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*We saw his star in the East  
and have come to worship Him*

## EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

### PARISH LITURGIES EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

#### LITURGIES

**January 7 – January 12**

**Tuesday, January 8 – Adoration**

6:00 pm            Reconciliation  
7:00 pm            +Matija Uvodic

**Wednesday, January 9**

8:30 am            + Peter Nottegar

**Thursday, January 10**

8:30 am            +Peter Nottegar

**Friday, January 11**

8:30 am            +Joan Rupp  
9:00 am            **Adoration**

#### THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

**Saturday, January 12**

4:00 pm            Reconciliation  
5:00 pm            +Teresa LaPore  
                         Int. Kit & Eddie O’Hara  
                         +Daisy Ware  
                         +Cesar Romans

**Sunday, January 13**

9:00 am            For our  
11:00 am            Parish

#### MEETINGS and WORKSHOPS THIS WEEK

Thurs Jan 10	7:30 pm	Baptism	PC-4
Fri. Jan. 11	9:00 am	Mens’ Group	RMR
	9:30 am	HCDSB	Auditorium



**Epiphany**

*“Lord, every nation on earth  
will adore you”*

### THANK YOU !

Thank you to all sacristans, SWAT Team, altar servers, Ministers of the Word, Ministers of Holy Communion, ushers, choirs, children’s play organizers , decorating committee who volunteered to serve at our Christmas and New Years’ liturgies. Your selfless dedication is a wonderful testament of Christ’s presence in our parish community. God Bless !



### LIBRARY

Library opening again after reorganizing. Visit and grab a book in Room 5 in the Auditorium.

### PILGRIMAGE – HOLY LAND

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### SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES

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**“For it is in giving that we receive”**  
(Saint Francis)

**FOOD BANK**

As usual you are invited to bring non-perishable food for the needy and place that food in our bin in the Parish Centre narthex throughout the holy season of Advent. Items required: Baby food and baby formula, canned fish, canned meats, pasta sauces, soups, peanut butter, jam, cookies, juice, sugar, tea, coffee, cereal, powdered milk. Thank you on behalf of those who will benefit. This will be distributed to the Good Shepherd.

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Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in February 2019 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at (905) 624-4422.

**HAMILTON DIOCESE NEWS**

**HAMILTON DIOCESE PRAYER CALENDAR**

Monday, Jan. 7	Rev. Stipe Renic
Tuesday, Jan. 8	Rev. Peter Watters
Wed. Jan. 9	Felician Franciscan Sisters
Thurs, Jan. 10	Rev. Ilija Petkovic
Friday, Jan. 11	Rev. Msg. Ivan Vuksic
Saturday, Jan.12	Rev. Michael Vanderbeek

**VOCATIONS**

“On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.” God ask us to give our lives. What treasures have been given to you to share with others in Christ’s name? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Michael King, Vocation Director, Diocese of Hamilton (905) 528-7988.

**ARE YOU SEPARATED and/or DIVORCED?**

Learning to cope: (Level 1) is a ten week support program offered in both Hamilton and Kitchener starting Tuesday, March 19 and running from 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm. The locations are as follows: In Hamilton: At the diocesan Chancery Office, 700 King Street West, Hamilton. In Kitchener: St. Francis of Assisi Parish, 40 Blueridge Avenue, Kitchener (519) 745-7301. The program is for persons experiencing difficulties as a result of a separation or divorce. For more information please contact the Family Ministry Office at (905) 528-7988, ext.2249. Cost: \$35. Have you already completed level 1, 2 or 3? Join the next level and continue the journey toward healing, as well as connect with others experiencing the same change in their lives. Invite others to join you, or pass this on to someone

who may need this support. Find out more on line at [www.hamiltondiocese.com](http://www.hamiltondiocese.com) under the start date below *Upcoming Events.*

**SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY**

On this Solemnity of the Epiphany, the Magi follow the guidance of a star that leads them to Bethlehem. In a spirit of deep humility, they present their gifts to the One who is a priest, prophet and king. The gift of gold is for a king, as Jesus is the King for all creation. The gift of frankincense is for a priest, for Jesus is the eternal High Priest of the new covenant. The gift of myrrh is for the anointing of a body at the time of burial, for Jesus fulfills the prophetic word that the Saviour would give His life for the salvation of all people.

During the Christmas season, we too worship the newborn King and place our gifts before Him. This weeks Gospel reminds us that the Magi were humble enough to seek direction in order to find their way. On the journey of faith, we also need others to assist us, to pray for us and encourage us to persevere.

As a parish family, may we continue to support one another on the journey of faith and especially remember those in our community who are preparing to be received into the fullness of the Catholic faith at Easter.

**MANY BLESSINGS TO ALL  
IN THE NEW YEAR!**



*“We have come from the East to  
pay homage to the King”*





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