

Mass Intentions for Week of January 10, 2010

Saturday, Jan 9 *Baptism of the Lord*
 4:00 PM +Patrick Grogan & Mary Jane Kearney by Pat Grogan

Sunday, Jan. *Baptism of the Lord*
 8:00 AM People of St. Rita
 10:00 AM +Mona Tansey by Nuala, Bernie & Liz
 12:00 PM (C) Jane Vliet by Rod & Cindy Jones

Monday, Jan. 11 *Weekday*
 8:00 AM

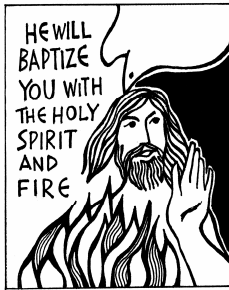
Tuesday, Jan. 12 *Weekday*
 8:00 AM +Jack Byrd by Mary & Brian Byrd

Wednesday, Jan. 13 *St. Hilary*
 5:00 PM +Mary Bolard by Dan & Linda Bolard

Thursday, Jan. 14 *Weekday*
 8:00 AM +Donald Still by St. Rita Staff

Friday, Jan. 15 *Weekday*
 8:00 AM

Saturday, Jan. 16 *2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time*
 4:00 PM +Bo Carone Ed & Char Carone



God's Word This Week

Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8; Mk 1:14-20
Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20; Mk 1:21-28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Mk 1:29-39
Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11; Mk 1:40-45
Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7; 10-22a; Mk 2:1-12
Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a; Mk 2:13-17
Sunday: Is 62:1-5; Ps 96; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

MANIFESTING THE SPIRIT

The Christmas season closes this Sunday with the Baptism of the Lord. This feast is a sister to last week's feast of the Epiphany. Each of them celebrates an "epiphany," or a manifestation of the Spirit of God in Jesus—first in his birth, and now at his baptism.

The divine Spirit is manifested in all of the scriptures for this feast. Psalm 104 highlights the Spirit of God creating and renewing the earth, while the reading from Isaiah describes God restoring Israel. In Luke's account of the baptism of the Lord the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus. And the letter from Titus reminds us that the Holy Spirit was "richly poured out" on us also, through the "bath of rebirth" (Titus 3:5, 6).

In your prayers, please remember those whose names are in our prayer intention book in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Pray for those who are sick and recovering, especially **John LeBleu, Jerry B. Johnston, Rita Moran, Jack Weidman, Betty Miller, Concetta Loduca, Michael McKeon, Danika Darley, Darya Darley, Janine Becker, Ed Ellington, Wendy Kulanis, James Payne, Bob James, David Caggiano, Sam Stokes, Linda Davis, Carson Doss, Isabelle O'Brian, Jane Casey & Dick Casey, Molly Elder, Charles Modica, Frank Kylee, Donna Corpuz, Marie Rafiqi, Silvia Delgadillo, Flamarion & Janita Ayuso, Noah Bishop, Joe Angert, Nancy S. Bella, Mary Kelly, Lisa McKee, Shannon Williams, Noel Daigle, Marie Bakane, Lisa Shaw, Adele Barry, Kim Beaulieu, Kevin Kennedy, Terry Trippe, Thomas Jahanian, Lauren Olinde, Lorelei Stroble, Gene Graham, Chad Lepak, Matt Pitts, Lisa Emerdinger, Tonya Sisson, Ed Manning, Fran Lester, James Osark & Bishop John Ricard.**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Joan Farrell**, sister of **Dave Pendergast** and **Donald John Still**, father of **Andrew Still**, who died recently. Also pray for the consolation of their families & friends.

WEEKLY DONATIONS

	<i>St. Rita</i>	<i>Christ the King</i>
<i>Offertory</i>	\$ 10,820.00	\$ 596.00
<i>2nd Collection</i>	\$ 2,648.28	\$ 10.00
<i>Holy Day Offertory</i>	\$ 2,744.41	\$ 247.00
<i>2nd Collection</i>	\$ 588.00	\$ 10.00

TEMPER AND PRIDE

Temper is what gets most of us into trouble. Pride is what keeps us there.

