

The Epiphany of the Lord
Sunday, January 5, 2025- Year C



📖 Sunday Readings 📖

Isaiah 60.1-6
 Ephesians 3.2-3a, 5-6 Matthew 2.1-12



Week of January 5th
 + Holy Souls In Purgatory - Diaz Family

The Epiphany of the Lord.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 4

4:30 pm +Jacqueline O'Brien –
 Wayne & Ruth Penner

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5

8:30 am Deceased Members of Sabiano &
 Sarmiento Families – Cely Sabiano
 10:00 am +Olga Mary Vizer – Somogyvári Family
 11:30 am +Raymond & Emily Nowaczyk–
 Francine Baranek
 7:30 pm Cathedral parishioners

MONDAY, JANUARY 6

7:00 am Lise Mallioux – Emilia Witek
 12:10 pm +Sheila Smith – John Smith and
 the Intentions of Kathy Abbruscato – Patti
 Townsend

TUESDAY, JANUARY 7 *St. Andre Bessette, Religious*

12:10 pm +Maria & Tony DaSilva – Maria Clifford

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8

7:00 am Townsend Family – J. Bastings
 12:10 pm +Poor Souls – Thomas Bonomi

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9

7:00 am In Thanksgiving – Killian Romain &
 Family
 12:10 pm +Erin Nightingale – Nash & Swanson
 Families

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10

7:00 am Cipriano Family – J. Bastings
 12:10 pm +Toma & Pashke Krasniqi - Nikolla

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11

8:00 am In Thanksgiving for Blessings –
 Angelis O. & Jeffrey B.
 4:30 pm +Lucia Latorre – Jean & Pino Baldo

The Baptism of the Lord

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12

8:30 am +Dr. Andres Reyes – Jun & Nita Cuizon
 10:00 am +Bernie McDonald – Flatman Family
 11:30 am +Nicoletta Ferrante – Teresa & Frank
 Berardi

St. Vincent de Paul News

Cathedral St. Vincent de Paul is grateful for the financial support provided by Cathedral parishioners. Beginning Tuesday, January 7, 2025, members will begin offering food vouchers to those who need our assistance within the Cathedral parish boundaries. One of the recipients at Christmas presented the volunteers with a card. This is the message she sent: “Thank you for being so kind, helping me out when I need it. All the best in 2025 to you and your family and your church family. Thank you, S.S.” Thank you for helping us to help those who need our help. God bless.



Our next Coffee Social will take place after the 11:30 am Mass on Sunday, January 12th. Please come down for fellowship and tasty treats!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

Christmas Offering:	\$9,050.00
Candles:	\$195.00
Missals:	\$30.00
Initial Envelope Offering:	\$720.00
Mary, Mother of God (Jan. 1):	\$2,270.00

SUNDAY ENVELOPES

New Boxes of envelopes are out for those who wish to begin using regular envelopes. Please fill out all the information for the first month or so to ensure that the correct information has been recorded. Please update any information if there has been a change for regular donors. Thank you!

Cathedral Website
www.thecathedralinstcatharines.com

CWL CATHEDRAL COUNCIL

Your 2025 memberships are now due. The fee is \$40. Please use the blue envelope found in your church offertory box. Or, you may use a plain white envelope marked with "CWL Membership", along with your name, address and telephone number. It can be placed in the collection basket at mass, or dropped off in the mailbox at the parish office. If paying by cheque, please make it payable to Cathedral CWL. New members are always welcome!



Our next general meeting is on Thursday, January 9, 2025. Father Paul McDonald will say mass at 6:30 pm.



St. Michael Men's Speaker Series: Thursday, January 9th @ 7:30 pm at Sts. Cyril and Methodius Church, St. Catharines, with Fr. Roman Dusanowskyj.

This month's topics: Spiritual lessons from a life of solitude **and** Shielding yourself against dark forces.

Blessing and distribution of icons of Christ.

Confessions at 7 pm; talk starts at 7:30 pm; social hour at 8:30 pm.

Gentlemen of all ages are invited to this monthly talk and social about a spiritual topic relevant to men in our time. Held at a different church each month in order to bring together men from across the diocese and provide guidance and support with a spiritual talk and activity designed to strengthen our faith and fight spiritual battles.



PILGRIMAGE TO SPAIN, FRANCE and PORTUGAL

Visiting Fatima on October 13th, the Feast of the Miracle of the Sun Under the spiritual guidance of Fr. Stuart MacDonald, JCL, The Sacred Heart Church (Chippawa)

Tour Coordinator: Mrs. Maria Teresa

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OCTOBER 4-OCTOBER 14, 2025, 11 DAYS, \$4,490 including taxes and tips

Barcelona, Montserrat, Manresa, Lourdes, Sanctuary of Saint Ignatius Loyola at Azpetia, Oviedo, Santiago de Compostela, Sanctuary of Bom Jesus do Monte in Braga, Fatima, Aljustrel and Valinhos.

ETransfers: for Offertory only. Donations to the Cathedral at cathalex1832@gmail.com.

Liturgical Music: The Epiphany of the Lord



ENTRANCE: 478 As With Gladness Men of Old

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 131 ps 72

Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Christmastime Alleluia

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS: 477 What Star Is This

COMMUNION: Refrain – Venite Adoremus Dominum

CHOIR ANTHEM: We Three Kings - Kings of Orient

RECESSIONAL: Alma Redemptoris Mater

479 Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

MASS MUSIC: CW II Latin Mass 343a, e, g, i.

Prayer For The New Year

Bless us, O Lord;

And bless the time

And seasons yet to come.

Teach us to number our days aright,

That we may gain wisdom of heart.

And fill this New Year with your kindness,

That we may be glad and rejoice

All the days of our life.

Amen



HEARTFELT THANKS

Please accept my heartfelt thanks for all your prayers, greetings, Christmas cards and gifts at Christmas and for your generous support of our Parish through your Christmas Offerings. Your support for the St. Vincent de Paul Society with your donations for the Christmas giftbags and giftcards was truly amazing Thank you!

"May the Holy Family. Jesus, Mary and Joseph, watch over you and Bless you in many beautiful and special ways throughout the Christmas Season and in the New Year!"

With my love and affection, Fr. Ben, Rector

BLD Healing Mass with Bishop Bergie

Friday, January 10th @ 8 pm. at the Cathedral of St. Catherine of Alexandria.

