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LITURGICAL SERVICES

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM.

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 11:00 AM &
6:00 PM.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Weekday Mass: 6:30 AM

FIRST SATURDAY MASS:

8:30 AM

Exposition until 10:00 AM

OUR MOTHER OF

PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA

Tuesday at 6:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Weekdays before or after Mass

CONFESSIONS & ROSARY:

Saturday, 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, 7:30 a.m.

24-HOUR ADORATION:

Thursdays, 7 a.m.—Fridays, 6 a.m.

Sign-up sheets in Souby Baptistery.

Can't be a regular? Substitute sign-up sheets in rear of church.

BAPTISMS:

Second & fourth Sunday of each month, 10:00 AM. BOTH parents AND Godparents MUST attend a baptism seminar held first Tuesday of each month, 6:00PM in the Gallen Room (parking lot entry).

WEDDINGS:

Couples should make an appointment with the parish priest at least six months in advance.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Call the rectory anytime at 385-0770.

COMMUNION IN THE HOME/ HOME VISITS:

Call 385-0770. Monday—Friday, 8:30 A.M. until 3:30 P.M.

HOSPITAL VISITS:

If you or someone you know would like to be visited in the hospital, you must call the rectory at 385-0770.

To request a Parish Registration Form, call the Rectory at **385-0770** or shsecretary@htdiocese.org
You can also visit the rectory between 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 pm., Monday through Friday.

Charter for the Protection of Children & Young People

Reporting Numbers: To report suspected abuse of a minor, call the LA Department of Children & Family Services (24/7) 1(855) 452-5437. **Outreach line for victims of sexual abuse by church workers.** If you suspect child abuse by clergy, church officials, church employees or volunteers, please also contact the Victims' Assistance Coordinator (985) 850-3172 and Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux Outreach Line (985) 873-0026.

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
MASS SCHEDULE

IN CHURCH: Mass is celebrated in church on Saturday at 4:30p.m. and Sunday at 11a.m. & 6:00p.m. Everyone is required to a wear a mask, in addition to keeping a six foot distance between families. Families may sit together. **Please sit in the pew marked with the blue cross.**

OUTDOOR MASS: Sunday, 8:00a.m. mass in the Grotto area will continue. Please bring your own chair. (wearing a mask is required). In case of inclement weather or extreme heat mass will be celebrated in church, (wearing a mask is required).

SUNDAY DRIVE THROUGH BLESSING: 9:30-10:00a.m. Anyone wishing to drop off their weekend donation will have the opportunity to do so at that time. Thank you for your continued support of Sacred Heart.

LIVESTREAMING: Livestreaming on Facebook will continue for the 4:30p.m. Saturday Vigil and Sunday for the 8:00a.m. & 11:00a.m. masses. **Facebook account:** Sacred Heart of Jesus Roman Catholic Church of Morgan City.

IMPORTANT: THERE IS STILL NO OBLIGATION FOR SUNDAY MASS. If you are sick, immunodeficient, or care for someone who is, it is strongly encouraged that you avoid putting yourself or others at risk.

NOTE: Confession is held Monday-Friday 2-2:30p.m. in Church

***EUCHARISTIC ADORATION HAS RESUMED IN THE BAPTISTERY!**

“Magi came from the east.

**The prostrated themselves and did him
homage”**

An epiphany is the sudden realization or comprehension of the essence or meaning of something. The magi came from the east, probably present day Iran, to search for a newly born child that they believed would be the Messiah promised to the Israelites. They obviously had read the Torah and the prophets. They understood the essence or the meaning of the signs in the skies. They made a very arduous and dangerous trip through a hostile desert just to see the child; to prostrate themselves and pay him homage and give him valuable gifts. The child that they saw we now believe is Jesus, Son of Mary, who lived, died, and rose from the dead for our salvation and to give us an example of how to live in relation to our God. How far are we willing to travel to pay homage to Jesus? What inconveniences, difficulties and risk are we willing to endure to demonstrate our faith in Jesus Christ as our Savior and Lord. The magi were truly “wise men.” Are we an equally wise People of God?

