



# Sacred Heart

C a t h o l i c C h u r c h

4087 West Broadway • Robbinsdale, MN 55422

Phone: 763-537-4561

*Formed in His Heart, Serving with His Heart, Giving From His Heart*

## Sunday Mass Times

### Saturday Vigil:

5:00 PM Mass of Anticipation

### Sunday — The Lord's Day:

8:00 AM Mass

10:00 AM Mass

(Child Care Available)

11:35 AM Latin Mass

(1962 Missal)

## Daily Mass Times

### Monday:

8:00 AM Communion Service  
followed by Lauds/Morning Prayer

### Tuesday — Saturday:

8:00 AM Mass

followed by Lauds/Morning Prayer

## Holy Day Mass Times

Consult the bulletin

## Penance and Reconciliation

### Tuesday — Saturday Morning:

7:40 — 7:55 AM

### Saturday Afternoon:

4:00 — 4:45 PM

Or by appointment

## Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays in the

Sacred Heart Chapel:

8:35 AM — 8:00 PM

## Parish Office Hours

### Monday — Friday:

8:00 AM — 4:30 PM

### Wednesday Evening:

5:00 — 8:00 PM

(October — April)

### Sunday Mornings:

8:30 — 11:30 AM

## Parish Web Site

[www.shrmn.org](http://www.shrmn.org)

**Parish Phone:** 763-537-4561

## Sacred Heart Catholic School

Daycare, Pre-K through 8th grade  
4050 Hubbard Avenue North  
Robbinsdale, MN 55422

## School Web Site

[sacredheartschoolrobbinsdale.org](http://sacredheartschoolrobbinsdale.org)

**School Phone:** 763-537-1329

## December 31, 2017



# THE HOLY FAMILY

“For my eyes have seen your salvation,  
which you prepared in the sight of all the peoples.”

- Lk 2:30-31

**Parish Directory**

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**The Church of the Sacred Heart is served by the clergy of the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis**

**Priest Staff:** Fr. Bryan J.B. Pedersen  
**Deacon:** Dr. James Ramsey

**Pastor's Page | Fr. Bryan J.B. Pedersen**

**Sacred Heart Parish Mission Statement**

*"Sacred Heart Catholic Parish exists to foster a community of disciples in response to the Gospel of Jesus Christ through Worship, Fellowship, Catholic Education and Service"*

**The Year of the Lord 2018**

Written on Friday, December 22, 2017



**From the Heart**

Even though academia, popular culture, and other contemporary actors have tried to supplant or replace Christian references and terminology through the use of terms such as B.C.E. (Before the Common Era) and C.E. (Common Era) nevertheless that something which radically changed the history of the world happened some 2018 years ago can not be denied. Jesus, the savior of Nations, Son of God and son of man, the Word made Flesh, Emmanuel, that is God-with-us, was born into the world, and the world has never been the same. "Christ is at the center, Christ is the center. Christ is the center of creation, Christ is the center of his people and Christ is the center of history." These words preached by Pope Francis back in 2013 echo this foundational principle.

The term B.C. was used in the anglo world to identify history before the birth of Christ, while the term A.D., which does NOT mean "After Death" as many mistakenly think, identifies history since the entrance of the Lord Jesus into the world. What then does A.D. actually mean? The term is an abbreviation for the Latin phrase *Anno Domini* which means "The Year of the Lord." Using the initials A.D. is a way for us to embrace what Pope Francis preached back in 2013, namely, that Jesus Christ is the center of history. Even with secular culture and academia seeking to replace and supplant Christian references I have always found it ironic that those providing these so called replacement terms came up with B.C.E. and C.E. since they can so easily be taken to mean "Before the Christian Era" and "The Christian Era." Regardless of what academia, or pop culture is doing, I have no problems wishing you all a happy new year as we enter the Year of the Lord 2018.

**GOSPEL MEDITATION**

**December 31, 2017 The Holy Family**

"When they had fulfilled all the prescriptions of the law of the Lord, they returned ... to their own town of Nazareth." Mary and Joseph were faithful Jews who followed the norms of their religion. Today's Gospel describes the event we call "The Presentation." Jesus' parents, like every Jewish family, presented their infant son to the Lord in a formal ceremony at the temple in Jerusalem. Having done what their religious rites required (and having heard the prophetic words of Simeon and Anna), Mary and Joseph returned home. It was back in their native region of Galilee, amidst the daily routine of domestic life, that Jesus "grew and became strong, filled with wisdom."

