THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD—JANUARY 8, 2017

Monday	Jan 9	3:00-10:00pm	Adoration
Tuesday	Jan 10		No Communion Service
Wednesday	Jan 11	8:15 am	For the Parish
Thursday	Jan 12	8:15 am	For the Parish
Friday	Jan 13	8:15 am	For the Parish
Saturday	Jan 14	5:00 pm	The Baptism of the Lord
Sunday	Jan 15	9:30 am	The Baptism of the Lord



<u>PLEASE REMEMBER</u> in your prayers Gale Arena, Bill Mitchell, Jim Plorde,



Catherine Forbush, Colleen Henling, Matt De Cample, Jack MacIntyre, Art and June Butler, Marlene Alhadeff,

Oghenemarho Mamoh, Joseph Watunu, Helen Naughton, Barbara Sauntry, Ijeoma Opara, Dom Finocchio, Jamie Gibson, Collette & David Swan, and the patients at Seattle Children's Hospital.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday

3:00-10:00pm—Adoration 7:00pm—Knights of Columbus Meeting

Tuesday

6:30-7:30pm—R.E/Sac Prep. class

Wednesday

5:30pm—Rosary

7:00pm—RCIA—topic "Sacraments of Healing" 7:00pm—Choir Practice

Thursday

6:30pm—Jr-Hi & Sr. Hi Youth Night

Saturday

9:00am—Communion Service

RCIA Schedule:

January 11: Sacraments of Healing—
"Penance and Anointing of the Sick"

January 18: "Church History"

(Meets on Wednesday's at 7 pm)

In the Conference Room.

BEREAVED PARENT SUPPORT GROUP



Meets Monday, January 16th: 7pm in the Youth Room . Questions—Call Liz @ 523-9748



THANK YOU!

To all who <u>decorated our church so</u> beautifully this past Christmas season!

Many thanks to the parishioners and the Phyllis Kirkman Sanctuary Guild members who worked hard to fabulously enhance our worship space. Under the direction of Father Haydock: the Guild members, headed by Lori Conroy, were Milari Hare, Olga Hare, Luanne Johnson and Yolanda Smith. Parishioners Lisa Hentschell and Sandy Counts assisted them with the gold and red theme on all the elegant wreaths.

Special Thanks to Paul Gehrig, Tom Gehrig, Blythe Hirst and Brian Henling who managed to get all those banners and wreaths hung up.

- Those who helped <u>clean the church and parish hall</u> were Brian Henling, Lisa Hentschell, Tatum Langer and Reiko Wellington.
- The official Christmas season ends this week after the Feast of the Epiphany and the Baptism of our Lord. It all comes down Tues. Jan. 10^h as we begin Ordinary Time. THANK YOU ALL for a lovely Christmas environment.

Liz Houlihan.

HIGH SCHOOL CONFIRMATION

Confirmation classes resume on <u>January 8th at 11:00am.</u>
Make up classes are on <u>Wednesday's at 4:00pm.</u> You need to call ahead to let me know that you will attend. If you have more than one unexcused absence, you will be dropped from the program.

Confirmation Sessions meet: in the Fireside Room on:

(No class Jan 15—Martin Luther King Weekend)

<u>Sunday, January 22nd</u> <u>January 29th</u>

<u>February 5th</u>

11:00-12:30am in the Fireside Room Confirmation will be Feb. 6th at 7:00pm Fr. Haydock—khaydock@stbridgetchurch.org

The Knights of Columbus of St. Bridget EPIPHANY CLOTHING DRIVE

To benefit YouthCare

Each night in Seattle,700-1000 young people have no safe place to sleep. St Bridget's Knights of Columbus is hosting a Clothing Drive to help these youth with much needed clothing.

ITEMS NEEDED:

Warm winter coats, blankets and sleeping bags, new socks and underwear, hats, gloves and scarves, and hand warmers.

Please drop off Donations at St. Bridget's in the Vestibule of the Church. The weekend of January 7/8.

