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JANUARY 7, 2024

ORDINARY FORM - ENGLISH

The Epiphany of the Lord

EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN

Feast of The Holy Family

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

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MASS TIMES Sundays 9am-English, 11:15am-Latin
Holy Days as announced in the bulletin.

CONFESSION Sundays before & after 11:15am Mass. Two priests hear confession on the first Sunday of each month.

SACRAMENTS Marriage Preparation, RCIA, and more are available for community members. Contact Father Bonsignore.

FAITH FORMATION PreK through high school 10:05-11:05am Sundays, September through May. No cost for community members.

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HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Today 9:00am	For The Nordquist Family Requested by The Claybaugh Family
Today 11:15am	For Robert Gomes+ Requested by John Gomes and Family
Next Sunday 9:00am	For Special Intentions Requested by Family
Next Sunday 11:15am	For Living and Deceased Members of the Walker Family Requested by Mark Walker

ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS

Attendance	Dec 10*	Dec 17	Dec 24**	Jan 7	Average
English Mass	142	162	194	155	163
Latin Mass	239	236	171	237	221

Cash/Checks	\$ 3,772	\$ 4,687	\$ 6,629	\$ 3,471	\$ 4,640
Online Giving	\$ 714	\$ 852	\$ 605	\$ 1,700	\$ 968
TOTALS	\$ 4,486	\$ 5,539	\$ 7,234	\$ 5,171	\$ 5,608

Our weekly average target amount is **\$5,000**. Thank you for your donations in support of our community. They are certainly needed, as is your ongoing generosity and continued prayer. Please make checks payable to St. Kateri Tekakwitha Latin Mass Community or simply SKT-LMC. **Please remember to use the collection boxes on your way up to communion or at any time before or after mass.**

PRAYING FOR THE SICK & INFIRM

PRAYER LIST Those who are in special need of intercession by our prayerful community may have their names listed in our bulletin. To put names on the list, leave a us message at 585-305-6394.

Fr. Robert Bradler	Patrick Bleier	Jeanne Bleier
Bill Schlueter	Roseanne Maxwell	Jim & Jackie Ansbury
Kathleen Cannan	Diane Harris	Peggy Butler
Charles Ishman	Arthur Bonsignore	Joshua & Sammy Polito
Fr. Peter Helfrich	Joseph Lusardi	Kathleen Dionese
James Gullo	Robert Clement	Geoffrey Hopgood

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MONDAY, JANUARY 8 MEN OF ST. JOSEPH Men's Group Meeting in the Parish Center at 8pm

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16 FELLOWSHIP OF MARY AND MARTHA Women's Group Meeting in the Parish Center at 7pm

THURSDAY, MAY 30 CMA pledges are due for 2024

CHURCH ETIQUETTE

WHEN YOU COME TO CHURCH please turn OFF all cell phones, hand-held electronic devices, pagers, watch alarms, etc., and anything else that can disrupt our sacred time with God. *It is possible for emails and texts to wait until later!*

DRESS CODE Please remember to dress appropriately for divine worship: neatly and modestly. Holy Mass is not an occasion when we "dress down" or appear "super-casual"! REVERENCE for God and RESPECT for neighbor should determine what we wear. Think about it. Thank you for your cooperation.

THERE ARE (AT LEAST) THREE REASONS to maintain a prayerful, quiet atmosphere in the church proper before and after services: (1) RESPECT for the House of God, (2) REVERENCE for the Blessed Sacrament, and (3) REGARD for those who want to pray in peace. The guiding principle should be DEVOTION NOT COMMOTION. Please carry on your friendly conversations in the church vestibules (with inside doors closed), outside, or at the coffee hours. Reverence and friendliness can and should co-exist—in their proper settings!

IN ADDITION ... We should make a determined effort to be *on time* for Mass, and we should make the little sacrifice to stay until Mass is over (that is, when the priest-celebrant leaves the sanctuary). When it be necessary to conduct children to the bathroom, please do not travel through the church during the CONSECRATION of the Mass. This will involve only a few moments of delay.

WEEKLY NOTICES

FAITH FORMATION CLASSES resume today.

BAPTISMS In recent weeks, the Sacrament of Baptism was given to these infants: Mila Rose Watson on December 10, McKenna Rose Leavy and Claire Diane Leavy on December 20. These precious children, now re-born in the grace of God, are in our prayers today. May they always be faithful to their Catholic Faith and so arrive at their destined place in the Kingdom of Heaven!

