Epiphany of Our Lord Church

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5 p.m. Sunday 8 a.m. 10 a.m.

Daily Monday to Saturday 8:30 a.m.

Holydays 7 p.m. Vigil, 8:30 a.m. & 12:05 p.m.

Confessions Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m. & by appointment

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.& by appointment Closed for lunch: 12 p.m.-1 p.m.

Saturday: By appointment only Sunday: By appointment only

A mail slot is located in the front door of the rectory.

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Feb. 13, 2022

...if we love one another, God abides in us and His love is perfected in us.

1 John 4:12

Rev. Joseph J. Quindlen, Pastor eol@epiphanyofourlord.com

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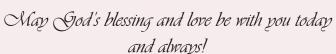
Second Collection

Our second collection this weekend, *Feb. 12-13*, is for the Care of Aging and Infirm priests.

Second Sunday Social

All are invited to socialize in the church vestibule over coffee and donuts this **Sunday, Feb. 13**, immediately following the 10 a.m. Mass.





Exposition and Presentation on Sacred Relics

A presentation on Sacred Relics by Rev. Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross, along with the exposition of several relics including the fragment of the veil of Our Lady, will be held on *Friday, Feb. 18*, at 6:30 p.m. at Visitation B.V.M., Trooper.

Visit https://treasuresofthechurch.com/ for details.

Virtual Bible Retreat

Join Father Mike Schmitz and Jeff Cabins for a virtual *Bible in a Year* retreat the weekend of *Feb. 18-20*.

Tickets are available at https:// ascensionpress.com/.

Walking with Purpose Young Women's Bible Study

Our Young Women's Bible Study group will be starting a new study entitled *Steadfast* on *Wednesday, Feb. 23*, at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center. This six-session study aims at helping you conquer your fears instead of being paralyzed by confusion. It is an ideal study to help you journey through Lent. New members welcome!

Email wwp@epiphanyofourlord.com for more information.

Tolton: From Slave to Priest

Our Mother of Consolation Parish (OMC), Philadelphia, is hosting the St. Luke Productions live drama featuring Jim Coleman titled *Tolton: From Slave to Priest* on **Sunday, Feb. 27**, at 7 p.m. A free-will offering appreciated.

Visit toltondrama.com or call OMC at (215) 247-0430 for more information.

Celtic Spirituality Presentation

Sister Megan Brown, R.S.M. will present *Celtic Spirituality: Experiencing the Mystery of God Every Day* on **Tuesday, Mar. 1**, 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the I.H.M. Conference Center, Bryn Mawr. Cost is \$20.

Call (610) 581-0120 to register.

Rachel's Vineyard Post-Abortion Healing Retreat

Had an abortion? Come experience the mercy and compassion of God at this nonjudgmental, confidential retreat, *Mar. 4-6*, at the I.H.M. Spirituality Center, Malvern.

Contact Georgeann at (484) 955-4278.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Virtual

Married couples are invited to participate in the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter virtual experience held on Sunday and Wednesday evening beginning **Sunday**, **Mar. 6**.

Contact Marge and Michael Walsh at (609) 741-8012 wwmejerseylovers@gmail.com for more information.

Man Up Philly

The Man Up Philly conference returns on **Saturday, Mar. 19**. The conference is aimed at helping men become better fathers, sons and husbands by living the faith and leading by example.

Visit https://manupphilly.com/ to register.

Soup and Song

Save the date for our third annual Soup and Song on *Friday, Mar. 25*.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Resolve to "live your best life in love" in 2022: why not give yourselves some time together by making a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend? The next encounter begins *Apr. 22-24* at Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown.

For more info visit: https://www.wwme-philly.org/.

Martha's Choice Marketplace

Martha's Choice Marketplace is in need of donations of dish soap, toilet paper, paper towels and feminine hygiene products. Please put any donations in the bin in the back of church. Please do not leave clothes in the bin as they cannot be used at Martha's Choice. You can schedule a pickup with Greendrop and designate the charity of your choice to receive your clothing and household items.

USCCB Prayer for an end to the Pandemic

Almighty and merciful God, source of all life, health and healing, look with compassion on our world, brought low by disease; protect us in the midst of the grave challenges that assail us and in your fatherly providence grant recovery to the stricken, strength to those who care for them, and success to those working to eradicate this scourge. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Spiritual Support for Addiction

If you or someone you love is seeking spiritual support on the road to recovery from addiction, the Archdiocese of Philadelphia invites you to visit archphila.org/hope for information on events and resources.

Strive 21-Day Challenge

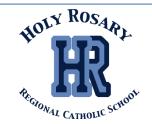
Strive is a 21-day online course by Matt Fradd to help men break free from pornography use. It is designed as a highly effective resource to quit a porn addiction.

Visit www.cardinalstudios.org/strive to learn more about the program.

