

First Sunday after Epiphany

The Baptism of our Lord

Family Mass and Holy Baptism

January 9, 2022

Processional Hymn

No. 119

As with gladness men of old did the guiding star behold;
as with joy they hailed its light, leading onward, beaming bright;
so, most gracious Lord, may we evermore be led to Thee.

As with joyful steps they sped to that lowly manger-bed;
there to bend the knee before him whom heaven and earth adore;
so may we with willing feet ever seek the mercy-seat.

As they offered gifts most rare at that manger rude and bare;
so may we with holy joy, pure and free from sin's alloy,
all our costliest treasures bring, Christ! to thee, our heavenly King.

Holy Jesus! every day keep us in the narrow way;
and, when earthly things are past, bring our ransomed lives at last
where they need no star to guide, where no clouds thy glory hide.

In the heavenly country bright, need they no created light;
thou its light, its joy, its crown, thou its sun which goes not down;
there forever may we sing alleluias to our King.

Words: William Chatterton Dix

Music: Dix, Conrad Kocher, arr. William Henry Monk

The people standing, the Celebrant says

People Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

People There is one Body and one Spirit;
People There is one hope in God's call to us;
Celebrant One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
People One God and Father of all.

Gloria in Excelsis

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;

You are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father, Amen.

The Collect of the Day

People The Lord be with you.
Celebrant And also with you.
People Let us pray.

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

All sit

The Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 43:1-7

A Reading from the Book of Isaiah

But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel,

your Savior. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, "Give them up," and to the south, "Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth—everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."

Reader The Word of the Lord
People Thanks be to God

Psalm 29

- 1 Ascribe to the Lord, you gods, *
 ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his Name; *
 worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.
- 3 The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; *
 the Lord is upon the mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice; *
 the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendor.
- 5 The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees; *
 the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, *
 and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the Lord splits the flames of fire;
 the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness; *
 the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 8 The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe *
 and strips the forests bare.
- 9 And in the temple of the Lord *
 all are crying, "Glory!"
- 10 The Lord sits enthroned above the flood; *
 the Lord sits enthroned as King for evermore.
- 11 The Lord shall give strength to his people; *
 the Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.

The Epistle

Acts 8-14-17

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

Reader The Word of the Lord
People Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn

(vs. 1-2, 3-4)

No. 121

Christ, when you for us were baptized, God's spirit on you came,
As peaceful as a dove and yet as urgent as a flame.

God called you his beloved Son, called you his servant true,
Sent you his kingdom to proclaim, his holy will to do.

Straightway and steadfast until death you then obeyed his call
Freely as Son of Man to serve and give your life for all.

Baptize us with your Spirit, Lord, your cross on us be signed,
That, likewise in God's service we may perfect freedom find.

Words: F. Bland Tucker,

Music: *Caithness* from The Psalms of David in Prose and Meeter 1635

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Holy Gospel

Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

All standing.

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire." Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

Fr. Mark Chattin

Baptismal Hymn

No. 296

We know that Christ is raised and dies no more.
Embraced by death he broke its fearful hold;
And our despair he turned to blazing joy. Alleluia!

We share by water in his saving death.
Reborn we share with him an Easter life
As living members of a living Christ. Alleluia!

The Father's splendor clothes the Son with life.
The Spirit's power shakes the Church of God.
Baptized we live with God the Three in One. Alleluia!

A new creation comes to life and grows
As Christ's new body takes on flesh and blood.
The universe restored and whole will sing. Alleluia!

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Presentation of the Candidates

The Celebrant says

The Candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

The Parents and Godparents say

I present *Ella Joy Poklikuha* to receive the Sacrament of Baptism

The Celebrant asks the Parents and Godparents

Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is brought up in the Christian faith and life?

Parents and Godparents

I will, with God's help.

Celebrant

Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

Parents and Godparents

I will, with God's help.

I present *Amelia Kalani Khan* to receive the Sacrament of Baptism

The Celebrant asks the Parents and Godparents

Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is brought up in the Christian faith and life?

Parents and Godparents

I will, with God's help.

Celebrant

Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

Parents and Godparents

I will, with God's help.

Then the Celebrant asks

Question Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Answer I renounce them.

Question Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?

Answer I do.

Question Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Answer I do.

Question Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?

Answer I do.

The Celebrant addresses the congregation, saying

Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support *these children* in their life in Christ?

People We will.

Let us join with those who are being committed to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

People I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

- Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
People I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
- Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking
of the bread, and in the prayers?
People I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent
and return to the Lord?
People I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?
People I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?
People I will, with God's help.
- Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the
dignity of every human being?
People I will, with God's help.

Prayers for the Candidates

The Celebrant then says to the congregation

Let us now pray for these children who *are* to receive the Sacrament of new birth.

Leader Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People Lord, hear our prayer

Leader Open their hearts to your grace and truth.