OUR PARISH'S 2023-2024 CMA GOAL this year is \$47,000. The CMA helps our Church and parish in many ways. Please consider all the ways that God has blessed you and your family and join our appeal and give back what you can so that we remain strong and able to do God's work. It should be noted that all monies raised in the CMA are only used for the programs, services and ministries for which they are designated. Thank you and may God bless you! **THROUGH 1/2/2024, 42 DONORS HAVE PLEDGED \$13,063 WHICH IS 28% OF OUR GOAL.**



ORDINARY FORM - ENGLISH

CONFITEOR

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do; through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

KYRIE

GLORIA Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE FIRST READING Is 60:1-6

Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you. See, darkness covers the earth, and thick clouds cover the peoples; but upon you the LORD shines, and over you appears his glory. Nations shall walk by your light, and kings by your shining radiance. Raise your eyes and look about; they all gather and come to you: your sons come from afar, and your daughters in the arms of their nurses. Then you shall be radiant at what you see, your heart shall throb and overflow, for the riches of the sea shall be emptied out before you, the wealth of nations shall be brought to you. Caravans of camels shall fill you, dromedaries from Midian and Ephah; all from Sheba shall come bearing gold and frankincense, and proclaiming the praises of the LORD.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

THE SECOND READING Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6

Brothers and sisters: You have heard of the stewardship of God's grace that was given to me for your benefit, namely, that the mystery was made known to me by revelation. It was not made known to people in other generations as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that the Gentiles are coheirs, members of the same body, and copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel.

GOSPEL Mt 2:1-12

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was greatly troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. Assembling all the chief priests and the scribes of the people, He inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. They said

to him, “In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it has been written through the prophet: And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; since from you shall come a ruler, who is to shepherd my people Israel.” Then Herod called the magi secretly and ascertained from them the time of the star’s appearance. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, “Go and search diligently for the child. When you have found him, bring me word, that I too may go and do him homage.” After their audience with the king they set out. And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed for their country by another way.

CREDO

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *(here all bow)* **AND BY THE HOLY SPIRIT WAS INCARNATE OF THE VIRGIN MARY AND BECAME MAN.** For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins, and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

SANCTUS | MYSTERY OF FAITH Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection, You have set us free.

AGNUS DEI

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EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN

INTROIT The father of the just will exult with glee; let your father and mother have joy; let her who bore you exult. How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts! My soul yearns and pines for the courts of the Lord. Glory be to the Father. The father...

COLLECT O Lord Jesus Christ, you sanctified home life with untold virtues by being subject to Mary and Joseph. May they assist us to imitate the example of your holy family, so that we may share with them their eternal happiness: You who live and reign.

EPISTLE Col. 3, 12-17

Brethren: As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, you must put on heartfelt mercy, kindness, humility, meekness, patience. Bear with one another and forgive whatever grievances you may have against each other; forgive just as the Lord has forgiven you. And over all these put on love, which binds them together and makes them perfect. Let the peace of Christ rule over your hearts; for, as members of the one body, you have been called to that peace. Be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you with all its richness; instruct and admonish one another with perfect wisdom. With heartfelt gratitude sing to God psalms, hymns, and inspired songs. And whatever you do in word or in work, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

GRADUAL One thing I ask of the Lord; this I seek: to dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life. Happy they who dwell in your house, O Lord! continually they praise you. Alleluia, alleluia. Truly you are a hidden God, the God of Israel, the savior. Alleluia.

GOSPEL Luke 2, 42-52

When Jesus was twelve they made their customary trip to Jerusalem for the feast. When they were returning at the end of the feast the child Jesus remained behind in Jerusalem, unknown to his parents. Thinking that he was in the company they continued their journey for a day, looking for him among their relatives and acquaintances. Not finding him, they returned to Jerusalem searching for him; and after three days they found him in the temple sitting in the midst of the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions; and all who heard him were amazed at his intelligence and answers. When they saw him they were astonished, and his mother said to him: "Son, why have you done this to us? You see that your father and I have been searching for you in sorrow." He said to them: "What prompted you to search for me? Did you not know that I had to be in my Father's house?" And they did not understand what he said to them. Then he went back with them to Nazareth, and remained obedient to them. His mother kept all these things in her heart. And Jesus progressed in wisdom and age and favor before God and men.

