

## BAPTISM OF THE LORD



Jesus humbled himself and accepted baptism even though He was without sin. In today's Gospel, Jesus tells St. John that it was proper that He be baptized as a sign of solidarity with humanity. Jesus recognized that His life was not His own—it was not about Him. As disciples of Jesus we are called to model Christ's humility in all that we do. The humble person recognizes that their gifts are not of their own making. Everything comes from and belongs to God. Good Stewardship declares that my gifts are not mine and they are not about me. The Christian steward responds to their baptism by using and sharing their gifts in a manner that gives glory to God.

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### SUNDAY - JANUARY 12, 2014 - BAPTISM OF THE LORD

**8:00 a.m.** For ++ Adela & Bronislaw Lozinski & parents on both sides - daughter Danuta

**9:30 a.m.** For ++ parents Stanislaw & Aniela Nawrot - son & family

**11:00 a.m.** In thanksgiving & petition for health & God's blessings for children: Monika, Marek & Michal - father

**PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO EVENING MASS**

**PLEASE NOTE: From Monday, January 13 to Friday, January 17 inclusive, there will not be any Masses celebrated in our Chapel. Our Pastoral Team will be away participating in the Annual Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate Study Days / Week of Formation.**

**PARISH OFFICE** - During this time, the parish office will be closed. In the case of an emergency, please leave a message on our answering machine. Messages will be checked regularly.

### SATURDAY - JANUARY 18, 2014

**8:00 a.m.** For ++ husband Stefan Mucha, his sisters & brothers - Zofia Mucha

**5:00 p.m.** For ++ Tadeusz & Roman Pieczonka - Zofia & John Pieczonka

### II SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JANUARY 19, 2014

**8:00 a.m.** For ++ Jadwiga & Edward Kolodziej - son & family

**9:30 a.m.** For + husband Wieslaw Baranowski (5 anni) - wife, children & grandchildren

**11:00 a.m.** For ++ Marianna & Kazimierz Czajkowski - Kloskowski family

**6:00 p.m.** For ++ Zbigniew & Bronislawa Zygarlicki - sister Krystyna

### MONDAY - JANUARY 20, 2014

**7:00 a.m.** Intention for all living & deceased parishioners

**8:00 a.m.** For health & Holy Mother's care & many favors from heaven for brother Eugeniusz Makulski - sister Jadwiga

**9:15 a.m.** Holy Ghost School Mass

**11:00 a.m.** Mass at St. Joseph's Residence

### TUESDAY - JANUARY 21, 2014

**7:00 a.m.** ++ For + Ada Rose Paskiewicz

**8:00 a.m.** For ++ grandparents Tekla & Grzegorz - granddaughter

**10:00 a.m.** Mass at Holy Family Nursing Home

### WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 22, 2014

**7:00 a.m.** ++ For + Kazimierz Kler

**6:30 p.m.** NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

**7:00 p.m.** 1. For health & God's blessings & many favors from heaven for Fr. Tomasz Krzesik, OMI - Jadwiga

2. For + father Eugeniusz & father Mieczyslaw & family - children

3. For + Ryszard Duleba & all souls in purgatory - family

4. In thanksgiving & petition for health & God's blessings for mother Genowefa Kusal - children

5. For + wife Maria Brodowicz (anni) - husband & children

6. For ++ husband Stanislaw Kociolek & his friends: Michal & his wife Kazimiera; Peter; Mieczyslaw & Edward - S. Kociolek

7. For + John Wdowiak - Adela Szkwarek

8. For + Janina Smolenska - Adela Szkwarek

9. For ++ parents Katarzyna & Jan Kolt - Husarski daughter & family

10. For + son Edward Kluzinski - parents

11. For ++ Janina & Julian Smolenski, their parents on both sides - friend

12. For ++ Jozefa Kusal & her family - family

13. For ++ Jozef Saracen & his family - family

14. For ++ Janina & Franciszek Kepinski & their families - family



### THURSDAY - JANUARY 23, 2014

**7:00 a.m.** Mass at Missionaries of Charity (Mother Teresa)

**8:45 a.m.** Mass at Polish Manor

### FRIDAY - JANUARY 24, 2014

**7:00 a.m.** In thanksgiving on the occasion of 2nd birthday of Krystian Moniz - family

**7:00 p.m.** For + Aniela Siry - daughter & family

### SATURDAY - JANUARY 25, 2014

**8:00 a.m.** For ++ parents Antoni & Maria Zadlo, brothers Antoni & Boleslaw, sisters Anna, Maria & Janina - Zofia Jendras & family

**5:00 p.m.** For ++ parents Maria (2 anni) & Wojciech Rarog - children & grandchildren

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - JANUARY 12, 2014

**Braxton FALCONE**

Our sincere congratulations to parents and godparents!



