

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD—JANUARY 11, 2026

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**SACRAMENT OF
BAPTISM**
SECOND & FOURTH
SUNDAYS
1:15 PM ENG
2:15 PM PL

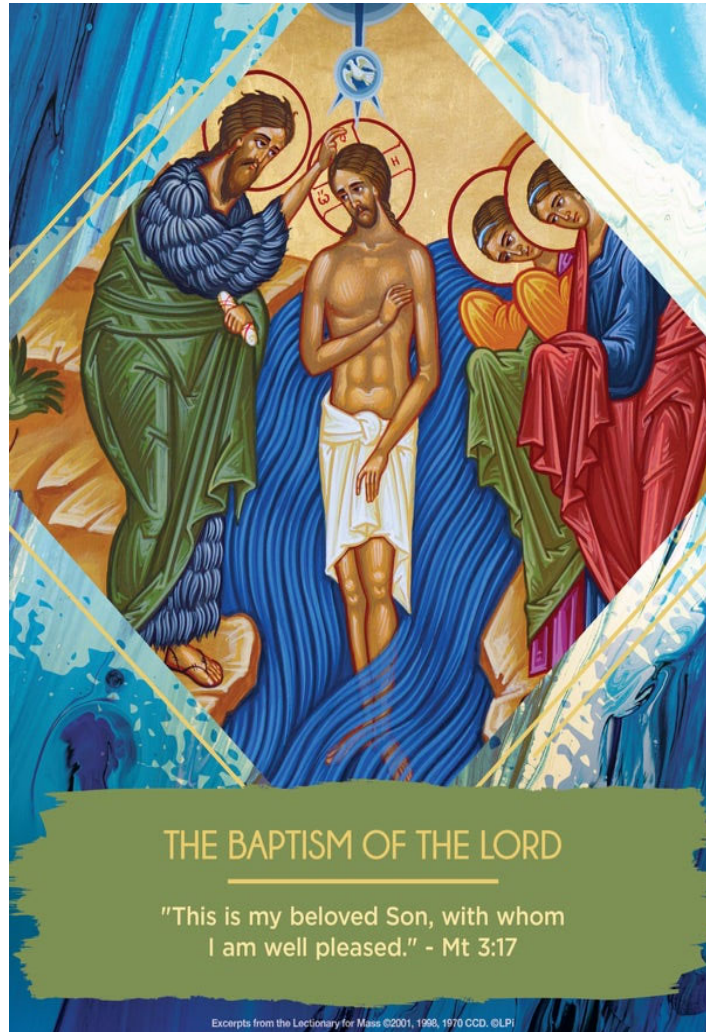
Please arrange the date
of baptism through the
Rectory office after
the birth of your child

**SACRAMENT OF
MARRIAGE**
Please call the Rectory
for an appointment at
least six months prior
to the desired date.

**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**
SATURDAYS
4:00 to 4:45 PM and
THURSDAYS BEFORE
FIRST FRIDAYS
4:00 to 5:00 PM
Other times by appointment.

1ST FRI. DEVOTION
6 to 9 PM

1ST SAT. DEVOTION
AFTER 8:00 AM MASS



**LITURGY OF THE
EUCHARIST**
WEEKDAYS 7:00 AM
SATURDAYS 8:00 AM
SATURDAY EVENINGS
VIGIL MASS 5:00 PM
SUNDAYS 8:00 & 9:15 AM,
10:30 (Polish) 12:00 Noon

RECTORY HOURS
WEEKDAYS
9 AM to 12 Noon
& 1 PM to 4 PM

**EUCCHARISTIC
ADORATION**
TUES. 12 to 1 PM

MILLIONS OF MONICAS
TUESDAY 1 PM to 2 PM

**PL PRAYER GROUP
W/ ADORATION**
2ND THURSDAYS 7 PM

LAY CARMELITES
1ST SAT. AFTER
8 AM MASS

ALTAR ROSARY
1ST WED. 6:30 PM
(APRIL, MAY, JUNE,
SEPT., OCT. & NOV.)

