

***EPIPHANY OF THE LORD***  
***JANUARY 7, 2018***



# **St. John the Baptist Catholic Church**

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**Reverend Robustiano Morgia, Pastor**  
**Deacon Warren R. Pierre**  
**Mrs. Veronica Alexander, CCD Coordinator**

**Mass Schedule**  
**Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.**  
**Sunday: 7:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.**  
**Tuesday-Friday 8:00 a.m.**

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## *Epiphany of the Lord*

All kings shall pay him homage, all nations shall serve him.

— Psalm 72:11



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### **GOD'S PROMISE TO ALL PEOPLE**

Today Isaiah reminds the people of God that the land shall be restored to their possession, they shall rejoice to see their people return from the bondage of exile, and that they shall be a light to the nations. In other words, through the people of Israel, the Savior shall come to all people who seek God with a sincere heart. This brings joy and the radiance of God's glory to all the world and to all people everywhere. Through the fidelity of the people of God, and through God's fidelity to them, all people shall become God's children and rejoice in the fulfillment of God's promise to Israel.

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**KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER LADIES AUXILIARY**, will meet Monday, January 8, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the Catholic Center.

**KNIGHTS OF PETER CLAVER**, will meet Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Catholic Center.

**WEEKLY COLLECTION ENVELOPES**—Please pick up your box of collection envelopes in the vestibule of the church.

**MASS INTENTION**—Sheets are located on the table in rear of the church.

**SANCTUARY LIGHTS** for 2018 are available. Offering is \$10.00 each.



**Tuesday, Jan. 9 @ 8:00 a.m.**

Youcha Marie Oubre

**Wednesday, Jan. 10 @ 8:00 a.m.**

Lise & Jules Gendron and Sons

**Thursday, Jan. 11 @ 8:00 a.m.**

Margaret S. Lumar

**Friday, Jan. 12 @ 8:00 a.m.**

Rogers Washington

**Saturday, Jan. 13 @ 4:00 p.m.**

Estella Samuel, Doris Schexnayder, Mr. & Mrs. Warren Oubre, Sr., Kermit Loupe, Sr., Raymond Pierre, Sr., Mr. & Mrs. Edward Gaines, Sr., Mary W. Victor, Gary Roussel

**Sunday, Jan. 14 @ 7:00 a.m.**

Joseph G. Caire, Timothy Donald, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Boudoin, Sr., and Family, Audrey Gautier, Kevin P. Joseph, Carlos Morris, Joseph Bovie

**Sunday, Jan. 14 @ 11:00 a.m.**

For All Parishioners



**THE SANCTUARY LIGHT**  
burns in memory of  
**MARGO SAMUEL JOSEPH**

**FAITHFUL DEPARTED** — Carlos Morris  
Malcolm August



***JOURNEY THRU THE BIBLE***

“Word of God, enlighten our learning, love and life for God and one another.”

Bible Study will continue Tuesday, January 2, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the Catholic Center.

**Facilitator: Leroy Baker**



Theresa Adams, Jayden Bailey,  
Gail Becnel, Adeline Bethencourt,  
Olga Boudoin, Orelia Boudoin,  
Steven Brignac, Sr., Sharey Caire, Fernand Dinvaout, Lillian Dinvaout, Philomena Dinvaout, Diane Dumas, Betty Duronslet, Rona Duronslet, Larry Edwards, Adele Eubaire, Gardenia Hilaire, Helen Hilaire, Joseph Hilaire, Jason & Shelia Isom, Arberdella Jackson, Gerald Michael Keizerweerd, Irene Legaux, Linda Legaux, Haston Lewis, Sr., Viola Louis, Lorita Lumar, Mary Lumar, Chyna Nelson, Larenze Pierre, Peter Pierre, Wilbert Roussel, Lorita Savoie, Claudia Schexnayder, Bertha Sorapuru, Russell & Theresa Sorapuru, Bertha Sylvain, Jacob Reed Williams, Mary Williams

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mk 1:7-11  
 Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20 or 1 Sm 1:1-8 and 1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Mk 1:21-28 or Mk 1:14-20 and Mk 1:21-28  
 Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2, 5, 7-10; Mk 1:29-39  
 Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25; Mk 1:40-45  
 Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89:16-19; Mk 2:1-12  
 Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a; Ps 21:2-7; Mk 2:13-17

**WEEKLY OFFERING**

December 23, 24 & 25, 2017



Weekly Envelopes \$3,699  
 Christmas 1,549  
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**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — You shall be radiant at what you see, your heart shall throb and overflow (Isaiah 60:1-6).

**Psalm** — Lord, every nation on earth will adore you (Psalm 72).

**Second Reading** — The Gentiles are copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

**Gospel** — The magi were overjoyed at seeing the star (Matthew 2:1-12).



**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord;  
National Migration Week;  
Julian Calendar Christmas  
 Monday: The Baptism of the Lord  
 Tuesday: First Week in Ordinary Time begins  
 Saturday: St. Hilary; Blessed Virgin Mary

**MINISTERIAL ASSIGNMENTS — JANUARY 13 & 14, 2018**

MASS	ALTARSERVERS	LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS
4:00 PM	Jason August, Jr. Jacob Bailey	Deola Ellis	Grace Cook Moyna Numa
7:00 AM	Florence Joseph	Lula Lumar	Terry Powell Jackie Lumar
11:00 AM	Dominique Lewis Nicholas Perrilloux	Dolores Sorapuru	Katherine Pierre James Pierre

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