**ALTAR SERVERS** — We are inviting all those who would like to serve at the Altar to contact Fr. Tomasz Krzesik, OMI. New candidates are welcome.

### CATECHESIS FOR ADULTS:

- Wednesday Group – January 22 following the Evening Mass.
- Thursday Group - January 23 at 11:00 a.m.
- Sunday Group - January 26 following the Evening Mass

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will be having a meeting on Sunday, January 19 at 7:00 p.m.

**ROSARY SODALITY** will be having a meeting on Friday, January 24 at 6:00 p.m. in the Chapel.

**ALTAR SERVERS** will be having a meeting on Friday, January 24 at 7:30 p.m. following the Evening Mass.

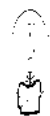
**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE** will be having a meeting on Sunday, February 2 following the Mass at 9:30 a.m.

### SINCERE APPRECIATION TO THE FOLLOWING:

- All parishioners and guests who attended our Parish Oplatek
- Catholic Women's League for preparing the delicious dinner and organizing the Oplatek
- St. Cecylia Choir for the beautiful Christmas Carols
- Children and Youth from our parish under the direction of Fr. Tomasz Krzesik, OMI and Malgorzata Kobylinski for the beautiful performance
- Knights of Columbus for their help in the serving of refreshments and cake.
- All those who also helped in the serving of the dinner. Your help is always appreciated.

### ++ PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

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| + <b>Monika WALUK</b>     | + <b>Helen TUTAJ</b>    |
| + <b>Janina SMOLENSKI</b> | + <b>Frank GUMIENNY</b> |



**II & III SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**II SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** - St. John the Baptist introduces Jesus to his followers and identifies Him as "**The Lamb of God**". God called St. John to a very definite purpose. We too, through baptism are called to introduce Christ to others. It is a privilege to be given the gift of new life in baptism.

**III SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** - The calling of the first disciples in today's Gospel is profoundly inspiring. We are told that Peter, Andrew, James and John immediately left their businesses, possessions, and families to follow Jesus. They had only just met the man! They were ordinary men called to an extraordinary mission. This means for us to Let go and Trust God, for we too are called to be "**fishers of people**".

**III SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JANUARY 26, 2014**

- 8:00 a.m. For + grandfather Tadeusz Lebedynski - granddaughter Jessica
- 9:30 a.m. For ++ Jan Sipinski & parents on both sides - Adela Sipinski
- 11:00 a.m. For + mother & wife Stefania Osciak - husband & children
- 6:00 p.m. For ++ parents Maria & Peter Lakomski & Rafal Lakomski - daughter & family

**MONDAY - JANUARY 27, 2014**

- 7:00 a.m. Intention for all living & deceased parishioners
- 8:00 a.m. ++ For ++ Tekla & Peter Machalski

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 2014**

- 7:00 a.m. ++ For + Ann Kolodi
- 8:00 a.m. ++ For + Frances Marks

**WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 29, 2014**

- 7:00 a.m. ++ For ++ Jan & Stanislaw Rymarczuk
- 6:30 p.m. NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP
- 7:00 p.m. 1. For health, Holy Mother's care & many favours from heaven for Provincial Fr. Marian Gil, OMI - Jadwiga

**THURSDAY - JANUARY 30, 2014**

- 7:00 a.m. Mass at Missionaries of Charity (Mother Teresa)
- 8:45 a.m. Mass at Polish Manor

**FRIDAY - JANUARY 31, 2014**

- 7:00 a.m. For + Maria Majowski (3 anni) - sons & families
- 7:00 p.m. For ++ parents on both sides, brother & sisters-in-law, Jozef Winogrodzki with family - Czeslawa Fieden

