's Pavilion, Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at 330-489-1329 or 1-800-223-8662.

PSR CANCELLATIONS

In the event PSR would be cancelled due to weather, please check the parish website: www.holyspiritunoh.org and click on "Church Calendar for PSR School Closings" to view the date in question. Thank you.

JANUARY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

If you have a wedding anniversary in January, please call the office by **January 9** and let us know about your special day so we may publish it in the bulletin.

ANNUAL "NUN GRATER SOUP & BREAD" SALE

The Canton Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration will have their next "Nun Grater Soup & Bread" Sale from **Thursday, Jan. 19 - Saturday, Jan. 21.** Currently accepting orders by phone at 330-492-1171 & online at poorclares.org. Soup choices include wedding soup, chicken noodle, tomato, lentil, & chili. Bread choices are raisin walnut, Agnus Dei, strawberry bread, & breadsticks. Our special New York cheesecake is also available. Please pick up orders at the monastery between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on Jan. 19 - Jan. 21 at 4200 N. Market Ave., Canton.



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