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The Epiphany of the Lord ~ January 8, 2017

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil

5:30 PM English

Sundays

9:15 AM English 10:15 AM Chinese
11:30 AM Spanish 12:45 PM English
7:00 PM English

Monday-Friday

8:00 AM Spanish, 12:10 PM English

Weekday Masses are held at St. Michael's Chapel— 266 Mulberry Street

Saturday

8:00 AM Spanish

VESPERS (Evening Prayer)

First Sundays at 7:00pm with Mass

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:30 PM - 5:15 PM
Sundays 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

Every First Friday from 7:30 pm
with Benediction at 9:15pm in the Cathedral

Spanish Prayer Group

Fridays 7:30pm

Cursillistas Meeting

Sundays after the 11:30am Mass (Spanish)

Saturday/Sabado-January 7, Christmas Weekday, Mass for the Unborn

8:00AM (Eng) For: Hugo & Annelly Flatz
By: Flatz Family

5:30PM (Eng) For: Marisa Sarubbi
By: Mother

Sunday/Domingo-January 8, The Epiphany of the Lord

9:15AM (Eng) For: William Capparelli
By: Nancy & Ernest Mingione

10:15AM (Chi) In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary
By: Theresa Thi

11:30AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Maria Valerio y Daniel
Valerio invita Familia Diaz y Mateo

12:45PM (Eng) For: Nina Laura
By: Jimmy Kehoe and Donna

7:00PM (Eng) For: Renate Klein
By: John Menton

Monday/Lunes-January 9, The Baptism of the Lord

8:00AM (Spa) Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia

12:10PM (Eng) For: Gary Isoldi
By: Daisy Rosario

Tuesday/Martes-January 10, Weekday

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Steven Diaz invita su madre

12:10PM (Eng) For: Tom & Kathleen O'Byrne
By: O'Byrne Family

Wednesday/Miercoles, January 11, Weekday

8:00AM (Spa) Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia

12:10PM (Eng) For: Franco Spadafora
By: Flatz Family

Thursday/Jueves-January 12, Weekday

8:00AM (Spa) Por el alma de Maria Filomena Nuñez y Floiran
Collado invita Agustina Rodriguez

12:10PM (Eng) For: Jim Pry and deceased members of the Pry
Family
By: O'Byrne Family

Friday/Viernes-January 13, Weekday

8:00AM (Spa) En Acción de Gracias a Jesus y a La Virgen Maria
invita Juana Rodriguez

12:10PM (Eng) For: The Sanctification of All Priests
By: Marion Albanese

Saturday/Sabado-January 14, Weekday

8:00AM (Eng) En Acción de Gracias por Leonora del Carmen Reyes
Y Romelia y Jose Reyes invita Romelia Reyes

5:30PM (Eng) For: Filomena Verra
By: Vincent Minuto

Pastor - Monsignor Donald Sakano
pastor@oldcathedral.org
Rev. Andrew Thi – Resident Vicar
Deacon Paul Vitale

Visiting Celebrants:

Rev. Jason Smith, LC
Rev. Richard Dillon
Rev. Richard Adams
Rev. Brian McWeeney
Rev. Carlos Mullins
Rev. Fabian Grifone, OFM
Rev. Louis Troiani, OFM
Rev. Philip Phan, Vietnamese Apostolate

Director of Music - Jared Lamenzo
organist@oldcathedral.org

Wedding Coordinator - Rosa Jimenez
rosa@oldcathedral.org

Sunday Offerings:
\$2,558.00

Second Collection ~ January 8, 2016
Communications & The Catholic University of
America Collections

Baptism Preparation Session
Next Session for parents and godparents is
January 9, 2016 @ 7:00 PM

Happenings:

For details on all events and happenings check out www.oldcathedral.org or sign up for the online bulletin!

MISSION + TRADITION + RESTORATION

You can be part of the monumental effort to restore the oldest and most historic Catholic Church in New York.

Next week we will begin a campaign to raise \$450,000 in order to complete the artwork in the Basilica as well as the Shrine Church of The Most Precious Blood.

Think of having your name forever associated with the restoration of The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral ~ The Shrine Church of The Most Precious Blood and its mission to our neighborhood, the city and the world.

ALSO NEXT WEEK

YOUR ARE INVITED TO AN

OPEN HOUSE AT THE ARCHBISHOP JOHN J. HUGHES CENTER

32 Prince Street

Visit the very place birthplace of Catholic parochial education. Here, a new mission will be launched to offer spiritual formation to families, young and older adults using three floors of what was St. Patrick's School & Convent.

We look forward to a collaboration with Mount St. Mary's University, Emmitsburg, Maryland

SUNDAY JANUARY 15 from 9:30 AM to 8:00 PM

- * **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** - Today from 3:30 PM to 6:30 PM with Evening Prayer (Vespers) and The Rosary.
- * **Mom's and Tot's Gathering - January 5, 2017**, Every Thursday from 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM. This gathering in the Parish House will allow mothers with young children to spend some time together and strengthen their own spiritual lives. Next gathering will be in January, 2017. Please contact Tony at tony@oldcathedral.org for more information.
- * **Title: "Women of the Bible: Their stories and Your "Dates and Times:** Sundays 1/15/2017, 1/22/2017 and 1/29/2017 from 5:00pm to 6:30pm One sentence explanation: Join us for an introduction of the *Women of the Old and New Testament* and learn about their enduring lessons and how to connect your lives and your gifts with them. Target audience - women, all ages. contact: tony@oldcathedral.org for more information.
- * **The 2017 New York Encounter, "Reality Has Never Betrayed Me"**, January 13-15 at the Metropolitan Pavilion at 125 West 18th Street in midtown Manhattan. The Encounter is a three-day free, cultural event organized by Communion and Liberation, consisting of panel discussions, artistic performances and unique exhibits. The full program can be found at <http://www.newyorkencounter.org>. All are invited! For more information: www.newyorkencounter.org or call (646) 571-2341

Music at The Basilica:

Check out the website calendar for details on all events.

