

St. Mary Immaculate

Catholic Church

&

St. Peter Mission

Jan. 8th 2017

Epiphany of the Lord



Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm English
Sunday: 10:30 am English
1:30 pm in Español/Spanish
Weekdays: 9am - Wed, Thurs, & Fri
7:00 pm—1er. Viernes de Mes.

El Rosario se reza media hora antes de misa.

Sacrament of Reconciliation/ Confessions:

Saturday 6:15pm or by apt.

Sacramento de la Reconciliación/Confesiones

Sabados a las 6:15pm o por cita

Benediction & Exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament: Every First Friday 9:30– 10:30 am.

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St. Peter Mission

4085 Main St. Kelseyville, 95451

(Mail and telephone to St Mary's office)

Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 8:30 am (English)
Weekdays: 9:00 am Tuesdays (English)



Parish Office Hours — Horas de Oficina:

**Tuesday-Friday—Martes a Viernes:
12 pm—4:00 pm**

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THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM

The unfolding of the story of the Incarnation continues today as the Church celebrates the Epiphany. The tale of the magi from the East is one of the most fascinating in all of scripture. It has much to teach us about what we can come to expect, even in circumstances and places that may seem insignificant or small. Bethlehem was a tiny town, what we might refer to today as a town without even one stop light. Yet it is over this seemingly insignificant place that the guiding star stops in its own search for the place where the Savior would be born. Too often we fail to recognize the fact that the star of Bethlehem comes to rest in our everyday lives, where we can experience God's presence, manifested in ever new ways. Epiphany calls us to shake off our stupor and recognize the One who comes to save us.



LA ESTRELLA DE BELÉN

El desarrollo del relato de la Encarnación continúa hoy cuando la Iglesia celebra la Epifanía. La historia de los Magos de oriente es uno de los relatos más fascinantes de las Escrituras. Nos enseña mucho sobre qué podemos esperar, incluso en circunstancias y lugares que pueden parecer insignificantes. Belén era un pueblo diminuto, lo que hoy diríamos un pueblo sin siquiera un semáforo. Sin embargo, es sobre este lugar aparentemente insignificante que la estrella guía se detuvo en su búsqueda del lugar en donde el Salvador nacería. Muchas veces no comprendemos que la estrella de Belén se posa en nuestra vida diaria, donde podemos sentir la presencia de Dios, manifestada de maneras diversas y nuevas. La Epifanía nos llama a salir de nuestro estupor y a reconocer a Aquél que viene a salvarnos.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

This year, in the United States the celebration of the Epiphany falls on January 8, but the traditional date for the Epiphany is January 6. The date we know as January 6 was established as the solstice in Egypt in 1996 BC, but the Egyptian calendar lost a full day every 128 years. Twenty centuries later the actual solstice had migrated to December 25. People still kept January 6 for the solstice celebration, but December 25, matching nicely with the Roman pagan feast of the Unconquered Sun, launched an extended solstice holiday. By the time of the early church, the whole period of twelve days was celebrated just about everywhere.

Christians began to celebrate Christ as the true light of the world in four themes: the Nativity, the manifestation to the Gentiles, the baptism of the Lord, and the wedding feast at Cana. That was entirely too much for one day to handle. A twelve-day season was ready to be adapted, so Christians borrowed from the pagan calendar for their own season of light. Thus early Christian celebrations of the Christmas season extended from one date for the solstice, December 25, to the older date, January 6. The darkest time in the Northern Hemisphere could now be filled with the Christian observance of the arrival of the Light of the World.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Es tiempo de añadir los reyes magos al pesebre. En 1448 llegaron los pesebres italianos a las iglesias españolas, pero no fue hasta que el Rey Carlos III le regaló un pesebre a su hijo en el siglo XVIII que el uso de pesebres se expandió en los hogares. Desde entonces, el uso de nacimientos llegó al continente americano en donde se convirtió en la decoración principal para las fiestas navideñas.

Así como en todo país latinoamericano el montaje del Belén es una tradición, lo es también en Venezuela. Con el pesebre venezolano llegan también aguinaldos, parrandas, Misas y patines. ¡Sí! ¡Patines!

Desde la mitad del siglo pasado los venezolanos celebran la época navideña con “patinadas”. Estas “patinadas” normalmente se hacen por las mañanas y muchas calles están cerradas a los autos hasta las 8 a.m. para que niños y jóvenes puedan disfrutar de los patines, bicicletas y otros juguetes que les regala el niño Dios. Por esto, muchos niños duermen con un “cordoncito” atado al dedo gordo de los pies, que cuelgan por la ventana para que los despierten los que pasan patinado.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

The 2017 Offering envelopes are ready in the vestibule of the Church!



Los sobres para la colecta del 2017 ya estan en el vestibulo de la Iglesia, los sobres estan acomodados por apellido!

Platicas Pre- Bautismales

Las platicas pre-bautismales en Español son todos los 3er Viernes del Mes a las 7:00 p.m. en la Iglesia.

La siguiente platica sera el 20 de Enero.

Para ello tendras que inscribirte previamente en la oficina. Por favor de llamar al 263-4401. de martes a Viernes de 12 a 4 pm.



More Announcements to consider for next year:

- Remember confirmations will be on May 17 @ 6:00 pm.
- Recuerda que las confirmaciones seran en Mayo 17 @ 6pm.
- 1st Communion will be on May 27 @ 1:30 & 5:00 pm.
- Las primeras comuniones seran en Mayo 27 @ 1:30 y 5 pm.

