

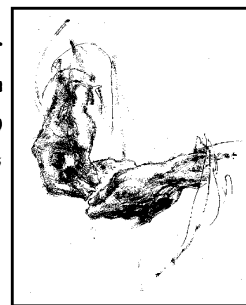
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Were not our hearts burning as he spoke to us on the road ...

And they recognized him

IN THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Gospel of Luke 24: 13-35



## Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church

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## Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm Standard Time

5:00 pm Daylight Time

Sunday 8:00am, 10:30am

## Daily Mass Schedule

6:30 am Tuesday/Thursday

8:00 am Monday/Wednesday/Friday

8:00 am Wednesday/Thursday

Christ Light of the Nations School

Check the Bulletin each week

for schedule changes.

## Holy Days of Obligation

8:00 am, and 7:00 pm

## Civil Holidays 9:00 am

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 2:30-3:30 (CST);

3:30-4:30 (CDT)

## Advent &amp; Lent Reconciliation Services

By appointment at any time—

call priest directly.

## Liturgy of the Hours

7:35am Monday/Wednesday/Friday

## Eucharistic Adoration

7:00am Tuesday-midnight

Wednesday

## Becoming a Catholic Christian

The parish has a year-round/on-going process to assist adults in becoming Catholic. It also has a special program for older unbaptized children. Both can start any time. Call Deacon George (868-2310) for further information

## Sacrament of Marriage

Engaged couples begin preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage at least 6 months before their wedding. Please remember—a wedding date will not be scheduled until the assessment of their readiness for the Sacrament of Marriage has been completed. Contact the rectory for more information. Weddings are not scheduled during the Season of Lent. Anointing of the Sick

The sacrament is for those having surgery, the seriously ill, the chronically ill, and those near death. If you know in advance that you are going to the hospital, call one of the priests to arrange for anointing at home or church. In addition the sacrament is celebrated at church on the first Saturday of the month after evening Mass and on the third Sunday of the month after 8:00 Mass. It may be repeated as needed.

A PLEDGE TO  
PARISH LIFE

My parish is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them.

It will do great work, if I work. It will make generous gifts to causes, if I am a generous giver.

It will bring other people into its community, if I invite and bring them.

It will be a parish of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and faith, and a parish with a noble spirit, if I, who make it what it is, am filled with these same things.

Therefore, with the help of God, I shall dedicate myself to the task of being all the things that I want my parish to be.

# IHS

## Highlights of Life in Our Community Our Parish Life

### Good for You - Good for Others

*Details in your bulletin or Parish Directory.  
Being involved insures the vitality of our parish.*

#### Sunday, January 2nd The Feast of the Epiphany

- Soup Stew & Chili Program

#### Monday, January 3rd The Feast of the Holy Name of Jesus

*Celebration of Mass, 8:00am  
Pot Luck Supper, 5:45pm—8:30pm*

- Exercise Class
- Pastoral Leadership Team Meeting
- Pinochle Club

#### Tuesday, January 4th

- Eucharistic Adoration & Visits
- Just Faith Program

#### Wednesday, January 5th

- Eucharistic Adoration & Visits
- Parish Hospitality: Coffee & Donuts
- Parish Quilting

#### Saturday, January 8th

- Sacrament of Penance

#### Sunday, January 9th The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

- Men's Council Communion Breakfast
- Parish Credit Union

## Coming Special Events

### CATHOLIC MEN FOR CHRIST

2011 St. Louis Conference

Saturday, January 29, 2011, 7:00a—4:00p

### HOLY NAME TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday, January 29th, 2011, 6:00pm

### CATHOLIC WOMEN FOR CHRIST

2011 St. Louis Conference

Saturday, March 5th, 7:30am—5:30pm

## Celebrating Our Life, Our Faith With Burning Hearts In The Name of Jesus—Our Lord and Savior

**WE ARE CELEBRATING OUR PARISH FEAST DAY** this week on Monday. Mass will be celebrated at 8:00am in the morning. We will also have a pot-luck supper in the evening at 6:30pm. There are more details on this in today's bulletin. I encourage everyone to be a part of these events, if at all possible. We've begun using in church **four oil lamps** as a symbol for the **four fundamental characteristics of a Christian**—especially a parish, home, or group of any kind. If you want to be called "Christian" these qualities must be evident. Let's use our feast this year to celebrate how true they are of us as well as our calling to grow together in faith this



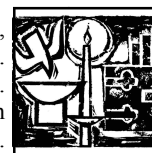
**WE ARE CALLED TO COMMUNITY** To be a "gathered" and "gathering" community. We remember and celebrate today all the ways we are "coming together". We pray that the Spirit will continue to help us know when and how to bring people closer to each other and to God - to a sense of belonging and being "connected".

