



[The shepherds] made known  
the message that had been  
told them about this child....  
And Mary kept all these things,  
reflecting on them in her heart.

LUKE 2:17, 19

## What Do You Hold in Your Heart?

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

**O**n New Year's Eve, some of my friends try to recall a significant event from each year, beginning with the most recent, and work their way back. They tell me that memories from the first couple of years, the most recent, are fairly easy to call to mind, but after that, memories get reduced to births and deaths, marriages and moves to new homes, vacations, and ultimately to not remembering anything significant for some years. It's an interesting conclusion—not remembering anything significant—given the human emotions and energies we pour into trivial disagreements, unresolved conflicts, and family issues.

The Gospel recounts how Mary reflected upon the events of her Son's birth and how she kept them all in her heart. I suspect that many of the events we might recount from that New Year's Eve exercise would end up being some of the moments we hold in our hearts. Most would likely revolve around family, all those people we keep in our hearts. Others might be about job promotions or successes, or memorable recognitions. We justifiably keep these as treasures to remember.

As Mary did, we might learn something about ourselves by pondering significant personal faith events. I doubt most of us will recall one for each year, which may say something about how seriously we take our faith lives. Yet those we do recall could be treasures of the past that will bless us in the present. ●

### Reflect

**What do the events  
you carry in your heart  
say about who you are?**



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## Parish Services

### Weekend Masses

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

### Weekday Masses

8:00 a.m.

Monday, Wednesday & Friday

Tuesday 7:30 p.m.

and PH Devotions

Thursday 6:00 a.m.

### Confessions

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

or by appointment

### Adoration

Tuesday 1:00-2:00 p.m.

4:00-5:00 & 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Wednesday 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Thursday 3:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

First Friday 8:30 a.m.-12:00

p.m.

First Sunday 7:00-8:00 a.m.

### Baptisms and Marriages

By arrangement

with Fr. Steve Robeson

## Upcoming Events at St. Ignatius

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| 01/02    | Church Cleaning Team 8-Ava Diermann              |
| 01/02    | Parish Office Closed                             |
| 01/04    | Parish Council Mtg 7 pm                          |
| 01/04    | Rosary & Litany after Mass                       |
| 01/05    | Home & School Mtg 6:30 pm                        |
| 01/05    | Home Economics 8am-3pm                           |
| 01/06    | 11:30 Dismissal; Faculty Mtg.                    |
| 01/09-17 | Father Steve on vacation                         |
| 01/12    | Rectory Cleaning                                 |
| 01/14-15 | Visiting Priest Saturday & Sunday                |
| 01/16    | NO School—MLK Day                                |
| 01/16    | Church Cleaning Team 9—Diane Glosemeyer          |
| 01/18    | School Board Mtg. 6:30 pm                        |
| 01/19    | Home Economics 8am-3pm                           |
| 01/27    | St Ig Club Dinner starts 6 pm                    |
| 02/04    | Cornhole 12 pm-10 pm—Community Center            |
| 02/10-11 | Scrapbooking 6-12 midnight Fri. 9am-9om Sat.     |
| 02/24    | Knights of Columbus Fish Fry—St. Ignatius 4-7 pm |
| 02/26    | St Ig Alumni Mass & School Social                |

## Sunday Offerings

General Fund	\$6010.00
Loose Collection	\$238.00
Votive Stand	\$17.00
Misc. Parish Donation	\$160.10
Christmas Offering	\$2850.00
Cardinal Glennon Hospital	\$20.00
Seminary Collection	\$910.00
Hall Rental	\$100.00
TG Day Deposit-Cranberry Sales	\$8.00

### TOTAL \$10,313.10

86 General Offering envelopes collected, including children.



### Concord Hill Home Economics Club

Be sure to PURCHASE RAFFLE TICKETS IF YOU WANT A CHANCE TO WIN! Remember, proceeds from this fundraiser benefit our school's hot lunch program.

Father Steve will be on vacation 1/9/23-1/17/23. Communion Services during the week. Visiting Priest, the weekend of 1/14 & 1/15/23.

Jonah Team meets on the first Sunday of the month 10:00 am Mass & Saturday at 5 pm. Also, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday at 8:00 am Mass.

Please contact the Parish Office if you need a name on the Sick, Ailing or Recovering list added or removed.

Calendars from Martin Funeral Home are in the back of Church—Please help yourself!

