

*The Baptism of The Lord  
January 12th, 2020  
St. Louis, King of France, Parish  
3310 S. Sherman • Englewood, CO 80113*

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Reverend Francesco Basso, Parochial Vicar  
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Mladen Martinovic - Deacon*

*Office Hours: M-F 9 am - 12 pm; 12:30 pm - 3:30pm*



**PASTOR'S PAGE**



Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, today we are celebrating the feast of the Baptism of the Lord, the last feast of this wonderful time of Christmas.

Like the feast of the Epiphany, which celebrated the manifestation of the glory of God to the Gentiles – all of us – today's feast shows us the means through which we can enter into this divine life: the sacrament of baptism.

In this Sunday's Gospel, we see a peculiar event: Christ is baptized by John. One could argue Christ did not need baptism, which is indeed true; however, Christ accepts undergoing baptism to show this sacrament's importance for our life.

We tend to think baptism is a sacrament we received in the past, when we were young and we tend to think perhaps this is it, that it really has nothing to do with our day to day life. Yet baptism is the door, the gateway to sacramental life in the Church, and the graces we received on the day of our baptism must be developed and lived in fullness. Without this, we are like a supercar using only some of its features and not its full potential.

In ancient times, baptism was conferred only after a long period of formation known as the catechumenate, and those who were admitted to it received this sacrament as a seal or confirmation that divine life was indeed present in this person. Today, the pre-baptismal catechumenate has almost disappeared, leaving the child's formation up to a simple trust that the parents will pass faith to their children. We know for the most part this is not happening in the Church; yet the mission of a Christian parent is indeed to transmit faith to the next generation.

Let us ask the Lord to help young parents to pass faith on to their children, so that the sacrament we all received as children may come to its fullness in our life as well.

*Fr. Giovanni Capucci*

**Mass Schedule:**

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Neo-Catechumenal Way - 7:30 pm  
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, and 5:30 pm  
Holy Day Masses: As announced  
Weekday Masses: Monday-Friday 7:30 am  
Mass First Friday Of Each Month 7:30am  
Rosary: Monday-Friday 7:00 am  
Prayer Network Rosary – Thursdays 8:00 am  
Croatian Language Mass-Last Sunday of Month at 12 pm  
Croatian Contact: Deacon Mladen Martinovic 303-618-3564

**Baptisms:**

By appointment.

**Marriage:**

Appointment required 9-12 months in advance.

**Confessions:**

Saturday: 3:30 – 4:30 pm

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Week of January 13th-19th 2019

- Mon. 13th 7:30am +Lucille Steinkamp  
By Syl & Margaret Walorski
- Tues. 14th 7:30am +Ed & Paula Butler  
By The Butler Family
- Weds. 15th 7:30am +Catherine T. McAdams  
By Trish Nagel Daughter
- Thurs. 16th 7:30am +Brian Kimmett  
By Sylvia Dinges
- Fri. 17th 7:30am +Catherine T. McAdams  
+By Catherine T. McAdams
- Sat. 18th 5:00pm +Earl Ladewig  
By The Ladewig Family
- Sun. 19th 8:00am +Gary Benware  
By Tom & Sandy Winthrop
- 10:00am +Ed & Paula Butler  
By The Butler Family
- 5:30pm +Catherine T. McAdams  
By Trish Nagel Daughter



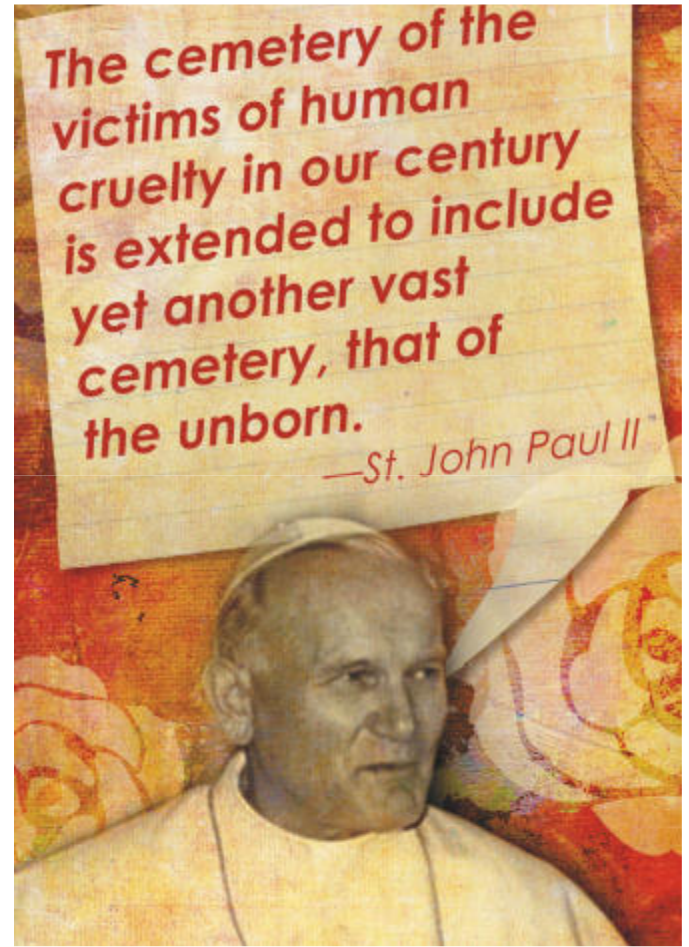
Weekday Masses: 7:30am OLV Servers  
Next Weekend: January 18th-19th, 2020