**WE ARE CALLED TO SERVICE** To the "mission" of Christ on Earth. We remember and celebrate that we are gifted for our own happiness and for the good of others. We pray that the Spirit will continue to help us to know our goodness, to respect the dignity of all persons, and to care for the material and social needs of others.



**WE ARE CALLED TO GOSPEL VALUES** To be more like Jesus - the "sacrament" of God's love. We remember and celebrate today the story of Jesus, Son of God and Son of Mary. We pray that the Spirit will continue to help us know when and in what ways we must proclaim the Gospel teaching and way of life of Jesus.

**WE ARE CALLED TO WORSHIP** To be a "prayerful" community, nourished and inspired through our celebrations of the sacraments. We remember and celebrate today the real presence of Christ among us. We pray that the Spirit will continue to help us give special attention to the importance and central place of the Eucharist in our lives.



## A BLESSING OF CALENDARS FOR THE NEW YEAR

**S**how us, most loving God,  
at the beginning of this new year  
how with your grace we might become masters of the art of living  
and of spending the gift of time.

Give us a beginner's mind, fresh and open,  
that we may see countless ways to explore  
the promise these days hold, as a gift from you.

May we approach the tasks  
and unknown challenges that await us as if it were the first time.

Grace us with insight as we use this time  
to explore new ways to live each day.

Bless our calendars,  
these ordered lists of days, weeks, and months,  
of holidays, holydays, fasts and feasts -  
all our special days of remembering.

May our calendars grace our homes and our lives,  
may they teach us the secret  
that all life is meant for celebration and contemplation.

Bless, Lord, this new year, each of its 365 days and nights.  
Grant to us, Lord, the new year's gift of a year of love.

All this we ask in the Spirit of Your Love, now and forever. Amen.

*From the Prayers of Father Ed Hayes*

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>January 3</b>
<b>8:00am</b>	Marcella Nogalski
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>January 4</b>
<b>6:30am</b>	Pauline Hofer
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>January 5</b>
<b>8:00am</b>	Bill Behan
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>January 6</b>
<b>6:30am</b>	Roland Kulla
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>January 7</b>
<b>8:00am</b>	Kenneth & Kerry Paradise
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>January 8</b>
<b>4:00pm</b>	Lottie Phelps
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>January 9</b>
<b>8:00am</b>	Jim Roche
<b>10:30am</b>	Tim Ferrell

**Health Advisory**  
**It is That Time of Year Again**

Your commitment to Mass is a sign of the vitality of our parish. However, for the health of our whole community, if you are not feeling well, be attentive to these recommendations:

**Don't Come to Church:**

- With a fever-be fever free for 24hrs
- When you're not feeling well-achy, tired, sore throat, no energy
- When you're coughing and sneezing a lot with a runny nose or headache

**When You Do Come To Church:**

- Use hand sanitizer at church entrances
- With slight symptoms of or flu-
  - \*Don't take communion from the cup
  - \*Offer the sign of peace with a friendly wave or simple bow

Thank you for your cooperation in taking responsibility for the health of our community. Remember, it's sad to miss Mass when you're sick or taking care of someone who's sick, but **not sinful**.

**Eucharistic Ministers****January 8-9**

**4:00pm** Eileen Mills\*, Carol Oldendorf\*, Frank Schneider, Linda Schneider, Alma Smith, Lynda Brand, Nancy Cooke, Larry Cooke, Barb Ellington-D

**8:00am** Betty Easley\*, Diana Goodwin\*, Sandy Hamm, Betty Kondracki, Karen Kulla, Merry Marquart, Sr. Rose, Rita Nieman, Bernice Parciak-D

**10:30am** Bill Krenn\*, Judy Krenn\*, Mary Nogalski, Marian Rosegrant, Judi Sams, Janet Ulreich, Mike Walsh, Regina Anderson, Linda Byrns-D

**LECTORS****January 8-9**

**4:00pm** Marilyn Gittemeier  
**8:00am** Pat Stolte  
**10:30am** Jim Cuidon

**Mass Servers****January 10-14**

**8:00am** Jim & Joan Cuidon

**January 8-9**

**4:00pm**  
**8:00am**  
**10:30am**

**Gift Bearers****January 8-9**

**4:00pm** Hayes Family  
**8:00am** Men's Council  
**10:30am** Dan Sextro & Kim Paubel

**EMERGENCY NUMBERS**

If you do not have an emergency contact number on file with the office, PLEASE, call and give us one. There have been situations when we needed to contact a "next of kin", and did not have an emergency number. Please let us help you in a more timely fashion.



