

Epiphany of the Lord
January 2, 2022

Saturday, January 1 – New Year’s Day

St. Charles Borromeo Church
4:00 PM All Parishioners

Sunday, January 2

St. Charles Borromeo Church
9:30 AM Sam Chillis (15th Anniversary)
Grace and Michael Cuthie Sr.

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Regularly scheduled weekday Masses are in Ashland

St. Anne Chapel is the lower level of our Church.

Mon., January 3 – NO MASS

Tues., January 4

8:30 AM Marietta Clarke Centiole
Joseph V. Gudonis

Wed., January 5 – NO MASS

Thurs., January 6 – NO MASS

Fri., January 7 – First Friday

8:30 AM Memorial Society


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Saturday, January 8

St. Charles Borromeo Church
4:00 PM Ray Verbish



Sunday, January 9

St. Charles Borromeo Church
9:30 AM All Parishioners

 **Please pray** for all our military men and women, our policemen and women, our sick at home and in the hospitals, and nursing homes, and also our deceased brothers and sisters in Christ especially, Louise Canfield.

The Vigil Lights burn brightly this week: 

1) In St. Charles Borromeo Church, in loving memory of Kripplebauer, Noon, and McHale Families, from J.J. Lokitis and son, Braden.

 **New Year’s Mass Schedule** 
St. Charles New Year’s Eve: 5:00 PM
St. Charles New Year’s Day: 4:00 PM

The Parish staff wishes all Parishioners and visitors a
Happy and Healthy New Year!



CCD News

It is that time to enjoy the Christmas Season. There will not be CCD classes on December 26th, January 2nd, and January 9th. Classes will resume on Sunday January 16th. There may be a vacation from class but all are reminded of their obligation to attend Mass. Merry Christmas to all!

Up-coming Activities

Monday, January 17 – The Knights of Columbus, Sar-to Council #1322 and Father Sheridan, will meet at 6:00 PM in the upper hall of the Parish Center.

Thursday, January 20 -The Ashland Food Pantry is open from Noon to 2 PM at Good Shepherd Church. Please use the back entrance, off the parking lot.


2022 Mass Book

2022 Mass book is still open. Please call or stop in the Parish Office if you would like to book a Mass or Vigil Light.

St. Charles Borromeo “Text Alerts”

With the upcoming Winter Season, St. Charles want to send out a reminder to be added to the St. Charles Borromeo’s “Text Alerts”. Please text @acb3gga to 81010. This will be a great way to keep up on Mass cancellations or changes. If anyone has any questions regarding the Alerts, please do not hesitate to call the Parish Office.

Lottery Calendars

 Three-month lottery calendars are now for sale. The calendars are \$15 for three months, starting on January 1, 2022 and running through March 31, 2022. As always, thank you for your support of our Parish!

Sunday Missals

Extra Sunday Missals available if anyone would like to purchase one. Thank you!

Stop in the chapel and check out our new selection of CDs, booklets, and books for Advent and Christmas. Music by Marty Rotella. Books and booklets by Scott Hahn and Archbishop Fulton Sheen. They make great gifts for Christmas. Donations are greatly appreciated.

2022 Calendars

As we approach a new year, our parish once again **SINCERELY THANKS** Charles Heizenroth III of the Kull-Heizenroth Funeral Home, Thomas and Tim Sullivan of the Sullivan Funeral Homes, and Richard Fritz of the Fritz Funeral Home, for donating the 2021 Religious Calendars for our Parish. The calendars can be found in St. Charles Borromeo Church, St. Vincent Worship Center, St. Anne Chapel, and/or our Parish Office.

Marian Catholic High School

An exceptional education rooted in faith, family, and tradition.

OPEN HOUSE - Sunday, January 30th, beginning at 1:00 PM. Come meet some of the teachers, students, administration, and coaches. Take a tour of the school led by their students. Come see how we can make a Marian education possible. RSVP by calling Mary Milosh at 570-467-3335 ext 117 or mmilosh@mariancatholic.org

Homeschool First Friday

Homeschool Families of the Diocese of Allentown are invited to a First Friday gathering on Thursday, January 6 at St. John the Baptist Church, 10th and Mahantongo Sts., Pottsville. An informal social beginning at 6:00pm will be followed by Eucharistic Adoration from 7:00-8:00 with the opportunity for Confessions. RSVP Fr. Kevin Bobbin, (kbobbin@allentowndiocese.org) Chaplain to the Homeschool Community by Jan. 3.



God's Call to Be AN ALTAR SERVER!



If your child wants to serve during Mass, we would welcome this new experience. Contact the Parish Office at (570) 875-1521 if your child would like to become a server.

The **Ashland Food Pantry** can always use more non-perishable food items for the poor and needy. You can drop your donations into the designated boxes in St. Charles Borromeo Church, the Worship Center, or at the Office entrance. May God smile upon you!!

Donations for the Babies – A few dollars, or even just a few cents, in one of the baby bottle banks near the church entrances add up to help mothers CHOOSE LIFE over abortion. Thank you for your generosity!

Any parishioner needing a Financial Statement for 2021 tax purposes please call the Parish Office at 570-875-1521.

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Prayer for a Blessing on the New Year

O sacred and adorable Trinity, hear our prayers on behalf of our holy Father the Pope, our Bishops, our clergy, and for all that are in authority over us. Bless, we beseech Thee, during the coming year, the whole Catholic Church; convert heretics and unbelievers; soften the hearts of sinners so that they may return to Thy friendship; give prosperity to our country and peace among the nations of the world; pour down Thy blessings upon our friends, relatives, and acquaintances, and upon our enemies, if we have any; assist the poor and the sick; have pity on the souls of those whom this year has taken from us; and do Thou be merciful to those who during the coming year will be summoned before Thy judgment seat. May all our actions be preceded by Thy inspirations and carried on by Thy assistance, so that all our prayers and works, having been begun in Thee, may likewise be ended through Thee.

Amen.



Be Our Daily Star
An Epiphany Prayer

God of Heaven and Earth,
From the breath of Your love came the creation of the
world.

We are amazed at the vast beauty of the night sky and
at the intimate nature of the love You have for us Your
children.

Be our Daily Star,
guiding our lives to search for the Kingdom of Love.
May we always follow Your light of truth in
all that we do,

Forever trusting, hoping and believing in Your Word.
Lift our eyes tonight to see Your eternal life shining
brightly, leading us home.

Amen.