—Anonymous

This Week at Saint Rita and Christ the King Mission

Sunday, Jan. 10

8:00 am Sunday Mass
 9:00 am 1st Holy Communion Classes for Students (Middle Portable) & Parents (Youth Portable)
 10:00 am Mass with Children's Liturgy
 12:00 pm Mass at Christ the King

Monday, Jan. 11 – Snowbird Breakfast

7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)
8:00 am Daily Mass
 8:30 am Snowbird Breakfast (MSS)
 8:30 am Rosary
 5:30 pm Pack Troop #52
 5:30 pm Brownie Troop #153 (Portable)
 6:30 pm Boy Scouts (MSS)
 7:00 pm Prayer Group (Church)

Tuesday, Jan. 12

7:40 am Morning Prayer
8:00 am Daily Mass
 8:30 am Rosary
 9:00 am Bible Study – Acts (MSS)
 6:00 pm Hispanic Baptism Class (Admin. Offices)

Wednesday, Jan. 13

9:00 am Sewing Group (MSS) All Welcome!
 4:00 pm R.E. K-5th Grades
5:00 pm Daily Mass
 5:30 pm Dinner
 6:00 pm Hispanic Ministry (Admin. Offices)
 6:10 pm Spirit Nite: Adult Ed., RCIA
 CROCS are bowling.
 6:15 pm R.E. 6-12th Grades

Thursday, Jan. 14

7:40 am Morning Prayer
8:00 am Daily Mass
 8:30 am Rosary
 9:00 am St. Elizabeth Seton Study Group (Cry Rm.)
 All are welcome!

Friday, Jan. 15 – Fish Fry Dinner

7:40 am Morning Prayer
8:00 am Daily Mass
 8:30 am Rosary
 3:00 pm Fish Fry Dinner (Mary Star of Sea Room)
 6:30 pm Hispanic Marriage Encounter Mtg.

Saturday, Jan. 16

9:00 am Centering Prayer
 3:00 pm Confessions
 4:00 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday, Jan. 17

8:00 am Sunday Mass
 10:00 am Mass with Children's Liturgy
 12:00 pm Mass at Christ the King
 1:00 pm CTK Altar Guild Meeting

Saint Vincent de Paul Society

If you need assistance or know of anyone in need, call St. Vincent de Paul at **888-229-6582**. The Society is open to everyone. Meetings are on the 3rd Thursday of the month. Si necesita ayuda o conoce a alguien que la necesite, llame usted a la Sociedad de San Vincente de Paul, y pregunte por Felita al 502-4856 despues de las 5 de la tarde. La Sociedad invita a toda el mundo a participar. Las reuniones son el 3er jueves del mes.

Caring & Sharing – There is a website:

caringsharingofwaltoncounty.org

Baby items are always needed especially diapers all sizes. Donations may be dropped off at the Mary Star of the Sea Room.

Altar Linen Schedule

Jan. 10 Lorraine Maioriello
 Jan. 17 Joyce Haley

Annual St. Rita Snowbird Breakfast
Monday, January 11, 2010
8:30 AM
Mary Star of the Sea Room
Hosted by the Men's Club & CCW
Please join us for a wonderful breakfast and an opportunity to see old friends and make some new ones.



"I thought I'd surprise you with something different this morning...John the Baptist Oatmeal! I've wanted to make it for some time, but you wouldn't believe how hard it is to find locusts."

CROCS News

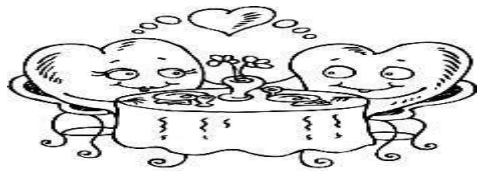
Bowling

Hurricane Lanes

Wednesday, January 13th

6:00 - 7:30 PM

Please bring a canned or packaged item for Caring & Sharing and drop off in the box in the Mary Star of the Sea Room. Feel free to attend Mass and eat at St. Rita and then come bowling. Please call Laurie Borick at 622-0923 if you have any questions.



Valentines
Dance

3rd Annual

CCW

Valentine's Day

Dance

Saturday, February

6th

6:00 - 10:00 PM

Music by:

"Ooh La La"

Live Music Duo/Karaoke Hosts

Come join us for this fabulous annual event. Babysitting available. For reservations call the Parish Office at 267-2558.

Concert to Help the Needy

Sunday, January 17th

3:00 PM

Christ Our Redeemer Church
Niceville

Admission : A Non-Perishable
Food Item

Dan Duet

(Described as the "John Denver of
Christian Music)

Performs

"Traces of Jesus"

A free-will love offering
(donation) will be solicited. All
proceeds will benefit the St.
Vincent de Paul Society.

Attention:

1st Communion

Parents

We are still missing some
Baptismal Certificates. Please
contact Lyn Colello at 267-2558 to
check if you still need to provide
one.

HURTFUL SIN

*Sin is not hurtful because it is forbidden, but it is
forbidden because it is hurtful.*

—Benjamin Franklin