### Teachers Instructions

#### Gift Giving

The holidays are over, but the spirit of Christmas and gift giving does not have to be over.

Give of yourself!

Think of something helpful to do for someone you love, fill out the coupon below, cut it out, and give it to the person you wish to help.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ love you so much  
that I will \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ love you so much  
that I will \_\_\_\_\_

# GOD'S WORD FOR CHILDREN!

The Epiphany of the Lord

January 2, 2011

*When Jesus was born three wise men were sent by King Herod to find the newborn King of the Jews.*

Is 60:1-6  
Eph 3:2-3, 5-6

Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13  
Mt 2:1-12

Directions: Find and circle as many KING's as you can below.

K	I	N	G	N	I	K	G
I	K	I	N	G	K	I	N
N	I	K	I	N	G	N	I
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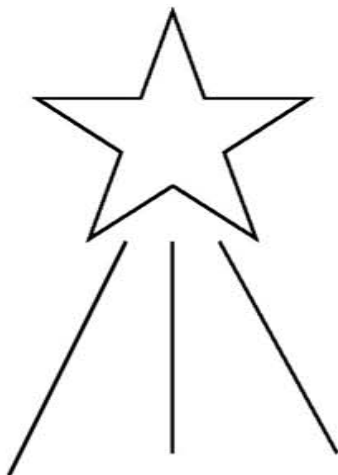
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*They followed the star and found Jesus.  
They honored Him and gave Him treasures of  
gold, frankincense, and myrrh.*

Directions: Draw Jesus in the stable below the star



*They were warned in a dream not to return to  
King Herod because he wanted to do away with  
Jesus. They returned to their country by a  
different way.*

Directions: There are many words above that have the letter "e"  
in them. Write those words below if they also have  
the "long e" sound.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

**HAPPY****NEW YEAR**

As we welcome this New Year, here are a few thoughts to great each new day...

Be **AMAZED** at the Presence of God .

Have **GRATITUDE** for life.

Live with **HOPE** that all will be well.

Have **COURAGE** to meet what will be hard.

Have **CONVICTION** to do what is good.

Be **OPEN** to the greater truth.

Have **COMPASSION** for all that are hurting.

Have a **SENSE OF KINSHIP** with all whom I love.

Have **RESPECT** for those with different views.

Have **DETERMINATION** to make good choices

Have **HESITATION** when thinking about pain that may come.

Have a **LONGING** for ever greater inner **PEACE**

Have **HAPPINESS**, knowing I am loved by God.

And above all, **THANK GOD** for the opportunity to walk into another year of life.

Peace to you and a very Peace-filled New Year.

S.Rose, SSND, RN



If you or a family member or friend are admitted to the hospital, please call the office at 868-2310 and give us that information. We would love to visit you and have the community pray for you. Because of HIPA, the hospitals will not let us know you are there.



### ROOM AT THE INN NEWS

For many years, our community has been providing dinner, companionship, warmth and a place to sleep for the homeless guests of Room at the Inn. This usually happens on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month and takes place in the common area of our Parish Office. It is a wonderful experience for all who are involved.

In January, we will be able to provide a second night for the guests of Room at the Inn. The parishioners of St. Rose Philippine Duchesne will be staffing and providing the service to the guests. This will be happening on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month and they will be using our common area.

We are excited to be partnering with the parishioners of St. Rose. In working together, we are able to provide more service to so many people who are in need.

If you are interested in being a part of this wonderful experience, please call S. Rose at 868-2310. There are many, many ways that you can be a part of it. You won't be sorry !!!!!





# Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of all who have died this week. May their soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

**LADIES GUILD MEETING** on Monday, January 10th at 7:00pm in the Community Center. Start the New Year with your friends for an evening of refreshments and a game or two of Bingo!!! All women of the parish are welcome!!

