

# Holy Name of Jesus Church

## Parish Office

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HOURS: M - F 9:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

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### Former Pastors

The Rev. Charles A. Schlick

The Rev. Msgr. Anthony J. Savastano

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The Rev. Lawrence B. Rafferty, **Pastor**

Mrs. Margaret Puccio, **Coordinator of Children's Religious Education**

Mr. Wayne Dieterich, **Music Director**



**Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord**

## Mass Schedule

### The Lord's Day

Saturday

5:15 p.m.

Sunday

8:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

Korean Mass

at

9:30a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

### Weekdays

Monday - Thursday

9:00 a.m.

Rosary Follows Mass

### Holy Days

As Announced

### Confessions

Saturday

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Coming  
NEXT MONTH  
**50th**  
Anniversary  
**Communion Breakfast**  
**FEBRUARY 5, 2012**  
FOLLOWING  
THE 10:30 AM  
FAMILY MASS  
SEE DETAILS ON PAGE 2....






# Holy Name of Jesus

## 50th Anniversary Communion Breakfast

Join us for a parish gathering as we joyfully celebrate Holy Name's 50th year anniversary!

February 5th, 2012 following the 10:30 Family Mass



### Menu

French toast, Sausage, Eggs, Quiche, Muffins/breads/bagels  
Fresh fruit, Coffee, Tea, Orange/Apple Juice/Chocolate Milk



Adults - \$10.00, Children 6 to 12 - \$5.00, Children under five - free  
Family Rate - \$20.00

### Reservations necessary.

Please send your reservation along with a check to the rectory as soon as possible or put it in the collection basket. All reservations are due in the rectory by **January 31st**.

Your attendance will help make the first of our parish's 50th Anniversary celebrations a successful event!

For questions please contact Charlene at 631 659-3197 or Colette at 516 938-9411

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Reservation: Please print clearly and return to the rectory by January 31st, 2012

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

# of adults \_\_\_\_\_ \$10.00 @ # of children 6-12 \_\_\_\_\_ \$5.00 @

# 5 years and under \_\_\_\_\_ Free

Family Rate: \_\_\_\_\_ \$20.00 Total amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

I will gladly bake muffins/bread \_\_\_\_\_ Bring a Quiche \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Set Up \_\_\_\_\_ Serve \_\_\_\_\_ Clean Up \_\_\_\_\_



We are unable to attend but would like to help make the 50th Celebration Breakfast a success with a donation of \_\_\_\_\_.



## *From the Pastor's Desk*

### *The Proclamation of the Date of Easter on Epiphany*

This dates from a time when calendars were not readily available. It was necessary to make known the date of Easter in advance, since many celebrations of the liturgical year depend on its date. The number of Sundays that follow Epiphany, the date of Ash Wednesday and the number of Sundays that follow Pentecost are all computed in relation to Easter. Although calendars now give the date of Easter and the other feasts, the Epiphany proclamation still has value. It is a reminder of the centrality of the Resurrection of the Lord in the liturgical year and the importance of the great mysteries of faith.

*Dear Brothers and Sisters:*

*The glory of the Lord has shown upon us and shall ever be manifest among us until the day of His return. Through the rhythms of times and seasons, let us celebrate the mysteries of salvation.*

*Let us recall the year's culmination, the Easter Triduum of the Lord: His last supper, His crucifixion, His burial and His rising celebrated between the evening of the fifth of April and the evening of the eighth of April.*

*Each Easter, as on each Sunday, the Holy Church makes present the great and saving deed by which Christ has for ever conquered sin and death.*

*From Easter are reckoned all the days we keep holy. Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, will occur on the twenty-second of February. The Ascension of the Lord will be commemorated on the seventeenth of May. Pentecost, the joyful conclusion of the season of Easter will be celebrated on the twenty-seventh of May and this year the First Sunday of Advent will be on the second of December.*

*Likewise the pilgrim Church proclaims the Passover of Christ in the feasts of the Holy Mother of God, in the feasts of the Apostles and Saints and in the commemoration of the faithful departed.*

*To Jesus Christ, who was, who is, and who is to come, Lord of all time and history, be endless praise, for ever and ever. **AMEN***

