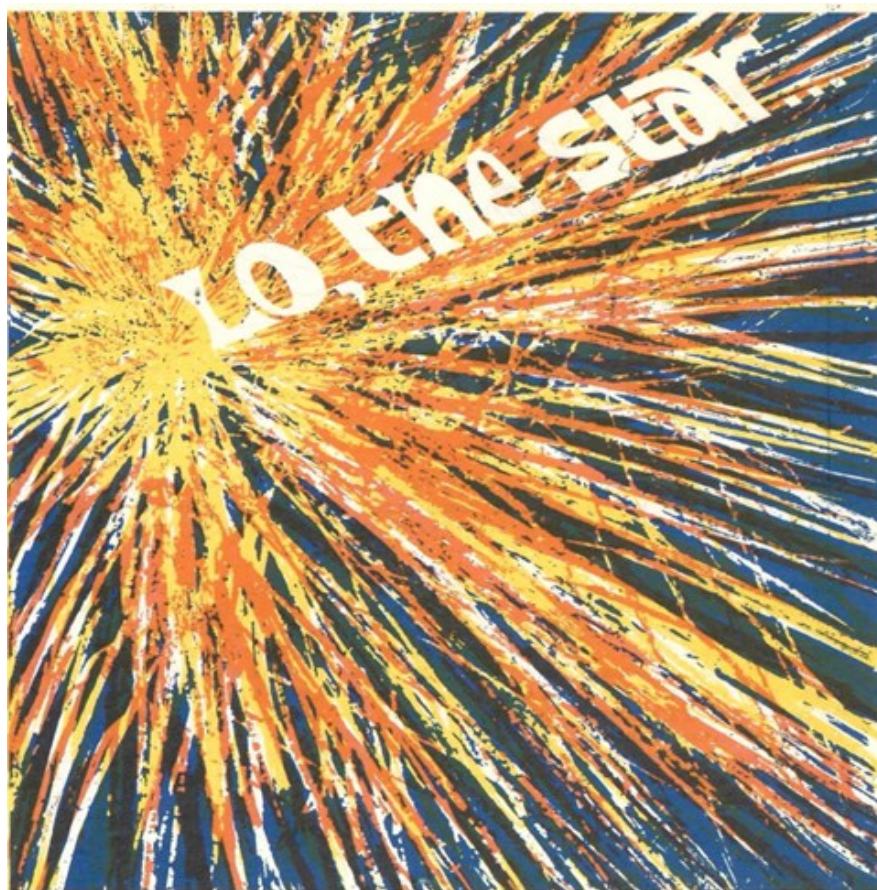




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## ***Epiphany of the Lord***

### **January 3, 2021**

This Week: Isaiah 60:1-6; Psalm: 72; Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6; Matthew 2:1-12

Next Week: Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7; Psalm: 29; Acts 10:34-38; Mark 1:7-11

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

*The Mission of St. Patrick Catholic Community is to proclaim and live the Gospel message of unconditional love, healing, and reconciliation, through prayer, celebration, and action on behalf of justice, as a sign of hope for all God's people.*

# PARISH NEWS

## Today's Psalm Response

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

## **SUNDAY MASS In The Church January 10**

**Seating is extremely limited and is by  
Online Sign-up**

**8:30 Mass**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/129032962063>

**11:00 Mass**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/129033062363>

**5:15 Mass**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/129033433473>

**Live streamed Mass  
every Sunday at 11am**

[www.facebook.com/  
StPatrickCatholicChurchMemphis](http://www.facebook.com/StPatrickCatholicChurchMemphis)



Replayed on YouTube **after 1:00 pm**  
[www.youtube.com/channel/  
UCYTZjk9suUZtMilmb-IYBIw](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCYTZjk9suUZtMilmb-IYBIw)



## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**



by appointment only

Call the office 901-527-2542  
to schedule an appointment

Can be done face-to-face or anonymously.

## **Father Val's Homilies**

Father Val's recent homilies are available on our website: [www.stpatsmemphis.org](http://www.stpatsmemphis.org). Click Homilies.

The Sunday Bulletin is also available on the website, in color.

