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Dcn. Rich Kren

Dcn. Michael Mobley

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday — 5:00 p.m. Vigil

Sunday — 8:30 a.m.
11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Mon—Sat* 9:00 a.m.
(Rosary after Mass)

*Thurs 9 a.m.
Communion Service

Confessions

Saturdays
9:30 - 10:30 a.m.
or by appointment.

Office Hours

Monday through Thursday
9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday
9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

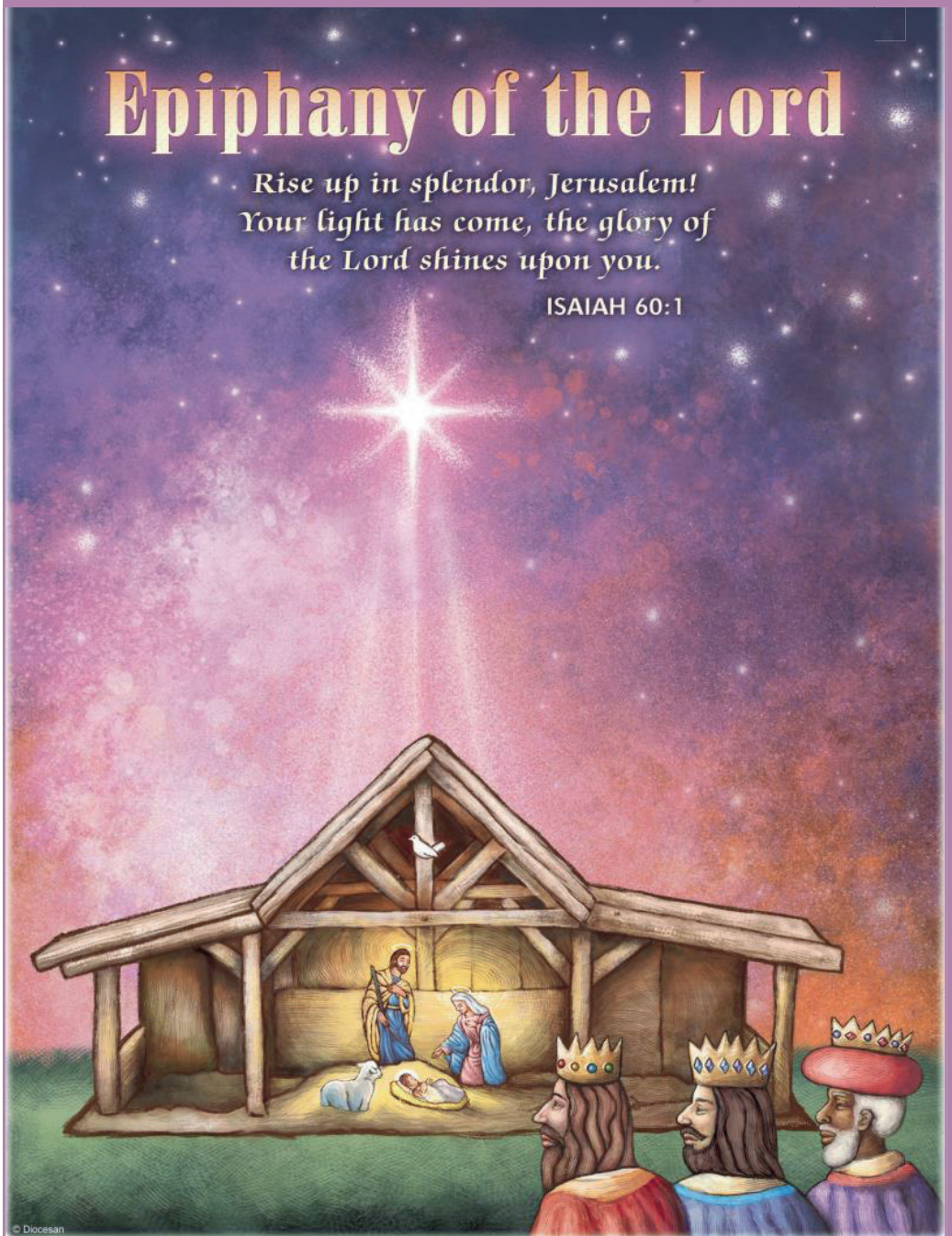
(Closed daily for lunch
from 1-2 p.m.)

SUNDAY JANUARY 5, 2020

Epiphany of the Lord

*Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem!
Your light has come, the glory of
the Lord shines upon you.*

ISAIAH 60:1



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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We the people of God of St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church, united in One Lord, One Faith and One Baptism celebrate and are nourished and sustained by Jesus in the Holy Eucharist and in His Holy Word. Brought together by Jesus and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we fulfill His command to go into the whole world and proclaim the good news of salvation by sharing our faith through Prayer, Evangelization, and Acts of Charity.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday	January 5, 2020
8:30 a.m.	People of the Parish (L)
11:00 a.m.	Patty Powers ☩
Monday	January 6, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Annette Williams ☩
Tuesday	January 7, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Alphonsa Thomas ☩
Wednesday	January 8, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Kristin Lively & Family (L)
Thursday	January 9, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	January 10, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Ray DuVarney ☩
Saturday	January 11, 2020
9:00 a.m.	Ray DuVarney ☩
5:00 p.m.	Alice Theriault ☩
Sunday	January 12, 2020
8:30 a.m.	Tom Bland & Aida (L)
11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish (L)

ST. STEPHEN THE MARTYR Parish Mission

with Fr. Jewel Aytana, CPM

Sun. Jan. 26th – Wed. Jan. 29th
Confessions/Adoration each evening
beginning at 6:00pm
Mission Presentation: 7:00pm

Father Aytana will present on topics including, "God, the Father of Mercies," "Eucharist, Food for the Journey," "Our Heavenly Mother," and "Marriage".

