

# St. John the Evangelist Catholic Parish

**Pastor: Fr. Ramon Jose Oncog JCL**



### Confession Schedule:

**Saturday (4:00 – 4:45 PM) & Sunday (5:00 – 5:45 PM) or call for appointment**

### PARISH UPDATE 01/05/2025

There will be NO MASS during the weekday from January 6-10 as I will be out of town with a group of priests for a Christmas gathering..... I know that many of you have been looking for your parish support envelopes. They are supposed to have been distributed already before 2024 ended, but there has been some delay, and the envelopes arrived only this week. They are still to be labelled before they will be brought out into the church foyer ready for pick up. Well, we should start the new year right, so we take this as an opportunity to cultivate the virtue of patience.

Meanwhile, I would like to thank everyone very sincerely for your financial support to our parish. May our Lord who cannot be outdone in generosity reward you a hundredfold in this year 2025..... A report from Joan Forbes in behalf of Parish Pillar on Social Action: Total in-kind donation collected during Advent amounted to 20 boxes and 2 totes of groceries plus 3 bags of clothes and a bag of rice. Both she and Jeannette Warnock in the Pillar have decided to split the donations equally between the Missionaries of Charity in Winnipeg and Many Hands Food Bank here in Morden.

Each will receive 10 boxes and 1 tote and a bag of clothes. The bag of rice will be part of the bulk that goes to Many Hands. We express our heartfelt gratitude to Blair Friesen who willingly brought the donation for the Sisters in Winnipeg on Friday, January 3rd. The Many Hands donation will be delivered on Monday, January 6th. Joan Forbes concluded her report by saying, "Thank you again, everyone, for the overwhelming generosity and support. This will make a huge difference for many people, not only in our community but in others as well. I am so proud and yet at the same time so humbled to be a part of this parish community. God bless you all!"

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## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

### SATURDAY\*

Jan 04 // 5PM- Eternal repose of Remya Mathew – req. Anju Susan

Protection & guidance of all the children in our parish

### SUNDAY (Epiphany of the Lord Solemnity)

Jan 05 // 11AM- Eternal repose of Michael Niño Erick Carloman & George Sung – req. Maer Carloman-Sung

Jan 05 // 6PM- Healing of Donna Gumanit – req. Tara Beatty

### MONDAY

Jan 06 // No Mass

### TUESDAY

Jan 07 // No Mass

### WEDNESDAY

Jan 08 // No Mass

### THURSDAY

Jan 09 // No Mass

### FRIDAY\*

Jan 10 // No Mass

### SATURDAY

Jan 11 // 5PM- For the intentions of all parishioners

### SUNDAY\* (Feast of the Baptism of the Lord)

Jan 12 // 11AM- Eternal repose of Mekal Asgedom - req. Elsa Mekal

Jan 12 // 6PM- Misa en Español (Mass in Spanish)

### UPCOMING EVENTS\*

- ◆ Children's Rosary and Mass- January 4th//4:30PM
- ◆ Children's Choir Practice- January 10th//7PM
- ◆ Catechism Classes resumes// January 12th
- ◆ Children's Rosary and Mass- February 1st//4:30PM
- ◆ *Misa en Español* (Mass in Spanish)- February 9th//6PM

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

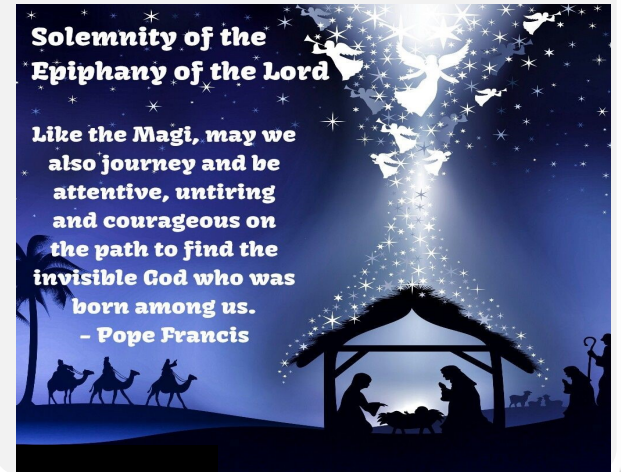
- ◆ Please submit Mass Intentions and Announcements by Friday noon for inclusion in the Sunday bulletin.

### Answers of 12/29/2024

1. Anna the Prophetess
2. Christ, Creation

### ◆ Weekly Bible Quiz

1. In which Gospel does the story of the Wise Men (Magi) appear?  
a. Mark b. Mathew c. Luke D. John
2. What does the word "Epiphany" mean in Greek?  
a. After Christmas b. Manifestation c. Astrologers



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