

# One Family in Mission

Called to Evangelize



Formation



Hospitality



Prayer



Service

## AT-A-GLANCE... January's Stewardship Resources for your Parish

### January 2<sup>nd</sup> – The Epiphany of the Lord

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, we read of the Magi who traveled to visit Jesus.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Prayer:* The Magi travelled to see Jesus; this week how can we encounter Jesus? Take time to attend Mass during the week, or visit Him in an Adoration chapel or let Him show His mercy to you during the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

*General Intercession:* For all babies who will be baptized in our church this year. We pray to the Lord...

### January 9<sup>th</sup> – The Baptism of the Lord

*Bulletin Reflection:* In the Gospel reading for today, Jesus is baptized by John the Baptist.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Hospitality:* As baptized Catholics, we are on a mission to spread the Good News to all those we meet. One of the ways we can do this is by lending a hand to someone in need. Perhaps you have an elderly friend, neighbor or relative who could use a hand around the house this week? Reach out to them and honor God with your works.

*General Intercession:* For all adults who will be baptized in our church this year. We pray to the Lord...

### January 16<sup>th</sup> – Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, Jesus and Mary attend a wedding. When the wine ran out, Mary interceded to Jesus on the couple's behalf to re-fill the wine.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Prayer:* As Mary interceded for the newlyweds, let us ask her to intercede for us as well. This week pray extra Hail Marys and ask her for the wisdom and courage to "do whatever He tells you."

*General Intercession:* For all couples who will be married in our church this year. We pray to the Lord...

### January 23<sup>th</sup> – Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, Jesus reads a scroll from Isaiah.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Service:* As we hear in the Second Reading, we are all a part of the one body-- each of us has our own part. Have you considered how you could be of service to Christ's church? Look in your bulletin or ask your pastor how you could serve at the parish.

*General Intercession:* For all those involved in the ministries at our parish. We pray to the Lord...

### January 30<sup>th</sup> – Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, Jesus is rejected by his own in Nazareth.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Formation:* In the Second Reading, we read "Love never fails." Get to know Jesus more this week through Sacred Scripture. His love will never fail you.

*General Intercession:* For those who do not feel loved. We pray to the Lord...