OFFERTORY The parents of Jesus took him up to Jerusalem, to present him to the Lord.

SECRET O Lord, we offer you this sacrifice in atonement for our sins. May the intercession of the virgin Mother of God and blessed Joseph, ever bestow your peace and grace upon our families. Through Jesus Christ.

COMMUNION Jesus went down with them, and came to Nazareth and was subject to them.

POST COMMUNION We are refreshed by your heavenly sacrament, O Lord Jesus. Help us always to follow the example of your holy family, that your glorious virgin Mother and blessed Joseph may meet us at the hour of our death, and find us worthy to be welcomed by you into your eternal home: You who live and reign.

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PRAYERS

PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH by St. Francis de Sales

To provide a solution to the property dilemma:

GLORIOUS SAINT JOSEPH, spouse of Mary, grant we beseech thee, thy paternal protection, through the Heart of Jesus Christ. O thou Saint whose infinite power is extended to all our needs, rendering for us possible that which is impossible, look upon the concerns of thy children with thy fatherly countenance. In the troubles and sorrows that afflict us, we have confident recourse to thee. Deign to take under thy loving protection this important and difficult endeavor, the cause of our worries, and dispose its success to the glory of God and to the benefit of His faithful servants. AMEN.

THE SAINT MICHAEL PRAYER (Pope Leo XIII)

SAINT MICHAEL, THE ARCHANGEL, defend us in battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust down to hell Satan and all the evil spirits who roam through the world seeking the ruin of souls. AMEN.

GUIDELINES FOR COMMUNION

Catholics need to remember the Church's traditional rules on the reception of Holy Communion. **Practicing Catholics** who are *spiritually prepared* (i.e. not conscious of mortal sin on their souls) may approach the altar rail to make a *worthy* Communion. If one has been away from Masses of Obligation (due to one's own fault) or if there is another reason for being ill prepared, the Sacrament of Penance (Confession) is necessary *before* the reception of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord. We should always approach this awesome Eucharistic Mystery with souls empty of grave sin and *full* of great love. As in the awesome Incarnational Mystery of the Word-made flesh in the stable of Bethlehem, here holy fear and deep love co-mingle. **Catholic couples** in cohabitation (living together without the Sacrament of Matrimony) or in irregular marriages (without the blessing of Christ's Sacrament) are advised not to receive Holy Communion. These brothers and sisters of ours are of deep pastoral concern to the Church. Hopefully they will soon take steps to rectify their situation.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

We three kings of Orient are
Bearing gifts we traverse afar
Field and fountain, moor and mountain
Following yonder star

Refrain:

**O Star of wonder, star of night
Star with royal beauty bright
Westward leading, still proceeding
Guide us to thy Perfect Light**

Born a King on Bethlehem's plain
Gold I bring to crown Him again
King forever, ceasing never
Over us all to reign

Refrain

Frankincense to offer have I
Incense owns a Deity nigh
Prayer and praising, all men raising
Worship Him, God most high

Refrain

Myrrh is mine, its bitter perfume
Breathes of life of gathering gloom
Sorrowing, sighing, bleeding, dying
Sealed in the stone-cold tomb

Refrain

Glorious now behold Him arise
King and God and Sacrifice
Alleluia, Alleluia
Earth to heav'n replies

Refrain

RECESSIONAL HYMN



1. Earth has many a no - ble cit - y;
 2. Fair - er than the sun at morn - ing
 3. East - ern sa - ges at his cra - dle
 4. Sa - cred gifts of mys - tic mean - ing:
 5. Je - sus, whom the Gen - tiles wor - shiped



Beth - l'hem, thou dost all ex - cel;
 Was the star that told his birth,
 Make ob - la - tions rich and rare;
 In - cense doth their God dis - close;
 At thy glad e - piph - a - ny,



Out of thee the Lord from heav - en
 To the world its God an - nounc - ing
 See them give, in deep de - vo - tion
 Gold the King of kings pro - claim - eth;
 Un - to thee, with God the Fa - ther



Came to rule his Is - ra - el.
 Seen in flesh - ly form on earth.
 Gold and frank - in - cense and myrrh.
 Myrrh and his sep - ul - cher for - shows.
 And the Spir - it, glo - ry be.

A - men.

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