### Message from Father Steve

*If anyone needs anointing or confessions, please contact Father Steve directly.*

*If someone needs a house call, prayers, or special requests, contact Father Steve or Deacon Paul.*

**Please remember St Ignatius Parish and School in your will.**

Did you know St Ignatius has a K & R Market rewards card? When you shop at K & R Market type in 636-932-4444 so the Hot Lunch Program can receive the points. Thank you in advance for all your help!



## MASS SCHEDULE

### Saturday, December 31, 2022

5:00 p.m. † Kathy Frick

Eucharistic Minister: Patty Koch

Lector: Leo Meyer

Ushers: Bob I Carol Nieder

Servers: Volunteer I Volunteer

### Sunday, January 1, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Denny Glosemeyer

Eucharistic Minister: Paul Hecktor

Lector: Sheila Shortt

Ushers: Norbert Engemann I Christopher Engemann

Servers: Jack Glosemeyer I Carter Glosemeyer

10:00 a.m. † People of the Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Lesa Leopold

Lector: Vincent Leopold

Ushers: John Westhoff I Sandy Westhoff

Servers: Christine Marquart I Emma Poindexter

### Monday, January 2, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Hilda Hennecke

### Tuesday, January 3, 2023

7:30 p.m. † Glosemeyer/ Struckhoff Family

### Wednesday, January 4, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Roselyn Barringhaus

### Thursday, January 5, 2023

6:00 a.m. † Roselyn Barringhaus

### Friday, January 6, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Roselyn Barringhaus

### Saturday, January 7, 2023

5:00 p.m. † Mike Bocklage

Eucharistic Minister: Paul Hecktor

Lector: Stacy Kloeppel

Ushers: Mike I Zachary Kloeppel

Servers: Sam Marquart k Gabby Faust

### Sunday, January 8, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Roselyn Barringhaus

Eucharistic Minister: Alice K.

Lector: Norbert Engemann

Ushers: Jenna Jasper I Alex Huddleston

Servers: Aaron Meyer I Hunter Barnhart

10:00 a.m. † People of the Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Angie Carr

Lector: Alison Hoglan

Ushers: Loren I Ryan Engemann

Servers: Kali Glosemeyer I George Stanfill



We have 2023 Mass Intention dates available.  
Please drop off at the Rectory, put in the  
mailbox on the front porch or mail us your Mass  
Intention. There are envelopes in the back of  
Church for you to fill out with your Intention.

### Pastor's Letter to the People of St. Ignatius

Christmas time continues till the 2nd Sunday of January, the Baptism of the Lord. Now is the perfect time to renew our efforts to evangelize, to spread the Christmas message in a special way. The Mission speaker Deacon Vern, the week before Christmas was the beginning of a whole Christmas Mission week that continued through last weekend- the celebration of Christmas. The Deacon told many stories that pointed to his messages about faith, hope and healing love. I am wondering what you took from all his stories and teaching on the Gospel. On Christmas weekend I continued to use several stories to point to the Christmas message. I'm wondering what you took from that. Part of my message on Christmas included the question, "What is your one thing?" I would like to repeat that question now as the key to evangelizing. There was a feast of at least a hundred true messages from the Lord that came from our Christmas Mission week. But as you are probably aware, you can't evangelize with a hundred truths and try to tell all that to someone. It must be one, that the Spirit spoke to you and gave as a gift to you for Christmas. You may have received more than one and that is all yours to cherish and reflect on. But if you are going to reach out to invite someone into our faith, you would have to start with just one. It's okay if you don't know what your one Christmas message is yet. Just ask the Holy Spirit to tell you. The same Spirit came over Mary after the angel visited her and God gave her the one great gift: Jesus Himself. When you reflect on what you have heard at Christmas time, every true message that comes to you is like what God gave to Mary - the Word taking flesh again in a Christmas truth that comes to your heart. Please feel free to share one cherished truth with someone else.

Blessings.

