

Epiphany of the Lord

Parishes of

St. Ann, Holy Angels, St. Louis and St. Joseph

Epiphany of Our Lord January 6-7

Sat.	4:00PM Vigil (SA)	+Wally Vennette
Sun.	8:00AM (SA)	+Maria Fernandez
	10:00AM (HA)	+Janice Lafountain

Week of January 8-12

Mon. (HA)	8:00 AM	+Dwight Smart
Tues. (SA)	8:00 AM	+Bruce Sample
Weds.	NO MASS	
Thurs. (SA)	8:00 AM	+Hortense Boutin
Fri. (HA)	8:00AM	+Dale Deso

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 13-14

Sat.	4:00PM Vigil (SA)	+Robert Hough
Sun.	8:00AM (SA)	+Wilfred LaValley
	10:00AM (HA)	+Lisa Bray

Giving Report

St. Ann:	\$2188.00
St. Louis	\$95.00
St. Joseph:	\$861.00
Holy Angels:	\$1287.00

Sanctuary Candle

Souls in Purgatory
 Sanctuary Not Open
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 +Rev. Gilbert Boisvert

**What you are able to give is a great help. Please consider remembering your parish when there is a death in the family...any and all donations are very important to us!*

News in our Parishes

Thank You: Fr. Adrian and Deacon would like to thank all those who remembered them with cards and gifts at Christmas. We are always overwhelmed by your generosity and goodness to us. Thank you.

-We would like to thank The Morrow's for sending subs, soda and chips to us as we decorated Holy Angels for Christmas.

-Sincere gratitude for those who helped to decorate the churches for Christmas. There were lots of compliments and there was enough help in each church, despite the time when we were allowed and able to decorate. Thank you.

-We collectively thank the Brown Funeral Home and the Hamilton Funeral Home for their kindness and generosity in providing us with new 2018 Calendars.

-There will be a breakfast held in Holy Angels Parish Hall on Jan. 14th from 7:30AM to 12:00Noon. \$8 per person \$5 per child.

Bishops Fund Report

Holy Angels:	\$3,596.00 of \$4,797.00
St. Ann's:	\$10,175.00, of \$11,497.00
St. Louis:	\$375.00 of \$863.00
St. Joseph's:	\$3,105.00 of \$4,964.00

Epiphany Dinner

Remember this Sunday, January 7th, is our Epiphany dinner. If you signed up don't forget to come! Dinner will be at 3PM.

Christmas Collections

St. Ann's:	\$1,962.00
St. Louis:	\$139.00
Holy Angels:	\$2,514.00
St. Joseph's:	\$845.00

Weekend Collections

St. Ann's:	\$1,289 (24 th)
St. Louis:	\$50.00 (24 th)
Holy Angels:	\$1,402.00 (24 th)
St. Joseph's:	\$590.00 (24 th)

**Thank you to all who contributed to your parish this Christmas. (75% of the Christmas collection goes to support the retirement of priests and 25% stays in the parish.)*

This last weekend of the Christmas Season affords our reflection to understand that quickly there was a response to the riches this Christ child would bring to us with a return of what we could offer Him. This pattern has been close to Christian tradition and is readily identified with Christian living: "what can I give in return for what you have done for me." In many instances the gifting of "things" like gold, frankincense and myrrh isn't within the means of most Christians. Over the centuries it was understood that the most appropriate gift we could offer was our very self. In this way all are giving the same and all are responding to the reality that Christ brings to us eternal life, forgiveness of our sins, and a relationship with the very God who has created the universe. Nothing other than ourselves is a gift in this sense...so how much are you prepared to give this Epiphany? Why are you holding back? Is another gift your preference and if so is it acceptable?

