



St. Jerome Church

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Office Hours:

1 – 5 PM Monday – Thursday

1 – 3 PM Friday

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St. Vincent DePaul: (513) 624-3147

Mass Schedule

Saturday evening 5:00 PM

Sunday 9:30 AM

Tuesdays and First Fridays 7:30 PM

Reconciliation by appointment

Pregnancy assistance services (nationwide) 1-800-848-LOVE

Suicide Prevention Hotline (nationwide) 1-800-273-8255, (local) 513-281-CARE

Baptisms and Weddings: Call the Rectory (513) 231-7042

How to register at St. Jerome's: New member registration packets are under the table to the right as you leave church. Fill out the registration form and return that form by dropping it in the collection basket, or mailing it to the Rectory at 5858 Kellogg Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45230. If you have any questions, please call the Rectory at 231-7042

**The Epiphany of the Lord
January 3, 2021**

Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Intention	Petitioner
Sat 1/2	5:00 PM	Ruth Deimling	Tim and Karen Hogan
Sun 1/3	9:30 AM	Antoinette Eschenbach	Robert Eschenbach
Tue 1/5	7:30 PM	Walt and Joanne Ruther	Cindy Richmond
Sat 1/9	5:00 PM	Mary Baugh	The Hext Family
Sun 1/10	9:30 AM	Ed Ruehlman	George and Mary Sue Kamphaus
Tue 1/12	7:30 PM	LeRoy Kienzle	Ron Kienzle

Minister Assignments January 9th and 10th, 2021

Date/Time	Lector	Communion Minister	Servers	Ushers
Saturday 1/9 5:00 PM	Ed Harvey	None	Kellie Kallas	Bill Ellis
Sunday 1/10 9:30 AM	Mary Smiley	None	Zoe Auer	Ron Kienzle

What's Happening?

Saturday 1/9 5:00 PM Second Collection for the Pregnancy Center East*
 Sunday 1/10 9:30 AM Second Collection for the Pregnancy Center East*

<u><i>Christmas and Holy Family 2020</i></u> \$3,514.00	<u><i>Giving Tree to Date</i></u> Resurrection\$3,763.00 SVDP\$ 973.00 Fr. Michael\$ 803.00
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Thank you!!!!

Prayer of Spiritual Communion for Those Who Cannot Attend Mass

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

***Pregnancy Center East** is among the finest pregnancy support organizations in Cincinnati. It offers free pregnancy testing, free ultra sound testing, new mother counselling, and the truth about abortion. They offer material assistance to mothers with few resources and counselling to new fathers. Our support of their mission is very important.



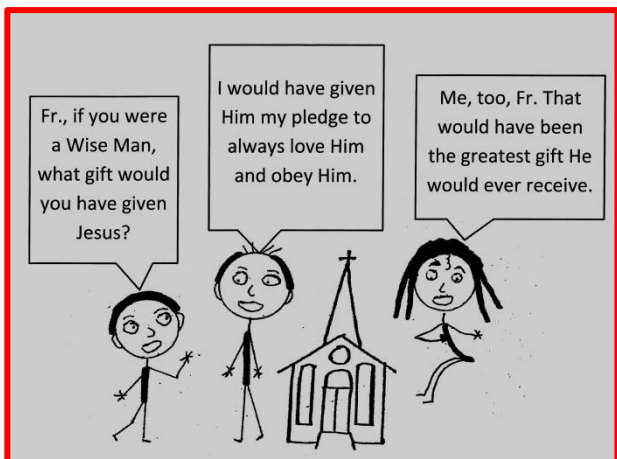
YOU WANTED TO KNOW SO WE LOOKED IT



We know a local mother who puts away her Christmas decorations the day after Christmas. Many people take them down within a few days; some waiting until Epiphany. Epiphany of the Lord (His revelation to the gentiles – the Magi) was once celebrated on January 6th, marking the end of the twelve days of Christmas. In the Catholic Church in the United States, the celebration of the great event was transferred to the second Sunday after Christmas following the 1969 revision of the Roman Liturgical Calendar. Some consider that removing your decorations before Epiphany (January 6th) is “inauspicious”.

Many Catholics believe that their decorations should remain on display until the beginning of Ordinary Time, which is the Monday following the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord on the Sunday after Epiphany – this year on January 10th. Whenever you put away your Christmas decorations, we hope you do not take Christmas away from your mind and heart. We pray that every Christian keeps the joy alive all year, thanking God for sending His Son to save us and show us the way to heaven.

"Prayers are God-filled words in which our love and God's love are joined. That love embraces the people for whom we are praying, and love always changes people and situations. This doesn't mean that we will always get what we want, but Jesus does promise that we will get what we need." — Rev. Jude Winkler, OFM

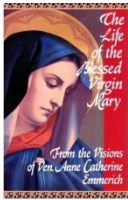


I can't believe I forgot to go to the gym today. That's 7 years in a row now.



O clement, O loving, O sweet Mother Mary, we, your children of every nation, turn to you in this pandemic. Our troubles are numerous; our fears are great. Grant that we might deposit them at your feet, take refuge in your Immaculate Heart, and obtain peace, healing, rescue, and timely help in all our needs. You are our Mother. Pray for us to your Son. Amen.

On 2-27-2021 the [E6 Catholic Men's Conference](#) will be held at the All Saints Parish – St Joseph campus in St Leon Indiana. COVID-Compliance will limit attendance but more significantly there is unlimited live-streaming of the conference wherein individuals or groups (families, men's groups or entire parishes) can witness and participate with a single enrollment. Live or Streaming registration begins January 4th [E6 Catholic Men's Conference - Registration](#). Featured speakers are Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, Jason Evert and Patrick Coffin.



"Mary remained with the donkey at the very entrance of the street while Joseph sought a lodging in the nearest houses—in vain, for Bethlehem was full of strangers, all running from place to place. Joseph returned to Mary, saying that as no shelter was to be found there, they would go on farther into the town. He led the donkey on by the bridle, and the Blessed Virgin

walked beside him. When they came to the beginning of another street, Mary again stopped by the donkey, and Joseph again went from house to house in vain seeking a lodging, and again came sadly back. This happened several times, and the Blessed Virgin often had long to wait. Everywhere the houses were filled with people, everywhere he was turned away ... Joseph led the Blessed Virgin to [a] tree, and made her a comfortable seat against its trunk with their bundles, so that she might rest while he sought for shelter in the houses near. ... At first Mary stood upright, leaning against the tree. Her ample white woollen dress had no girdle and hung around her in folds: her head was covered with a white veil. Many people passed by and looked at her, not knowing that the Redeemer was so near to them. She was so patient, so humble, so full of hopeful expectation. Ah, she had to wait a long, long time; she sat down at last on the rug, crossing her feet under her. She sat with her head bent and her hands crossed below her breast. Joseph came back to her in great distress; he had found no shelter. His friends, of whom he had spoken to the Blessed Virgin, would hardly recognize him. He was in tears and Mary comforted him." — Bl. Anne Catherine Emmerich