As Christians, we too consecrate our children to the Lord when we have them baptized in the Church. Seeing our children receive this sacrament of initiation is always a moment of great joy and hope as we anticipate the life that lies ahead for them, both on earth and in eternity. But the baptism of a baby is only the beginning of this journey towards heaven. In truth, the little daily details, the simple living of family life in our own home paves the way for our children to reach their eternal home.

And so it was with the Holy Family. Jesus' childhood, his formation and development took place not primarily amidst the public drama of the temple, but in the quiet privacy of his home. How important this home was, where his parents raised him in their faith and helped him live in such a way that "the favor of God was upon him." May we too, in our homes and our families, remember that although our mission may be lived out in very small moments, taken together they have an eternal significance.

## Appointed Sunday Readings

### The Holy Family-12/31/17

**First Reading:** The Lord took Abram outside and said, "Look up at the sky and count the stars, if you can. Just so," he added, "shall your descendants be." (*Gn 15:5*)

**Psalm:** The Lord remembers his covenant for ever. (*Ps 105*)

**Second Reading:** By faith Abraham, when put to the test, offered up Isaac, and he who had received the promises was ready to offer his only son. (*Heb 11:17*)

**Gospel:** "For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in sight of all the peoples, a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel." (*Lk 2:30-32*)

## Latin Mass Sunday Readings

### Sunday in the Octave of Christmas

**Epistle:** Brethren, as long as the heir is a child, he differeth nothing from a servant, though he be lord of all: ... (*Gal. 4:1-7*)

**Gradual:** Thou art beautiful above the sons of men:... (*Ps.44.3,2*)

**Gospel:** At that time, Joseph and Mary, the mother of Jesus, were wondering at those things which were spoken concerning him. (*Lk. 2:33-40*)

## Appointed Daily Readings

### Monday, Jan. 1—Saturday, Jan. 6

**Monday:** Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 [2a]/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

**Tuesday:** 1 Jn 2:22-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [3cd]/Jn 1:19-28

**Wednesday:** 1 Jn 2:29--3:6/Ps 98:1, 3cd-4, 5-6 [3cd]/Jn 1:29-34

**Thursday:** 1 Jn 3:7-10/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9 [3cd]/Jn 1:35-42

**Friday:** 1 Jn 3:11-21/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2a]/Jn 1:43-51

**Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12a]/Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38

## Prayers of the Faithful

Please remember in your prayers

**Those Who Are Ill:** William Cashin, Ray Swadner, Tom Ambrose, Margaret Willger

**Those Serving In Our Armed Forces:** Chad Tatur, Barbara J. Hoeben, John F. Landolt III, Philip Aubart, Sam Dahlgren-Castilla, Daniel Arnold, Justin Rathbun, Shannon Gregory, John Aubart, Joey Eckman, Joseph Mash, Liam Gregory, Jordan Reese, and Andrew Gladitsch, Cathal & Cormac O'Connor

## Administration

### Stewardship



Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card. As a reminder, all commitments need to be submitted no later than January 07 in order to be accounted for in the final Summary Report. Please note that the Summary Report includes overall results. All commitments are kept confidential. Please complete and submit your card to the Parish Office even if you are unable to make a change to your current level of giving. For those registered parishioners not currently supporting Sacred Heart with regular offertory gifts, please consider a monthly gift to support the needs of our parish. Note: If you receive a letter and have submitted a card, please disregard.

*For Weekly Contribution Information:*

*Please Contact the Parish Office.*

763-537-4561

## Ushers and Greeters

We are still in need of more ushers/greeters for all of the Masses. Please contact the Parish Office if interested in adding your name to the list and we will send you additional information. If you prefer greeting to ushering, that is fine too! We are looking for anyone high school age and over.

### New Years' Day Schedule

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD  
AND THE OCTAVE DAY OF CHRISTMAS

#### Ordinary Form – English

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#### Extraordinary Form – 1962 Missal

OCTAVE OF CHRISTMAS – CIRCUMCISION OF THE LORD  
Monday, January 1 – Mass at 10:30 AM (Latin)



## Sacred Heart Catholic School



### Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup> Open House at Sacred Heart Catholic School

All current and prospective families are invited to visit our school. Our school will be open from 11:00-1:00 pm for tours. Teachers, staff, and parents will be available to discuss curriculum and programs. We will have LIVE animals in the gym, coffee & donuts in the Marian Rooms and Scholastic Book Fair in the gathering space. All welcome.

