

# EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

## January 2, 2022

### MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 1

(StJ) 4:00 P.M. Joseph O'Hare by Frank & Mary Horvath

(StA) 6:00 P.M. Special Intention

Sunday, January 2

(StA) 8:00 A.M. St. Anthony of Padua & St. John Kanty Families of God

(StJ) 9:30 A.M. Robert Chance by Emerick Family

Monday, January 3

(StA) 8:00 A.M. Maltby & Peterson Families by Muriel Peterson

Tuesday, January 4

(StJ) 8:30 A.M. Irvin Wojciechowski by Estate

Wednesday, January 5

(StA) 8:00 A.M. Ted Bolakowski by Stacie, Lisa, Heather & Family

Thursday, January 6

(StJ) 8:30 A.M. Corty Family by Estate

Friday, January 7

(StA) 8:00 A.M. Poor Souls in Purgatory by All Souls Day Envelope Donors

Saturday, January 8

(StA) 4:00 P.M. Della Stayback by Larry & Kathy Stafford

(StJ) 6:00 P.M. St. Anthony of Padua & St. John Kanty Families of God

Sunday, January 9

(StA) 8:00 A.M. Ray Schoenfeld by Isabella Korbecki

(StJ) 9:30 A.M. Lillian Keck Granning by Bernie & Sue Baltes

**SECOND SUNDAY POTLUCK:** Next Sunday, January 8<sup>th</sup>, is the second Sunday of the month, so plan to come to our potluck. It will be in the St. John Kanty Parish Hall and will begin at 12:30 PM central time. Just bring your favorite dish and join the parishioners of St. Anthony and St. John Kanty for great food and great company.

**A NOTE OF GRATITUDE:** My sincere thanks for your cards of greeting and your personal remembrances at Christmas. May God bless all of you.

*Father Michael G. Heimer*

**CATHOLIC SERVICE APPEAL:** Please be aware that our goals this year of \$9,408.00 for St. John Kanty has not yet been reached. We are still over \$2,000.00 short. Please send your donation directly to the Diocese at Diocese of Gary, CSA Campaign 2021, 9292 Broadway, Merrillville, IN 46410. Any checks are to be made out to the Diocese of Gary. Be sure to note on the check: CSA and the parish name.

**ST. ANTHONY PRAYER LINE:** If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, St. Anthony of Padua at Fish Lake has a ministry from which parishioners will pray for you. Please provide the name of the person or persons and the prayer intention. These requests are confidential. Prayers will then be offered daily by our prayer warriors. Contacts are Phyllis Schoof at (219) 369-9582 or Susan Grillo at (219) 369-1159.

**ST. JOHN KANTY PRAYER LINE:** Please reach out to our St. John Kanty prayer ministry if you or someone you know can benefit from divine assistance. Just provide the name of the person or persons and the prayer intention. All requests are confidential. St. John Kanty Prayer Line contacts are: Vivian Rogozinski at (219)778-4834 or Mary Manzuk at (219)575-8356.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** Please be aware that both St. John Kanty and St. Anthony have set aside special times for private Eucharistic Adoration of Our Lord. At St. John Kanty the Holy Eucharist is exposed on the altar each Sunday, following the 9:30 AM Mass until 12:00 Noon. At St. Anthony adoration follows the 8:00 AM Mass until 9:30 AM each Friday. Use these opportunities if you can to deepen your prayer life and your relationship with Our Lord by quietly spending this time with Eucharistic Christ. Incredible graces flow into the souls of those who regularly come into the penetrating presence of the Risen Christ.

**CGS/CCD SAFETY REMINDER:** Drivers, please exercise caution when leaving the parking lots if you are driving through and/or dropping off your children. The children forget sometimes and could dart out as they run to CGS/CCD classes on Sundays.

**STUDENTS:** Please be careful as you head over to the hall for CGS/CCD classes on Sundays. Drivers may not see you as you cross the parking lot to go to CGS/CCD classes.

