

# Resurrection

Roman Catholic Parish

January 10, 2021: The Baptism of the Lord

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Mr. Sam Cammarata, Deacon  
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Emily Roy, Director of Music

Parish Office Hours: Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM; Closed Friday



*“And a voice came from the heavens, ‘You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.’” - MARK 1:11*

Through our baptism, Stewards are daughters and sons of God. We are disciples of Jesus. As true disciples we are called to actively participate in our Catholic faith, not just be mere bystanders. This means working in collaboration with Holy Spirit and discerning how we are being asked to use our gifts. Using our gifts for the benefit of others and not just for our own interests and comfort.

## Mass Schedule:

Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM  
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 8:00 AM  
Holy Days and Holidays as announced.

## Confessions:

Saturday 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

This week's Church Sanctuary Light will burn for:

Edward Figura  
By Mike and Cathy Strushensky

This week's Oratory Sanctuary Light will burn for:

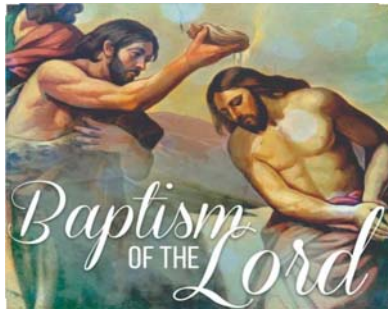
Eugene Lynch  
By Walt and Sharon Wojnaroski



**WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE - SUNDAY, JANUARY 10, 2021 - THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

DATE	TIME	INTENTION
<b>Sunday, January 10</b> <i>The Baptism of the Lord</i>	<b>8:00 AM</b> <b>10:30 AM</b>	People of the Parish Rose Draksler By Karen Lester
<b>Monday, January 11</b> <i>First Week in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>NO MASS</b> <b>12:15 PM</b>	Rosary (Oratory)
<b>Tuesday, January 12</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	James Lear By Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ciupak
<b>Wednesday, January 13</b> <i>St. Hilary</i>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	Richard Lucas By Wife
<b>Thursday, January 14</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>	
<b>Friday, January 15</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b> <b>12:15 PM</b>	Bill Sefcik By Dolores Kralik Rosary (Oratory)
<b>Saturday, January 16</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>	
<b>Sunday, January 17</b> <i>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>8:00 AM</b> <b>10:30 AM</b>	Fr. Andrew Stanko By Dave and Joyce Kuckenbrod Lisa Armstrong By Cousin, Annette

**WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS:** Envelope Holders: Adult: 451 Children: 15 Total: 466  
January 4, 2021 Weekly Envelopes Used: Adults: 155 Children: 5 Total: 160  
Mary, the Mother of God Envelopes Used: Adults: 74 Children: 6 Total: 80  
Christmas Envelopes Used: Adults: 16 Children: 3 Total: 19  
 Weekly Offertory Envelopes: Adults: \$3,865.00 Children: \$7.00 Total: \$3,872.00  
 Mary, the Mother of God Envelopes: Adults: \$926.00 Children: \$6.00 Total: \$932.00  
 Christmas Envelopes: Adults: \$865.00 Child: \$7.00 Total \$872.00  
 Black and Indian Missions \$10.00 Cemetery \$145.00 Loose Offertory: \$58.00  
 Build. and Maint. \$199.00 Crib \$21.00 Mandeville \$10.00  
 Candles \$73.00 Easter Flowers \$10.00 Mission Co-op \$45.00  
 Catholic Register \$8.00 Immaculate Conception \$3.00 Poor Box: \$59.00  
 Catholic Relief Services \$10.00 Initial Offering \$272.00 Utilities: \$134.00  
**TOTAL COLLECTION: \$6,733.00**



*Almighty ever-living God, who, when Christ had been baptized in the River Jordan and as the Holy Spirit descended upon him, solemnly declared him your beloved Son, grant that your children, reborn of water and the Holy Spirit, may always be well pleasing to you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.*



Almighty and All-loving God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we pray to you through Christ the Healer, for those who suffer from the Coronavirus across the world. We pray for all who mourn the loss of each and every person who has died as a result of contracting the disease. We lift up to your mercy to all those affected, all those working hard to study and cure this illness, and all health care professionals and emergency management teams that are working day and night to keep us safe. Give comfort to everyone in distress and a sense of calm to all of us in these days of uncertainty. This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord who showed compassion to the outcast, acceptance to the rejected and love to those to whom no love was shown. Amen.



**PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR ARE SUFFERING IN ANY WAY, THOSE IN NURSING HOMES AND THOSE WHO ARE HOMEBOUND:** Helen Lech; Arlene Schaffer; Florence Urbassik, Nellie Barkley, Sophie Mulvehill, Kay Komar, Eric Moran; Rita Ozog; Ed Wysocki; Mary Ann Robatin; Dorothy Saverling; and Sylvia Brisko. If you know of someone that you would like added to the prayer list please call MaryBeth at the Parish Office at 539-5788, ext 4.



**COLLECTION COUNTERS: Group 1** volunteers are scheduled to count the collection on **Monday, January 11.** Thank you to all who help!

## Parish News

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL REOPEN ON JANUARY 11TH AT 9:00 AM.** The staff has tested negative for the Coronavirus. Please remember that masks must be worn.

