

# **Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church**

**January 8<sup>th</sup>/January 9<sup>th</sup> 2022: Baptism of the Lord (English)  
Holy Family (Latin)**



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## **Pastor**

Rev. Jim W. Booth

## **SACRAMENTS and LITURGY**

**English Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m.**

**English Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m.**

**Traditional Latin Sunday Mass: 7:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.**

**English Weekday Masses: 8:30 a.m. Monday to Friday**

**Latin Weekday Masses: 7:00 a.m. Wednesday and Friday, 6:30 p.m. on First Friday**

**First Saturday Latin Mass: 8:30 a.m. with confessions beginning at 8:00 a.m.**

**Holy Day Mass: As Announced**

**Confessions: See Below**

**Baptisms: By Appointment**

**Marriage Arrangements must be made with the Pastor **at least 6** months before the date of the wedding. Talk to the Pastor before making any firm wedding plans. No destination weddings.**

**COVID-19 RESPONSE, MASS & DEVOTIONS:** We have an additional Sunday Latin Mass at 7:30, which is intended to aid in the social distancing, and will continue on a provisional basis.

**COVID-19 RESPONSE, CONFESSIONS:** Confessions have returned to the confessional. Confessions will be offered at 3:30-3:55 p.m. on Saturday and on Sunday at 7:00-7:25 a.m., 8:30-8:55 a.m., and 10:15-10:40 a.m.

**NOTE ON CONFESSIONS:** If there is a significant line for confession, Fr Booth might say part of the formula of absolution while the penitent recites the act of contrition. The full formula of absolution is always said, but the first part might be said softly during the act of contrition. Thus, you might only hear “and I absolve you from your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.”

**WELCOME** to all of our visitors: We are glad you have attended Mass with us. If you wish to join Blessed Sacrament, please pick up a parish census form at the Religious Goods Counter located in the vestibule of the front entrance.

**IN MEMORIAM:** In memory of Peter and Jeanne Morin, the sanctuary lamp will burn for the repose of their souls from January 9<sup>th</sup> to January 15<sup>th</sup>. The sanctuary lamp will burn for the repose of Neal Tallie from January 16<sup>th</sup> until January 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**MORNING WITH MARY:** All ladies are invited to a morning of devotion next Saturday, January 15<sup>th</sup>. Adoration will begin at 8:30 a.m., there will be confession during adoration, followed by benediction at about 9:10 a.m., and concluding with a low Latin Mass at about 9:15 a.m.

**THIRD SUNDAY:** Next Sunday is the Third Sunday of the month. We will have vocations prayers and a potluck lunch following the 10:45 a.m. Mass.

**PRO-LIFE PRAYER VIGIL:** There will be a Prayer Vigil and Witness For Life on Saturday, January 15<sup>th</sup> at 10:45 a.m. The vigil will take place outside of Planned Parenthood located at 1019 1<sup>st</sup> Ave. North. For more information, call (205) 447-8796.

**PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS:** Please pray for our seminarians: Daniel Sessions, Charles Deering, Matthew Gubenski, Patrick DePew, Max Gallegos, John Gardiner, Andrew Vickery, John Paul Stepnowski, Collins Hess, Hunter Limbaugh, Francisco Rodriguez, Adam Sellers, and Dominic Rumore. May more good men to answer God’s call to the priesthood.

**2022 HIGH MASS SCHEDULE:** The High Mass schedule for the 10:45 a.m. Mass is as follows: Every second, third, and fourth Sunday of the month excluding Palm Sunday (Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup>) with the addition of Holy Thursday (Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>), Pentecost (Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>), Corpus Christi (Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>), Christ the King (Sunday, October 30<sup>th</sup>), All Saints (Tuesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>), and Immaculate Conception (Thursday, December 8<sup>th</sup>).

**CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES** for 2022, arranged alphabetically, are in the vestibule at the back of the Church.

**FIRST COMMUNION DATE:** For 2022, First Communion is tentatively scheduled for Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>.

**CONFIRMATION DATE:** Our next confirmation is planned for Spring of 2023.

**PARISH SUPPORT:** The collection last week was \$8493 and \$745 was donated to the Preservation Fund. Many thanks for your generosity.

**NOTE ON MASS INTENTIONS:** There is about a six-month backlog on Mass Intentions. Thus, requested Mass dates cannot always be honored.

**MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS:** (\*Masses in the Rectory Chapel)

Sat, Jan 8:	4:00 p.m.	† Eugene Mason (by Mary & Betty Mason)
Sun, Jan 9:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intention for Ari Fogelman (by the Pinter Family)
	9:00 a.m.	Pro Populo
	10:45 a.m.	Special Intention for Isabel Pinter (by Tom & Paula Pinter)
Mon, Jan 10:	*8:30 a.m.	Special Intention for Sophia Pinter (by Tom & Paula Pinter)
Tues, Jan 11:	*8:30 a.m.	Special Intention for Sarah Pinter (by Tom & Paula Pinter)
Wed, Jan 12:	*7:00 a.m.	Special Intention for Gabriel Pinter (by Tom & Paula Pinter)
	*8:30 a.m.	Special Intention for Teresita Valencia (by Tom & Paula Pinter)
Thur, Jan 13:	*8:30 a.m.	Special Intention for Miguel Valencia (by Tom & Paula Pinter)
Fri, Jan 14:	*7:00 a.m.	Special Intention for Blaise Hahn (by Tom & Paula Pinter)
	*8:30 a.m.	Special Intention for Anthony Stanley (by the Donellan Family)
Sat, Jan 15:	9:15 a.m.	Special Intention for Elizabeth Harris Russell (by the Donellan Family)
	4:00 p.m.	† Eugene Mason (by Mary & Betty Mason)
Sun, Jan 16:	7:30 a.m.	Special Intention for Grace Gagnon (by the Donellan Family)
	9:00 a.m.	Pro Populo
	10:45 a.m.	Special Intention for Charlie Mathews (by the Donellan Family)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND** especially James Cover, Fred Foster, William Hull, Gloria Archambault, James Bonner, Matthew Clune Sr., Ronnie Buchanan, Barbara Williams, Gail McMahon, Gracimo Ribeiro Bento, Sister Miracles, Bob Wiseman, Eve Moore, Aaron Minjares, Bill Dinan, Carol Brandley, Eddie Hunter, Lawrence Brandley, Don Williams, Roseanne Timpa, Pete Ransom, Jerry Joiner, Beryl Curtis, Nicole Copeland, Linda Cooper, Lee Dinan, Danny Rohling, Kay Dorion, Krissy Chism, William Scroggins, Lamar Smith, Paul Herrmann, Wayne Little, Maria Morin, Andrea Little, Joseph Edwards, George Dunham, Fran Costanza, Christine Cover, Thatcher Kerzie, Malcolm Perry, Koslyn Chism, Kathleen Strawmeyer, and Stephanie Perry.

**NEXT WEEK'S MASS READINGS**

4:00 p.m.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time	Isa 62:1-5, 1Cor 12:4-11, Jn 2:1-11
7:30 a.m.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany	Rom 12:6-16, Jn 2:1-11
9:00 a.m.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time	Isa 62:1-5, 1Cor 12:4-11, Jn 2:1-11
10:45 a.m.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany	Rom 12:6-16, Jn 2:1-11

## *Christmas Flowers Donated in Memory of:*

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