

January 6, 2019

## *The Epiphany of the Lord*

Scripture is # 898 in the Journeysongs Hymnal



**FROM FATHER STEVE:** We have just celebrated another wonderful Christmas, with all the beautiful music and decorations at our Masses. Thank you to all who decorated our church and for those who practiced and sang this music to highlight the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ. Thank you to all who helped in any way and participated in worship during this time. We also appreciate the good times with our friends and family, visiting and sharing special foods.

Today we celebrate the coming of the wise men, astrologers, or kings as they are variously referred to. The important thing is that they were men from foreign lands who came to pay homage and respect to the newborn Jesus, King of the Jews. By those of learning coming from non-Jewish peoples, they point to the fact that Jesus has come as Savior to all people and nations. We are part of this worldwide humanity, who are called to accept gratefully and humbly this most important gift of God the Son himself being sent to us. We have the opportunity now and throughout our lives, of telling others of our joy in knowing Jesus and how He has affected our lives. Just as men from the East came to worship and acknowledge Him, all people are invited to welcome Him as King and savior of their lives.

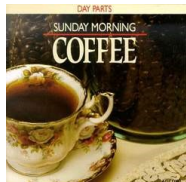
**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Wednesday's at 8:45 a.m. for one hour ending with Benediction. Join us!

**PARISHIONER 2019 CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES:** are in the back of church. Please take your packet home. Please note that we have re-numbered, so you may not have the same number as in 2018. **DO NOT USE 2018 envelopes in 2019.** If you do not see envelopes for your family and would like them, please let Bridget know. Thanks.

**UCA 2018...**Our 2018 Assessment at St. John's was \$25741.18 and we collected \$24160.50. Thank you to all who gave so generously to this Assessment.

**LOOKING FOR A WAY TO SERVE YOUR CHURCH?** As our snow birds leave for the winter, we are in need of more Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Ushers. Especially at the Saturday 5 pm Mass. If you can help, we will provide training. Please contact Bridget in the office at 387-1409 or Father Steve.

**March for Life St. Paul:** The Diocese of Duluth will be sponsoring buses bound for the annual March for Life in the Twin Cities on January 22nd to the State Capitol. The day will begin with 7:00 am Mass at the Cathedral of Our Lady, Duluth, boarding the bus after Mass and stopping at Pine City to pick up additional marchers. Participants are asked to contribute \$10 to help defray bus charges. For more information and registration go to [www.dioceseduluth.org](http://www.dioceseduluth.org) or call 218-724-9111.



**JOIN US....**For Coffee and after Sunday Mass in the church hall.



When they had heard the king they went their way; and lo, the star which they had seen in the East went before them, till it came to rest over the place where the child was [Mt. 2:9].

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**Saint John's Catholic Church — Grand Marais**

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**Holy Rosary Catholic Church — Grand Portage**

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## Saint John's — Grand Marais

**Saturday** SAINT JOHN NEUMANN 1/5/19

4:00-4:30 p.m. **Sacrament of Penance**  
5:00 p.m. **+Mass**— *Ellen Dolan*  
Lector.....Mary Petz  
Communion...Kelly Summers, Dennis Waldrop,  
Maggie Waldrop  
Ushers.....Ben Petz, Jerry Kohl

**Sunday** THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD 1/6/19

9:00 a.m. **Mass** — *Alison —Health & Healing*  
Lector .....Mitch Dorr  
Communion...Deacon Peter Mueller  
Mike Tibodeau, Carline Gresczyk  
Ushers.....Adam & Jacob Dorr

10:00 a.m. **Coffee Social**

**Monday** MONDAY AFTER EPIPHANY 1/7/19  
SAINT RAYMOND OF PENYAFORT

8:15 a.m. **+Mass** — *David Miller*

**Tuesday** WEEKDAY IN CHRISTMAS 1/8/19

7:45 a.m. **Rosary**  
8:15 a.m. **+Mass** — *Florence Gervais*

**Wednesday** WEEKDAY IN CHRISTMAS 1/9/19

8:15 a.m. **+Mass** — *Guy Langenbrunner*  
8:45– 9:45 a.m. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
3:30 -4:45 p.m. **Religious Education grades 1-5th**  
6:00-7:30 p.m. **Religious Education grades 6-11th**

**Thursday** WEEKDAY IN CHRISTMAS 1/10/19

7:45 a.m. **Rosary**  
8:15 a.m. **Mass** — *Kathy Kimball-Health & Healing*

**Friday** WEEKDAY IN CHRISTMAS 1/11/19

8:15 a.m. **Morning Prayer with Divine Mercy Chaplet**

**Saturday** WEEKDAY IN CHRISTMAS 1/12/19

4:00-4:30 p.m. **Sacrament of Penance**  
5:00 p.m. **+Mass**— *For the Parishioners of St. Johns*  
Lector.....Bridget Sobieck  
Communion...Mike Boland, See Phillips,  
Millie Spry  
Ushers.....Mike Pratt, Harvey Sobieck

**Sunday** THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD 1/13/19

9:00 a.m. **+Mass** — *Charlotte Maciejewski*  
Lector.....Jennie Hennessy  
Communion...Deacon Peter Mueller,  
Audrey Cain, Gary Maciejewski  
Ushers.....Rick & Tate Crawford

10:00 a.m. **Coffee Social**

## Holy Rosary — Grand Portage

**Sunday** THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD 1/6/19

11:30 a.m. **Mass**— *For the Parishioners of Holy Rosary*

**Tuesday** THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD 1/13/19

11:30 a.m. **+Mass**— *Margaret Clemons*

### Scripture Readings 1-13-19:

#### The Baptism of the Lord:

Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7

Acts 10:34-38

Luke 3:15-16, 21-22



### Please Pray For...



Lois Schardin, Paul Tersteeg, Pat Dolan,  
Kate Black, Alison, Amber Waldrop, John  
White, Grace Cain, and all seminarians,  
priests and deacons in our Diocese.

### Weekend Contributions

#### St. John's December 30, 2018

Envelopes & Plate: \$2016.06

UCA 2018 \$24160.50 UCA Assessment \$25741.18

#### Holy Rosary December 30, 2018

Envelopes & Plate: \$156.00

UCA 2018 \$3004.33 UCA Assessment \$3004.33

### Jesus is Adored by the Magi

Consider how the infant God is visited and adored by the Magi, who though Gentiles, were enlightened by faith to acknowledge this Man-God as their Savior, and offered to him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

Let us pray: Most adorable Redeemer, I, too, have received from you this great gift of faith. I thank you for this gift and I beg you, by the glory of your manifestation, to grant me, like the Magi, to respond in faith and be faithful to your gift of grace. I desire to be always faithful in your service. Fill my heart with your love and make me both chaste and holy.

Amen.