People Lord, hear our prayer

Leader Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit

People Lord, hear our prayer

Leader Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

People Lord, hear our prayer

Leader Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit

People Lord, hear our prayer

Leader Send them into the world in witness to your love

People Lord, hear our prayer

Leader Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory

People Lord, hear our prayer

The Celebrant says

Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever. *Amen.*

Thanksgiving over the Water

The Celebrant blesses the water, first saying

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Baptism

Ella Joy, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. *Amen.*

Ella Joy, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever. *Amen.*

Amelia Kalani, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. *Amen.*

Amelia Kalani, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own for ever. *Amen.*

Hymn

No. 490

I want to walk as a child of the light, I want to follow Jesus.
God set the stars to give light to the world, the star of my life is Jesus.

*In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike.
The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.*

I want to see the brightness of God. I want to look at Jesus.
Clear sun of righteousness, shine on my path, and show me the way to the Father.

I'm looking for the coming of Christ. I want to be with Jesus.
When we have run with patience the race, we shall know the joy of Jesus.

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Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon these children the forgiveness of sin, and have raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. *Amen.*

The Celebrant then says

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

Celebrant and People

We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And also with you.

Announcements

The Celebrant says

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.
Ephesians 5:2

Offertory Hymn

No. 127

Earth has many a noble city; Bethlehem, thou dost all excel:
out of thee the Lord from heaven came to rule his Israel.

Fairer than the sun at morning was the star that told his birth,
to the world its God announcing seen in fleshly form on earth.

Eastern sages at his cradle make oblations rich and rare;
see them give, in deep devotion, gold and frankincense and myrrh.

Sacred gifts of mystic meaning: incense doth their God disclose,
gold the King of kings proclaimeth, myrrh his sepulcher foreshows.

Jesus, whom the Gentiles worshiped at thy glad epiphany,
unto thee, with God the Father and the Spirit, glory be.

Words: Marcus Aurelius Clemens Prudentis

Music: *Stuttgart*, William Henry Havergal, herm. K.D. Smith

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The Great Thanksgiving

The people remain standing.

Eucharistic Prayer B

The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Celebrant and People

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world.

In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People

We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

The Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with [_____and] all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. AMEN

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

Celebrant and People

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those
 who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

*[Alleluia.] Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. [Alleluia.]*

Agnus Dei

Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us.
Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us.
Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world: give us your peace, give us your peace.

The Celebrant says

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Spiritual Communion

A spiritual communion is a personal devotional that anyone can pray at any time to express their desire to receive Holy Communion at that moment, but in which circumstances impede them from actually receiving Holy Communion.

Celebrant Let us pray.

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though you have already come, I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you; never permit me to be separated from you. Amen. (St. Alphonsus de Liguori, 1696-1787)

Communion Hymn

No. 339

Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness, leave the gloomy haunts of sadness,
come into the daylight's splendor; there with joy thy praises render
unto him whose grace unbounded hath this wondrous banquet founded;
high o'er all the heavens he reigneth, yet to dwell with thee he deigneth.

Sun, who all my life dost brighten; Light, Who dost my soul enlighten;
Joy the best that any knoweth; Fount, whence all my being floweth;
at thy feet I cry, my Maker, let me be a fit partaker
of this blessed food from heaven, for our good, thy glory, given.

Jesus, Bread of life, I pray thee, let me gladly here obey thee;
never to my hurt invited, be thy love with love requited;
from this banquet let me measure, Lord, how vast and deep it's treasure;
through the gifts thou here dost give me as thy guest in heaven receive me.

Words: Johann Frank, tr. Catherine Winkworth Music: *Schmuche Dich*, Johann Cruger,

Post Communion Hymn

No. 124

What star is this, with beams so bright, more beauteous than the noonday light?
It shines to herald forth the King, and Gentiles to his crib to bring.

True spake the prophet from afar who told the rise of Jacob's star;
and eastern sages with amaze upon the wondrous token gaze.

The guiding star above is bright; within them shines a clearer light,
and leads them on with power benign to seek the Giver of the sign.

O Jesus, while the star of grace impels us on to seek thy face,
let not our slothful hearts refuse the guidance of thy light to use.

To God the Father, heavenly Light, to Christ, revealed in earthly night,
to God the Holy Ghost we raise our equal and unceasing praise.

Words: Charles Coffin, tr. John Chandler Music: *Puer Nobis*, Michael Praetorius

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Festal Blessing for the Epiphany

The priest blesses the people, saying

May Almighty God, who led the Wise Men by the shining of a star to find the Christ, the Light from Light, lead you also, in your pilgrimage, to find the Lord. Amen.

May God, who sent the Holy Spirit to rest upon the Only-begotten at his baptism in the Jordan River, pour out that Spirit on you who have come to the waters of new birth. Amen.

May God, by the power that turned water into wine at the wedding feast at Cana, transform your lives and make glad your hearts. Amen.

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. Amen

Recessional Hymn

No. 135

Songs of thankfulness and praise, Jesus, Lord, to thee we raise,
manifested by the star to the sages from afar;
branch of royal David's stem in thy birth at Bethlehem;
anthems be to thee addressed, God in man made manifest.

Manifest at Jordan's stream, Prophet, Priest, and King supreme;
and at Cana, wedding-guest, in thy Godhead manifest;
manifest in power divine, changing water into wine;
anthems be to thee addressed, God in man made manifest.

