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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



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The Holy Spirit
descended upon him.
- Lk 3:21-22a

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MASS SCHEDULE



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WEEKDAY MASSES

Mondays: No Daily Mass
Tuesdays: 6:00 PM Mass
Wednesdays: 8:00 AM Mass/
*Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help
follows Mass*
Thursdays: 6:00 AM Mass
Fridays: 8:00 AM Mass

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturdays: 4:00 PM Vigil Mass
Sundays: 9:00 AM
11:00 AM

ROSARY TIMES

Tuesdays: 5:20 PM *(Before Mass)*
Saturdays: 3:30 PM *(Before Mass)*

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OFFICE HOURS

Mondays–Thursdays: 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Fridays: 8:30 AM – NOON

Parish Office Closed every Wednesday from 10:30 AM-12:30 PM

(Closed Daily for Lunch 12:00 – 12:30 PM)

ADORATION CHAPEL

Mondays–Sundays: 7:00 AM – 9:00 PM

(The Chapel is in the Church Sacristy and can be accessed from the ramp in the rear of the Church. Call Parish Office for code to enter.)

CONFESSIONS

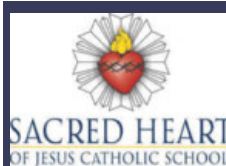
Tuesdays: 5:30 PM

Wednesdays: 7:30 AM

Thursdays: 6:30 AM

Fridays: 7:30 AM

Saturdays: 3:00 PM



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SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Friday 7:15 AM – 3:05 PM,
(Summer Hours: Monday - Thursday: 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM)

NOVENA TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

EVERY 1ST FRIDAY
OCTOBER - JUNE ONLY

CONFESSIONS: 11 AM
MASS: 12 noon
NOVENA: 12:30 PM

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Mario Sacasa, Ph.D. is a licensed marriage and family therapist and has been in practice for 20 years. Integrating the riches of the Catholic faith with sound counseling practice is the aim of his career and influences all his professional endeavors. Dr. Sacasa is the host of Always Hope, a podcast providing solutions to a better life grounded in faith and psychological science. He travels the country offering lectures on dating, marriage, sexuality, and the misunderstood virtue of hope. He is the creator of two online courses: Dating Well, which helps young adults navigate the modern dating scene, and Overcoming Stress and Anxiety, which offers clear guidance for beating stress in life. Dr. Sacasa is married to his wife of 22 years, Kristin, with whom he shares the joy parenting their four sons.

& Special Guest, **FR. MATHEW DUNN**

Topic of the evening...
**Encouraging healthy
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"" *Readings* ""

<p>Sunday, January 12 Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 (1)/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/Lk 3:15-16, 21-22</p>	<p>Tuesday, January 14 Heb 2:5-12/Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 1:21-28</p>	<p>Thursday, January 16 Heb 3:7-14/Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11/Mk 1:40-45</p>	<p>Saturday, January 18 Heb 4:12-16/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mk 2:13-17</p>
<p>Monday, January 13 Heb 1:1-6/Ps 97:1, 2b, 6, 7c, 9/Mk 1:14-20</p>	<p>Wednesday, January 15 Heb 2:14-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 1:29-29</p>	<p>Friday, January 17 Heb 4:1-5, 11/Ps 78:3, 4bc, 6c-7, 8/Mk 2:1-12</p>	<p>Sunday, January 19 Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11</p>

"" *Calendar* ""

MON 13	No Daily Mass Eucharistic Adoration , 7 AM-9 PM, Chapel
TUE 14	Rosary, 5:20 PM Confessions, 5:30PM Daily Mass, 6PM Eucharistic Adoration , 7 AM-9 PM, Chapel Holy Habits PSR Meeting , 6:30 PM, Parish Hall
WED 15	Confessions, 7:30 AM Daily Mass/Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena, 8 AM Eucharistic Adoration , 7 AM-9 PM, Chapel Staff/Team Prayer Meeting-Office Closed, 10:30-12:30 Becoming Catholic , 6:00 PM, AC-Fr. Blasco Rm. Choir Practice , 6:30 PM, Choir Rm.
THU 16	Daily Mass, 6 AM, Church Confessions, 6:30 AM <i>(Note: Confessions follow Mass on Thursdays.)</i> Men's Lectio Divina , 6:30 AM, Parish Hall Eucharistic Adoration , 7 AM-9 PM, Chapel SHS Open House , 5 PM, SHS Campus
FRI 17	Confessions, 7:30 AM Daily Mass w/ SHS, 8 AM Eucharistic Adoration , 7 AM-9 PM, Chapel
SAT 18	Eucharistic Adoration , 7 AM-9 PM, Chapel SVdP Visitation Meeting , 8:30 AM, AC-Fr. Gauci Rm. Confessions, 3 PM Rosary, 3:20 PM Vigil Mass/2nd Collection for St. Vincent dePaul , 4 PM
SUN 19	2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Eucharistic Adoration , 7 AM-9 PM, Chapel Masses/2nd Collection for St. Vincent dePaul, 9 & 11AM Coffee & Doughnuts following both Masses PSR 1st Eucharist Class , 10 AM, AC-Fr. Smith Rm.

"" *Mass Intentions* ""

Date	Mass	Intention(s)
Tuesday 1-14-25	6 PM	Bill Chenevert
Wednesday 1-15-25	8 AM	Pedro Perea Ryan Spencer Leggio
Thursday 1-16-25	6 AM	Mary & Mike Bourgeois Gabrielle Jolivet
Friday 1-17-25	8 AM	Pat Sullivan & Michael Nelson
Saturday 1-18-25	4 PM	Parishioners of Sacred Heart
Sunday 1-19-25	9 AM	Marion Key; Bill Chenevert; Cathy Mathern; Ryan Spencer Leggio; Rainey & Rose Mary Brown
	11 AM	Becky Starring; David & Bradley Smith; Shirlene Cooper; Mollie Barbara Helm; Peter & Nelda Polozola



God, Not my plan, but your plan. Not my path, but your path. Not my will, but your will. AMEN

"" *Minister Assignments* ""

January 11-12: The Baptism of the Lord			January 18-19: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Mass	Readers	Cantor	Mass	Readers	Cantor
Saturday 4:00 PM	Philip O'Neill (1) Phyllis Territo (2)	Denise Williston	Saturday 4:00 PM	Kay Gaudin (1) Mark LeBlanc (2)	Melissa Simien
Sunday 9:00 AM	Bill Bryan (1) Tamekia Jones (2)	Denise Williston	Sunday 9:00 AM	Caesar Garcia (1) Jeanne Garcia (2)	Melissa Simien
Sunday 11:00 AM	SHS Student 1 (1) SHS Student 2 (2)	Denise Williston	Sunday 11:00 AM	Sid Bowden, Sr. (1) Sara Smith (2)	Melissa Simien

MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the Parish Office at least six (6) months prior to the desired date and must complete the Marriage Preparation Program.

CARE OF THE SICK

Visits made regularly to hospitalized and homebound. Contact the Parish Office for Anointing of the Sick or to receive Holy Communion.

BAPTISM

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