**SATURDAY - FEBRUARY 1, 2014**

- 8:00 a.m. Intention for Rosary Sodality
- 5:00 p.m. For ++ Walasek & Jezak families - family

**SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 2, 2014 - PRESENTATION OF THE LORD**

- 8:00 a.m. For ++ Nieduzak & Galka parents, their daughters, grandparents & all in our family - Helena & Jozef Galka
- 9:30 a.m. Intention for all living & deceased CWL members & their families— Catholic Women's League
- 11:00 a.m. For + Stefania Osciak - H.H. Piec family
- 6:00 p.m. For ++ Ryszard Pasemko & Roman Misiak - family

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE** will be held in our parish on the following days:

- ◆ January 17 (Friday) - 7:00 p.m.—1st session
- ◆ January 18 (Saturday) - 9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.—2nd session
- ◆ January 19 (Sunday) - 9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.—last session



This course is mandatory as it is a pre-requisite in our archdiocese for all couples planning to be married this year in our Church. Call our office to register.



**CWL ANNUAL VALENTINE'S BRUNCH - SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9 -** The Catholic Women's

League are inviting everyone to their Annual Valentine's Brunch on Sunday, February 9 in our parish hall following the Masses at 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Following the Mass at 8:00 a.m., all are invited for coffee and donuts in our hall.

Cost is \$7 each for adults; \$3.50 for children between the ages of 3-7 and free for children under the age of 3. All are invited to our parish hall where the ladies will have prepared a delicious brunch for us to enjoy. We ask to please come with your families and friends to help support all their hard work for our Church.

**SHARING GOD'S GIFTS 2013**

- The goal for our parish for Year 2013 was: \$ 80,220.00
- Our parish assessment for Year 2013 was: \$ 21,648.00
- Total owing to the Archdiocese: \$101,868.00
- For Year 2013, we only collected: \$ 24,694.00
- Our parish had to pay from our Regular Sunday Collections the shortfall for 2013: \$ 55,526.00

A sincere thank you to all who donated to this appeal.

We would like to mention that this has unfortunately put our parish very close to being in the red. We ask for your support for this Appeal which we are obligated to pay each year.

**YEAR 2014 SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES** may still

be picked up in the Aikins Avenue foyer. These will only be mailed out in special cases, as the cost to mail these boxed sets is very costly. The first envelope in the set is the "Initial Offering" which is to help cover the expense for printing these envelopes. We ask to please this envelope to help defray this cost for us. Those who do not have envelopes and would like a set are asked to contact our parish office.

There are some envelopes which have "Moved" on their address label. We ask all these parishioners to please call our office with your address change as we will soon be preparing our income tax receipts. **There are still 97 sets of envelopes which have not been picked up.**

**INCOME TAX RECEIPTS 2013** will be ready to be picked up on Saturday, February 8 and Sunday, February 9 in our parish hall.

**CHANGE OF ADDRESS** - Those who have had a change of address and have not notified our office are asked to please do so as soon as possible. As we are preparing our year end, we would like to update our parish records in preparation for the 2013 Income tax Receipts. This may be done by placing a change of address card in our collection basket or by calling our parish office during regular hours.

**SINCERE APPRECIATION** to the Marriage Preparation Facilitators: **Joanna and Tom Malkiewicz; Terry and Rick Driskell; Sofia and Ed Kolodziej and also Dianne and John Casar** for all their hard work and time in the preparation of teaching this important ministry to those preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. Thank you very much for your dedication and

**RADIO BROADCAST ON CKJS 810 AM**

- **RADIO MASS** transmitted from our Church - Sundays - 2:30 p.m.
  - **STRENGTHEN YOUR FAITH** - Sundays at 4:45 p.m.
- We ask to please financially support these Radio Programs which cost \$16,000.00 annually.*

**PARISH COLLECTIONS:**

- God bless all for your offerings!*
  - December 29 - Regular Sunday Collection \$6,922.00
  - January 5 - Regular Sunday Collection: \$5,178.00
  - January 5 - Maintenance Fund Collection: \$2,657.00
  - January 19 - Sharing God's Gifts Appeal.
- Did you give an offering equal to one hour of your earnings?**