Fr Steve

### Please Pray for the Sick Ailing Recovering

Fred Borges

Connie Buenemann

Jerome Heggemann

Joey Heggemann

Andrew Hellebusch

Betty Hellebusch

Carl Jacquin

Carol Jacquin

Judith Liermann

Jeffrey Lierman

Joan Meyer

Theodore Meyer

Tom Meyer

Richard Preis

Jim Smith

Matt Struckhoff

Natalie Ulett

Audrey Wagener

Marc Wagener

Leanne Davis

Jacqueline Heggemann

Jean Jaeger

Marilyn Heady

Terry Sullenstrup

Fr. Finbarr Dowling

Ronnie Marquart

### Anniversaries of Our Dearly Departed

01/02/00 Jonathon Faust

01/04/77 Harold Volk

01/05/01 Victor Engemann

01/07/08 Donald Goetemann

01/08/12 Linus Westhoff

01/09/76 Anna Engemann

01/18/99 Kenneth Jaeger

01/21/00 Armella Glosemeyer

01/21/00 Gertrude Ahmann

01/21/07 Werner Hellebusch

01/22/08 Pat Prunty

01/22/05 Loriece Williams

01/24/02 Barb Schwoeppe

01/25/09 Olivia Hellebusch

01.28.05 Clarence Lamke

01/31/85 Michael Bennett

01/31/15 Corey Hellebusch

# Dear Padre,

***I understand that all Catholics, not just priests and religious, are called to holiness. How can laypeople become holy?***

The five elements of holiness are the same for all the baptized, always in the context of their vocational calling.

**Prayer:** In the liturgy, we join our sisters and brothers to offer communal worship where we are nourished and formed by word and sacrament. In private prayer, we maintain, clarify, and nourish our relationship with God.

**Love of neighbor:** We are called to treat others with the acceptance and respect that God has for each person. Every person is our neighbor, especially people in need (Matthew 25:40).

**Living one's vocational commitment:** Being faithful to a spouse in marriage, working for family harmony, staying true to dedicated singleness in the world or in the religious community setting—all are avenues of holiness.

**Penance and self-discipline:** The Christian life demands self-denial, control, and sacrifice. Christians must deny themselves, take up their cross daily, and follow Jesus (Luke 9:23).

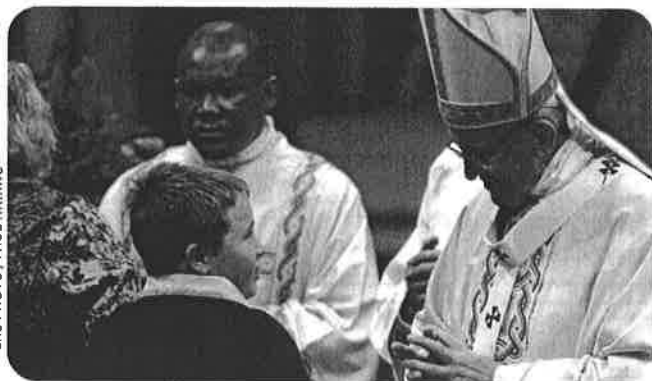
**Reaching out in discipleship:** Holiness also comes from and finds its noblest expression in a life of service and ministry. Baptism initiates us into the fullness of Christian reality, which ultimately means discipleship—sharing our faith and serving others, especially the most needy.

For laypeople, the main arena of holiness is where they live, work, play, and struggle every day. It is there that they must proclaim “the kingdom of God is in our midst,” and answer their call to holiness. ●

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## A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

***As we begin this new year, let us ask ourselves....  
Do I know how to look at people with the heart?  
Do I take to heart the people with whom I live?....  
Let us ask for the grace to live this year with  
the desire to take others to heart and to care for  
them.***

**HOMILY, VATICAN, JANUARY 1, 2020**

### MONDAY

January 2  
*Sts. Basil the  
Great and Gregory  
Nazianzen, Bishops  
and Doctors of the  
Church*  
1 Jn 2:22–28  
Jn 1:19–28

### TUESDAY

January 3  
*Christmas Weekday*  
1 Jn 2:29–3:6  
Jn 1:29–34

### WEDNESDAY

January 4  
*St. Elizabeth Ann  
Seton, Religious*  
1 Jn 3:7–10  
Jn 1:35–42

### THURSDAY

January 5  
*St. John Neumann,  
Bishop*  
1 Jn 3:11–21  
Jn 1:43–51

### FRIDAY

January 6  
*Christmas Weekday*  
1 Jn 5:5–13  
Mk 1:7–11

### SATURDAY

January 7  
*Christmas Weekday*  
1 Jn 5:14–21  
Jn 2:1–12

### SUNDAY

January 8  
*Epiphany  
of the Lord*  
Is 60:1–6  
Eph 3:2–3, 5–6  
Mt 2:1–12

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