- * Want to join the Basilica Schola? Contact Joshua, our Cantor at cantor@oldcathedral.org for more information.
- * **Erben Renewal - Restore Our Pipe Organ!** Join the "Erben Renewal" Facebook page to learn more about the music at the Basilica and the world-class 2,500 pipe Henry Erban organ, visit <http://facebook.com/erbenorgan>.

Catholic Brain Power:

- * **There are two websites sponsored by the Archdiocese** to increase the knowledge and appreciation of the Catholic Faith: (1) www.FORMED.org will give a wide variety of videos that are both entertaining and instructive. Use the passcode: **MF47NF** to get started; (2) www.nycatholicfaith.org/learn contains a mini-courses on theological subjects. Contact: tony@oldcathedral.org for more information.
- * **The Sheen Center for Culture & Thought** - Sponsored by the Archdiocese, this is center located at 18 Bleecker Street presents the finest in culture and thought, visit www.sheencenter.org

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil - 5:30 PM
Sunday - 2:00 PM (Vietnamese)

CONFESSIONS

At the Basilica: Saturdays 4:30-5:30 PM Sundays 6:00pm—7:00 PM

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 2017

5:30PM (Vigil) For: Salvatore, Fannie, Nicholas & Jean Elluzzi, Dr.
 Paul Viviano, Nicola & Anna DePalo
 By: Elluzzi Family
 For: Vincenzo & Calogera Dimino
 By: by granddaughter Lillian Tozzi
 For: Michael Ricciuti
 By: Fabiani Family
 For: Salvatore Graziano (Anniversary)
 By: son Michael & wife Mary Graziano

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8, 2017 – The Epiphany of the Lord

2:00PM Mass in Vietnamese

MONDAY, JANUARY 9, 2017 – The Baptism of the Lord

NO MASS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10, 2017 – First Week in Ordinary Time

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 2017

12:10PM For: Santo & Antoinette Aimone
 By: D. Aimone
 For: Terrence Fay, Sr.
 By: sister Trinh Kokkoris

THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 2017

NO MASS

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 2017

6:30PM Sant'Egidio Prayer Service

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 2017

5:30PM (Vigil) For: Dr. Paul Viviano
 By: wife Grace
 For: Cestaro Family
 By: Nancy Coletti

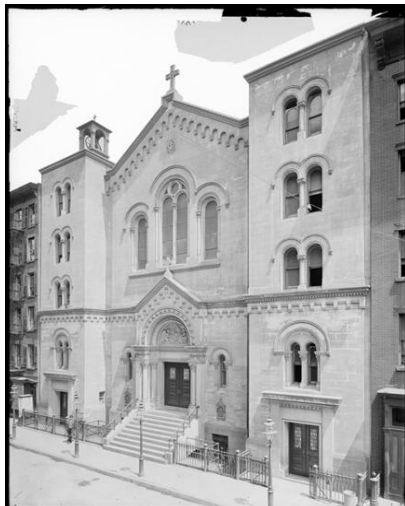
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD: Sunday, January 8, 2017 is the Epiphany of the Lord. We thought it an appropriate time to send out our prayers to all of you for 2017 – may the coming year find you happy, healthy, and with a renewed sense of faith and spirituality. May God shower his blessings on you and your families in the coming year.

MUSIC & VOICES CONCERT SERIES REMINDER: Thursday, January 19, 2017, is the next concert in our Music & Voices Concert Series. The ‘theme’ this month is NEW BEGINNINGS; the concert will once again feature Kim Kalesti along with special guests. It is scheduled to begin at 7:00PM and will end at 8:30PM. Seating is limited; donations are welcomed. For those who are not aware, the concert will take place here at Most Precious Blood Church. The concert series is produced by William Russo and, this month, is sponsored by www.MetroFlea.nyc. Please try to attend – you won’t be disappointed!

THE VIETNAMESE LEARNING, ARTS & CULTURAL CENTER (VLACC): Most Precious Blood Church (MPB) is home to the Vietnamese Learning, Arts & Cultural Center. They sponsor classes for adults and children. VLACC provides English language instruction to immigrants to empower them to become successful in American society. VLACC offers four ESL (English as a second language) classes per week. In addition, they provide classes to anyone who wishes to learn the Vietnamese language. They serve approximately 55 people at MPB Church. For further information, please go to trinh.bk1@gmail.com.

REPAIR AND RESTORATION OF STATUES AND ICONS: We are pleased to report to you that during 2016, the following sacred artistic objects were refurbished, repaired, painted or restored to excellent condition: San Calogero, San Rocco, Saint Michael the Archangel and La Madonna di Ripalta di Cerignola. The Madonna di Ripalta literally means ‘The Madonna on the Mountain’. This framed icon is a painting inside an elaborately-adorned frame; it is exquisite and very spiritually moving. It formerly hung in St. Joseph’s Church on Monroe Street and was transferred here on July 31, 2015 due to the closing of St. Joseph’s Church. Cerignola, we have learned, was the hometown of the father of NYC’s former Mayor Fiorello LaGuardia.

MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB: New Year’s Day 2017 fell on a Sunday; consequently, our rectory office was closed on Monday, January 2. This left very little time to make plans for our monthly senior luncheon which usually takes place on the first Wednesday of each month. Therefore, January’s luncheon will be held on Wednesday, January 11....details to follow.



The Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood is a splendid example of Italian Renaissance architecture. The main entrance, illustrated here, is on Baxter Street between Hester and Canal Streets.