Lectors Schedule

January 2 & 3

4:30P.M. - Sundra Deshotel

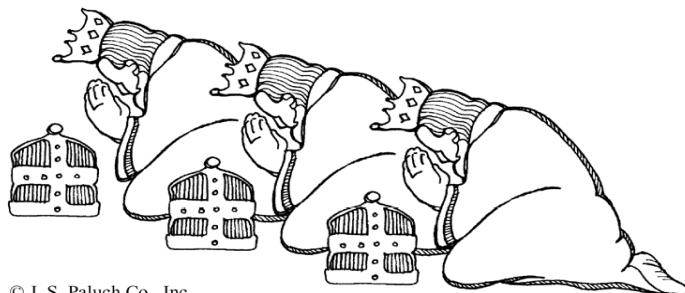
8:00A.M. -Cathy Siracusa

11:00A.M. -Carl Kraemer

6:00P.M. -Paul Rappmundt

Maintenance Collection

The Second collection this weekend is for the benefit of the parish maintenance fund. Thank your continued support of this this important fund!



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD JANUARY 3, 2021



MASS INTENTIONS: First Sat., Jan. 1, 8:30a.m.: Alice S. Guzzetta, Dora Guillot. Saturday, Jan. 2, 4:30pm: Karen Ordogne, Larry Bergeron, Anthony Governale, Sr., M/M Walter Romero, Sr., Theodore & Pasty LaVerne, Kelley & Alan Thomas Family, Maggie & Raymond Keller & Fam., Elaine & Kenny Blaire & Fam., Charles Gowland, Sr., Bernadine M. Hayes, M/M Donald Kreider, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Frank & Corinne Mula, Marvin Compton, Jackie Sumrall, C.J. & Mary Doiron, Blackie Arceneaux, Joe Parsiola, Santo & Stella Rousso, Adele & Red Arceneaux, Stephen Giroir, Lester & Belle Simoneaux, George & Joyce Melancon, David Arcemont, Arcemont/Landry Family, Anthony Cannata, Vincent & Fannie Cannata, Earl L. & Goldie Mayon, Fr. John Gallen, Pat Badeaux, Grace Napoli, Jeanne Picou, Theresa & William Maxwell, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Andrew, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Vera & Boo Dupuis, Luda & Eli Fields, Vivian & Eddie Fields, Jr., Donald Fields, Sally Anderson, Ruby Miller, Marius Carlos, Anthony Governale, Sr., Elmo & Viola Goulas, Troy Fangué, Alfred/Holt Families, Martin & Deshotel & Prince Families, Robert & Maridel LaBauve, Mary & Ray Martin, Smith-Theriot Families, Philip Smith, Sr., Dirk Hoffpauir, Barbara Kreider, Joe & Bet Cefalu, Elfrey LeBlanc, Carroll & Zeder Kraemer, Bernie Marino, Melvin J. Pitre, Doris B. & J. Darwin Richard, Rosalie & Milford Blum, Fran & Butch Blum, Marion H. Bergeron, Johnny DeMatteo, Marlene Gautier, David Duplantis, Nick & Katie Mancuso, Dee & Vincent Orcino, Larry Bergeron, Genevieve Boudreaux, Warren Fortier, John Siracusa, Jerry Listi, Viola Percle, Otis Rulf, Albert Jerome Bileci, Ed Fontenot, Rosalee Loupe, Steven Adams, Santo & Stella Russo, Alice Shannon Guzzetta, Ed Patterson, Garnette Listi, Sidney Solar, Jr., Lorraine Terrebonne, P.U. Melancon, Blanchard & Fontenot Families.

Sunday, Jan. 2, 8:00am: David Loupe, Rose H. Percle, Alvin Ackerman, Jr., Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Dannie Goulas, Joe & Bernice Giandelone, David & Jane Webster for Healing, Mim & Merlin Price, Sr., Claire & Sheldon Bergeron, H.V. Choo Choo Fondren, Forcheimer/Fondren Families L/D, Jason DeHart, Anatole & Ida Fangué, Roland & Virginia Fangué, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Mr. & Mrs. John Parker Conrad, Sr., Ed Fontenot, DiMatteo Family, John/Josephine/Johnny DeMatteo, Jeffery DeMatteo, Richard, Sr. & Hilda Landry, Jimmy LeBouef, Alice S. Guzzetta, Rickey Arceneaux, Stephen Schaub, Garnette Listi, "Seeds on Good Ground", Come, Lord Jesus.