Sunday 1/01 Collection: \$2772.00

Building Maintenance \$ 2066.00

Collection is for Epiphany of the Lords

la colecta sera para La Epifanía del Señor

Gracias, Thank you, thank you...

Thank you.

If you are not yet registered with St. Mary Immaculate Catholic Church, please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office, and **someone will contact you with registration forms.**

Si usted no se ha registrado en St. Mary Immaculate Catholic Church por favor llene este formulario y póngalo en la canasta de la colecta o envíelo a la oficina parroquial y **los contactaremos para hacerle llegar la forma de registraci3n.**

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Colecta Anual para los Ministerios 2017.

“La familia es una comunidad de amor donde cada uno de nosotros aprendemos a relacionarnos con los demas y el mundo que nos rodea.” Papa Francisco.



La Colecta Anual para los Ministerios, Una Familia en Mision, ayuda a mantener importantes esfuerzos de diversos ministerios. Como familia catolica podemos hacer mucho mas que lo que hace una sola parroquia. Esta colecta provee recursos para los diferentes ministerios diocesanos, como Seminariistas, Educacion Religiosa, Justicia restaurativa y muchos mas.

Cuando nuestra parroquia cumple con el compromiso de promesas de \$14,553. el 100% de todo lo adicional que se colecte se regresa en su totalidad para ser usada en nuestra parroquia.

2017 Annual Ministry Appeal

*“The family is a community of love where each of us learns to relate to others and to the world around us.”
Pope Francis@Pontifex*

The Annual Ministry Appeal, One Family in Mission, helps to support important ministry efforts. We, as a Catholic family, can do together what no ONE parish can do alone. This appeal provides the budget for all Diocesan ministries, including Seminarians, Youth Ministry, Religious Education, Restorative Justice and many more.

Our Goal for this year is \$14,553.00

Please prayerfully consider a pledge to the 2017 AMA.



“CAMINATA POR LA VIDA”

Sat. January 21 , 2017@ CIVIC CENTER PLAZA,
San Francisco, CA

Sab. 21 de Enero, 2017 @ CENTRO CIVIC

Starting (comienzo) @ 11:00am

Rally (caminata) @ 12:30pm

Speakers (Oradores):

Pam Tebow, Reggie Littlejohn, Melissa Ohden, Rev. Clenard Childress

Mass Intentions for this week Intenciones de Misa para esta Semana.

- 01.08 @ 8:30 Dolores Maxwell+
- @ 10:30 Dolores Maxwell+
- Connie H Pagulayan and Fam.
- @ 1:30 Angel Silva y Fam.
- 01.10 no mass
- 01.11 no mass
- 01.12 no mass
- 01.13 @ 9:00 Wiskirchen & Jhon and Fam.

TRUE HAPPINESS

Abandon yourself utterly for the love of God, and in this way you will become truly happy.

—Blessed Henry Suso

Liturgical Ministers Schedule Jan. 14th– 15th.

Lectors

5:00pm - J. Payne, P. Kelley

8:30am - **Schedule Needed**

10:30am - P. Myers, C. Pagulayan

1:30pm - Maria Diaz, Martin Diaz, M. Silva, Mag. R. , L. Silva.

Eucharistic Min.

5:00pm - J. Payne, E. McDonald, J. Payne

8:30am - Paula McDonald, D. McDonald, D. Seller

10:30am – T. Dingwall, C. Pagulayan, K. Long, M. Long, P. Navarro

1:30 pm - Ma. Del Rosario, Ma. Del Carmen.

Altar Servers 5:00pm - G. Wind.

10:30am - C. DeChainel 1:30 - Sam. Muñoz, Angel Acosta, Carlos Villanueva

Ushers 5:00pm - R Totorica-Reynolds,

10:30am - J. Patti, J. Goetz

Please pray for those who are in need of healing:

Por favor recemos por las siguientes personas:

Mary Sachse, Darrell Perry, Nancy Davis, Carolyn Fonseca, Richard Medeiros, Maggie Magliocco, Anita Rabedeaux, Scarlett Michelle Reardon, Karen Marquez, Herminia Canciola, Bill Sterbenk, Rose Vierra, Ray Pato, Fran Pato, Lynn Vierra, Sharon Ornellas, LaVerne–Ornellas Saltz, Kathy and Paul Zunino, Jeannie Rigod, John D. Baltazar, Nancy Gard, Carol Scott, Michael Cernas, Ofelia Alive, Gerome Alloysius, AnnMarie Hansberg, Benito Villalobos, Sara Hernández, Margie Tellez, Evangelina Gomez, Miguel Mosqueda, Walt and JoAnn Cannon, Dorothy McDonald, Patricia Schmidt, Travis Brasier, Lucille Rammoni, John Jojola, Gaylene Hines, Doris McKenna, Hope Brewer, Andy Skonberg, Marcia and Bob Chalk, Ray Cernas, Sharon Turner, Gloria Jimenez, Juana Hernandez-Briones, Janette Payne, Juan Erquiaga, Catherine Quistgard, David Quistgard, Carol Kerger, Frank Maxwell, Loren Ferguson, Ed McDonald, Margaret Mogni, Rose Pischke, Rudy Valderrama, Kevin Hart, Dick Navarro, Cynthia Bonnabeau, Ruth Adams.

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