Daily Mass OLV 7:30am Joseph Emerich & John Paul Buches

- Sat. 18th 5:00pm Jacob & Luke Nearing
- Sun. 19th 8:00am Leo & Tessa Thomas & Molly Eicher
- 10:00am Patrick & John Paul Keeley
- 5:30 pm David, Katie, Charles, James & Daniel Major

St. Louis Parish Lector & Eucharistic Ministers Schedule  
Next Weekend January 18th-19th, 2020

- Sat. 18th 5:00pm Lector: Phil Nearing  
EM's: Deacon Mladen, Verda Gully & Tom Hill
- Sun. 19th 8:00am Lector: Carole Maschka  
EM's: Don Lodice, Austin Gomes & Angela Adams
- 10:00am Lector: Nancy Shelton  
EM's: John & Maria Leonard & LeeAnn Coffey
- 5:30pm Lector: Richard Ryerson  
EM's: Deacon Mladen, Jim Major & Kristen Sarvis



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WILL MEET ON SUNDAY FEBRUARY 9TH, 2020 FROM 3:00PM—6:00PM IN THE CLINE HALL CAFETERIA. A GUEST SPEAKER WILL TALK ON "LEFTIST INDOCTRINATION IN "US" SCHOOLS". ADMISSION IS FREE AND FOOD WILL BE SERVED. PLEASE RSVP TO GREG LaPOINT AT 303.638.1517 THANK YOU

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**HELP PLEASE**

We need help with Ushers; if you can help us out, it would be most appreciated!!! Also we are looking for someone to join our money counter team; the team meets every Monday after the 7:30 a.m. mass in the rectory. Please call Austin Gomes if you can help us; his number is 720-217-5369. Thank you !!!

**NEW ST. LOUIS PARISH WEBSITE**

Please go to [www.stlouiscatholicparish.org](http://www.stlouiscatholicparish.org) to view our new parish website. If you have any suggestions or pictures of parish events please send them to [lucinda.marques@archden.org](mailto:lucinda.marques@archden.org) Be patient with us, as we roll out the new format. Thank you.



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**Attention Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers**

*It's time to plan the schedule for February, March, and April - including Lent on Feb. 26 and Holy Week April 5-12. Please submit any dates when you are not available to Cathy Darnell at [cmdarnell@msn.com](mailto:cmdarnell@msn.com). Thank you!*

The Knights of Columbus will have a Marian Devotional in St. Louis Church on Monday 13 January 2020 @ 7:00 pm. All are welcome to attend and spend a little time with our Mother Mary!!!

**INFANTS' BAPTISMAL PREPARATION**

Fr. Francesco Basso will have a Baptism Preparation for all Parents and God-Parents who will have infants baptized here at St. Louis Parish. The class will be on Tuesday 21st January 2020 at 6:30 p.m. St. Mary Magdalene Room, St. Louis Parish Hall in the basement of the school. This is a requirement for all Parents and God-Parents.



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**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Those who are sick and want their names announced from the altar and listed in the bulletin please call the Parish Office 303-761-3940. Also, call the office if you wish to be anointed prior to entering the hospital or if someone in the hospital needs to be anointed. Names of the sick as well as the intentions in the book at the back of the church will be included in our prayers at every Mass.

**PRAYER NETWORK**

For urgent requests, please call Margaret 303-781-3523 or Stan 720-838-6260 or email your request to [prayernetwork@acsol.net](mailto:prayernetwork@acsol.net).



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If you would prefer to donate to St. Louis Parish on-line just go to [www.stlouiscatholicparish.org](http://www.stlouiscatholicparish.org); once you are on the home page go to the upper right corner and click on the "GIVE" tab; once there scroll down and click on the tab "**Donate to St. Louis Parish Online**" and fill out the form. Simple and Easy.!!!

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- 3.) ONCE ON THE COMMUNITY REWARDS TAB YOU MUST DESIGNATE AN ORGANIZATION; OUR ORGANIZATION NAME IS; "St. Louis King Of France" OUR ORGANIZATION NUMBER IS; Q1104 (Q, EYE, AS IN THE CAPITAL LETTER "I", 104.) (Q1104)

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*Weekend January 4-5, 2020*  
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