# OUR LADY OF LOURDES EPIPHANY OF THE LORD JANUARY 5, 2025

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#### Parish Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Thursday & Friday ~ Office Closed

#### Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 a.m. *Thursday No daily Mass* 

Adoration & Confessions Monday 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

#### **Parish Pastoral Council**

Lydia Baylor Colleen Brown Stacy Gerrity Alissa Jacopetti MaryEtta Legarski Anne Logue Keith Kuzio Kevin Mann Sharon O'Malley Jamie Wieder

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Arranged at least six months in advance.

#### **Pastoral Care of the Sick**

#### **Parish Membership**

New parishioners are always welcome Please call the parish office to register.

Knights of Columbus Council 14329

# Pilgrimage to MARIAN SHRINES Fatima, Spain, & Lourdes July 7 - 16, 2025 \$4,799 per person from Newark

All prices based on double occupancy. Pricing available from any airport: <u>www.206tours.com/airports</u>

Fr. Michael S. McCormick & Group Leaders John & Mary Etta Legarski would like to invite members of OLOL Parish in Montoursville along with individuals from our neighboring parishes for an informative meeting regarding this summer's Pilgrimage to the Marian Shrines. The meeting will discuss this Spiritual journey in more depth and provide an opportunity for individuals to ask questions regarding this trip.

# <u>The meeting will be held in Our Lady of Lourdes Hall, Walnut Street, Montoursville, on Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM weather permitting.</u>

If you plan to attend, please RSVP via the following:

By email to: <u>mlegarski@gmail.com</u> – Subject: Pilgrimage

By text to 269-365-5814

Please include the preferred method of your contact information along with the number of individuals that plan to attend. Also, if you are unable to attend due to a previous commitment, but have an interest in going with us, please use the contact information above and note that you were unable to attend. We look forward to hearing from you.

Additional information is available through our website at:

www.206tours.com/OLOL

God bless,

Group Leader Mary Etta Legarski

## In The Fullness of Time, God Sent His Son



## Week At a Glance

Monday January 6th —Office Open from 9:30am-3:30 pm —Holy Hour & Confessions 6pm-7pm Tuesday January 7th —Office open—No Mass or Novena —Coordinating Team 6:30pm Wednesday January 8th —Office open—No Mass Thursday January 9th —Office Closed as usual Friday January 10th —He's Ba-ack! —Mass at 9am —Confessions 5-6pm

## **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, January 4 First Saturday 9:00 a.m. In Reparation for sins against the Immaculate Heart Of Mary (by the Romey Fagnano Family) 4:00 p.m. For the People of the Parish Sunday, January 5 8:00 a.m. Katy Thomas (by Rob & Family) 10:30 a.m. L. Robert Swartz (by the Ebbert Family) Monday, January 6 9:00 a.m. Dermot Dineen (by Dave & Linda Phillips) Tuesday, January 7 No Mass Wednesday, January 8 No Mass Thursday, January 9 No Mass Friday, January 10 9:00 a.m. Mondell & Arduini Family (by Steve & Kathleen Mondell) Saturday, January 11 4:00 p.m. Wilma Finkbeiner (by the Family) Sunday, January 12 8:00 a.m. George & Beryl Rolley (by the Rolly Family) 10:30 a.m. Jean O'Brien (by Dave & Joanne Mondell)

#### Dear Parish Family and Friends,

Just a short message this week. I gave my usual spot to Marietta and the upcoming pilgrimage. It is going to be such a wonderful blessing, especially as we will be visiting these Holy Places during the Jubilee Year of 2025. As you may have noticed from the Mass Schedule, I am going to be away Tuesday –Thursday to visit my sister and her family for my annual Christmas visit. This gives me the opportunity to remind all of you that we are still in the Christmas Season through the celebration of the Baptism of the Lord on Sunday, January 12th. So we get to keep the trees for one more week!

I also want to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped to make this Christmas especially joyful and beautiful. Joy plus beauty reveals holiness! In no particular order, I extend my thanks to the children in the Posada and those who put it all together, Jo Marie, Richie Cummings and the choir, Helen Hiserman and her daughter Sonia who covered Christmas Day Mass, John Legarski and the Knights of Columbus and all who helped decorate, Travis Weaver our new plant manager who worked extra hours to help out, the office crew, the youth who also helped for Christmas and continue to contribute so much to our parish, Barb Burchanowski for her constant support and dedication, and finally all of you who attended, worshiped and celebrated! It was the merriest of Christmases.

Thank You and a Happy, Blessed New Year to All,

I am Joyfully Yours,

Father Michael

#### **Collection Counter Schedule**

Jan 6: Group 4 D. Vincenzes, Bonnie Fry, Kim McGee Jan 13 Group 1: D. simms, B. Fry, W. Marshalek

## Faith In Action

For the month of January we are collecting baby items: baby shampoo, baby body wash, diapers, baby lotion, etc.

We continue to collect 16 oz. jars of peanut butter for the Montoursville Back Pack Program. Our goal is to collect 120 jars per month to help the 120 + families in our School District who are in need. Thank you for all that you do.

## **Offeratory Collections**

The results will be reported next week. The bulletin had to be submitted to the printer early due to holiday schedules.

## Prayer List for the Month January

If you or a loved one would like to be added to our prayer list, please contact the parish office.

Wendy & Dave Bonus, D. Jane Brown, Mark Brumbach, Joanie & Gayne Campbell, Ann Dorin, Carisa Foulds, Margie Foulds, Cliff Hales, Michael Hook, Janet Jean, Lois O'Malley, Kathleen Maiolo, Al and Karen Marlett, Jessie McDevitt, Jason Mifsud, Aaron Murray, Mary Shuhler, Jim Wilson, Debbie Winterer



## Behold, the Lord, The Mighty One Has Come

TICKET PRICE **ADULTS ~ \$13.00** CHILDREN ~ \$7.00 (10 AND UNDER)



**TAKE OUT DINNERS DINE IN AREA AVAILALBE** 

# **OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH HALL**

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 2025 ~ 5:00 PM TO 7:00 PM

# **DINNER TO INCLUDE: Spaghetti & Homemade Meatballs, Dinner Salad, Roll/Butter, & Dessert**

## **TICKETS ON SALE STARTING JANUARY 4/5 AFTER ALL** MASSES AND IN THE CHURCH OFFICE UNTIL SOLD OUT.



As we recall the Magi's gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh, given to the Infant Who is being revealed to the World, let us take notice of a fourth gift. In making Himself know to us, He is at the OCATIONS same time giving each us of the gift of our individual vocations. We "unwrap" this gift of a vocation through prayer and guided discernment. If you are trying to discern the vocation to which you are



