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HOLY FAMILY - SOLEMNITY

News Flash!

LET US REJOICE, THE
CHRIST IS BORN!

The Readings

Sir 3, 2-6

Psalm 128

**R. HAPPY ARE THOSE
WHO FEAR THE LORD
AND WALK IN HIS
WAYS**

Col 3, 12-21

Eucharistic Prayer IV

Holy Masses

**TODAY - January 3rd -
Solemnity - Holy
Family/Epiphany of the
Lord.**

09:00 A.M. - Holy Mass.

**After Mass blessing of
incense, charcoal and chalk.**

**SUNDAY - January 10th
- Solemnity - Baptism of
the Lord.**

09:00 A.M. - Holy Mass.

The Lectors

Jan 3rd - Dan Broczkowski

Jan. 10th - Ernie

Stavrovsky

Entrance Hymn

V. *The shepherds said to one another, "Let us go, then, to Bethlehem to see this thing that has taken place, which the Lord has made known to us."*

R. So they went in haste and found Mary and Joseph, and the Infant lying in the manger.

V. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

The Gospel (Mt 2, 1-12)

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was greatly troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. Assembling all the chief priests and the scribes of the people, He inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it has been written through the prophet: *And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; since from you shall come a ruler, who is to shepherd my people Israel.*" Then Herod called the magi secretly and ascertained from them the time of the star's appearance. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search diligently for the child. When you have found him, bring me word, that I too may go and do him homage." After their audience with the king they set out. And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed for their country by another way. **This is the Gospel of the Lord.**

My Dear in Christ!

A Happy New Year! I wish you all by using the example of St. Joseph, to follow God's voice in your life. I wish you all to take very seriously your calling to holiness by carrying Jesus daily in your heart - trying to use different ways to get there. Be creative! Be strong! Be faithful! May God bless you in the New Year of 2016!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR FRIENDS: Our prayers are needed for: Gertrude Gron, Anthony Getsko, Jennie & Eugene O'Callaghan, Amelia Stankus, Helen Trexler, Gerry & Dorothy Villa, Carolyn Broczkowski, and Jo Ann Schaffer.
Our Father...