Fr. Rafferty



### Weekly

### Masses

#### **Sunday, January 8, 2012**

##### *The Epiphany of the Lord*

Isaiah 60:1-6 Ephesians 3:2-3a,5-6 Matthew 2:1-12

#### **Saturday, 1/7/12**

5:15 Connie Powell  
Pasquale Casagrande  
Rev. Simon Pai  
Michael Hughes and Family  
L—Steve & Joan Calascione and Family

#### **Sunday, 1/8/12**

8:30 *For the People of the Parish*  
10:30 George Faller  
Edgar Swendeman  
Kenneth LaMotte  
Jim and Beverly Walker  
Jerry and Marian George

#### **Monday, 1/9/12**

##### *The Baptism of the Lord*

Isaiah 55:1-11 Mark 1:7-11

9:00 L—Special Intention

#### **Tuesday, 1/10/12**

1 Samuel 1:9-20 Mark 1:21-28

9:00 George J. Mercorella

#### **Wednesday, 1/11/12**

1 Samuel 3:1-10,19-20 Mark 1:29-39

9:00 L—Julia Corsello

#### **Thursday, 1/12/12**

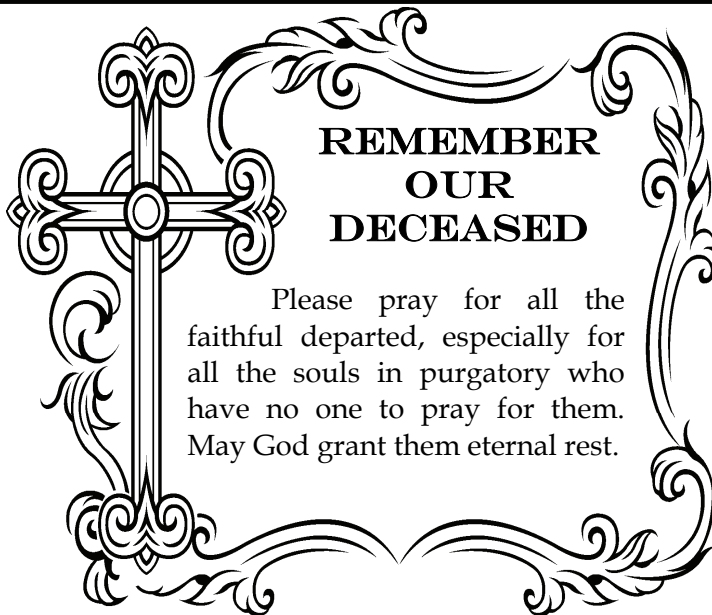
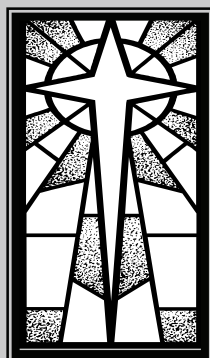
1 Samuel 4:1-11 Mark 1:40-45

9:00 L—Intentions of Todd and Sabrina Sanzeri

#### **Friday, 1/13/12**

1 Samuel 8: 4-7,10-22a Mark 2:1-12

No 9:00 AM Mass



### REMEMBER OUR DECEASED

Please pray for all the faithful departed, especially for all the souls in purgatory who have no one to pray for them. May God grant them eternal rest.



*Remember  
Our Sick*

Rev. Bonaventure Thekkeveetil, Laura Grzan, Baby Rory Christine, Luke & Joe, Heather Focone, Tom Stallone, Joanne Mackin, Savera Rosh, Doreen & baby, Virginia Thérèse, Rose Loesel, Louis Geruasio, Kathryn Neary, Tina Colasante, Bernarda Motyl, Jack Micco, Anna Marturano, Thomas Lavin, Richard LaVasseur, Mary Wilson, Bertha Langman, Michael Murphy, Kim Cirlincione, Eamon Tubridy, Baby Alyssa & Mother, Jessica, Virginia Kutner, Helen McNamee, James Cooper, Phyllis Montuori, Carol Shallow, Kathleen McDougall, Christopher Caporuscio, Isabella Souza, Gloria Lema, Paula Serani-Esposito, Peter Esposito, Jennifer Maresca, Marc Sanzeri, Linda & Nancy Vorbach, Albert Pennino, Howard Morgasen, Patricia & Thomas Puglisi, Alice Oehm, Mary Costarino, Marie Santa Croce, Mary Rose Colleluori, Rudy & family, John Phelan, Angela Barello. May God restore them to physical and spiritual health.