**ALL ARE WELCOME** in praying the Rosary on Mon. and Fri., at 12:15 PM at the Oratory. A schedule of Oratory Rosary leaders is as follows:

**Monday**

Jan. 11 - Fran Findley

Jan. 18 - Deacon Sam

Jan. 25 - Nancy Fesko

**Friday**

Jan. 15 - Diane Ashbridge

Jan. 22 - Janet Yuras

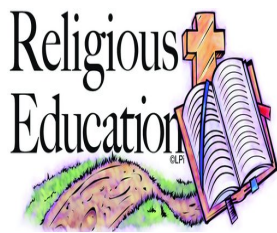
Jan. 29 - Pat Barrett

**2021 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES** are available for pick up at the Parish Office. If you know someone who is homebound please feel free to take their envelopes to them.

**CALENDARS AND MISSALETTES** are available at the Church and at the Parish Office. You can pick them up when you pick up your 2021 Offertory Envelopes.

**MASS RESERVATIONS:** If you would like to attend Sunday Mass at 8:00 AM or 10:30 AM, PLEASE call MaryBeth at the Parish Office to make a reservation, 539-5788, ext. 4, **Mon. thru Thurs., 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM (Reminder...Parish Office is closed on Fri.)**. If you leave a message, please be sure to leave the Mass you would like to attend and the number of people who will be attending. Reminder, masks must be worn and may only be removed to receive Holy Communion and social distancing will be practiced.

**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT DURING INCLEMENT WEATHER,** Resurrection Parish will follow the Johnstown School District's and/or Bishop McCort's schedule. If there is a two hour delay, the Parish Office will open two hours late (11:00 AM), and all meetings/activities will take place. If there is no school the Parish Office will be closed and all meetings/activities will be cancelled. If there is an unscheduled early dismissal the Parish Office will close early and all meetings/activities will be cancelled. **Please note, scheduled Mass WILL BE celebrated regardless.**



**SATURDAY, JANUARY 30** – Grade 9 Baptism Retreat - 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM. Please register by January 23. Parents are required to attend.

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT:** Please return acknowledgement forms as soon as possible. Please review the lesson and the form can be emailed, mailed or dropped off at the Parish Office.



**THE SWEET SHOPPE** is closed thru Sunday, January 10. We will reopen on January 11, 2021. Please stay safe and healthy!



**THE ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI GABRIEL PROJECT PRO-LIFE MINISTRY** is in need of financial assistance as well as any baby items such as, diapers, baby wipes, bottles, clothing, etc. For more information please call Gale at 539-0155.

#### PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome those who have found a spiritual home in our faith community. Parish registration is indicated by a registration (envelope) number. Registration is not to be assumed by simply attending Mass at the parish. Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage are not scheduled within six months of parish registration so evidence of practicing the Faith may be demonstrated. To register at this parish, please call the parish office.

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The sacrament of baptism is celebrated at any Sunday liturgy throughout the year (normally not during the season of Lent). At least one of the parents must be a registered and participating member of this parish for at least 6 months. Baptisms for non-parishioners are arranged after permission is given in writing by the proper pastor of the parents. Arrangements for a baptism can be made at any time before the birth of the child. Normally, a baptismal preparation class is required.

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The sacrament of marriage is arranged by meeting with the pastor. No date or other arrangements are to be made before this meeting. One of the parties must be a registered and participating member of the parish for 6 months before preparations can be made. According to diocesan policy, a date for the wedding is not to take place within 9 months of the initial contact so that all preparation and paperwork can be completed.

#### GODPARENTS AND SPONSORS

A godparent/sponsor is to give good example of living out the Catholic faith. A godparent/sponsor is to be fully initiated in the Catholic Church, having received the sacraments of baptism, confirmation and Holy Eucharist. They are to, and indeed do, receive the Sacrament of Eucharist often. If there is a situation of cohabitation or marriage outside the laws of the Church, that person is ineligible to act as a godparent or sponsor. Church law states *that* for infant baptism, one male and one female are to be used as godparents. Sponsor certificates can only be given to those eligible and registered at this parish. Participation in the prayer life of this parish must be evident for six months before sponsor certificates are given. Less than six months will need indication from your previous parish that there was participation in the life of that parish.

#### **Parish Council**

Michelle Rager, Chairperson, 525-4154  
Gary Vitko, Vice-Chairperson, Education Committee, 535-2239  
Gregg Majercsik, Cemetery Committee, 539-9068  
Kyra Miller, Education Committee, 279-8746  
Kris Moran, Education Committee, 262-8070  
Cindy O'Connor, Family Life Committee, 242-8776  
Brian Pavic, Liturgy Committee, 418-0279  
Rick Pavic, Properties & Maintenance Committee, 244-3047  
Lynn Popovich, Activities Committee, 536-7336  
Steve Reasbeck, Education Committee, 288-9924  
Larry Sestrich, Finance Committee, 255-2344  
Faith Thomas, 479-2062

If you have a need for a prayer  
and would like to be put on the  
prayer chain, please contact Barb  
Gulick at 814-467-8576 or  
[ibg213@atlanticbb.net](mailto:ibg213@atlanticbb.net)

