

Epiphany of the Lord



Saint Timothy's Church

An Ordinariate Catholic Community

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Solemn Mass – January 4, 2015

The order of service for the Mass is found in the Worship Manual.

The Mass setting is Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena.

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<i>Priest:</i> Pray, brethren, that our Sacrifice may be acceptable to God, the Almighty Father.	

People: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at thy hands, for the praise and glory of His name, for our good and for the good of all His holy Church.

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We pro - claim thy Death, O Lord, and pro - fess thy Res - ur - rec - tion,



un - til thou come__ a - gain.

Communion of the People (*Note Communion Guidelines, page 35*)

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Organ Postlude Rebecca Pope

St. Timothy's is a fully Roman Catholic Congregation, and that receiving communion at this mass satisfies the obligation for all Catholics. Please refer to the "Guidelines for receiving Holy Communion" on page 35 of the mass booklet.

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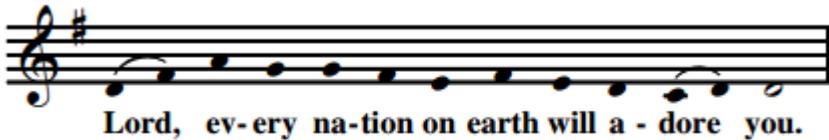
Year B

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. For behold, darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the Lord will arise upon you, and his glory will be seen upon you. And nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your rising. Lift up your eyes round about, and see; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far, and your daughters shall be carried in the arms. Then you shall see and be radiant, your heart shall thrill and rejoice; because the abundance of the sea shall be turned to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Mid'ian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord. *Response: Thanks be to God.*

Responsorial Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13

The People sing the Responses:



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R. Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

O God, with your judgment endow the king,
and with your justice, the king's son;
He shall govern your people with justice
and your afflicted ones with judgment.

R. Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

Justice shall flower in his days,
and profound peace, till the moon be no more.
May he rule from sea to sea,
and from the River to the ends of the earth.

R. Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

The kings of Tarshish and the Isles shall offer gifts;
the kings of Arabia and Seba shall bring tribute.
All kings shall pay him homage,

all nations shall serve him.

R. Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

For he shall rescue the poor when he cries out,
and the afflicted when he has no one to help him.

He shall have pity for the lowly and the poor;
the lives of the poor he shall save.

R. Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

The Epistle: Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

Assuming that you have heard of the stewardship of God's grace that was given to me for you, how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I have written briefly, which was not made known to the sons of men in other generations as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit; that is, how the Gentiles are fellow heirs, members of the same body, and partakers of the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. *Response: Thanks be to God.*

The Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, behold, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, saying, "Where is he who has been born king of the Jews? For we have seen his star in the East, and have come to worship him." When Herod the king heard this, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him; and assembling all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. They told him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it is written by the prophet: 'And you, O Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who will govern my people Israel.'" Then Herod summoned the wise men secretly and ascertained from them what time the star appeared; and he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search diligently for the child, and when you have found him bring me word, that I too may come and worship him." When they had heard the king they went their way; and lo, the star which they had seen in the East went before them, till it came to rest over the place where the child was. When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with great joy; and going into the house they saw the child with Mary his mother, and they fell down and worshiped him. Then, opening their treasures, they offered him gifts, gold and frankincense and myrrh. And being warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed to their own country by another way.

Response: Praise be to Thee O Christ

Announcements

❑ *Epiphany Home Blessing With Chalk:*

It has been a venerable tradition in the Catholic Church to hand out blessed chalk at the Masses for Epiphany, and then use the blessed chalk as part of blessing one's home in the New Year. The home blessing can be done as follows:

Use the blessed chalk to write:

20+C+M+B+15

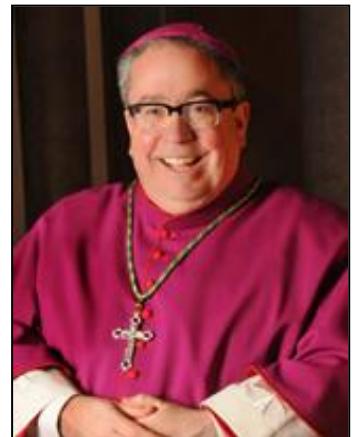
above the doorways. 20XX for the year; (2015) C, M, B for the 3 Magi – Casper, Melchior, and Balthasar– and then write "Christus Mansionem Benedicat", which is Latin for "May Christ Bless this House."

As you are writing, pray the following prayer:

Lord God of heaven and earth, you revealed your only begotten Son to every nation by the guidance of a star. Bless this house and all who inhabit it. Fill us with the light of Christ, that our concern for others may reflect your love. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

The blessed chalk will be available following Mass today.