Manifest in making whole palsied limbs and fainting soul;
manifest in valiant fight, quelling all the devil's might;
manifest in gracious will, ever bringing good from ill;
anthems be to thee addressed, God in man made manifest.

Manifest on mountain height, shining in resplendent light;
where disciples filled with awe, thy transfigured glory saw;
When from there thou ledest them steadfast to Jerusalem;
cross and Easter Day attest God in man made manifest.

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The Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth in the name of Christ

People: Thanks be to God.

Notes and Announcements

January 9, 2022

PRAYER LIST

Anglican Cycle of Prayer for the Iglesia Anglicana de Chile...

Diocesan Calendar of Prayer for the Revs. Ann C. Holt, Victoria Pretti...

Parish Calendar of Prayer for our Shut Ins and those in Care Facilities...

For Our sons and daughters in the military Nathan, Kenny, Zach, Jack, Garrett, Willie, Charlie...

For those Celebrating Birthdays this week; James Cruz 1/9; Mike Woolford 1/12...

For those Celebrating Anniversaries this week:

For the Sick, Suffering & Infirm Veronica, Joan, Denise, Dan Sr., Melissa, Janet, Bill, Stephen, Cheryl, Matt, Lisa, Maryann, Mark, Tanya, Leslie & Chris, Sue, Marlene, Karen, Francine, Joseph, Dot, Renee, Tracy, Michelle, Linda, Julia, McKenzie, Howard, Linda, Eugene, Sean, Evelyn, Bea, Joy, Betty, Miguel, Pat, Lisa, Craig, Margie, Mikey, Joy, Ellyn, John, Evie, Jake, Joan, Thomas, Donald, Joe...

WE WELCOME into God's family, the Church, through Holy Baptism, Ella Joy Poklikuha and Amelia Kalani Khan. Congratulations to parents Charissa & Joe Poklikuha, Kaitlyn & Christopher Khan, and godparents Andrew & Briana Chattin, Jonathan Chattin, Jessica Klein, Charissa Poklikuha, and Robert Lovich, Jr. Congratulations also to grandparents Fr. Mark & Theresa Chattin and Cindy Chattin, and great-grandmother Dorothy Pinto.

THE GOOD BOOK CLUB IS COMING - On January 6, 2022, we began reading the Book of Exodus. Discussion time will be available during coffee hour each Sunday starting soon. A schedule of daily readings can be found on the table at the back of the Church. All are invited to join in this reading and reflections on the Book of Exodus.

2022 ALTAR FLOWER CHART - is hanging at the back of the Church. If you would like to sponsor flowers for the Altar on any Sunday, please sign next to the desired date, if available. Flowers are \$45.00.

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING - SAVE THE DATE - Sunday, January 30, 2022

9:15 a.m. - Parish Festal Mass; 10:45 a.m. - Business Session in parish hall for elections, finance report, and other business. Refreshments will be available. Plan now to attend our Parish Celebration Sunday! This meeting will be held in-person and on-line.

REPORTS FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING - Reports for the Annual Meeting are due no later than Friday, January 21st. If you are the head of a ministry group, please submit your report (or reports) to the office via email at holytrinity1@verizon.net.

FOOD PANTRY DONATION FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY - Don't forget we're still collecting various items for the Collingswood Food Pantry. For the month of January, we ask for donations of canned vegetables. Please leave your donations in the tower and we will deliver them. If you have coffee, tea, or hot chocolate left over from last month, we will deliver it also.

FEEDING FIRST RESPONDERS – Every few months we deliver lunch to the Collingswood Fire and Police Departments to thank them for the continued commitment to serving our community. If you would like to contribute to our next event, please send your donations marked “Feeding First Responders”. Our thanks to all who continue to contribute toward this effort. Please keep all our local Police and Fire Departments in your prayers.

2022 CALENDARS are available at the back of the Church (free). Take several and share with a friend, neighbor or family member.

OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2022 Please pick-up your box of new envelopes available at the back of the Church. Should you have any questions, contact the treasurer, Debbie Cruz 609-707-5158.

ONLINE GIVING– To make it easier for folks to make their weekly offering, just follow the link on the Holy Trinity website and send your contribution electronically through Vanco. (You are still welcome to mail your weekly offering if it is easier for you.) Thank you all for your continued financial support during these challenging times.

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Setting from Deutsche Messe, Franz Peter Schubert, arr. Richard Proulx

SAFETY PROTOCOL UPDATE FROM THE DIOCESE OF NJ

In response to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control’s recommendations of July 27, 2021, due to the rising levels of infections of COVID-19, the RRR Task Force is recommending congregations return to wearing face masks that fully cover the nose and mouth for indoor activities for all worship attendees and outside group participants immediately, regardless of vaccination status, in counties where the infection rate is more than 5 per 100K (check <https://covidactnow.org/>) or where the community transmission is moderate or above (check <https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view>). Congregational singing is allowed with the use of face masks. Fellowship activities that involve removing one’s face mask are not encouraged. Please continue to encourage all community members to get vaccinated.

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