Sat., Jan. 7th: 4:30-5:00pm & 6:00-6:30pm(after Mass) Sun. Jan. 8th: 9:00-9:30am & 10:30-11:00am (after Mass)

WINTER SHELTER

For the last several years, union Gospel Mission has paired with churches throughout Seattle to set up temporary, overnight homeless shelters during the coldest months of the year. In North Seattle area, Our Lady of the Lake Parish is one of the 3 churches to offer space for this excellent work. Again this year St. Bridget's was invited to help out for the week of February 20-26, 2017

Sat/Sunday Jan. 7/8 we will have sign-ups for Hosting, and Meal preparation for the Shelter. Please come by the hall and check out the various volunteer opportunities.

Questions: Lynn Stapp—lynnostapp@gamail.com (206)478-1693

Sign-up Genius link: http://www.signupgenius.com/ go/10c0e4bada62cabfe3-homeless.

YOUTH NEWS!

All Junior High & Senior High Students Come and meet with Fr. Haydock on Jan. 12th, Thurs. @ 6pm to discuss the upcoming Youth programs. (Pizza will be served!) Questions, - Molly Hastings (527-1755)

Everyone is invited to a Family Reunion Dinner for those who are wanting to learn more about our sister parish and those who have gone to Namitembo. Potluck dinner Tues, Jan. 10th 6-8pm in the Fireside Rm. Please RSVP to Mary Jo: maryjogasparich@gmail.com.



St. Bridget's Book of Prayer is in the chapel. We encourage you to list your prayer intentions in the book.

They will be remembered at all Masses.

Please join us for the Rosary in the Chapel after daily Mass and on Wednesdays at 5:30p.m. Prayer booklets available.

FAITH FORMATION & CHILDREN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/CLOW

Contact Tyra Elliott to REGISTER for all classes at 206-523-9760 or by email: tyra@stbridgetchurch.org

Epiphany weekend, January 7th & 8th officially called "The Epiphany of the Lord" these feast days celebrate the epiphany (manifestation) of Christ to the Gentiles, symbolized by Christ's being revealed to the Magi (Wise Men).

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD: (CLOW) **Every Sunday in the Parish Social Hall classrooms.**

BAPTISMS: A January Baptismal class was scheduled For this Monday, Jan 9th. However, no RSVP responses were received. THE CLASS IS CANCELLED. This class is now rescheduled for Monday, Feb. 13, 2017 from 7-9pm.

TUESDAY, RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES:

Continue on Tuesday nights from 6:30-7:30pm. Next family night—Jan. 31st - it's our Service Night; Religious Ed. for grades 6-8 once a month Religious Ed class is Jan. 24th, 2017 from 6:30-7:30pm.

(No religious Education class on January 17th!)

TUESDAY, CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION:

Preparation for the Sacrament of First Eucharist continues on Tuesday nights for Public & Private non-Catholic schooled children, from 6:30-7:30pm. Children attending Catholic schools, who do not have their First Eucharist text, call Tyra-523-9760. No Sacramental Preparation class on January 17th!

REGISTRATION FOR THE WOMEN'S RETREAT IS NOW FULL!

However, we are appealing for more rooms at the Archbishop Brunette Retreat Center; a wait list has been provided on the Parish web site. We will be pulling from it in the event there are any cancellations. There are no guarantees that anyone will be accommodated off the wait list at this time.

SAVE THE DATE— PART II OF MATTHEW (DVD) FAITH FORMATION LENTEN BIBLE FILM SHOWING: March 13th (Monday). There will be two showings: 1-3pm and 6:30-8:30pm in the Parish Center. (RSVPs encouraged) Need not to have seen Part I to enjoy Part II.

WEDDINGS AT ST. BRIDGET CHURCH:

Marrying this Spring or Summer? Begin marriage prep 4 to 6 months in advance of your wedding date. See Fr. Haydock to get started.

Weddings at the Villa Chapel: Contact the Villa wedding coordinator unless Fr. Haydock is to preside, then contact St. Bridget Parish Office first.