11:00am: Jim Holt, Holt/Alfred Families, Mr. & Mrs. Oliver J. Bergeron Family L/D, Parker & Shirley Conrad, Hugh & Nell Egle Brown, M/M Raymond Egle, Vivian & Ferris Romaine, Sr., Luda & Eli Fields, Marian Romaine, Nolan & Katherine Michel, Walter & Irma Michel, Nellie Blereau, Joe Giordano, Genevieve Theriot, Adam E. & Dorothy Conner, Fred & Edna Williams, Bill & Eloise Gowland, Charles Gowland, Sr., Hogan/Landry Families, Mac, Mary & Stephen McCleary, Dehart/Duhon Families L&D, Dr. C.R. Brownell, Lorraine B. Moreau, Leonard & Florence Bernucho, Charles Moreau, Ozio/LeDoux Families, Marion & Oliver Bergeron, Jr., Barbara Kreider, Betty Rink, Pat DeHart, David Duplantis, Mark Manfre, Ricky David Daigle, Placide Daigle, Brian Hartman, Janet Courtney, Dorothy Conner. 6:00pm: Ancestors Souls, Karen Ordogne, Charles Gowland, Sr., Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Marion Bergeron, Genevieve Theriot, Janet/Beverly/Charles Fernandez, Leonard & Enola Klutts, Barbara Miller, Yvonne Fernandez, George Fernandez, Carl J. & Glenda W. Streva Family L/D.

Monday, Jan. 4, 6:30am: Marvin Compton, Joe Parsiola, Anthony Cannata, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Joe Giordano, Genevieve Theriot, Eloise & Bill Gowland, Charles Gowland, Sr., John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, M/M Eddie Landry, Nellie Blereau, Eugene Fields, Joe & Bet Cefalu, Roland & Jenna Fangué, Johnny & Jeffrey DeMatteo, Marion Bergeron, Cyrus & Shirley Giroir, Earl L. & Goldie M. Mayon, Rosalie, Milford, Butch & Fran Blum, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Larry Bergeron, Otis Rulf, Rickey Arceneaux, Ed Paterson, Rosamary Cutrera, Howard Thibodaux, Msgr. James Songy,

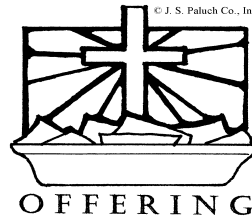
Tuesday, Jan. 5, 6:30am: Ted McManus, David Arcemont, Boudreaux/ Sewart families, Eloise & Bill Gowland, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Rudolph Landry, Theresa & William Maxwell, George & Joyce Melancon, Nellie Blereau, Dupuis family, Elaine Naquin, Robert & Maridel LaBauve, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Bernie Marino, Alice Shannon, Mr. & Mrs. John Parker Conrad, Sr., Marvin Compton, Jeffrey DiMatteo, Anthony Cannata, Grace Napoli, David Duplantis, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Larry Bergeron, Charles Gowland, Sr., Jerry Listi, J.P. Morella & Fam. L/D, Cyrus Giroir, Johnny DiMatteo, Mark Manfre, Kathleen Landry, Lorraine Terrebonne.

Wednesday, Jan. 6, 6:30am : Mark Manfre, Marvin Compton, David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Roy & Dee Simoneaux, Emery & Mary Besse, John & Stella Mula, Pauline & Randolph Landry, Skeezi & Flora Bergeron, Bertin/Dupuis Families, Manfre/Grizzaffi Families, David Duplantis, Gerald Blanchard, Bet & Joseph Cefalu, Sr., Robert LaBauve, Nellie Blereau, Jason DeHart, Elaine Naquin, C. C. & Barbara Clark, Earl & Goldie Mayon, Nolan & Katherine Michel, Celeste Loupe, Cy & Shirley Giroir, Loulie & Lelia Boudreaux, Johnny DiMatteo, Gerald Blanchard, Rosalie, Milford, Butch & Fran Blum, Jeffery DiMatteo, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Pat Dehart, Charles Gowland, Sr., Gladys & Clive Cloutier, Larry Bergeron, Bernadine Hayes, Rickey Arceneaux, Nguyen Family, Sr., Janet Courtney.