Ignatian Volunteer Corps

The Ignatian Volunteer Corps (IVC) provides individuals age 50 and older the opportunity to serve the poor, to work for a just society, and grow deeper in Christian faith. IVC partners with agencies, schools and churches and provides our partners with significant additional capacity that the agencies couldn't otherwise afford. In addition, service corps members meet monthly to explore the presence of God in the work and people we serve.

Contact John Green, Director of IVC Philadelphia/South Jersey at (215) 839-8415 or jgreen@ivcusa.org.



Holy Rosary Regional Catholic School New Student Registration for 2022-23

Pre-K: Age 4 by Sept. 1 K: Age 5 by Sept. 1 First: Age 6 by Sept. 1

To complete the application process, the parent/guardian will need to provide copies of the following:

Birth Certificate, Certificate of Baptism (if your child has received additional sacraments, we must have their complete dates), Immunization Record, Letter of Subsidy payment from your pastor (if applicable), Custody Papers (if applicable), if your child has an IEP submit the Evaluation Report and most recent IEP, and, the non-refundable Registration Fee (K-8 Registration Fee – \$125/student and Pre-K4 Registration Fee - \$125/student which includes supplies and snacks for the year).

If you have any questions, contact Sue Johnston, secretary, at sjohnston@holyrosaryregional.com or by phone at (610) 825-0160.

LENTEN SCHEDULE

Ash Wednesday March 2

Ashes will be distributed at all Masses 8:30 a.m. 12:05 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

> Lenten Weekday Masses March 3-April 13 Monday-Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

Lenten Confessions Wednesdays, March 30, April 6 and April 13 7:00-8:00 p.m.

No Confessions on Holy Saturday April 16

End of Life Information Session Planning For and Making Decisions with Deacon James Browne

Wednesday, Feb. 16

1:30-2:45 p.m.

Epiphany of Our Lord Church New Location: in the church

Also available virtually on Zoom

Navigating the choices surrounding the complex issues at the end of life presents some of the most challenging decisions we will ever face, whether for ourselves or someone in our care.

In making these most difficult decisions, the teaching of the Catholic Church can provide guidance and comfort. Topics include:

Why Assisted Suicide is Never Okay What the Church Says About Life-sustaining Treatments Managing Pain Medication Whether or Not its Ever Okay to Withhold Nutrition and Hydration What are the Difference Between Ordinary vs. Extraordinary Means of Treatment

RSVP no later than Friday, Feb. 4, by calling 610-828-8634 or by emailing eol@epiphanyofourlord.com. Those who wish to attend virtually will be given a link upon RSVP.





2022 HOLY ROSARY **CYO SPRING REGISTRATION**

Spring registration is now open for the following sports:

Boys Baseball

JV (5th & 6th Grade) Fee: \$125 Varsity (7th & 8th Grade) Fee: \$125

Girls Softball JV (5th & 6th Grade) Fee: \$115 Varsity (7th & 8th Grade) Fee: \$125

Co-Ed Track Pee Wee Track (Kindergarten- 3rd Grade) Fee: \$55 Varsity (Birth Years 2007-2012) Fee: \$105

Spring Registration closes on Friday, February 18th Due to high demand, we need to order uniforms by 2/18 in order to get in time for the season. Thank you for signing up early!

Please use the following website to register: www.holyrosarycyo.sportssignup.com

We are always in need of great coaches! Please register through the link, if interested.

Who is Eligible for CYO sports? Girls and Boys who attend Holy Rosary Regional Catholic school Members of Epiphany of Our Lord, Holy Saviour, St. Paul and St. Titus Parishes

If you have any questions, please contact the Holy Rosary CYO Athletic Director at hrcvoathleticdirector@gmail.com



Registration will end on February 13th

Rosary Cym. Weekday evening clinics. Weekend games.

For more info, email: hrcyoathleticdirector@gmail.com SIGN UP: http://holyrosarycyo.sportssignup.com If interested, we need a few more coaches!

> Payment by Venmo or Check preferred. venmo: HolyRosary-CYO Please indicate Sport and Athlete Name when making payment.

SPACE IS LIMITED! SIGN UP TODAY!

Holy Rosary Review

Over the last 18 months, our former Computer Lab has been transformed into an Innovation Lab. What is an Innovation Lab? It is an engineering STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) lab where students learn to brainstorm, create, engineer, and invent. Many businesses are also creating Innovation Labs including Walmart, Starbucks, and Citibank to help them fast-track new products, understand market trends, and develop solutions for customers.

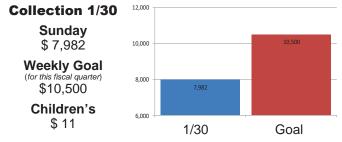
We were able complete this dramatic transformation with funding we received from an EANS grant. The purpose of the EANS program was to provide services to eligible non-public schools to address the impact that Covid-19 is having on schools and teachers in the state.

