



HOLY ANGELS CHURCH



TOGETHER IN PRAYER AND WORSHIP



Holy Angels Parish walks with you in your journey of faith. We are a community of believers, coming together to pray and give glory to God through liturgy and sacraments. Our Catholic community welcomes you. We pray that each parishioner will be blessed and strengthened by the power of Jesus Christ our Saviour and live a life of abundance in fellowship, joy and love. May God bless you always!

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MASS TIMES/ORARIO DELLE MESSE:

Saturday Vigil:
5:00 p.m. English

Sunday:
9:30 a.m. Italian
11:30 a.m. English

Weekday Masses:
8:00 a.m. English
(Mon/Wed/Thurs/Fri)
NO Mass on Tuesdays

CONFESSIONS/ CONFESSIONI:

4:00 – 4:45 p.m. Saturdays or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS/ ORARIO DI UFFICIO:

Monday
By Appointment Only

Tuesday
Closed

Wednesday to Friday
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Saturday/Sunday
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January 8, 2023 | The Epiphany of the Lord

Is 60:1-6 | Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 | Mt 2:1-12

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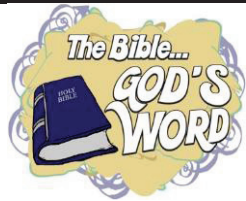
It's easy to stay inside and cozy up on the couch these winter months. Having just gotten through the winter solstice, many of us crave light and warmth. The language of Isaiah may resonate with us even more deeply this time of year: "See, darkness covers the earth, and thick clouds cover the peoples; but upon you the Lord shines, and over you appears his glory." In today's Gospel, in the dark of night, the Magi follow a bright star to pay homage to Jesus, whom they recognize as the newborn king of the Jews. On the Epiphany, which means "manifestation," we celebrate this moment when Christ's light shone forth to the world. As Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI wrote in *Jesus of Nazareth: The Infancy Narratives*: "The key point is this: The wise men from the east are a new beginning. They represent the journeying of humanity toward Christ."

PRAY "Dear Jesus, as you led the Wise Men to you by the light of a star, please draw us ever closer to you by the light of faith. Help us to desire you as ardently as they did. Give us the grace to overcome all the obstacles that keep us far from you. May we, like them, have something to give you when we appear before you. Amen."

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Like the Wise Men who traveled a long distance to pay homage to the Christ Child, each of us journeys every day toward a fuller life in Christ. Just as the Magi followed the light to discover Christ, so does the light of Christ serve as our constant beacon, reorienting us toward God and his holy path. After worshiping the Christ Child at Christmas, let us move forward and pay homage to the Savior through our words and actions. Although Epiphany signifies the official "end" of the Christmas season, it is fitting that it falls at the beginning of a new calendar year because it allows us to reexamine, among our traditional "New Year's resolutions," how we live our lives in the light of Christ. "The wise men from the east are a new beginning," the pope said. May their journey and experience inspire us to "begin anew" however we must, and offer Jesus our gifts of love and devotion, considering how his light may shine through us to others.



Epifania del Signore

Oggi la Chiesa celebra la manifestazione di Gesù a tutti i popoli, rappresentati dai re Magi. Facciamo nostro il gesto di offerta dei doni di questi re stranieri al

Bambino. Le nostre comunità siano un presepio vivente di adorazione e di donazione delle nostre vite al Figlio di Dio.



Thank you for supporting your church. Collection for January 1st was \$3,418.75

Grazie della generosità per la vostra Chiesa. L'offertorio della domenica 1° gennaio era \$3.418.75.

Sanctuary Lamp Prayer for the week of January 8th is offered in memory of Carmela & Stefano Policelli requested by their children and grandchildren.



La lampada del SS. Sacramento della settimana di 1 gennaio è stata offerta in memoria di Carmela e Stefano Policelli richiesta da suoi figlie e nipoti.

Holy Angels Building Repairs Fund: Second collection for January 1st was \$108.00.

La Seconda Raccolta per la Chiesa: Seconda raccolta della settimana 1° gennaio era \$108.00.

Tax Receipts for 2022: will be mailed directly to you by the end of February. Please note that any donations made after January 15th, 2023, will **NOT** be included in the 2022 year. You should all be using your new donation envelopes now. Any 2022 envelopes received after January 15th will be for the 2023 year.

JANUARY 8, 2023



Dr. Simone: We will be collecting sugar for the month of January.

Questo mese accogliamo lo zucchero per la missione del Dr. Simone.

St. Anthony Committee: The Feast of St. Anthony Committee invites all parishioners to the Annual Dinner/Dance on Saturday, February 4th at Le Tréport Banquet Hall. Tickets are \$100/person, \$40 for children under 12, all inclusive. To reserve tickets, please call Joe Falcone at 905-629-4080, committee members, or the church office.

Il comitato della festa di Sant'Antonio invita tutti i parrocchiani ed amici al ballo annuale, sabato 4 febbraio, presso Le Tréport. Per prenotare i biglietti, rivolgetevi al comitato, oppure chiamate Joe Falcone 905 629-4080. Il prezzo è \$100/persona, tutto incluso, \$40 per bambini sotto 12 anni.

Donation Envelopes 2023: are now available! They will be available in the back of the Church. *Please be sure to take the box that belongs to you.* If you wish to register for envelopes, please call the office and we will assign you a number.

Le buste dell'offertaio per 2023 sono pronte. Chiediamo di prenderne secondo il vostro numero e guardare se il numero corrisponde con il vostro nome.

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Memorial leaves for our loved ones for the tree in the rear of the Church are always available upon request. Please call Maria at 905-270-7681 or the parish office.



Mass Intentions January 9th to January 15th

Saturday January 14th

Mem. of Blessed Virgin Mary

5:00 pm † Michael Mayer by Mom and family

Sunday January 15th

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am † Maria Falcone-Regan by Famiglia Niro

11:30 am † Emil & Emilia Rzega & Ludwik Cieslik and family by Dorota Cieslik

There will be no MASSES celebrated during Retreat Study Days January 9-13. The regular Mass schedule will resume January 16th.

Please welcome our newest little parishioners...



Contact the office for more information on the Baptismal Preparation process. We require 3 months advance notice.



Congratulations to our newly married couple...

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