*Trivia Night at Holy Name of Jesus*

*Saturday, January 29th, 2011*

*Tables of 8 \$160.00*

*Doors Open at 6pm 1st Question at 7pm*

*Beer & Soda Included*

*50/50's & Raffle Baskets*

*Proceeds to Fran Saullo Benenati*

*Reservations required: call Don & Diane Merz  
869-6371 or 393-5207*

## Announcing the 4th Annual Archdiocesan Catholic Men for Christ Conference 2011

Saturday  
January 29, 2011  
SLU Busch Student Center  
(Grand at Laclede)  
Free parking

"Fight the good fight,  
Keeping faith and a good conscience."  
1 Timothy 1:18b-19a NASB

Cost \$45 Register online today  
[www.catholicmenforchrist.org](http://www.catholicmenforchrist.org)

St. Louis Catholic Men for Christ is an apostolate of  
the Archdiocese of St. Louis

## MENTAL HEALTH SEMINAR

Holy Name of Jesus and NAMI or National Alliance on Mental Illness will be happy to speak on the subject of mental health. Please join us on **Saturday, February 5th, 2011 at 10am in the HNJ Community Center.** The title of the seminar is "Mental Health –An Issue Often Avoided". The seminar will focus on mental illness definitions, myths about mental illness, the different diagnoses of mental illness, affects on a person with mental illness and their family and programs and support available to those affected by mental illness.

This seminar is not just for those diagnosed with mental illness, but for anyone who is touched by it in some way. Maybe one of your parents, or your son or daughter, or a grandchild or close friend, or even a neighbor has been diagnosed with mental illness. Being knowledgeable of a condition provides us with understanding and compassion. Knowing facts and myths gives us a drive to educate others. And with regards to mental health, the more people that are educated, the more open they can be in the future.

Watch for flyers posted at entrances to church. Invite family, neighbors and friends. The seminar will be 30-60 minutes with an opportunity for questions, and a continental breakfast will be provided.

### **JANUARY 27, 2011**

**Altogether Gift** at Pallottine Renewal Center, 6:30 –8:30pm. Have you begun to wonder about the mystery of life? Do you want to discover the fullness of life Jesus proclaimed? Take a moment to pause and reflect on your journey. These six Sessions will help you encounter the presence of God in your life. Sessions continue in Jan, Feb, and Mar. Presented by Sr. Agnes Chawadik SAC. Suggested donation \$10. For info: 314-837-7100

**VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

Martha Rehagen has willingly and without reservation served this community for 20+ years by hosting a blood drive twice a year in our community center. She is seeking retirement and therefore needs a replacement. The only requirements are to be able to have the community center open and remain there during the blood drive and then close up the community center. There are only two blood drives per year in which you would be responsible for and they are both on Tuesdays. If Tuesdays do not work for you, Saturdays are also available. Please contact Buffy Modde if you are interested in serving your parish community.

**GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE**

What better gift to give a person than the gift of life! Holy Name of Jesus and the American Red Cross are holding a blood drive in the Community Center on Tuesday, January 18<sup>th</sup> from 3PM-7PM. There is no upper age limit, 16y/o's must have parental consent. Please have a form of identification with you.

**All presenting donors will receive a free Rock & Roll T-shirt.**

**Also, all presenting donors will be registered to win**

1. An expense paid trip for two to Las Vegas featuring tickets to Cirque du Soleil's Viva Elvis and accommodations at ARIA Resort & Casino™ at CityCenter.

2. A VIP expense paid trip for two to Memphis featuring VIP Graceland access and accommodations at The Peabody Hotel and much more.



Allow me to share a privilege that has become mine.

Last year, 16 of us (parishioners from Holy Name of Jesus, St. Ferdinand's, St. Norbert's, and St. Rose) took part in a wonderful program called JUST FAITH.

As a result of that program, I realized that I needed to look out of my "comfort zone" and minister in another way.

After much prayer and reflection, I approached the leaders of my Community and asked to be given permission to be a part of a missionary endeavor in Belize. I was wholeheartedly given that permission...to carry the Good News of Jesus to Belize, along with the spirit of our Foundress, Mother Theresa.

And so, very early on the morning of January 8<sup>th</sup>, I will be leaving with 19 other men and women to spend 10 days in the very poorest parts of Belize.

I will be back and ready to minister in this my Holy Name of Jesus Community on January 24<sup>th</sup>. I look forward to sharing with you the experiences of my time in Belize.

I also ask that you pray for me while I am there. I rely on your support in a very real way and I assure you that I will carry you in my heart as I meet God's poor in Belize.

Sister Rose, SSND

**DID YOU KNOW?**

Did you know that we have a Notary in the office. If you are in need of one please call 868-2310 and ask for Juanita.