We began the metamorphosis by donating our 15 -year-old desk top computers and accompanying furniture. We ordered jazzy furniture that would fit together like puzzle pieces, so that students would have the ability to move the tables to fit groups of two, six, or more depending on their project. Some of the new equipment that rests on these tables includes 3D printers, coding robots, and iMacs for special projects. Royal blue cabinets fill the back

wall of the lab, and hold myriads multicolored of LEGOS and Construx that the students are busily using to create fills their what minds. Some creations are even mounted onto the LEGO wall.



This Innovation Lab is on its way to becoming an engineering mecca for our students to brainstorm, create, and invent. Holy Rosary students are blessed to have so many opportunities to enjoy the latest technology.

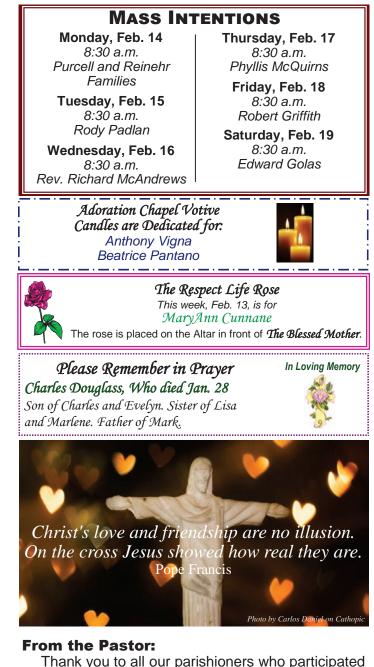


From the children: Helped an elderly neighbor. I was patient. I was kind. I sang in choir.

Parish Bulletin Submission Deadline

Parish bulletin announcements are to be submitted by the Tuesday 12 days prior to the desired publication date. Announcements are to include day, date, time, place, and contact person with phone number and/or email address.

Parish bulletin announcements are to be emailed to bulletin@epiphanyofourlord.com.



Thank you to all our parishioners who participated in the Nomination phase of our annual Parish Pastoral Council Nomination and Election Process.

Pregnancy Hotline

Pregnant and need help? Call or text the hotline at (610) 626-4006, 24/7, for assistance with pro-life options, supportive counseling and other resources.

Please Pray for the Sick Parishioners listed in bold.

Marge Addario Chad Caparo Evelyn Douglass Mary Fox Mary Kane Josephine Paolella Bill & Theresa Sherwin Beverly Taylor Frank Campolongo Betsy Curran Nicholas Esposito Susan Grodanz Mary Keating Catherine Rush Albert Sinopoli Josie Vardakas

Contact the Parish Office to update the list.

TELEVISED AND LIVESTREAMED MASSES

Several sources are offering TV or online Masses. A few are listed below:

ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA: Archbishop Perez will LiveStream Sunday Mass via the Archdiocesan Facebook page: 11am.

CATHOLICTV: online streaming: Sundays: 7am, 8am (Spanish) and 11:30am. Visit http://www.catholictv.org/masses/catholictv-mass.

EWTN: offers Sunday TV Masses at 8am and 12pm. Daily Mass is offered at 8am and 12pm. Comcast channels: 1668, 291 and 597 (Spanish). Verizon channels: 285 and 1741 (Spanish). C-Band Satellite channel: G1-11. Direct TV Satellite channel: 370. Dish Network Satellite channel: 261.

HEART OF THE NATION: Sunday Masses air on broadcast channels: WPSG Channel 57: 6:30am. WDPN Channel 2: 7am. Channel 44: 8:30am. On cable providers: Xfinity, Optimum and Fios Channel 2: 7am. Comcast Philadelphia channel 13: 6:30am. Visit https://www.heartofthenation.org/.

SALT & LIGHT TV: Watch Sunday Mass live online at 6:30am, 9:30am (Pope Francis from Casa Santa Marta), and 11am. Visit https:// saltandlighttv.org/?muid=1.

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Parish Office Requests

To register in the parish, arrange for a baptism, or request a Certificate of Eligibility for sponsorship at Baptism or Confirmation, contact the Parish Office during office hours at eol@epiphanyofourlord.com.

Also, please advise our office staff of any change of address, telephone number or family status.

Anointing of the Sick First Saturday of the month after 8:30 a.m. Mass or by request. Please notify the Parish Office as soon as possible when any parishioner becomes seriously ill or is admitted to the hospital.

Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated after the 10 a.m. Mass on Sundays upon request. Both first-time parents need to attend a Pre-Jordan class, which is held the first Wednesday of everv month.

Pre-Registration for the class is required by contacting the Parish Office. Sponsors not from Epiphany are required to submit a Certificate of Eligibility from their parish two weeks prior to the Baptism.

Matrimony

Notify the Parish Office of your intention to marry at least six months before the date of the wedding to assure sufficient preparation and to arrange for Pre-Cana sessions.

Miraculous Medal—Perpetual Novena

After 8:30 a.m. Mass every Saturday.

Holy Communion for the Sick and Homebound

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are available to bring Communion to the sick and home-bound. Call the Parish Office at (610) 828-8634 to provide the office staff with the name, address and phone number of the sick or homebound parishioner.



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