



Our Lord's Ascension Parish of the PNCC

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THE HUMBLE SHEPHERDS

News Flash!

LET US REJOICE, THE CHRIST IS BORN!

The Readings

Jer. 31, 10-14

Psalm 97

R. A LIGHT WILL SHINE ON US THIS DAY; THE LORD IS BORN FOR US

Ti 3, 4-7

Eucharistic Prayer II

Holy Masses

TODAY - January 8th - Solemnity - The Humble Shepherds

09:00 A.M. - Holy Mass. After Mass blessing of chalk, and incense.

SUNDAY - January 15th - II Sunday in Ordinary Time.

09:00 A.M. - Holy Mass.

The Lectors

Jan. 8th - Tara Broczkowski

Jan 15th - Dan Broczkowski

Entrance Hymn

V. For when peaceful stillness compassed everything and the night in its swift course was half spent, Your all-powerful Word from heaven's royal throne bounded, a fierce warrior, into the doomed land.

R. Your throne stands firm from an old; You are from everlasting, Lord.

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 (Lk 2, 15-20)

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about." So they hurried off and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby, who was lying in the manger. When they had seen him, they spread the word concerning what had been told them about this child, and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds said to them. But Mary treasured up all these things and pondered them in her heart. The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things they had heard and seen, which were just as they had been told. **This is the Gospel of the Lord.**

My Dear in Christ!

A child has been born for us - we received God's gift, His Son Jesus Christ! May the Prince of Peace, born on that holy night, reign forever in our hearts. May He strengthen us when we praise His Holy Name among the people! May He bless us during the New Year of 2023!

OUR FRIENDS: Our prayers are needed for: Hank Kudzik, Madeline Getsko, Nicolette Stavrovsky, Cindi Weller, Eugene O'Callaghan, Donna Martucci, Francis Anthony, Miles Jordan, Jim Kelchner, and Jean Wrona. **Our Father.**