

St. Clement Catholic Church

January 11th & 12th, 2020

Baptism of the Lord

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BAPTISMS:

Call Pastor For Arrangements

MARRIAGES:

Must be scheduled six months
in advance by appointment with pastor

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 4:30 pm -5:15 pm

MASS SCHEDULE

January 11th & 12th:

SAT: 5:30pm: People of St. Clement/Sacred Heart & St. John

SUN:10:30am: Bee Meyer

MON: Jan 13: NO MASS

TUES: Jan 14: 7:00PM Ray Meyer

WED: Jan 15: 7:00AM Ron Peasel

THU: Jan 16: 11:15AM Bobby Meyer

FRI: Jan 17: 11:15AM Muriel Grote

January 18th & 19th:

SAT: 5:30pm: Leroy Orf and People of St. Clement

SUN: 10:30am: Nancy Edwards

January 18th: 5:30PM Sacristan: Larry Twellman

LECTOR	Mary Jane Noellsch
EUCH. MINISTERS	Fred & Mary Carol Niemeyer
EUCH. MINISTERS	Craig Luebrecht, Patti Schuckenbrock, Linda Henderson
SERVERS	Celia Robinson/Jocelyn Grote/Cheyenne Lawrence

January 19th: 10:30AM Sacristan: Sandy Reid

LECTOR	Rosie Lewis
EUCH. MINISTERS	Chris Hummel / Ginny Andrews / Jenny Erickson
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SERVERS	Brodee Burris /Oliver Niemeyer/Carter Berry

Prayer Line Information:

Sandy Merz at: 324-5617 or

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Bulletin Articles & Mass Announcements:

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St. Clement Cemetery Information:

Call Larry Twellman at 324-5471

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Needed to Date 244,026.00
Received to Date 255,425.05
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Needed each week for budget 2019-2020 = 9,038.00
This does not include fundraisers/bequests or extra to pay off debt

Total Received Last Week: 9688.51

Regular Envelopes /Loose \$ 8,928.51
Seminary \$ 130.00
Debt Reduction: \$ 630.00

**As of July 1st, 2019
Mass stipend's are now \$10.00 per Mass**

Weekly Schedule

Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction
First Sunday of the Month at 6:00pm
JAN 13: NO MASS
JAN 14: 7:00PM
JAN 15: 7:00AM Confirmation Class at 7pm
Parish Center
JAN 16: 11:15AM
JAN 17: 11:15AM

Baptism of the Lord

And a voice came from the heavens, saying,
"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."
(Matthew 3:17)

Two thoughts come to mind when reading this. First, God, Our Father, is so generous, that he gave his only son, whom he really loves, to us so that we can have eternal life with him in heaven. God, Our Creator, really loves us, too! Second, **Jesus was obedient to his Father's will, even to the point of death.** This is a reminder that our own lives are pure gifts from God and meant to serve God and others.

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NEW SOUND SYSTEM TO BE INSTALLED SOON !!
 Last weekend our amplifier at church stopped working. We have learned that it is not worth fixing and our speakers are from 1969. Bids have been given and some donations have been made towards a purchase of a new sounds system. The bid is around \$4,000-5,000.00 We have some donations already for the cost. If you would like to help please make sure you note on your **check or envelope "sound system"** and drop in collection or the church office.

Bishop Shawn McKnight's
 January Prayer Intention
 For an increase in Christian unity, racial harmony, and respect for the dignity of all human life; that Christians everywhere may work together to promote peace in our homes and communities throughout the world.

Anointing of the Sick
 March 3rd at 7:00pm Mass

Prayer List

Pauline Oberman Virgil Tepen
 Alice Charlton Martin Anders
 Mary Jane Noellsch
 Marianne Largent
 Bob Andrews Joe Lewis (Son)

7th & 8th Grade Teaching Position
 St. Clement School is in need of a 7th and 8th grade teacher for the 2020-21 school year. Resumes can be dropped off at the school or parish office. Call the school at 573-324-2166.

Confirmation Class
 January 15th at 7pm

MARDI GRAS DINNER
 February 21st, 2020
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Volunteers Needed for Weekly Wednesday Morning Adoration
 Please consider signing up for a time on Wednesday mornings to come and sit an hour with Jesus.