**Anyone wishing a 2010 contribution statement from October 31st to December 31st, please call the parish office Monday— Friday 8:30am— 4:00pm.**





*Stewardship of Treasure*  
**Your Gifts of Support for  
 Our Parish Mission**

### Report on Parish Collections

Envelope Offerings	\$7,818.08
Loose Offerings	\$139.32
<b>Total Sunday Collection: Parish Support</b>	<b>\$7,957.40</b>
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$342.00
Christmas Offerings	\$3,665.00
Christmas Loose	\$699.53
<b>Total Christmas Offering</b>	<b>\$4,364.53</b>



**PLEASE PRAY for:**

Bob Kelly, Sr. Pat SSND, Baby Rylynn, Alice Albers

*In The Hospital...*

Virginia Bonnell, Joan Kleinberg, Bill Rademacher, Stephanie Minardi

### **Men's Council 5th Annual Communion Breakfast**

The Men's Council will be hosting their 5th annual "Communion Breakfast" after the 8:00am Mass on January 9, 2011 in the community center. All men of the parish are encouraged to attend. Tickets are \$15 each. Tables of 8 may be reserved. Ticket reservations are required and must be completed by January 3, 2011. Tickets may be obtained by calling one of the following: Jerry Wiegers 869-2684, Bob Doerr 868-2246, Roy Rudolph 868-7113, Bruce Saak 868-5183, Tony Migliazzo 869-7076



### **PRAYER CHAIN**

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please call either Betty Kondracki @868-0176 or Pat Edgar @868-4143.

### **Epiphany of Our Lord**

*"Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh."*

**MATTHEW 2:11**

*The image of the Magi kneeling before the infant Jesus and opening their treasure chests for Him is an image that we should all try to embrace. Each of us is called to open our gifts before Jesus, offering Him what He needs. We can remember that we are called to share our gifts by keeping one of the Magi from our Nativity set on our desk or dresser as a year-round a reminder to bring our gifts to Jesus.*

### **Readings for the Week**

**January 2, 2011 through January 9, 2011**

Sunday	Is 60:1-6 Ps 72:1-2,7-8,10-13 Eph 3:2-3a,5-6 Mt 2:1-12
Monday	1 Jn 3:22-4:6 Ps 2:7-8,10-12a Mt 4:12-17,23-25
Tuesday	1 Jn 4:7-10 Ps 72:1-4,7-8 Mk 6:34-44 1 Cor 13:4-13 Lk 10:38-42 or 737-742
Wednesday	1 Jn 4:11-18 Ps 72:1-2,10,12-13 Mk 6:45-52
Thursday	1 Jn 4:19-5:4 Ps 72:1-2,14,15bc,17 Lk 4:14-22a
Friday	1 Jn 5:5-13 Ps 147:12-15,19-20 Lk 5:12-16
Saturday	1 Jn 5:14-21 Ps 149:1-6a,9b Jn 3:22-30
Sunday	Is 42:1-4,6-7 Ps 29:1-2,3-4,9-10 Acts 10:34-38 Mt 3:13-17

**YOU'RE INVITED to CELEBRATE the FEAST OF the MOST**



## **HOLY NAME OF JESUS**

**Monday, January 3 2011**

**5:45 pm till 8:30 pm**

**Holy Name of Jesus Community Center Cafeteria**

**5:45 pm – Doors Open for gathering with soft drinks, wine and cheese**

**6:30 pm – Potluck Supper**

Please bring to share

An Entree; a casserole or pasta dish that is ready to eat and may be kept warm  
in the cafeteria oven, OR

A Salad, OR

Bread to go with the meal

*in addition to the above if you are able to bring some cookies or such, that would be SWEET!*

**If you can help in the kitchen for a half hour shift**

**please contact Sr. Rose at 868-2310 x 18**

During the meal, individuals / groups/ clubs / organizations are invited to exhibit some form of talent or display as an expression of celebration and entertainment. Please drop the form below in the collection basket by Sunday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Name(s) or Group Name \_\_\_\_\_

Type of talent or display \_\_\_\_\_

How much time I/we need \_\_\_\_\_

Space requirements \_\_\_\_\_

**OR**

contact Theresa McWilliams by email [tmacwms@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tmacwms@sbcglobal.net) or by phone 868-2310 x15 to let her know how much time and space you will need.

*Consider also coming to celebrate our Feast Day Eucharist  
at 8:00 am on Monday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>.*