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Mass Schedule

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 8:30 a.m.
 Saturday 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday 9:00 a.m. (Children's Liturgy of the Word)
 11:00 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

Office Hours

Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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January 12, 2025 — The Baptism of the Lord

As we celebrate this feast of the Baptism of the Lord, we can study His actions at the Jordan River as a powerful example of servant leadership. We see in Jesus a type of leadership that is characterized by humility and leading by example. Certainly, the sinless Savior did not need a baptism of repentance! But Jesus humbly made Himself one with his people to draw us to Him and create a relationship with us so that we would be open to His teachings and influence.



As a servant leader, we also see that Jesus leads by example. He doesn't just tell the people they need to be baptized. He shows them how and does it Himself to teach them. To lead like Jesus, we, too, must "walk the walk" and not just "talk the talk." If we want those who we lead to be generous and hard-working, then we must show them how to do this by demonstrating generosity and hard work ourselves.

Immediately after His baptism, we learn of the powerful affirmation of the Father who opens the heavens, sends the Holy Spirit upon Jesus in bodily form, and says audibly, "This is my beloved Son with whom I am well-pleased." Let us be filled with gratitude for our amazing God and be reminded that when we are grateful followers of Jesus and servant-leaders in imitation of Him, the Father will be well-pleased with us, too.

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Parish Calendar

Monday, January 13

8:30 a.m. - John Kobe †
Frank Kobe †

Tuesday, January 14

8:30 a.m. - John & Margaret Doodeman †

Wednesday, January 15

8:30 a.m. - Souls in Purgatory †

Thursday, January 16 - No Mass

Friday, January 17

8:30 a.m. - Souls in Purgatory †

Saturday, January 18

5:00 p.m. (Livestream) - Teofil Szymiski †

Sunday, January 19

9:00 a.m. - St. Peter Family Mass
Salvatore & Giuseppina Corda †

11:00 a.m. - Mass for the People



St. Julia

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE COUNCIL

**Catholic Women's
League Corner:
January 11 / 12**

- Our New Member Ceremony will take place at the 11 am Mass on Sunday, January 12
- During the month of January, we are collecting diapers for Choose Life Niagara. Donations of any size diapers would be greatly appreciated
- Prayer Shawl & Rosary makers are meeting next Wednesday the 15th in the Divinity Room

Father in heaven,
may the faith you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of charity enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed hope
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from
within both humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.



May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever. Amen