SACRED HEART  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL

### Shadow Visits

Join us for a personalized tour of our school, where we foster academic excellence and spiritual growth, teaching to the body, mind and spirit. Our dedicated teachers engage students in hands-on learning, STEM instruction, and a strong curriculum that prepares our students for high school. Call the school office to set up your visit.

### Steak Fry to benefit our Athletic Program

Join us on Wednesday, January 10th for a Steak Fry at the VFW Post 494. All proceeds benefit our athletic program to purchase uniforms and equipment. Last year, we raised approximately \$750.00.

Menu: Steak, baked potato, cole slaw, texas toast

Tickets: \$11.00

Tickets are available in the parish and school office.

Hosted by the Crystal Lion

### Calendar

Jan. 8 School resumes

Jan. 8 6 pm B squad boys' basketball game @ Home

7 pm Varsity boys' basketball game @ Home

Jan. 10 Steak Fry

Jan. 11 Creativity Fair, gr. 3-4

Jan. 12 Art Institute, gr. 6-8

Our school is helping to make a difference in the lives of local children this Super Bowl season. We've teamed up with the National Football League (NFL), the Minnesota Vikings, the Minnesota Super Bowl Host Committee, Verizon and Braemar Field for a community project called *Super Kids-Super Sharing*.

### NFL Super Bowl SuperKids Service Project

We will be collecting gently used or new:

- BOOKS
- SPORTS EQUIPMENT
- SCHOOL SUPPLIES
- GAMES
- USED CELL PHONES

Donated items will be shared with local schools and organizations that work with children in need. We're also collecting used cell phones for the Verizon Foundation to help all students engage in STEM education. **YOU CAN HELP!**

Save your gently used or new items and collection boxes are located outside the school office door. Catch the Super Bowl spirit and join us as we help children in our local community.

Like our Facebook Page - [Sacred Heart Catholic School Robbinsdale, MN Alumni/Parent](#)

<http://www.facebook.com/SHCSRobbinsdale>

### To Join Sacred Heart Parish

If you are new to our community, or have been attending Mass here but have not yet joined Sacred Heart call 763-537-4561 or stop in the parish office to register.

### Sacrament of Initiation — RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

To join the Catholic Church call Bunny Brouillard in the Parish Office.

### Sacrament of Baptism for Infants and Children (RCIC)

Baptism for Infants and young Children is celebrated on the first & third Sundays of the month at 1 PM. Pre-Baptism Class meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 7 PM. To make arrangements call Bunny Brouillard in the Parish Office.

### Sacrament of Confirmation

If you are in High School or an Adult who has yet to receive Confirmation contact Matt Kruc or Bunny Brouillard in the Parish Office to make arrangements.

### Sacrament of Holy Communion

If you or your child have not yet made your First Holy Communion contact Bunny Brouillard. If you are shut in and would like to receive Holy Communion contact Deacon Ramsey to make arrangements

### Sacrament of Penance

See the schedule for confessions or contact Fr. Pedersen to make an appointment. To receive instruction on making a first confession contact the Parish Office.

### Sacrament of Anointing

To make arrangements to receive the Sacrament of the Sick or Last Rites contact the Parish Office.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Registered Parishioners should call Father Pedersen or Deacon Ramsey at least 8 months in advance of the wedding date to make arrangements.

### Sacrament of Holy Orders

Catholic Men contact Fr. Pedersen or Deacon Ramsey for more information on joining the Diaconate or Priesthood.

### Sunday School

Open to children ages 3 years through Kindergarten. Meets during the 10 AM Mass October through April. Please call Bunny Brouillard in the Parish Office.

### Religious Education

For students grades 1 through 12. Meets Wednesday evening 6:45pm—8pm, October through April. Please call Bunny Brouillard or Matt Kruc in the Parish Office.

