

January 6, 2019 – The Epiphany of the Lord

University Parish Newman Center

Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapel

Catholic Campus Ministry
at Kent State University

As a university parish entrusted by the Church with a specific mission, we embrace fully our ministry of serving as a strong Catholic presence at Kent State University. By focusing on worship, learning, and service to the local and global community, we accompany our students toward lifelong commitment to faith and to our Tradition. Enriched by many persons from within and beyond the university, we commit ourselves to the hospitality, generosity, and prayerfulness that mark those gathered at the table of the Risen Lord.

Welcome to the University Parish Newman Center. We cherish your presence among us and invite you to enter wholeheartedly into our worship. As Catholics, we understand our worship as our community's grateful response to God's goodness and love. Thus our liturgy is not a "spectator" experience; participation in prayer and in song is everyone's responsibility and privilege. Please do not be a stranger. Pray and sing with us as members of God's human family.

Music for Worship

Gathering Song: We Three Kings of Orient Are (463)
GLORIA
Psalm 72: Every Nation on Earth (60) *refrain II*
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION
Presentation of Gifts: What Child Is This (466)
UNIVERSITY PARISH MASS
Holy, Holy, Holy
Memorial Acclamation
Amen
Lamb of God
Communion: The First Nowell (460)
Sending Forth: Joy to the World (437)

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

January 13

9:00 am
Coordinators— Ralph and Lucille Esposito
Lectors— Kate Horning, Sue Lanning
Eucharistic Ministers— Chuck Lanning (H),
Marge Hayden, Lori Kainrad, Deanna Kline,
Jack Kline
Altar Server— Jack Flynn
Greeters— Anna Flynn
11:00 am
Coordinator— Paul Kubala
Lectors— Jen Colgrove, Heather Liptak
Eucharistic Ministers— Keith Hodar (H),
Laura Heater, Barbara Kubala, Tony Molina,
Frank Smith
Altar Servers— Annie Colgrove, Patricia Molina
Greeters— Jeff and Laura Heater

COFFEE & DONUTS

January 13

Set-up Rob & Jen Flecksteiner
Refresh Lois Patterson
Clean-up Paul & Barbara Kubala

Parish Staff

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Sunday Mass Times

Sunday Morning Masses: 9 am & 11 am
Sunday Evening Mass: 8 pm (January 27-May 5)

Mass Intentions

9 am Mass – Thelma Leppo
11 am Mass – For the Community

SUNDAY COLLECTION

Sunday, December 30
\$5,008.30
Mary, the Mother of God
\$996.00

Thank you for your generosity!

News and Noteworthy

We are in need of people to help with **coffee and donut set-up** on Sunday mornings. If you can help with this important hospitality ministry, please contact Veronica as soon as possible.

Portage County Dinner and Doctrine returns January 15 from 6-8 pm. Presenter Dr. Thomas Sauline joins us for *United in Jesus*. Tickets are \$25 and include a delicious buffet dinner at the Overlook. See Carmen Roebke for tickets or more information.

If you have moved within the last year, please email Veronica at the office with your new address. Having current membership information facilitates sending out tax letters.

Save the Date for our parish mission *Stories of Hope: How to Discover Your Life-Changing Faith Story* on January 28 and 29. The mission is 7-8:30 pm both evenings. More information coming soon!

This weekend, we celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord and witness the Magi presenting gold, frankincense, and myrrh to Jesus. For many of the families Catholic Charities serves, having a warm home during the cold winter months is a valuable gift. Please consider supporting Catholic Charities' **Keep the Kids Warm** campaign to provide utility assistance to poor and working poor families right here in our community. Visit www.ccdoy.org to learn more and to make a gift online. Thank you for your generosity!

ACME's Community Cash Back has concluded! You can still turn in receipts dated **August 9, 2018 through December 29, 2018** and drop them off in the box at the back of Church.

Stewardship Thought

*"...the Gentiles are co-heirs, members of the same body, and co-partners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the Gospel."
(Ephesians 3:6)*

Today we celebrate that Christ came to all of us, not just the Hebrews. He has given each of us unique gifts. We all have different yet equally valuable roles to play in the Body of Christ. Pray daily and ask God how He wants you to use your gifts so that we may all be one.

Vocation Thought

"Opening their treasure chests, they offered Him gifts." Are you beginning to see your life as a gift to be given to the Lord as a priest, deacon, religious sister or brother? Contact Fr. Christopher Luoni at cluoni@youngstowndiocese.org or 330-744-8451.

Religious Education

Our next **Confirmation Prep** session is Monday, January 14 at 7 pm in the library.

Parish Directory

If you would like to have your portrait in the parish directory but were unable to attend the photography sessions, you can submit a photo. The cost is \$10 which gets you a copy of the directory. The submitted photo may be sent to Veronica at the parish office in physical or digital format. Please do not send irreplaceable original photos. Digital photos must be in jpg, pdf, or tif files and resolution should be 600x900 minimum. **If you have not done so but would like to be in the directory, please submit your photo and payment as soon as possible.** If you have any questions or to submit your photo and \$10, please contact Veronica at 330-678-0240 or kentnewmancenter@gmail.com.

Readings for the Week of January 6, 2019

Sunday	The Epiphany of the Lord Is 60:1-6; Ps 72; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12
Monday	1 Jn 3:22-4:6; Ps 2; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25
Tuesday	1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72; Mk 6:34-44
Wednesday	1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72; Mk 6:45-52
Thursday	1 Jn 4:19-5:4; Ps 72; Lk 4:14-22
Friday	1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147; Lk 5:12-16
Saturday	1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149; Jn 3:22-30
Sunday	The Baptism of the Lord Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Ps 29; Acts 10:34-38; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Mass Intentions

If there is a loved one and/or friend you would like to remember at Mass, please contact the parish office to schedule dates. Mass offerings are \$10.00 each. You may place your offering in an envelope marked "Mass Intentions" and put it the collection basket.

If you use E-Giving:

Thank you to all who use electronic giving to support the parish! Just a reminder: as we move into a new calendar year you may need to go to members.myeoffering.com and schedule your payments for 2019. Also, if you are paying by credit card and have recently received a new credit card, please check your e-offering account; your donations might have been denied due to a card change. Contact the parish office if you need assistance.

Please keep in mind these additional collections in January:
January 27 - Church Overseas Combined Collection



From the Diocese

Each year in January we recall the Supreme Court decision *Roe v. Wade* that effectively legalized abortion on demand throughout the United States. Our diocese hosts two Masses for Life as a prayerful reminder that we "must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence." Bishop Murry will preside at the Masses for Life on:

- Sunday, January 13, at 12:00 pm at St. Paul Parish, 241 S. Main St., North Canton
- Sunday, January 20, at 4:00 pm at St. Columba Cathedral, 154 W. Wood St., Youngstown

Each Mass for Life will be followed by a reception. All are welcome – no reservations needed. For more information contact dschmidt@youngstowndiocese.org or call 330-744-8451 ext. 272.