Our Mission Statement

*Lord, God, all creation is yours, and you call us to serve you by caring for the gifts that surround us. May the example of St. Isidore urge us to share our food with the hungry and to work for the salvation of mankind. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, your son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.
Saint Isidore, Pray for Us.*

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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10, 2026

5:00 pm + Estelle, Edward and Richard (A) Rogers
+ Fritzie Kulesa / + Balbina Zilnicki
+ Madeline Cavaluzzi
+ Frank and Rosemary Danielowich

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD, JANUARY 11, 2026

8:00 am + William Raffel
9:15 am + Frank L., Bertha M. & Frank L. Jr. Ostroski
10:30 am The People of the Parish, Living and Deceased
(PL) + Czeslawa Zakrzewska
Sp + Edward Gorski i zmarlych z rodziny
Gorskich i Serokow
+ Kamil Wnorowski / + Teresa Lul
+ Stanislaw Tuminski i Ryszard Pawlak
+ Elzbieta Zdanowicz
12 Noon + Mary Macari

MONDAY, JANUARY 12, 2026

7:00 am + Marguerite Parks

TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2026

7:00 am + Paul Andrychowski
+ Antonia Falk

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2026

7:00 am + Margaret Robinson

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 2026

7:00 am + Czeslawa Zakrzewska

FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2026

7:00 am + Edward Swiatkowski

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2026

8:00 am + William P. Mader (20th A)
Intentions of the DeMarco & Goodale Families
5:00 pm The People of the Parish, Living and Deceased
+ Suzanne Ellwood / + Richard Gadzinski
Birthday Blessings for Barbara Polak

2ND SUN. IN ORINARY TIME, JANUARY 18, 2026

8:00 am + Joseph Bobinski
9:15 am Birthday Blessings for Fr. Kris
10:30 am + Kamil Wnorowski / + Jan and Ava Bulak
(PL) + Henryk Sokol / + Dariusz Kalicki
+ Sylwia Brozio
12 Noon + William T. Raffel

IN LOVING MEMORY

Missalettes

Walter and Balbina Zilnicki

Bread and Wine

Vincent A. Doroszka, MD

Sanctuary Lamp

William P. Mader

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10/Acts 10:34-38/Mt 3:13-17

Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8/Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19/Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20/1 Sam 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Ps 40:2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11/Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Ps 89:16-17, 18-19/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2 and 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

OUR COLLECTIONS

Today, January 11: Sunday & Debt Reduction

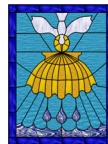
Next Week, January 18: Sunday & Fuel

Thank you for your generosity!

THE WEEK AHEAD

Tuesday, January 13, 2026

Adoration 12 to 1 PM
Millions of Monicas 1 to 2 PM



BAPTISM

We welcome:

Alexander Luce



PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

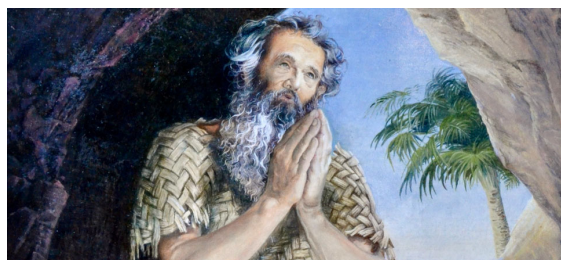
*Richard Gadzinski, Bonnie Schroder,
Helen Truskoski, Michael Piro*