## Mass Intentions

### DECEMBER

Sun. 31 8:00 AM Louise Behl+  
 10:00 AM Parishioners  
 11:35 AM Jennifer Hirsch

### JANUARY 2018

Mon. 1 8:00 AM Andrew Rusinko, Sr.+  
 Latin 10:30 AM Barbara Feyereisen+  
 Tues. 2 8:00 AM Mary Whiting+  
 Wed. 3 8:00 AM Hilaria Jost+  
 Thu. 4 8:00 AM Britton Toensing+  
 Fri. 5 8:00 AM Deacon Bernard A.G. Pedersen+  
 Sat. 6 8:00 AM Ben Gorski+  
 Latin 10:00 AM Parishioners  
 5:00 PM Genevieve Schrenk+  
 Sun. 7 8:00 AM Genevieve Schrenk+  
 10:00 AM Irene O'Keane  
 11:35 AM Parishioners

## Liturgical Ministers

### January 1-6, 8:00 AM Mass

#### Altar Servers

Jan. 1- To Be Assigned  
 Jan. 2- To Be Assigned  
 Jan. 3- To Be Assigned  
 Jan. 4- To Be Assigned  
 Jan. 5- To Be Assigned  
 Jan. 6- To Be Assigned

### Saturday, Jan. 6, 5:00 PM Vigil Mass

Altar Servers: To Be Assigned

EMHC: Karen Krussow, Beth and Keli Hippen

Lector: Dave Krussow

### Sunday, Jan. 7 8:00 AM Mass

Altar Servers: To Be Assigned

EMHC: Mary Glynn, Debra and Peter Krych, Stuart Culver

Lector: Andy Rusinko

### Sunday, Jan. 7, 10:00 AM Mass

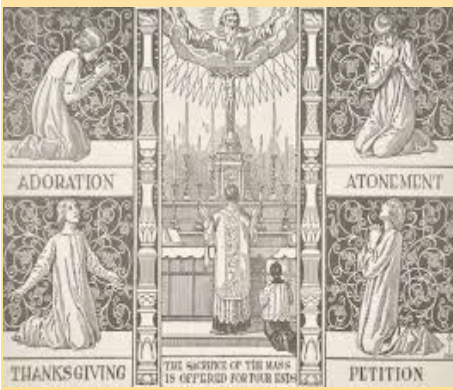
Altar Servers: To Be Assigned

EMHC: Mary Bloom, Lorraine Dalland, Bill Daugherty

Lector: Mary Daugherty

### Money Counters, Jan. 7, 9:00AM

Peggy Bonicatto, Becky Haapanen



## Faith Formation

### STARTING IN JANUARY\*\*\*\*\*

#### DAVID IS THE PARADIGMATIC KING IN THE OLD TESTAMENT

His kingship recalls that of Adam in the Garden of Eden, and yet it points toward the King par excellence, Jesus Christ. Adam was the first king and steward of the rightly ordered Garden of Eden. He was called to govern the garden according to God's mind and purpose, but by allowing negative influences to wreak havoc on Eden, he did not fulfill his kingly responsibility. Long after Adam, David emerged as the definitive king who would restore order in the Garden and bring the world under the lordship of God. But like Adam, David fell, and his reign ushered in a succession of compromised kings and rejected prophets.

The New Testament, however, foretold a son of David who would realize the fullness of Israelite kingship...but whose actual reign defied expectation.

King David causes us to look back toward Adam's kingship and forward toward Christ the King, seeing Christ as the fulfillment of the Davidic line and the realization of the Kingdom of God on earth. In *David the King*, Bishop Barron helps us to understand this pivotal figure in light of the first king and the King of kings.

## Religious Education Classes

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

**Attention Wednesday Evening and Sunday School Classes.** There will be no Wednesday Evening Classes on Wednesday, January 3. Classes will resume on Wednesday, January 10. There will be no Sunday School Classes on Sunday December 31. Sunday School resumes on Sunday, January 7.

**The Rite of Initiation Adapted for Children** is a process for older children, ages 7 –14, wishing to become Catholic, who are not yet baptized; and for older Catholic children, ages 9 – 14, who are baptized or unbaptized and have not been catechized (instructed) or received First Communion. Questions or to register, please call Bunny, 763-537-4561

### Adult Confirmation

*"Confirmation completes the grace of Baptism by a special outpouring of the gifts of the Holy Spirit, which seal or 'confirm' the baptized in unison with Christ and equip them for active participation in the worship and apostolic life of the Church" (The Glossary of the Catechism of the Catholic Church).*

Adult Catholics (18 & Older) who have been baptized and received First Communion and are practicing their faith but have not celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation are invited to begin instruction for the reception of this sacrament. Please call Bunny in the Parish Office at 763-537-4561 for more information.

Thanks

Thanks for all the wonderful and delicious Christmas treats and gifts that were brought to the parish office by parishioners. They really uplifted our spirits during a very busy time.