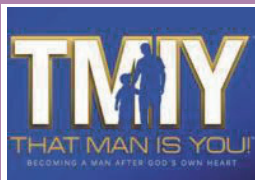
The well-known Fathers of Mercy have been preaching missions since 1808, beginning in France where they were called to restore the Faith after the upheavals and persecutions of the French Revolution. Their mission is to bring the Mercy of God to the prodigal children of our times. *For more information about the Fathers of Mercy, visit: <http://fathersofmercy.com/>.*



January Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

Promotion of World Peace

We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.



The Fight of Faith

Winter Session Meets
Every Saturday from 7:30-9:00 am
(Breakfast will be served)

Saturdays mornings starting
January 18, 2020

Featuring 10 Dynamic Presenters

Attention Men: Join us Saturday mornings. The great thing about the program is that even if you missed last year, you can still jump into the program and benefit from it.

www.thatmanisyou.org

Shrines of France Tour Sept 30-Oct 10, 2020

Please join Fr. Brian and St. Stephen the Martyr Parish on a pilgrimage to France's most revered shrines.

Paris • Louvre Museum • Sacre-Couer Basilica
Notre Dame • Basilica of St. Thérèse of Lisieux
Our Lady of Chartres • Lyon Basilica
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PRESENTATION INFORMATION MEETING

Monday January 13, 2020 • 6:00 pm

St. Stephen's Fellowship Hall

JANUARY 5, 2020

TITHES & OFFERINGS

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On-line giving is @ www.ststephenthemartyr.info

<u>Weekend of December 22</u>		<u>2nd Coll. Christmas Flower</u>	
Offertory	\$ 10,561.84	Offertory	\$ 2,179.00
On Line	\$ 2,236.00	On Line	\$ 10.00
Total	\$ 12,797.84	Total	\$ 2,189.00

Christmas Offertory: \$ 14,631.19

Offertory 12-29-19: \$ 7,346.59

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

January 5, 2020	Property Maintenance & Enhancements
January 12, 2020	LifeTeen/EDGE
January 19, 2020	Archdiocesan Hispanic Ministries
January 26, 2020	Outreach



YOU'RE INVITED To be included in our updated parish directory

This January, we will be creating a new 2020 updated photo directory and we need your help.

If you are not in our 2019 directory, we are asking that you submit a picture for the 2020 directory at your earliest convenience.

This can be done in two ways. Email the picture electronically to secretary@sstmcc.org or drop the picture off at the office and we will copy/scan it.

It is important that the people in your picture are in a Portrait arrangement, rather than Landscape.

e.g. if you have children, please make sure the children are in front of their parents rather than to the side. See examples.



YES



YES



No



No

If you have any questions, or need help with taking a photo or submitting a photo, please contact Teresia at the parish office 770-381-7488 or secretary@sstmcc.org

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



There will be a Children's Rosary prayed at St. Stephen the Martyr on Friday January 10, at 4:30pm. We hope you will be able to join the children.

All are welcome to come and pray the Rosary with us.



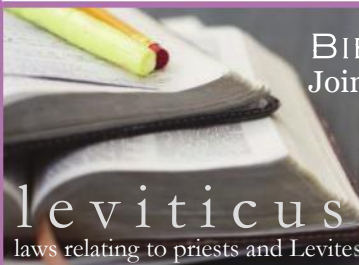
January 5th

Bowling with LifeTeen!

Contact Michele McP at edge@ststephenthemartyr.info



BIBLE STUDY GROUP
Join Us For A 6 Week Study Of
The Book of Leviticus
Beginning January 16
Thursday mornings
10-11:30 a.m.
All Are Welcome!




Saint Vincent de Paul Society

If you, or someone you know, are in need of emergency assistance, please contact the SVdP Help Line at 770-381-7488, ext. 251. If you can assist for a couple of hours a month, please come to one of our meetings held the Second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm. Our next meeting will be January 14, 2020, in Our Lady of Fatima Room. We will be collecting donations after all the Masses the weekend of 01/19/20.

BAPTISM CLASSES

Parish families who wish to have a child baptized should be registered in the parish before taking the class. Both Parents must attend the Baptism class which is usually held the second Sunday of each month at 12:00 noon in *Our Lady of Fatima* room. Please make arrangements for a babysitter as we do not provide baby-sitting services. Please contact the Parish Office at 770-381-7488 to register for the class.

Parents will need to select Godparents for their child who are active, practicing Catholics.

Baptisms are scheduled only AFTER you have taken the class. Parents must be active, practicing members of St. Stephen the Martyr for at least three months before scheduling a baptism.

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