

St Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule: Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM
Sunday 9:00 AM

Weekdays: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 11:30 AM
Tuesday: Exposition 6:00 pm, Mass in Spanish 6:30 pm
Thursday 9:00 AM

Reconciliation: 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Bilingual Secretary: Monday and Thursday 8:00 AM to 12:00 AM; Tuesday 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

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St Regina Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule: Sunday 11:00 AM

Weekdays: Wednesday 5:00 pm

Reconciliation: 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Office Hours: Monday and Thursday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Wednesday 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM

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Staff

Pastor: Father Anthony Onyekwe

St Andrew: Administrative Secretary: Mary Alyce Fiechtl

St Regina: Secretary: Pat Humble

Bilingual Secretary for St Andrew the Apostle: Carmen McDaniel

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DRE for St Andrew: Lois Freeland

DRE for St Regina: Christina Hammond

Maintenance and Grounds for St Andrew: Joey Wall

Maintenance and Grounds for St Regina: Jim Molitor



The Epiphany Of The Lord

January 5, 2025



The Epiphany Of The Lord

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JOURNEY TOWARD GOD

In our celebration of the Epiphany, two interwoven themes are present in the readings today. God is beginning something new, and God gathers all of humanity to participate. For Isaiah, God's bright light, manifested in the people of Israel, attracts and summons people from many nations to Jerusalem. In the letter to the Ephesians, God's grace makes the Gentiles co-heirs and co-partners in the gospel. Matthew tells the story of the fulfillment of God's promises to Israel through the birth of Jesus, and simultaneously leading foreigners to share in these same promises. With the birth of Jesus, God chose a particular people, in a particular time and place, to enter most directly into the human story. Today's readings teach that God did this in order to gather all people, all cultures, into unity with God. Like the magi, we are drawn into a journey toward God, becoming co-partners in God's work.

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Beloved, we are God's children now; what we shall be has not yet been revealed. — 1 John 3:2a

Mass Intentions

January 5th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina
January 12th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

WEEKLY OFFERING

December 29, 2024

Budget \$ 2287

Actual Not Available

Liturgical Ministers

January 12th:
Lector: Saturday: Kay Bartel
Sunday: Reyna Howard, Aleksander Oszkinis
Gifts: The Juan Placencia Family
Eucharistic Minister: Johnny Wall, Carmen McDaniel, Stephanie Page
Sacristans: Carmen McDaniel
Altar Linens: Reyna Howard, Patty Wall
Ushers/Collection: Shawn Wall, William Cobb
Collection Counters: Kathy Oszkinis, Tommy Page

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

The Epiphany of the Lord

At the Mass during the Day

O God, who on this day revealed your Only Begotten Son to the nations by the guidance of a star, grant in your mercy that we, who know you already by faith, may be brought to behold the beauty of your sublime glory. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

The Ladies Guild will meet Wednesday, January 8th at 6:00pm in Barni Hall. All ladies of the parish are invited and encouraged to attend.

TODAY'S READINGS Year C

First Reading — Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! The LORD shines upon you and the glory of the Lord appears over you (Isaiah 60:1-6).

Psalm — Lord, every nation on earth will adore you (Psalm 72).

Second Reading — The mystery has been made known that the Gentiles are coheirs, copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

Gospel — Magi from the east arrived, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews?" (Matthew 2:1-12).

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Parishioners

Chuck and Kathy Amrhein, Gigi Lui, Dora Magana, MaryAnn Maness, Carmen McDaniel, Deacon Jim Moss, James Trim

Relatives

Jeronimo Davalos, Patti Harden, Gail Jowers, Gustavo De Paz, Polly Scott, Salvador Valdivia, Judy Wall, Emily Whitten

Friends

Oscar Diebold, Lauren Lewis, Andrew Morlan, Danny Pratt, Pat Rafferty, Allan Shipp

Adult Reflection

Adult Reflections class will meet after social at 10:30 am in Barni Hall. All adults are welcome to attend.

LITTLE MINUTES

Little drops of water, little grains of sand, make the mighty ocean and the pleasant land; so the little minutes, humble though they be make the mighty ages of eternity.

—Julia A. Fletcher Carney

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 John 3:22-4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8,10-12a; G Matt 4:12-17,23-25
Tuesday: 1 John 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-2,3-4,7-8; G Mark 6:34-44
Wednesday: 1 John 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2,10,12-13; G Mark 6:45-52
Thursday: 1 John 4:19-5:4; Ps 72:1-2,14&15bc,17; G Luke 4:14-22a
Friday: 1 John 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-13,14-15,19-20; G Luke 5:12-16
Saturday: 1 John 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-2,3-4,5-6a & 9b; G John 3:22-30
Sunday: Isaiah 40:1-5.9-11; Ps 104; G Luke 3:15-16 21-22

Mass Schedule



Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am

There will be no weekday Mass during the month of January. While Father is on vacation.

Coming Events

Sunday Scripture Study Group will meet on Friday, at 10:00 am in Barni Hall. January dates are 10th, 17th and 31st. Everyone is welcome to attend.

If you have an emergency while father is on vacation. Please contact St Mary's Catholic Church in Jackson, telephone # 731-668-2596.