

Sunday, January 10, 2021
Feast of The Baptism of The Lord

Notices for the Bulletin and announcements for Mass are due by 10:00AM on the Tuesday prior to each week in writing. They may be faxed to (202)-398-3415 or e-mailed to Stbenedict320@hotmail.com. Website: <https://stbenedictthemoordc.com>

MASS & CONFESSIONS SCHEDULE
Sunday, January 10th: Mass Intentions ❖ 9:30AM Confessions ❖ 10AM Mass: Intention: People of the Parish ❖ Readings: IS 55:1-11; 1 JN 5:1-9; MK 1:7-11
Monday, January 11th Rectory Office Closed Readings: HEB 1:1-6; MK 1:14-20
Tuesday, January 12th Rectory Office Hrs. 9:30am-11:30am Readings: HEB 2:5-12; MK 1:21-28
Wednesday, January 13th Rectory Office Hrs. 9:30am-3pm Readings: HEB 2:14-18; MK 1:29-39
Thursday, January 14th Rectory Office hrs.: 9:30am-4pm Readings: HEB 3:7-14; MK 1:40-45
Friday, January 15th Rectory Office: 9:30am-3pm Readings: HEB 4:1-5, 11; MK 2:1-12
Saturday, January 16th ❖ 3:30 PM Confessions ❖ 4:00 PM Mass ❖ Readings: HEB 4:12-16; MK 2:13-17
Sunday, January 17th ❖ 9:30AM Confessions ❖ 10:00AM Mass ❖ Reading: 1 SM 3:3B-10, 19; ❖ 1 COR 6:13C-15A, 17-20; JN 1:35-42 ❖ PS 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10

Confession Schedule: 30 minutes prior to Mass and by appointment.

Please remember the deceased in your prayers. Mass intentions may be reserved for a specific date. The Mass offering is \$10.

Flowers for the church altar may be donated in honor of a loved one living or deceased. A Mass intention will also be said for the occasion.

Total Attendance at Masses: 89 Friday, January 1, 2021: 15 Saturday, January 2, 2021: 21 Sunday, January 3, 2021: 37 Children: 16
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Your contributions to the Poor Box go directly to support the work of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, SOME, and The Food Bank. Thank you for your generous donations.

Please remember all the sick and shut-in of the parish in your thoughts and prayers, especially...

Richard Austin, Valoria Baylor, James Bell, Mazine Bell, Patricia Bailey, Conchita Brown, Vernelle Brown, Crystal Dove, Denise Grinnage, Delores Hill, Winston Hill, Margaret P. Lewis, Jocelyn Lancaster, Rev. William L. Norvel, SSJ, Donna Page, Patricia Perry, Dorothy Ridley, Lois Taylor, Reginald Taylor, Edward Otis Williams, Nellie Williams

Sick and Shut-in: Please notify the parish at 202-397-3895 or 202-488-1354, when a parishioner has been hospitalized or confined at home due to sickness, age or infirmity and need the Sacraments of Anointing of the Sick and Holy Communion.

New to the Parish or changing your address: Please notify the rectory at 202-397-3895, Wednesday thru Friday so we can keep our records updated.



Congratulations and best wishes to all parishioners who are celebrating birthdays, anniversaries, and other special events this week.

Happy Birthday!!!!

Patricia Caul	January 10
Renee Spence	January 10
Alberta Wilson	January 12
Jacqueline Faulkner	January 14
Nnedimma Ugochkwu	January 15
Deborah Grinnage	January 16
Teklezgi Yohannes	January 16

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Promises Fulfilled

In Today's liturgy, Jesus is baptized by John, and God's voice proclaims Jesus to be the Beloved Son of God with the visible presence of the Holy Spirit bearing witness.



Do you remember your baptism? Have you ever witnessed someone else's baptism? What do you recall from these baptismal liturgies? In today's Scriptures, we do well to listen for echoes of our own baptism and the baptisms we have witnessed: water, Spirit, the Trinity, a faith-filled community gathered.

This gospel recounts the final event we celebrate in the Christmas season. The Christmas season looks beyond the baby, in Bethlehem. Each feast peels back the layers a little further, each revealing the truth of Jesus of Nazareth from a different perspective. Jesus is the One in whom God keeps the promises made through Isaiah. He will show to the world the glory, justice, power, and abundant love of God. And us? Though baptism into Christ, we share in his life in God and in his promise-keeping mission in the world. Do you celebrate your baptism date anniversary? Today is a fitting time to do so.
 Living with Christ, Margaret Bick

Find The Harmony



For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the LORD.

If you can't find uniformity of vision with people of differing positions, is it possible to discover a serviceable harmony with them? (Isaiah 55:1-11)

So there are three that testify, the Spirit, the water, and the blood. How do Spirit, water and blood continue to play significant roles in the life of the Church? (1 John 5:1-9)

"I have baptized you with water; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit." How do leaders with apparently different priorities maintain the dance of church today? (Mark 1:7-11)

Exploring the Sunday Reading

Dear: St. Benedict the Moor Parish Family
 St. Benedict the Moor Church is open. Our regular Mass schedule is Saturday, 4pm and Sunday 10am. All are welcome. All CDC and Archdiocese guidelines of the covid-19 are in place. You must wear a mask and you must social distant six feet. Let us continue to be safe as we worship together. Also join us on Facebook, at 10am.
<https://www.Facebook.com/stbenmoordc>



Please remember The Church Mission within USA/ Second Collection Saturday and Sunday January 9, & 10, 2021.

Share Food Program:

The next Share pick-up date is **Saturday, January 23, 2021**. For more information, please call Cheryl Hamlin-Williams on **(301) 996-6711**.



Food Bank

The next Food Bank is **Monday, January 18, 2021**. Time 9:00am to 12:00pm. Volunteers needed
Sunday, January 17, 2021, after mass in the Imperial Room to help set-up.

The family of Ms. Lucy Cabell acknowledges with deep appreciation your kind expression of sympathy.
 Sincerely, Louise and Taladge Hill.

November 2020 Offertory

Offertory	Loose	Total
11/06/2020-\$3,028.00	\$1,060.00	\$4,088.00
11/13/2020-\$1,821.00	\$214.00	\$2,035.00
11/20/2020-\$3,273.00	\$350.00	\$3,623.00
11/25/2020-\$2,467.00	\$162.00	\$2,629.00
Blue Pay \$2,465.00		\$2,465.00
Total:	\$13,054.00	\$14,840.00

