

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Established -1875

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St. George Mission
1881-2011

January 8, 2012 The Epiphany of the Lord

WELCOME

We welcome all our visitors and friends to our Parish. We are glad that you are here with us today. If you would like to join our Faith Community, please call (217) 784-4671, or stop by at the Parish office at any time.

Rev. John Phan	Pastor
Rev. Mr. Jeff Volker	Deacon
Director of Rel. Education:	Alyce Hafer
Director of Youth Ministry:	Paul Sarantakos
Organists:	Michele Fackler
	Corey Fields
Parish Council President:	Matt Doran (O.L.L.)

For Confession: By appointment—any time
At Our Lady of Lourdes: Saturday - 4:30 p.m.

For Baptism: Call the Rectory at least four weeks before the baptism. Baptismal instruction for the parents and the god-parents is required.

For Marriage: Call the Rectory at least six months before. A six month preparation time is required.

Mass Schedule

Our Lady of Lourdes:

Saturday - 5:00 p.m.; Sunday - 7:00am & 10:30 a.m.
Monday - 8:00 am; Tues 8:00 am
Thursday 6:30 pm Friday - 8:00 a.m.
Holy Days: 7:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Immaculate Conception :

Sunday- 8:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration 8:30-9:30 am on Tuesdays
7-8pm on Thursdays



Mon.—1/9/12		Ruby Kemmer
Tue.—1/10/12	8:00 am Adoration 8:30-9:30	For Vocations
Wed.—1/11/12		
Thurs.—1/12/12	6:30pm	Romero Astronomo
Fri. — 1/13/12	8:00 am	For Our Nation
Sat.— 1/14/12	5:00 pm	For Our Parish Family
Sun.— 1/15/12	7:00 am 8:30 am 10:30 am	For the People (OLL) For the People (Immaculate Conception) For the People (OLL)

Our Lady of Lourdes

Envelopes	2194
Loose	195
Special	
Other —Capital Improvements	1827

Immaculate Conception, Roberts

Envelopes	249
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Thank You for your Gifts!

Date	Altar Servers	Lectors	Euch. Minister	Ushers
Saturday January 14 5:00 pm	Hannah Kollross Molly Kollross	Mary Fairfield Pete Hartford		Jerry Lynch Leo Chapman
Sunday January 15 7:00 am	Rucker Parsons Hattie Parsons	Jim Freehill		
Sunday January 15 10:30 am	Giles Volker Andrew Laughery	Jack Kollross Mark Doran	Deacon Jeff	Matt Doran Todd Thomas

We Are Called To Share Our Time, Talent, & Treasure

Looking for another way to share your treasure with Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception? If you have stocks, bonds, or mutual funds that you would like to donate, please consider gifting to Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception. Please also consider Our Lady of Lourdes and Immaculate Conception when you review your Estate Plan and/or Will. For more information or assistance, contact Father John at 217-784-4671 or pastor@ololgc.org



Blessings on
Evangeline Helmig
Daughter of Brian & Stacey Helmig
Who will be baptized on
Sunday, January 8, 2012 after mass
Welcome to our Parish Family!

Week 66 of our Capital Campaign Pledge Drive

Pledged \$175,139.00 Received \$137,022.54 81 Families Participating

Father John's Corner

Today we celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord, and tomorrow, Monday, we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord. These celebrations mark the end of the Christmas season. Next week we will begin the Ordinary season. I hope the Christmas season has brought us joy and enthusiasm as we continue sharing our lives with one another.

This week, January 9-14, is the National Vocation Awareness week. Please pray for vocation to the priesthood and religious life. The seminarians' poster is in the narthex. Please keep them in your prayers. If you are interested or know someone who is, let me know. Visit this website <http://www.vocations.com/> for more information. Thank you.



God bless you all.

Parish Directory

If we still need your family photo, send digital images to cpaubry@mchsi.com or give printed copies to Pam Aubry at church.

Visit www.ololg.org to view the directory. Thank you!



This Week in Our Parish:

- WED, JAN 11 at 7 pm K of C Meeting

JOIN US FOR DINNER...



WHAT: **OLL Youth Group** is hosting a spaghetti dinner
WHEN: Sat, January 21 & Sun, January 22 After Mass
WHERE: Father Kirk Memorial Hall
DONATIONS ACCEPTED: Proceeds from this event will help fund the Youth Group's Work Camp Trip to Milwaukee, WI in June.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT INSTRUCTION 2011-12

DEAR PARENTS,

Safe Environment instruction will be conducted on Sunday, January 15th during regularly scheduled Religious Education class time: 9-10:10am. PLEASE SEE THAT YOUR CHILDS RESPONSE FORM IS RETURNED VIA the manila envelope at the back of the church, to your child's Religious Education teacher OR directly to Alyce by this Sunday or no later than the instruction date. As a Parish we are required by the Diocese to have this response form on file for your child. Thank you for your cooperation.

Parents are invited to view and discuss the Emmy Award winning video What Do I Say Now? which gives great tips on how to listen to your child and how to talk to your child about awkward topics, specifically those relating to sexuality and touching safety. The video will be shown in the hall on Thursday Jan 12th @ 6:30pm. If you have any questions about the program, still need to turn in your response form, or need a new form, Alyce will be available Thursday evening. If you want to research more on the rationale for Safe Environment education and its conformity of content for the Catholic church visit:

<http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/child-and-youth-protection/resources/upload/SCYP-Safe-Environment-Work-Group.pdf>

The patio project has been done for a few months now, and I would like to thank everyone for the support I received in completing it. Memorial bricks for the project will be ordered again at the end of January 2012. These bricks are of the same types as available before. Samplings can be found installed in the patio. Please turn in forms and money in an envelope in the collection. Please make all checks out to Our Lady of Lourdes, by doing so makes your donation tax deductible. I once again thank you for all of your help during my project.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 217-781-2015.

Jacob Thomas

MEMORIAL BRICK ORDER FORM

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: ___ ZIP _____
Phone: _____

_____ 4" x 8" Clay \$50
_____ 8" x 8" Clay \$90
_____ 4" x 8" Granite \$60
_____ 8" x 8" Granite \$110 (2 - 4" x 8" bricks)

*Larger order forms are available at the back of the church