**Happy and Blessed New Year to all the parishioners of Sacred Heart Parish.**

Sincerely,  
 The Staff of Sacred Heart

## Parish Organizations

### Respect Life Ministry

#### Regular Prayer Times Outside the Abortion Centers

We encourage you to join in with the following groups or start your own prayer time outside an abortion center. We *strongly* encourage prayer groups from all denominations.

#### Planned Parenthood 671 Vandalia St., St. Paul

Thursday 5:00 p.m., (Rosary), Bob (612) 247-1166

Friday 9:30 a.m., (Rosary), led by a priest of the Archdiocese

Friday 3:00 p.m., (Rosary), Legion of Mary (651) 439-9098

Saturday 7:30 - 8:30 a.m., Hope Community Church, Brian (763) 221-5227

First Saturday 1:30 p.m. (Jericho March – silent prayer walk around block)

Third Saturday 11:00 a.m., (Rosary), Cathedral of St. Paul Knights of Columbus #14752,

#### Richfield Planned Parenthood 6527 Lyndale Ave., S.

Tuesday 1:15 p.m., (Rosary), Emily Koenig (Leave message at 612-824-0787.)

#### Robbinsdale abortion center 3819 W. Broadway, Robbinsdale

Daily 6:00 p.m., (Rosary), John (612) 913-2785

Saturday 10:00 a.m., (Rosary), led by Rev. Thomas Dufner

Last Saturday 9:00-10:00 a.m., Hope Community Church, Sarah (612) 703-1407

#### Whole Woman's 825 S. 8th St., Minneapolis

Saturday 7:30 a.m., (Rosary), Bob (612) 247-1166

Second Saturday 8:00 a.m., (Rosary), Joyce (612) 644-3232

### MEN'S CLUB — Catholic Watchmen Update



#### Men's Club: Watchmen Meeting January 7

The Men's Club will be meeting on Sunday, January 7 at 6 pm in the Sacred Heart Marion room for our next Watchmen meeting. The Watchmen is a program started in our archdiocese by Bishop Cozzens with the simple goal of helping Catholic men better live out their

faith. Each night consists of a good meal, a brief video presentation, and an opportunity for adoration and confession. All men of the parish are welcome to attend. Future dates are: Feb 11, Mar 11, Apr 8, and May 13

### Parents Prayer Group



#### Parents, Grandparents and Godparents for the Sacred Heart of Jesus Cenacle

As parents, grandparents, and godparents, we believe that praying for our children, grandchildren and godchildren, is one of the best ways we can impact their lives. So whether your child is young or young at heart, we will ask God to guide them in the ways of faith, that he will bless their health, and guide their way of life. Our group trusts in God and we acknowledge Him as being present in our lives and in the lives of our children. Our hope is that our prayers will help all children, that we love and care about, to see how God is present in their lives. Please join us for Mass on Saturday January 6 at 8:00am, followed by a Rosary at the Altar of Our Lady.

### News From Other Sources

#### KC Scotch Doubles Outing

The Crystal Knights of Columbus will be conducting their Scotch Doubles Bowling Outing January 13, 2018. Men and women alternate shots through 5 games of bowling at New Hope Bowl and then enjoy a dinner at the Crystal VFW. All adult parishioners, league bowlers or not, are invited to join in the fun.