*The three wise men who came from the East to pay homage to the infant Jesus brought Him rich gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh as part of their worship. What gifts have you brought to this celebration to offer the newborn Savior?*

### Stewardship of Treasure

January 1, 2012

Regular Collection: **\$3,222.00**



Word &



Music



**Epiphany of the Lord  
January 7 and 8, 2012**

Entrance Hymn: #529-Songs of thankfulness and Praise  
Kyrie: #316  
Readings: # 990 (Ritual Song Hymnal)  
Offertory Hymn: #535 - We Three Kings of Orient Are  
Sanctus: #322  
Memorial Acclamation: When We Eat This Bread  
Amen: #327  
Agnus Dei: #329  
Communion Hymns: #537 - The First Nowell  
Recessional Hymn: #534- As with Gladness Men of Old

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**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
January 14 and 15, 2012**

Entrance Hymn: #850 - Gather Us In  
Kyrie: #316  
Readings: # 1075 (Ritual Song Hymnal)  
Offertory Hymn: #802 - Here I Am, Lord  
Sanctus: #322  
Memorial Acclamation: When We Eat This Bread  
Amen: #327  
Agnus Dei: #329  
Communion Hymns: #817 - Lord, When You Came  
Recessional Hymn: #684-Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

**MEN'S**



**RETREAT**

*At  
Bishop Molloy Retreat House  
Passionist Spiritual Center  
Jamaica, Queens*

The men of Holy Name of Jesus Parish are welcome to participate in a retreat on the weekend of **January 27-29, 2012**. The retreat opens with Dinner on Friday at 7:00 PM and concludes with Mass at 11:00 AM on Sunday.

For further information, please call Bishop Molloy Retreat House at (718) 739-1229 or your parish promoters:

Tony Montuori: (516) 433-4108  
Angelo Yodice: (516) 938-7638  
Al Matthews: (631) 367-6650

**SAVE THE DATE:**

Sunday,  
April 22, 2012

*Our Parish's*



*10:30 A.M. Mass*

*Followed by  
A Cocktail Hour  
and Dinner Dance*

*at*

*Crest Hollow Country Club*

**50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Meeting  
Wednesday  
January 11, 2012  
7:30 PM  
In Parish Library**



*Just a  
Reminder...*



**Do you know someone who is  
hurting from abortion?**

The Life Center of Long Island invites you to attend a **Weekend Retreat of Healing**, from Friday Evening through Sunday afternoon. There will be several dates offered in 2012. Our next Healing Retreat, conducted in English, will take place **February 17-19, 2012**.

For more information, contact:

Deacon Frank Gariboldi





At (516) 523-0586

e-mail: fgariboldi@optonline.net

All communication is strictly confidential.



To learn more about Rachel's Vineyard look online at: [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org) or call 1-877-HOPE-4-ME.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
January 8	January 9	January 10	January 11	January 12	January 13	January 14
10:30 AM Family Mass w/ Liturgy of the Word with Children Hospitality after Mass in Church Hall	Religious Education Classes 4:15 PM-5:30 PM 7:15 PM-8:30 PM Youth Choir—5:30 PM	7:00PM Parents Meeting for First Holy Communion Adult Choir—8:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration After 9:00 AM Mass  50th Anniversary Meeting - Library 7:30 PM			
January 15	January 16	January 17	January 18	January 19	January 20	January 21
	No Religious Education Class  No Youth Choir	7:00PM Parents Meeting for Confirmation Adult Choir—8:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration After 9:00 AM Mass  Divine Mercy Prayer Group	 Senior Club 10:30 AM		
January 22	January 23	January 24	January 25	January 26	January 27	January 28
	Religious Education Classes 4:15 PM-5:30 PM 7:15 PM-8:30 PM Youth Choir—5:30 PM	NO Adult Choir	Eucharistic Adoration After 9:00am Mass	 Finance COMMITTEE 7:30 PM		
January 29	January 30	January 31	February 1	February 2	February 3	February 4
	Religious Education Classes 4:15pm-5:30pm 7:15pm-8:30pm Youth Choir—5:30pm	 ADULT CHOIR 8:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration After 9:00am Mass  Spiritual Life Committee Meeting 10:15AM	 Presentation of the Lord in the Temple Senior Club Meeting 10:30 AM	No 9:00 AM Mass ----- Padre Pio Holy Hour 7:00 PM	