Thursday, Jan. 7, 6:30a.m.: David Arcemont, Joyce & George Melancon, Bessie Roy, Nellie Blereau, Manfre Family, Teresa & William Maxwell, John & Stella Mula, Randolph & Pauline Landry, Bet & Joe Cefalu, Santo & Stella Rousso, Adam & Dorothy Conner, Fred & Edna Williams, Joe Parsiola, Marvin Compton, Jeffery DiMatteo, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Charles Gowland, Sr., Horace Naquin, Dung Nguyen, Rosalee Loupe, Otis Rulf, Garnette Listi, Marudel & Robert LaBauve, Santo Rousso

Friday, Jan. 8, 8:00a.m.: Holy Souls in Purgatory, Cameron Webster, Audrey & Joe Webster, Audrey & Bert Chauvin, Pat DeHart, Charles Gowland, Sr., David Duplantis, Dung Nguyen Family, Jerry Listi, Mark Manfre, Santo & Stella Russo, Alice S. Guzzetta, Anthony Cannata, Rickey Arceneaux, Ed Patterson, Jeanette Dufrene, Joe Parsiola, Karen Ordogne.

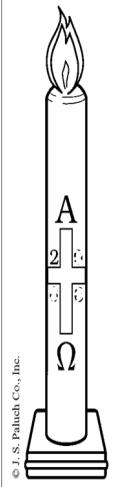
Angel of God
 my guardian dear to whom His love
 commits me here ever this day be at my
 side to light and guard to rule and
 guide. **Amen.**



STEWARDSHIP:
12/20/2020
Regular Collection:
 \$5,090.00
Maintenance: \$4,310.00
 Money Counters: Team (5)

OFFERING

PRAY FOR... PEACE, Protection from floods & storms,
 Harold Ross, Huan Tran, Mary Ann Crocker, Kathryn Stada-
 lis, Carol Bergeron, Rexall Howard, Stephen Giroir, Ana
 Rogers, Beulah Deshotel, Mona Thibodeaux, Hilda Landry,
 Dot Whitley, R.J. Hebert, Kim Verrett, Jane Webster, Rod-
 ney Frederick, Betty Smith, Henry Daigle, Roger Liner, Don-
 na Henry, Jane Davis, Deanna Guidry, Bob Keeling, Louis
 Wilson, Roger Adams Jr., Gene & Edie Nezat, Ross Rock,
 Brittany Thomas, Dalton Dupree, Noah Fryou, Tara Trahan,
 Ashley Ribardi, Virginia Naquin, Nick Tullier, Deanna
 Rome, Jimmy LeBlanc, Dale Hubert, Pat Rock, Barbara
 Breaux, Stacy Giroir, Eston Roger, Drew Clements, Robbie
 & Kacie Toups, Janet Bennett, Dallas Theriot, Theresa &
 Tim Theriot, Jean Stephens, Zweigle/Dupree Families, Glo-
 ria & Jessie Michel, Edd Thornton, Donald Loupe, Ida Mae
 Percle, Lelia Johnson, Nicki Plessala, Jim Miller, Jill John-
 son, Sylvia Carter, Jaiden, Tammy Fitch, Chad Duval, Jr.,
 Harley Blanco, Demarius Granger, Mabel Rulf, R.J. Percle,
 Darrel Beadle, Killian Mabe, Joan Judycki, Mary Ann Tro-
 scaire, Anna Hargrave & Family, Ethan LeBouef, Shannon
 Swiber, Holly Brasseaux, Amanda Jennings, Katy Bourgeois,
 Ina Clarke, William LaPoint, Marilyn Pye, Leonard &
 Priscilla Scully, Catherine & Elijah Landry, Susie Sanford,
 Jim Dalton, Robin Jeansonne, Charlie Solar, Sr., Karen
 Duhon, Barbara Olson, Herman Bailey, Rene Prado, Jah-
 marla Guidry, Bob Opperman, Susan Nelson, Laine Mosher,
 Aceson Alleman, Catherine Thibodeaux, Scott Barbier, Mar-
 tha Guillory, Will Lapoint, Edwin Bergeron, Jason Theriot,
 Anna Rogers, Evie Herrington, Mac Percle, Yvonne Sweigle,
 Joyce Vicknair, Melba Robin, Shonet Vedros, Bryson
 Plaisance, Betty Ross, Larry Giroir., Jim Davis, Rachel Ad-
 ams, Red Cuvillier, Ave Ross, End to the pandemic, All vic-
 tims of the coronavirus and their families, Elijah Carter,
 Nedra Giroir, Thomas Glenn, Valerie Streety, Larry Guillory,
 Allen Bourdier, Janet Courtney, John Giordano, Cox, Sidney
 Solar, Nettie Acosta, Mary Ellen Ruiz Stegall, Nick LaRoc-
 ca, The Fitch Family, Rachal Basas, Don Domino, Maxine
 Barbier, Anna Broussard, Cassandar Alverd, Peggy Bourque,
 Mary Grace Stansbury, Reberta Ford, Jim Mestepey, Margie
 Aucoin, Gentry Garrett, Cherie Dyer, Lovenia Percle, Dalia
 Ramirez, Linda Cortez, Francis Smith, Elizabeth Smith,
 Layla Giroir, Wendy Hotard, Charles Gibson, Jr.