## Calendar of Events

### Sunday, December 31– The Holy Family of Jesus Mary & Joseph

8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

10:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

10:00 AM NO Sunday School

10:00 AM NO Child Care

11:35 AM Latin Mass: Fr. Pedersen

### Monday, January 1, 2018– Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

#### New Year's Day Office Closed

9:00AM Mass

10:30 AM Latin Mass

### Tuesday, January 2, St. Basil the Great

#### No School

7:30 AM Confession: Fr. Pedersen

8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

### Wednesday, January 3, The Most Holy Name of Jesus

#### No School

7:30 AM Confession: Fr. Pedersen

8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

### Thursday, January 4, St. Elizabeth Seton

#### No School

7:30 AM Confession: Fr. Pedersen

8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

8:35 AM – 8:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration

### Friday, January 5, St. John Newmann

#### No School

7:30 AM Confession: Fr. Pedersen

8:00 AM School & Parish Mass: Fr. Pedersen

7:30 AM Confession: Fr. Pedersen

8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

8:30 AM Parents Prayer Group– Church

4:00 PM Confessions

5:00 PM Mass

### Saturday, January 6, St. Andre Bessette

7:40 AM Confession: Fr. Pedersen

8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

8:30 AM Parents Prayer Group

### Sunday, January 7– The Epiphany of the Lord Coffee & Donuts sponsored by SHCCW in Parish Commons

8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

10:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

10:00 AM Sunday School

10:00 AM Child Care

11:35 AM Latin Mass: Fr. Pedersen

6:00 PM Men's Club-Watchmen's Group

6:30 PM Confirmation

### Monday, January 8, The Baptism of the Lord

7:40 AM Confession: Fr. Pedersen

8:00 AM Communion Service

6:30 PM PTC

### Tuesday, January 9

8:00 AM Mass: Fr. Pedersen

8:30 AM Coffee & Donuts

### Parish Prayer Line

To be placed on the prayer line call Terri at 612-247-8772. You can also send in your request via e-mail: [cshadmin@shrmn.org](mailto:cshadmin@shrmn.org)

## New Years' Day Schedule

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD  
AND THE OCTAVE DAY OF CHRISTMAS

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## THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

### Extraordinary Form – 1962 Missal

Saturday, January 6 – 10:00 AM Latin Mass

## SUNDAY AFTER THE NEW YEAR

### Ordinary Form – English

Saturday, January 6 – First Vespers at 3:30 PM  
Saturday, January 6 – Confessions 4:00- 4:45 PM  
Saturday, January 6 – Vigil Mass at 5:00 PM  
Sunday, January 7 – Mass 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

*Special blessings prayers and chalk will be available after Mass for you to bring home for the traditional Epiphany blessing on door lintels.*

### Extraordinary Form – 1962 Missal

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH  
Sunday, January 7, 11:35 AM (Latin Mass)

**First Vespers**  
**Saturday, January 6 at 3:30 PM**



### **New...Saint Joseph Sunday Missal**

The Saint Joseph Sunday Missal for 2017-2018 starting with the First Sunday of Advent for Cycle B is for sale in the Parish Office. The cost of this Missal is \$4.00. If you have any questions, please call Bunny in the Parish Office.

## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

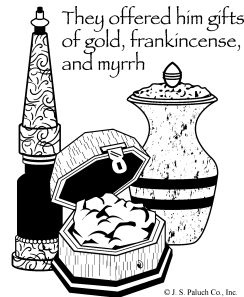
### Everyday Stewardship

I have heard people say, "You don't get to choose your family!" I believe that to be only partially true. I did not choose my father and mother, but my family is greater than my family tree of ancestors. My family includes those who have been there when both my father and mother passed away. My family includes those who came to see my newborn children in the hospital. My family includes those who celebrated with me my greatest triumphs and consoled me in my greatest times of trial. Each and every one of them I have chosen to be a part of my family. Most of the time we talk about stewardship in terms of time, talent, and treasure. We quantify the size of our gifts, seeing them as things that have a finite value. However, true stewardship has no limits. What we are called to give is everything. When we fully empty ourselves into another and into the reality of God we find ourselves transformed. We truly grow into our own as the creations we became at baptism.

It is in that transformation that we find ourselves connected to others in a profound way. Those who were not connected to us by blood are now connected to us by spirit. Our family, the body of Christ, grows and becomes stronger. In this family, a man can be father to a Son not of his flesh and a woman mother to a Son of a divine origin. In this family, we find our hope and our home. And we must never make the mistake of thinking that is not a choice.  
-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

## LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Families face many challenges. All of the demands of work, school, and society can easily put a strain on even the best intentioned of families. Hurt, anger, and bitterness can grow in our families especially when conflicts are not properly resolved or relationships nurtured. Human beings require time, patience, love, and nurturing. We need to take time to celebrate the gift of family and not allow other demands to rob us of the time we need to spend together. Life is short. The Holy Family stands before us today showing us that love, commitment, and perseverance can see us through any difficulty or challenge life can bring. May we learn from their example!



They offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh

### EPIPHANY HOME BLESSINGS

There a long-standing Catholic tradition of blessing the home on the Feast of the Epiphany, celebrated next weekend on January 6-7. This tradition includes marking the lintel above the front door of the house with the initials of the three kings, Caspar, Melchior and Balthasar, along with the year. Prayer sheets and chalk

for this blessing will be available for families to pick up next weekend.

**SACRED HEART**  
DAYCARE  
12 months to School Age  
Open 7AM-6PM  
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