**Next Weekend's Mass Schedule**

January 15, 2012 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
1Samuel 3:3b-10,19 1Corinthians 6:13c-15a,17-20 John 1:35-42

Day	Time	Mass Intentions	Celebrant	Communion Ministers	Reader/Cantor	Altar Servers	Nursing Home Ministers
Saturday January 14	5:15 PM	Helen Capano Jerry & Maria Fitzpatrick Tim Condron Ive & Matija Grazan L- Health in Family	Father Rafferty	Mathes Commisso Pisanto	E. Labrocca N. Fallah  TBA	J. Competiello	
Sunday January 15	8:30 AM	For the people of the parish	Father Rafferty	Braccia Reali (2)	C. Annucci R. Annucci	B. Braccia A. Grossfeld	Pennino Onglengco
	10:30 AM		Father Rafferty	Medina Thompson May	E. Gregorio C. Sweeney  TBA	I. Medina V. Medina. I. Souza	
	9:30 am & 12:00	Korean Mass	Father Tom				

**Reminder: If you are unable to serve at your scheduled Mass, please call for a replacement.**

**January 8, 2012****THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

Is 60:1-6 / Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6 / Mt 2:1-12

You're sitting in a lawyer's office for the reading of your parents' will. You expect to be splitting your inheritance with your siblings, but then you're told you'll also be sharing it with someone unrelated to you—someone you find quite distasteful. Wouldn't you be shocked? speechless? furious?

That's exactly what happened to the first followers of Christ, who were Jewish. God's chosen people, they believed that Christ came to redeem the children of Israel. And indeed he did. But as we hear today from Saint Paul, Christ also came for the Gentiles—the non-Jews. Saint Paul writes, "The Gentiles are coheirs, members of the same body, and copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus." This was difficult for Jesus' Jewish followers to absorb. The Gentiles were not related to the Jews by bloodline, so how could they also be chosen by God for Christ?



The Gospel story of the Magi also brought home this truth. The magi were Gentiles, and their coming signaled that Jesus was a light to all nations, not just Israel.

This message of inclusivity was hard for Jesus' Jewish followers to hear, and it's difficult to hear today. How much time do Christians spend bickering among ourselves, labeling each other "conservative" or "liberal" and demonizing those we consider "less Christian"?

Today's feast demands better of us. Until we give up the infighting, we're shrouded in darkness. Epiphany is about celebrating the light that Jesus is for all, and the light we Christians are called to be—together, as coheirs, copartners, and brothers and sisters in Christ.

Janel Esker

**ALL CATECHETICAL LEADERS  
VIRTUS ONGOING EDUCATION**

The continuing education component of the Virtus program for protecting God's Children is a central part of our commitment to provide a safe environment for all children in our community. Our Catechists, Monitors, and leaders of Children are reminded to continue to read the articles that appear on their member page of Virtus. It is the individual responsibility of each of them to stay current with their continuing education; and one to remind the other.

**SOME REASONS FOR NOT KEEPING UP**

1. Unaware they were to continue
2. Unable to access their place on the Virtus webpage:  
they need to sign-in using the same password used for the Protecting God's Children workshop.
3. Have no computer to access the webpage: go to the public library, sign on with your password.
4. Once they took the workshop they thought that was it.
5. They do not remember their user name and password; the solution is call: Virtus help desk at 1-888-847-8870 and they will be more than willing to help.
6. Any other questions, call Marge at the office (516-921- 4334, ext. 16)