

Dec. 25th, 2021

<u>News Flash!</u>

LET US REJOICE, THE CHRIST IS BORN!

The Readings

Is 52, 7-10 Psalm 98 R. ALL THE ENDS OF THE EARTH HAVE SEEN THE SAVING POWER OF GOD! Heb. 1, 1-6

Eucharistic Prayer II

Holy Masses TODAY - <u>December 25th</u> -Solemnity - The Nativity of the Lord 10:00 A.M. - Holy Mass for our Parish

SUNDAY - <u>December 26th</u> -Solemnity - Humble Shepherds 09:00 A.M. - Holy Mass. After the Mass blessing of wine.

The Lectors Dec. 26th - Tara Broczkowski Jan. 2nd - Dan Broczkowski

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THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

Entrance Hymn

V. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; for a Child has been born for us, a Son given to us; authority rests upon His shoulders; and He is named Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.
R. The Lord is God and has given us light, whose love endures forever..
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 (Jn 1, 1-5.9-14)

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things came to be through him, and without him nothing came to be. What came to be through him was life, and this life was the light of the human race; the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world. He was in the world and the world came to be through him, but the world did not know him. He came to what was his own, but his own people did not accept him. But to those who did accept him he gave power to become children of God, to those who believe in his name, who were born not by natural generation nor by human choice nor by a man's decision but of God. And the Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us, and we saw his glory, the glory as of the Father's only Son, full of grace and truth. **This is the Gospel of the Lord.**

My Dear in Christ!

Today a *child has been born for us* - we received God's gift, His Son Jesus Christ! I wish you the comfort of His love, the joy of His salvation and the peace of His presence. Merry Christmas !

OUR FRIENDS: Our prayers are needed for: Madeline Getsko, Nicolette Stavrovsky, Cindi Weller, Eugene O'Callaghan, Donna Martucci, Francis Anthony, Sharon Seritsky, Gerry Matla. **Our Father.**