**SNOW SCHEDULE:** Please note that when school at New Prairie School system is cancelled due to snow, the 8:30 AM Masses on Tuesdays and Thursdays at St. John Kanty will be cancelled as well. Delays in school starting times due to weather will not alter the starting time of Mass. Please tune into your local radio station for information regarding school closings and apply the same information on Tuesday and Thursday morning Mass at St. John Kanty.

### EPIPHANY HOUSE BLESSING

The feast of manifestation, or Epiphany, is traditionally celebrated the 12<sup>th</sup> day after Christmas, January 6<sup>th</sup>. In the dioceses of the United States this feast has been moved to the Sunday between January 2 and January 8.

Prayer: On entering the home,

Leader (Priest, if present, or father of the family) : Peace be to this house.

All: And to all who dwell herein.

All: From the east came the Magi to Bethlehem to adore the Lord; and opening their treasures they offered precious gifts: gold for the great King, incense for the true God, and myrrh in symbol of His burial.

All Pray: The Magnificat. During the Magnificat, the room is sprinkled with holy water and incensed. After this is completed,

All: From the east came the Magi to Bethlehem to adore the Lord; and opening their treasures they offered precious gifts: gold for the great King, incense for the true God, and myrrh in symbol of His burial.

Leader: Our Father. . .

And lead us not into temptation

All: But deliver us from evil.

Leader: All they from Saba shall come

All: Bringing gold and frankincense.

Leader: O Lord, hear my prayer.

All: And let my cry come to You.

Leader: Let us pray. O God, who by the guidance of a star didst on this day manifest Thine only-begotten Son to the Gentiles, mercifully grant that we who know Thee by faith may also attain the vision of Thy glorious majesty.

Through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Leader: Be enlightened, be enlightened, O Jerusalem, for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee—Jesus Christ born of the Virgin Mary.

All: And the Gentiles shall walk in thy light and kings in the splendor of thy rising, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon thee.

Leader: Let us pray.

Bless, + O Lord God almighty, this home, that in it there may be health, purity, the strength of victory, humility, goodness and mercy, the fulfillment of Thy law, the thanksgiving to God the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. And may this blessing remain upon this home and upon all who dwell herein. Through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

After the prayers of the blessing are recited, each room of the home is sprinkled with Epiphany water and incensed.

The initials of the Magi are inscribed upon the doors with the blessed chalk. (The initials, C, M, B, can also be interpreted as the Latin phrase "Christus mansionem benedicat" which means "Christ bless this house".)

**Example: 20 + C + M + B + 22**

**END OF THE YEAR REPORTING:** We have reached the end of another year. If you need a contribution statement for 2021 please fill in **ALL** information below and drop the form in the collection basket. The contribution statements will be generated the last week of January. NO requests will be accepted after January 23<sup>rd</sup> to allow for proper processing and having the statements in the parish hall for pickup by the end of January. **Since we log envelopes by number – the number is required.**

**2021 Contribution Statement Request**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ 2021 ENVELOPE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

***ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH***

***AND***

***ST. JOHN KANTY CATHOLIC CHURCH***

***WEEKLY BULLETIN***

***Reverend Michael G. Heimer, Pastor***

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**Website for Both Parishes**

[www.stjohnkanty.com](http://www.stjohnkanty.com)

**Mass Times**

**St. Anthony of Padua**

Saturday Evening: 6:00 PM

Sunday Morning: 8:00 AM

Weekdays (Monday, Wednesday  
and Friday) 8:00 AM

**St. John Kanty**

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM

Sunday Morning: 9:30 AM

Weekdays (Tuesday  
and Thursday) 8:30 AM

**Confessions**

**St. Anthony of Padua**

Saturday at 5:30 PM

and any time by request

**St. John Kanty**

Saturday at 3:30 PM

Sunday at 10:30 AM

and any time by request