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Joanne DeMarco * Sandra Kuhlman * Albert Stepnoski * Richard Abbott * Beverly Bullock * Joseph O'Shea * Baby John Krepps * Dottie Bugdin * Jadwiga Luniewska * Wanda Tuminska * Etta Jean Otis * Richard Anderson * Eric Frak * Andrew * Chris Bonocore * Ethan Donahue * Irene Monahan * Jodi Ponce * Catherine & Charles J. Sehy * Ben G. & Elizabeth * Wm. Snyder * Nancy McDonald * Brendan Gallagher * Kristy West * Josephine Barker * Paul Farber * Nicholas Steinkamp * Teresa Muenkel * Ron Danowski * Peter Kraljic * Carson Whible * Dave Zazski * Faye Anderson * James Gibson * Jim Kenna * Daryl Alec * Paula George * Christina Donovan * Joan Zaleski * Gillen Family * Blythe Fickenwirth * Jody Breitfeller * Benjamin Gonzalez * Dominique Tirado * Diana Perniciaro * Sammy * Brodie * Joseph Stepnoski * James Kenna * Douglas Clark * Jan Suchta * Justin * Dakota Harmon * Cole Faller * Halikias Family * Liana Forstein * Rosemary & Daniel Ambrosini * Thomas Ryall * Anne Marie Donlon * Dorothy Sousa * Thomas McEnany * Mary Khulman * Michael Alpert * Roseanne Murphy * Barbara Kozlowski * James West * Elizabeth Farruggia * Kelly Wine * Mary Van Duesen * Thomas DeGirolamo * William Berenger * Daria Quarlena * Eileen Borchart * Sheila Nolan * Tom Wisniewski III * Jeffrey Clark * James, George & Barbara Jaeger * Ernest & Alex Aponte * Helen Long * Michael Miglionico * Ralph Conforti * The Barauskus Family * Hope & Brittany Williams * John Marion * Emilia Andrychowski * Augie & Georgianna Lucente * Johanna Benthall * Michelle Giaccone * Howard Seifert * Ed Kennedy * Kit Z. * Dolores Contino * Agnes Brown * Anders Ryden * Kevin C. Cook * Anita Costi * Doriane Bay * David Vallone * Brittany Schacor * Karen and Kim Finocchiaro * Grace Mary Schulteis * Victor Sechyshyn * George Angle * Melissa Alexandra * Christian Vidal * Suzanne Thompson * Anna Greffe * Anthony Mannino * Marcella Frisen * Theresa Puglia * Brian Darmody * Leigh Anne Brown * Dan Modjeska * Judy Zakorski * Marie Miley * John Shuot * Patrick Murphy * Brian Crowley * Louise Pampinello * Barbara Fenn

Please keep all those serving in the military and their families in your thoughts and prayers especially:
Nicholas Pelosi, Christopher Drowns, Jeffrey Heppner, James Fleming, Thomas V. D'Auria, Mateusz Marzec, Andre DeRosa, Garrett Bracht and Hunter Bahnke

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Please keep Deacons,
Nicholas Waldron and Patrick O'Brien,
in your prayers.



Join us next Sunday, January 18th, at the 9:15 and 10:30 Masses for a special blessing of children in honor of St. Paul the First Hermit.

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THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Reborn

Reborn explores the deeply personal power of Baptism, bringing to light the spiritual reality for parents and godparents and, most importantly, the child being baptized. Rendered with a cinematic beauty that's become the hallmark of the Augustine Institute's film productions, Reborn presents the foundation of the Church's teaching on Baptism, with a step-by-step explanation of the rite itself, including its profound place in Scripture and Tradition.

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Riverhead Pro Life Activist Group 2nd Annual Prayer Ceremony

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus
Immaculate Conception Council #928

All are invited to help us commemorate the
annual March for Life in Washington D.C.

At St. Isidore on January 21st 1:30 PM

Scriptural Rosary
Poetry Readings
Songs

BAPTISM OF THE LORD **(from Catholic Culture)**



Today the Church celebrates the **Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord**. This feast brings to an end the season of Christmas. Ordinary Time lasts from the day after this feast to the Tuesday before Lent.

The Church recalls Our Lord's second manifestation or epiphany which occurred on the occasion of His baptism in the Jordan. Jesus descended into the River to sanctify its waters and to give them the power to beget sons of God. The event takes on the importance of a second creation in which the entire Trinity intervenes.

Many of the incidents which accompanied Christ's baptism are symbolical of what happened at our Baptism. At Christ's baptism the Holy Spirit descended upon Him; at our Baptism the Trinity took its abode in our soul. At His baptism Christ was proclaimed the "Beloved Son" of the Father; at our Baptism we become the adopted sons of God. At Christ's baptism the heavens were opened; at our Baptism heaven was opened to us. At His baptism Jesus prayed; after our Baptism we must pray to avoid actual sin.

—Excerpted from Msgr. Rudolph G. Bandas

In the mystery of the Epiphany, we then meditated on Christ's manifestation to all nations that was represented by the Magi, the wise men from the East, who came to adore the Child.

Now, in the mystery of Christ's Baptism in the Jordan River, we again encounter and represent the truth of the Lord's incarnation and His manifestation as the Christ. Jesus' Baptism is in fact His definitive manifestation as the Messiah or Christ to Israel, and as the Son of the Father to the entire world. Here we find the dimension of the Epiphany which was His manifestation to all nations. The Father's voice from heaven shows that Jesus of Nazareth is the eternal Son and the descent of the Holy Spirit in the form of a dove shows the Trinitarian nature of the Christian God. The true and unique God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, shows Himself in Christ, through Him, with Him and in Him.