## **Word Eucharist Life**

Matthew 2  
Isaiah 60  
Psalm 72  
Ephesians 3

## **Epiphany of the Lord**



Magi were astrologers  
who represent

our Gentile ancestors  
in receiving the revelation  
of Christ

While travelers from the East  
came to give homage  
to the newborn Messiah  
the Jewish king sought to kill him

This whole story shows  
the preeminence of the Christ  
over the occult and its sorcerers  
and tells us that the Holy One  
comes among us for all nations  
We are to give thanks for the gift  
of the Christ among us all

We are to rid ourselves  
of all the occult attachments  
that we have playing the odds  
with our decisions  
and allow ourselves to trust  
in the One who came for our  
salvation from fear and anxiety

The Magi brought gifts  
to the Babe in Bethlehem  
Yet we are the ones  
who have received the greatest Gift  
Like the Magi we are to be searchers  
for the coming of God  
into the texture of our lives  
even in their everydayness  
As searchers led by the Spirit  
we give joyful thanks for all  
that brings us closer to the Holy One

# PARISH NEWS

## *Please pray for the sick in our parish community, our friends and loved ones:*

Margretta daLomba Dobbs, Craig Hodges, Barbara Weddle (Brenda Somes' mother), Ralph David Kelley (Sandy Heiss' step-grand-father), Tom and Pat Gorney (Tom's parents), Lucinda Lee, Rusty Ramsey, John Letchworth, Lois and Coy Henderson, Maureen Hough, David Farley (Jeff's father), Stephen Golanka (Mary Evans' son), Patrick Harkins, Troy Strickland, Bill Morman (Monica and Stephen Juma's uncle), Ella Herod (Mike Garrett's mother), Samantha Smith, Terry Nesmith, Peggy Pera, Deacon Eugene Champion, Fr. Eric Peterson, Brad Patterson, Theresa

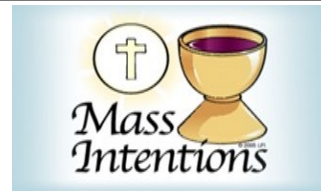
Gifford, Ray Berthiaume, Phyllis Somerville, Ginger Tubbs (John's mother), Robert Anthony Lucas, Norma Millan Zalamea, Dot Eubanks, Joyce Johnson, Daniel "Mickey" Farrell, Fr. Michael "Mickey" Stewart, Jerry Handwerker (Fr. Val's cousin), June Greene (Bob Green's stepmother), Kevin David, Chuck Coggin, Travis Handwerker, Della Miles, Archbishop Joseph Kurtz of Louisville, Earl Randle, Shelby Terry (Ray and Louise Terry's daughter-in-law), Jerry Foster, Anne Lee Buford, Mary Baldwin, Shantia Baldwin, Sharon Shea and Family, Deidre Smith, Fenton McEvoy, Joy Asbury, Jeanne Richardson, Robert Collins, Fred Robinson, Richard Asbury, Peggy Cunn-



**Notify Parish Office:** If you or someone you know is hospitalized or homebound and would like to be added to our prayer list, or if someone has recovered and should be removed from our list, please call the parish office at 901-527-2542.



*Offertory Donations for Christmas, December 27 and New Year's Day will be reported in next week's bulletin.*



Jan 3, 11:00 am, +Arnold "Noli" Castro by Gene Mangiante

## *May They Rest in God's Eternal Embrace*



Parishioner Anthony Biggers passed away December 22, 2020

Former St. Patrick Jubilee School teacher, Essie Paylor passed away Christmas Day, 2020

*We offer our prayers and heartfelt condolences to their family and friends.*

## WEEKLY CALENDAR Jan 3 - Jan 10

### **Sunday, January 3**

- 8:30 am, 11:00 am, and 5:15 pm Masses with limited seating
- 11:00 am, Mass live streamed on Facebook
- 12:00 pm, Soup Kitchen, Outreach Center

### **Monday, January 4**

- Office Closed

### **Tuesday, January 5**

- 5:15 pm Mass, Church

### **Wednesday, January 6**

- 5:15 pm Mass, Church

### **Thursday, January 7**

- 5:15 pm Mass, Church

### **Friday, January 8**

- 5:15 pm Mass, Church

### **Sunday, January 10**

- 8:30 am, 11:00 am, and 5:15 pm Masses with limited seating
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January 3, 2021	8:30	11:00	5:15
Lector 1	Fran Berendse	Marvin Sttockwell	Dave Smith
Lector 2	Jan Kidder	Bob Greene	Donna McLellan
EMHC		Anne Stubblefield	Shannon Curtis
Cantor			
Musician			
Altar Server	Jonathan Nichols		
Sacristan	Andrea Nichols	Marlene Keenan	Eugene Mangiante
Flowers	Christmas		

January 10, 2021	8:30	11:00	5:15
Lector 1	Mike Stengel	Jen Sneed	Donna McLellan
Lector 2	Rhea Thomas	Bob Greene	Linda Jackson
EMHC	Kate Pera	Joe Birch	Sharon Shea
Cantor			
Musician			
Altar Server	Jonathan Nichols	George Espinoza	
Sacristan	Andrea Nichols	Mike Watermeier	Eugene Mangiante
Flowers	Christmas		

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**Parish Office Hours**  
**Tuesday - Friday**  
**8:30am - 4:30pm**