- ❑ Due to Bishop Olson's visit (and reception following) on January 18th, the regular first Sunday of the month Potluck has been CANCELLED. There is not a potluck meal today after Mass.
- ❑ Sunday, January 18th, will be **Confirmation Sunday** at St. Timothy's. We are delighted to announce that His Excellency, The Most Rev'd Michael Olson, Bishop of Fort Worth, will preside from the throne at our 2 p.m. Solemn Mass in the Presence of a Greater Prelate, and celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation for our newest members -- a reception in the school's cafeteria will follow. It should go without saying (but we will anyway!) that we hope -- indeed we EXPECT -- that ALL members of St. Timothy's will be present for this very special occasion!!



- ❑ The Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of Saint Peter new Chancery Dedication will be held on February 1st at Our Lady of Walsingham Church 7809 Shadyvilla Lane, Houston, Texas 77055 and next door at the new Chancery of the Ordinariate, 7730 Westview Drive, Houston, Texas 77055.
 - 11:15 am – Mass in the presence of H.E. William Cardinal Levada, homilist.
 - 4:00 pm – Choral Evensong and Dedication of New Chancery.
 - Reception follows.
- ❑ The Most Reverend Michael F. Olson, STD, Bishop of Fort Worth, invites you to Solemn Vespers for The Year of Consecrated Life with an evening to honor priests, deacons, and men and women religious in the Diocese of Fort Worth on Friday, February 6, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Patrick Cathedral, 1206 Throckmorton St., Fort Worth. A reception will follow in the St. Patrick Cathedral Pastoral Center. For information, contact the Vocations Office at 817 560-3300.
- ❑ As we close our year, we must close our Stewardship Campaign. How we at St. Timothy's move forward in 2015 is largely dependent on the response we receive from our Campaign. Many Pledges have been received, and we say Thank You to those who have pledged their support, but we are not yet where we need to be for our budget for next year. If you have not yet made a pledge for next year, please contact Treasurer Carol Christian to do so (817-483-5976). Our out of area "Friends" of St. Timothy's are encouraged to contact Carol as well. Pledge cards are available from the ushers, the office and from our website. Blessings and best wishes for a Happy New Year to all our Parishioners and friends!



Prayer List

(For Week beginning January 4, 2015)

Of your charity, pray for the Spiritual and Material needs of this Congregation, for Jeffrey, our Ordinary, for Michael, the Bishop of Fort Worth, for the Clergy in Fort Worth and in the Ordinariate, for Christopher, our Priest, and for those who are:

Serving in the Armed Forces: Nicholas, Kirk, Rob, Jamey, Marianne, Jerry Don, Rollie, Everett, Stephanie, Terry, Patrick, Kevin, Trey, Nathan, Angel, Jr., Robert, Eric, Duree, Quentin, Alec, Evan, Lane

Celebrating a Birthday: [6] Tom Acker, Emma Shirley [9] Josh Berry

Celebrating an Anniversary: [None]

With Child: Jennifer Pittman Tashenberg, Camryn Johnston Robbins

III:

[Sun] Jimmie, Sue, Jim, Clarette, Dee, Jessie, Albert, Barbara, Tom, Henry, Becky, Shawn, Gayle, Kade, Valerie, Georganna, Lex

[Wed] Judy, Shar, Perc, Rebecca, Becky, Georgie, Taylor, Charles, Danni, Dorothy, Geraldine, Tony, Oran, Laura, Janet, Larry

In adversity or need of guidance: Jimmie, Chris, Michael, Mendy, Ronnie, Sue, Jim, Shawn, Gisselle, Patricia, Joshua, Kris, Kim, Letty, Jimmy, Tippi, Ann, Bentley, Clayton, Allison, Jocelyn, Cullen

Anniversary of Death: [4] Earl Prince [5] Martha Statum Gordon [6] Ola Seales [7] Jewell Merrett [10] Joe Clark

Thank for your contribution. Please Note: For non profit tax reasons, our church continues under the 501c3 tax I.D. of St. Mary's Church until we can complete the application process to obtain our own ID. number, and they will set up a sub account for our offerings. Therefore, if you are contributing by check, PLEASE make the check out to ST. MARY'S CHURCH and put "St. Timothy's" in the memo line of the check. Please do NOT write "St. Timothy's" on the "pay to the order of" line, as it will have to be returned to you. St. Mary's mailing address is 509 West Magnolia Ave, Fort Worth TX , 76104. Thank you, and God Bless you!