Epiphany of the Lord January 5th 2020

Mass Schedule & Intentions from January 4, 2020 to January 12, 2020

Saturday	5:00PM	†Nick Kraneyk by Tony & Lorraine Resch Giuseppina & Antonio Gallo by Family Giuseppina & Carlo Nero by Amore Nero Vera X. Zebrinski by family
Sunday	9:00AM	†Elisa Lostracco by Maria Fazzalari Ernesto & Elvira Magazzeni by Maria Magazzeni & Family Maria Santore by Beni & Family Fernando Castagna by Robert & Rosaline McCombs
	11:00AM	For us and for all our dearly deceased ones
Monday		No Mass
Tuesday	9:00AM	†Olivia Mancini by Rita Lawry
Wednesday	9:00 AM	† Vittorio Pichelli by Bruna Ioannoni & Family
Thursday	9.00:AM	†Conrad Lemlin by Teresa DiGioia
Friday	9.00:AM	†Conrad Lemlin by Maria Fazzalari
Saturday	5:00PM	†Ruggero & Caterina Sdao by Antonio & Maria Sdao Lena Mete by Maria Nobile & Family Franco Berardi by Maria Nobile & Family Tony Gervasio by John & Rollande Watson
Sunday	9:00AM	†Steve Mannella by Maria Mannella & Family Domenico Locco by Wife & Family Gabriele & Filomena DiGaetano by Maria Magazzeni & Family The Deceased Members of the Lostracco, Lucci & DeChellis Families by Family
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On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.
Mt 2: 1-12

Last Week's Collection

Regular Collection	$ 1682.25
Renovations	$ 20.00
Cathedral Appeal	$ 100.00
New Year Offering	$ 65.00

Thank you for your continued support

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (January 18-25)

Bishop Bergie will preside at the liturgy for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity on Sunday, January 19, 2020, 3:00 pm, at the Cathedral of St. Catherine of Alexandria in St. Catharines. Your participation and support of this event are both appreciated.

Upcoming Events

Family Mass and Luncheon Feb.2nd

Confirmation - March 29th, 11AM

1st Communion - April 26, 11AM

Please join and support our Parish Ministries.

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Saint Andrew the Apostle, pray for us

Confession at St. Denis Parish

On January 6, 2020 confessions will begin at St. Denis Parish from 8-9pm, Monday to Friday. These confession times will continue throughout the entire year. A confessional has been built for this purpose in the meeting room close to the St. Denis Adoration chapel. The entrance is off of Carlton Street and there is parking in the Church parking lot. Take advantage of this beautiful opportunity to come have your sins forgiven.

Heaven is filled with converted sinners of all kinds and there is room for more - St. Joseph Cafasso

Cathedral Appeal Update

It's a new year and the exciting restoration of the Cathedral of St. Catherine of Alexandria continues in preparation for its 175th Anniversary this November! As the first Catholic Church in St. Catharines, it was built to meet the spiritual needs of the Irish labourers who built the first Welland Canal which was opened in 1829. Well, it is now 2020, and this place of worship continues to meet the spiritual needs of many as the mother church of our great diocese. Play your part in this historic event – as we restore, revitalize, renew, and rejuvenate our Cathedral! Visit us on the web at www.saintcd.com/appeal or pick up a brochure and pledge form in your church today to make

In Memory…

Vera X. Zebrinski Sr. passed away at the age of 87, and we buried her ashes on Dec.28th. Her parents were great contributors to the building of our church. Vera raised her 3 children, all developmentally delayed, all these years with much love. May God grant eternal rest to Vera and console the bereaving family.

The Lord has made his salvation known to the whole world by St. Leo the Great, pope

The loving providence of God determined that in the last days he would aid the world, set on its course to destruction. He decreed that all nations should be saved in Christ.

A promise had been made to the holy patriarch Abraham in regard to these nations. The father of all nations was to hope not in an earthly progeny but in a progeny from above... In the persons of the Magi let all people adore the Creator of the universe; let God be known, not in Judaea only, but in the whole world, so that his name may be great in all Israel.

Dear friends, now that we have received instruction in this revelation of God's grace, let us celebrate with spiritual joy the day of our first harvesting, of the first calling of the Gentiles.. This is the day that Abraham saw, and rejoiced to see, when he knew that the sons born of his faith would be blessed in his seed, that is, in Christ. Believing that he would be the father of the nations, he looked into the future, giving glory to God, in full awareness that God is able to do what he has promised.

This is the day that David prophesied in the psalms, when he said: All the nations that you have brought into being will come and fall down in adoration in your presence, Lord, and glorify your name... This came to be fulfilled, as we know, from the time when the star beckoned the three wise men out of their distant country and led them to recognise and adore the King of heaven and earth. The obedience of the star calls us to imitate its humble service: to be servants, as best we can, of the grace that invites all men to find Christ.

Dear friends, you must have the same zeal to be of help to one another; then, in the kingdom of God, to which faith and good works are the way, you will shine as children of the light: through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with God the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen.