

Saint John the Baptist Latin Mass Community

An Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter

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Sunday: 7am and 11am

Mon. & Tues.: 7:15am

Wed., Thur., Fri.: 6pm

Saturday: 8am

Holy Days of Obligation:

7:15am & 7pm

*Confession offered 30 min. before
all Masses or by appointment*

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Weddings: Please inquire 6 months
prior to intended date.

Schola: Thursdays after 6 PM Mass

Choir: Sundays after 11AM Mass

BULLETIN WEEK 50

2015

Liturgical Calendar and Mass Intentions

Sun. Jan 10	The Holy Family (2nd cl.)
7:00 am 11:00 am	Pro Populo Earl Bradberry+
Mon. Jan 11	St. Hyginus, Pope & Martyr (4th cl.)
7:15 am	Elaine Davidson+
Tues. Jan 12	Mass of 1st Sunday after Epiphany (4th cl.)
7:15 am	Paul Steven Miller+
Wed. Jan 13	Commemoration of Baptism of the Lord (2nd cl.)
6:00 pm	Mary Lou Jaworski Family
Thurs. Jan 14	St. Hilary, Bishop, Confessor & Doctor (3rd cl.)
6:00 pm	Mary Lou Jaworski Family
Fri. Jan 15	St. Paul, the First Hermit (3rd cl.)
6:00 pm	Mary Lou Jaworski Family
Sat. Jan 16	St. Marcellus I, Pope & Martyr (3rd cl.)
8:00 am	Mary Lou Jaworski Family
Sun. Jan 17	Second Sunday after Epiphany (2nd cl.)
7:00 am 11:00 am	Pro Populo Sister Carmencita of the Child Jesus

***WELCOME visitors!** St. Edmund Campion missals/hymnals are available in the back of the church. At the traditional Mass, Holy Communion is received on the tongue, and kneeling, if possible. There no need to respond 'Amen'. Chapel veils to borrow are available in the foyer of the church. If you would like to register to join the community, fill out a census form, found on the table in the back of the church, and turn in to Fr. Magiera.*

By the Numbers For the Week of December 27, 2015

Sunday Mass Attendance: 7:00 am: 27 11:00 am: 128 Total: 155

Sun. Collections: Reg.: \$2,089.15

Total Deposit: \$2,089.15

Daily Mass attendance for week: 174 Confessions for week: N/A

Propers for Today's Mass: The Propers for the Feast of the Holy Family can be found on page 56 of the Campion Missal/Hymnal.

Reminder: Fr. Orlowski will be with his family from 1/6 until 1/26.

Second Sunday Brunch: Today is our second Sunday brunch and our annual Chili Cook-Off. Everyone is invited to come over to the Parish Center to sample a variety of recipes and see whose chili is given the title of Best Chili 2016.

Special Collection on January 17 for storm and flood victims: Bishop Taylor has announced that a one-time Special Collection is being taken up in all parishes in the Diocese for the needs of victims from the December storms and flooding. Funds will go to the Catholic Charities of Arkansas to respond to emergency needs such as water, food, shelter and medical care. A portion will also go to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops for pastoral and reconstruction needs of the Church.

Sign-up Sheets: There are sign-up sheets to host future Second Sunday Brunches and to clean the church posted on the Latin Mass bulletin board on the right-side of the vestibule. Please look these over and sign up for one month on each activity.

March for Life Prayer Vigil and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Saturday January 16, 6:30 pm until Sunday, January 17 8:00 am, at the Cathedral. Our community is assigned to pray from 6:30 pm until 8:30 pm, Saturday, 1/16. We need as many people as possible to fill these two hours with praying before the Blessed Sacrament for an end to abortion.

Mass for Life and March for Life: The Mass for Life will be held on Sunday January 17, 2016 at the Cathedral of St. Andrew, 7th and Louisiana, Little Rock at 12:05 pm with Bishop Taylor as celebrant. Preceding Mass will be the Rosary for Life at 11:30 am. March for Life will be at 2:00 pm beginning behind the State Capital building as last year and then marching to the front steps for a brief program.

Please Remember these Prayer Intentions:

For the living: June Gardner (health), Gary Crouch (health), Members of the Kozlowski families, Jolanta Widuch, Diane D. Wolfe (full recovery), John Farrell (health), Linda Barry (health), Crawford Family, Peter Orlowski Family, Penny Witter (health), Gail Demerest (health), Lisa Bobo (health), Eric Couron Family (Special Intention).

And for the dead: John Andrew Makovec, Sue Whitehead, Janet Sorrels, David Crockett, Shawn Trusty, Donald Greer, Gail Brooks, Patrick W. Kordsmeier, Scott Shiplett, James Steven Moore, Vergie Crimmins, Bill Barry, John Tully, Ron Prince, Lenora Price, Dorothy Lochner, Myrtle Powers, Gregory Backus, Billy-Joe Campbell, James Honeycutt, Sandra Friedl, Isadore L. Sonnier, Jean Murry, Bonnie McDonald, Marie Honeycutt, Catherine Sparks, Carolyn Bruich, Earl Bradberry, Fr. Venantius Preske, Jeff Bobo, Joseph Max Bulmanski.

Dear Community Members,

Rejoice with me! God is so good. In His Divine Providence, he has spared my dear sister from what surely would have been certain death, were she not to receive the liver she so desperately needed.

I spent a lot of time at her bedside every day after I returned home. I was shocked at how she looked. Her skin and eyes were a very marked yellow. Still, between Saturday and Monday, she had two good days out of three. At 11:30 PM Monday night my brother-in-law called with cautiously optimistic news that my sister would receive her new liver. Still, tests had to be performed to ensure that it was a good match. That took most of the early morning. But, at 8:30, she was cleaned up and wheeled into the operating room. The operation took 12 hours, but it was a success.

The one problem was that her platelet count was so low that her blood couldn't clot, so she sort of seeped and oozed internally. They had to take her back into the OR again the next day to take care of this.

Anyway, the recovery was long and she still has a long way to go, but the respirator and stomach tube were removed from her mouth, the dialysis machine was disconnected – thank God her kidneys are recovering – and the various needles and ports are either gone, or, at least, smaller now. She had trouble talking, but as of Wednesday, she was able to talk on the phone.

It's unknown how long she'll yet be in hospital. After that, I'm certain she'll go to rehab again to work on strength and mobility. But ultimately, she should go back to living a normal, if somewhat restricted, life. She's fine with that, so is my brother-in-law (a living saint if there ever was one) and, of course, so am I.

I know that Father Orlowski made an announcement about my sister, and I emailed others who, I was sure, would spread the good news. I'm very grateful to all of you because I know that each and every one of you was praying for her. Please know that she is grateful to you too.

It's things like this that make us realize what we have in our loved ones and how empty our lives would be were those loved ones no longer there. Let's all begin the new year with a renewed effort to be thankful to God every day for parents, family, siblings and the gifts He constantly showers on us.

It's good to be back with you again, my children and my friends.

Father Magiera