Long Term Substitute Needed at St. Clement School
 St. Clement School is in need of a long-term substitute teacher beginning in March, 2020. Applicants may drop off resumes at the school. Call the school at 573-324-2166 with questions.

MIDWEST MARCH FOR LIFE 2020
 Saturday, February 1st,
 St Peter Selinger Expo Hall -7:45 am,
 Pre Rally at 9:30 am, March begins at 10 am and Rally with keynote David Bereit at 10:45 am in the State Rotunda in Jefferson City. A Youth Rally will be given at 1:00pm. Information is available at www.midwestmarchforlife.com or call 573-340- 8444.

Adoration & Benediction on 1st Sundays at 6:00pm
 Due to lack of participation each Sunday we will now have Adoration & Benediction on the 1st Sunday of the Month at 6:00pm
 Please join us on February 2nd!

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PASTORS PEN "BAPTIZED AND SENT"
 We celebrate the baptism of the Lord. With this celebration we end Christmastide and begin Ordinary Time for the next seven weeks. We pray for fruitful weeks of evangelization as we follow in the footsteps of Jesus in his missionary journey.
 Just after his baptism, Jesus began his teaching and his healing ministry. He got followers immediately and with the selected twelve he moved from one town to another. He was truly a prophet, a priest and a leader as said of him before his birth. He was and he is indeed the beloved son of God we are to listen to, per his priestly, prophetic and kingly role.
 We have come to know him with an eye of faith. We have also been baptized, as taught by him, and made members of his body, the church. By our baptism we have some share in his priestly, prophetic and kingly role. We have indeed become participants in the common priesthood of Jesus Christ. Thus we can firmly say **we are "baptized and sent."** Yes, we are sent to share our faith with others, bearing witness to Jesus.
 To witness well, we must be Christlike so as to bring his light and love to all.
 In a sense, having pledged our faith in Jesus at baptism, we have been made evangelists to evangelize the world by words and deeds. Peace!

Catholic Schools Week
 Sunday, January 26 through February 1, 2020

School Mass January 25th @ 5:30 PM
 Open House in the Gym with book fair following Mass
 January 28-Student Appreciation Day January 29- Teacher Appreciation Day
 January 30- Kindergarten Open House at 1:30PM
 January 31- Family Day with Book fair
 Feb 2nd- Breakfast in the Gym
(Fundraiser by St. Clement Home and School - See Flyer)

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 Date of Upcoming Quests: February 7-8, 2020 April 17-28, 2020
 Quest Program for 8-10 graders: It is a time to come together to find out about God, friendships, and self in a fun-filled, exciting, amusing, thoughtful, and carefree surrounding. Quest is held at the Franciscan Retreat Center of Quincy University and lasts from 6:00 pm Friday to 6:00 pm Saturday. The cost for a candidate is \$45 and includes room, snacks, breakfast and lunch, and other surprises.
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Dates of Upcoming TEC's : January 18-20, 2020
 March 7-9, 2020 April 4-6, 2020
 TEC Weekend for Teens age 16 and over: TEC (Teens Encounter Christ) provides a space to reflect upon one's own ideals, hopes, dreams, and problems; to discover a God that you can believe in. TEC is held at the Franciscan Retreat Center of Quincy University, Quincy, IL. It begins Saturday morning at 9:30 am and ends Monday evening 6:00 pm. Candidates ages 16-21 cost \$50.00 and observers ages 22+ cost \$100.00. Register online at www.greatrivertec.org or contact Debbie Scherder 573-470-4420.
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 Men: March 26-29 Women: April 23-26 Cursillo for Adults age 21 and over: During this three-day experience, those attending pray together, celebrate Eucharist, listen to talks given by priests, religious and laypersons, and share fellowship of Jesus Christ and each other. Men and women attend separate weekends and, if married, husbands must attend first. The cost is \$165 and is held at the Franciscan Retreat Center of Quincy University. Cursillo begins on Thursday at 8:30 pm and ends on Sunday at 6:00pm. Candidates attending must have someone who has attended a Cursillo sponsor them.

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