Baptisms
December 20, 2020

Mila Alexandra Breaux
 Child of Dustin Paul Breaux &
 Lisa Nicole Durham

Avery Lynn Solar
 Child of Charlie Ray Solar, Jr. &
 Kindra Lynn Halverson

YOUTH FORMATION

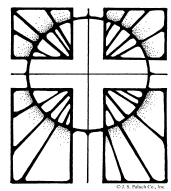
Classes will be held January 6 for All grades 1-11
 5:45-7:15p.m.
 There will be NO mass! therefore classes will end at
 7:15p.m.

**The star stopped over the place
 where the child was**



PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY
 U.S. Armed Forces and All who serve & pro-
 tect us, Craig Bourdier, Joseph
 Johnson, V, Tony Malbrough, Mathew Young,
 Luke Zweigle, Draven Smith, Brian Hartman.

PRAYER INTENTIONS
 Please send your prayer intentions
 to shcsecretary@htdiocese.org
 or call the rectory 385-0770
 and we will include them
 in our daily prayers.



Father Henry Out of the Parish!

Father is traveling home to India and will out of the parish. He will return January 31st.

Thank you for keeping him in your everyday prayers.

**HAVE A
SAFE TRIP!**

January 3, 2021
Ephiphany of the Lord

Entrance Chant:

Behold, the Lord, the Mighty One, has come; and kingship is in his grasp, and power and dominion.

FIRST SATURDAY MASS
8:30A.M. followed by
Exposition until 10:00a.m.



GOD'S PROMISE TO ALL PEOPLE

Today Isaiah reminds the people of God that the land shall be restored to their possession, they shall rejoice to see their people return from the bondage of exile, and that they shall be a light to the nations. In other words, through the people of Israel, the Savior shall come to all people who seek God with a sincere heart. This brings joy and the radiance of God's glory to all the world and to all people everywhere. Through the fidelity of the people of God, and through God's fidelity to them, all people shall become God's children and rejoice in the fulfillment of God's promise to Israel.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — You shall be radiant at what you see, your heart shall throb and overflow (Isaiah 60:1-6).

Psalm — Lord, every nation on earth will adore you (Psalm 72).

Second Reading — The Gentiles are copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

Gospel — The magi were overjoyed at seeing the star (Matthew 2:1-12).

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Where on earth would you go to honor the magi? Iran or Saudi Arabia, Tarshish or the Isles come to mind, but Cologne, Germany would be a good choice. There the Shrine of the Three Kings has been the centerpiece of the city's cathedral since the fourth century. Today it is the largest reliquary in the world: a gilded and ornamented triple casket gleaming high above the altar. In the fourth century, the supposed relics of the wise men were taken from Constantinople to Milan, where they remained until the German Emperor with the unlikely name Frederick Barbarossa (Red Beard) gave them to the Archbishop of Cologne. Ever since, pilgrims have streamed into the city to honor the magi, the first of all pilgrims, and thus the heavenly patrons of all who have some holy wanderlust.

This largest Gothic cathedral in Europe today was begun in the mid-1200s to house the relics. In medieval times, the relics in a city's possession were often the key to a sound international economy. The reliquary was last opened in 1864, and the remains of three men were indeed discovered. The cathedral is well worth a visit, with enormous twin spires forming the largest façade of any church in the world (it is the model for St. Patrick's in New York). Construction began in 1248 and ended in 1880, a six-hundred-year project. Today, it is a World Heritage Site, described by the U.N. as "an exceptional work of human creative genius." This great treasure of our tradition suffered fourteen direct bomb hits in World War II but did not collapse. It survived while the city burned around it, preserved, the townspeople say, by three heavenly patrons.

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