The Baptism in the Jordan returns to the great Christmas theme of 'Christification,' Jesus of Nazareth's spiritual anointing, His presentation as the Anointed One par excellence, the Messiah or the One sent by the Father for the salvation of mankind. The Spirit that descended on Jesus shows and seals in an incontrovertible way the 'Christification' of Jesus' humanity that the Word had already fulfilled from the first moment of His miraculous conception by Mary. Jesus, from the very beginning, was always the Lord's Christ, He was always God. Yet, His one, true humanity, that which is perfect in every way, as the Gospel records, constantly grew in natural and supernatural perfection. *'And Jesus increased in wisdom, in stature, and in favor with God and with men'* (Lk2:52). In Israel at 30 years of age, one reached full maturity and therefore could become a master. Jesus came of age and the Spirit, descending and remaining on Him, definitively consecrated His whole being as the Christ.

The same Spirit, that descended on the water of the River Jordan wafted over the waters during the first creation (Gen 1:2). Therefore, the Baptism in the Jordan presents yet another truth: that Jesus has started a new creation. He is the second man (1 Cor 15:47) or the last Adam (1 Cor 15:45), that comes to repair the first Adam's guilt. He does this as the Lamb of God that takes away our sins. *'Looking at the events in light of the Cross and Resurrection, the Christian people realized what happened: Jesus loaded the burden of all mankind's guilt upon His shoulders; he bore it down into the depths of the Jordan. He inaugurated his public activity by stepping into the place of sinners'* (Joseph Ratzinger, *Jesus of Nazareth*, Bloomsbury 2007, p 18).

—Excerpted from the Dicastery for the Clergy

MEDITATION OF THE DAY
(from the Magnificat)

One with Jesus in Baptism

Jesus joins the people going out to John the Baptist in the gesture of repentance, not because there is sin in him, but to make it possible for us to share in his relationship with the Father, announced from the heavens. He goes to the Baptist as a beggar because he takes upon himself our misery. The Lord Jesus lowers himself in his baptism and acknowledges his Father so that we will never hesitate to do the same. In baptism, Jesus gives us an efficacious approach to the Father. The Father knows us as his beloved sons and daughters.

The mystery of the baptism of Jesus, which marks the beginning of his public life, contains, as it were, the summary of his whole mission here below. By the humiliation which he willed to undergo in receiving this rite of penance “for the remission of sins”—presage of his baptism of blood upon the Cross—“Christ fulfills all justice.”...

In return, the heavens are opened; the Eternal Father authentically introduces his Son to the world; the glorious splendor that this divine testimony reveals announces the mission of the enlightening of souls which the Word-made-Flesh is about to inaugurate; the Holy Spirit rests upon him to show the plenitude of gifts that adorn his blessed soul and, at the same time, to symbolize the unction of grace that Christ is to communicate to the world....

Baptism, with faith in Jesus Christ, has become for us the sacrament of divine adoption and Christian initiation. It is the Name of the Holy Trinity that is conferred upon us, the Trinity that was revealed to us upon the banks of the Jordan....

In the same way as baptism constituted for Christ the summary of all his mission, at once redeeming and sanctifying—so baptism contains for us in germ the whole development of the Christian life with its twofold aspect of “death to sin” and of “life unto God.” So true is it, according to the Apostle’s words, that *as many...as have been baptized in Christ, have put on Christ (Gal 3:27); so true is it that we make only one with Jesus in all his mysteries.*

Blessed Columba Marmion

(Blessed Columba († 1923) was abbot of the Benedictine abbey of Maredsous, Belgium. / From *Christ in His Mysteries*, 11th Edition, Mother M. Saint Thomas, tr. © 1939, Herder Book Company, St. Louis, MO. All rights reserved.)

Mobile Outreach Bus

Free Health Screenings and Flu Vaccinations

The Community Outreach team is pleased to offer free health screenings and **flu vaccinations** in your community by a Catholic Health registered nurse.



St Isidore R.C. Church
622 Pulaski St
Riverhead, NY 11901

Thursday, January 15, 2026

10 am- 2 pm

No insurance or ID required. No need to fast.

Services for adults (18 and older):

- Brief cardiac history
- Blood pressure screening
- BMI screening
- Simple blood test for cholesterol and glucose
- Health education
- Referrals as needed
- Resources for those without insurance
- **Free flu vaccination** (senior dose available)