### Today
- Nursery (Room #102) during the 10:30 Mass

### Monday
- Jan 2 | Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church  
  1 Jn 2:22-28 / Jn 1:19-28
- Offices Closed for New Year’s Holiday

### Tuesday
1 Jn 2:29-3:6 / Jn 1:29-34
- Mass in Chapel (+Betty Bishop)  
  8:30am
- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (Chapel)  
  9am-7pm

### Wednesday
1 Jn 3:7-10 / Jn 1:35-42
- Mass in Chapel (+Sarah Rupinski)  
  6:30pm

### Thursday
1 Jn 3:11-21 / Jn 1:43-51
- Ladies Bible Study (DH)  
  9:30am
- Staff Christmas Luncheon  
  offices closed Noon-3pm
- Campus & Facilities Planning Meeting (McDuffee)  
  7pm
- K of C General Membership Meeting (DH)  
  7pm

### Friday
1 Jn 5:5-13 / Mk 1:7-11
- Mass in Chapel (for all in nursing homes)  
  8:30am

### Saturday
1 Jn 5:14-21 / Jn 2:1-11
- Confirmation Retreat  
  begins at 9am
- Reconciliation/Confessions (Church)  
  4:45pm
- Contemporary Choir Practice (Church)  
  4:30pm

### Lord’s Day Liturgies | January 8, 2017

#### The Epiphany of the Lord

Is 60:1-6 / Eph 3:2-3, 5-6 / Mt 2:1-12

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<td>8:30am Sunday</td>
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<td>10:30am Sunday</td>
<td>+Zbiegniew Beska</td>
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Also on Sunday, January 8
- Elementary Religious Education Classes Resume
- Parish App Rollout Meeting (McDuffee) – after the 10:30 Mass

### St. Pius X Catholic Parish
3937 Wilson Ave. SW | Grandville, MI 49418
616-532-9344  | Fax: 616-538-6340  | www.spxcatholic.org

9am—Noon; 1-5pm Mon-Thurs
9am—Noon on Fridays
Formation Office closed on Fridays during the summer

### Practicing in Faith

#### Rules for the Journey
As the People of the Hebrews moved from Egypt in their desert passage to the Promised Land, they understood and believed that God alone is the source of blessing. Blessing becomes effective when (1) it is spoken and (2) it is followed by some action confirming the blessing. As we journey in Christian living, as we travel to heaven, our real home, let us be amazed at what we see and hear—just like the Mother of God and the hastening shepherds.

- What acts will I resolve to continue in this new year?
- What Christian behavior will I start anew?
- How can I be merciful on this common journey to heaven’s home?

**Prepare for Sunday: Read and reflect on the Epiphany of the Lord (beginning on pg. 83) in the “Living Liturgy” missal.**
January 1, 2017

We'd like to learn more about your faith needs. Please consider filling out the survey at www.spxcatholic.org/events.

CROSSROADS PARISHES
Catechetical Day
Faith: Prayed, Celebrated and Lived
Saturday, Jan. 21, 2017 ~ 8:30AM-3:55PM
Holy Redeemer Parish

Registration forms are available through the Faith Formation Office. Forms are due by Jan. 6; space is limited.

High School Youth Ministry
ASHLEY ROTTMAN
arottman@spxcatholic.org

CONFIRMATION RETREAT PLANNING ~ Jan. 6 ~ 11:30am-3:30pm
This meeting is for all teens helping with the Confirmation retreat. Pizza lunch will be served!

SUNDAY NIGHT LIVE RESUMES on Jan. 15.

CATHOLIC HEART WORKCAMP FINAL PAYMENT of $150 is due to the Formation Office by 7pm on Jan. 15. You may bring checks to SNL or place them in the collection basket if they are clearly marked.

YOUNG ADULT SURVEY: Are you between the ages of 18-35(ish)? We’d like to learn more about your faith needs. Please consider filling out the survey at www.spxcatholic.org/events.
THE CHRISTMAS SEASON ENDS with the Baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist. That event on the banks of the Jordan River signaled the beginning of Jesus’ mission on earth. Parents and expectant parents, if you seek to raise your child as a follower of Jesus Christ, you are urged to present your child for the Sacrament of Baptism. Our next Baptism Class is on Tuesday, Jan. 31 at 7pm. Please register by contacting the parish office at 532-9344 or parishoffice@spxcatholic.org.

ATTENTION CATHOLIC MEN: The next semester of That Man is You starts Jan. 21. It’s never too late to start becoming a better husband, father, Christian disciple. If you are wondering about it, or know someone who could benefit, take the step and plant the seed. Contact me via email or call 532-9344 for more information.

PARISH APP ROLLOUT TEAM NEEDED: Interested in helping with the rollout of our parish app at the end of January? Join us for an info meeting on Sunday, Jan. 8 in the McDuffie Room after the 10:30 Mass. You’ll get a sneak peek and find out how your help will be needed. No tech experience is necessary, just a willingness to help promote it. Contact me via email or call 532-9344 if interested.

DON’T GET EUCHARID’ BY MISSING OUT: Join us on Saturday, Jan. 28 after the 5:30pm Mass for soup and Eucharid in Danner Hall. We’ll have a movie for the kids and a Eucharid tournament for the adults. There’ll be prizes, and even a few beginners’ tables. The Community Commission will roll out of our parish app at the end of January? Join us for an info meeting on Sunday, Jan. 8 in the McDuffie Room after the 10:30 Mass. You’ll get a sneak peek and find out how your help will be needed. No tech experience is necessary, just a willingness to help promote it. Contact me via email or call 532-9344 if interested.

HAVE A FAVORITE CATHOLIC MYSTIC? People like Dorothy Day, Thomas Merton, St. Teresa of Avila, St. Ignatius of Loyola, and many others spoke truths about our faith, so we’ll highlight a Catholic mystic every month through our Facebook page. We’ll include a few quotes, writings, or prayers. If there’s someone you would like included, contact me via email or call 532-9344 if interested.

SAVE THE DATE – Winter Party – Feb. 10 – 7-9pm (formerly Winter Blast): It will be a night to laugh and enjoy each other’s company; more details to follow.

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**Mass Assignments for January 7 & 8**

**9:30am**  
Mary Carter  
Nancy Hoeckstra  
Anne Slezak  
Agnes Barker  
Maria denBoer  
Ushers: Team A

**5:30pm**  
Mike Grady  
Betsy Cole  
Gino Bartone  
Betty Duggar  
Linda Polzin  
Ushers: Team H

**10:30am**  
Linda DiCesare  
Marsha Doyex  
Will Burdick  
Blake Cole  
Toni Burdick  
Ushers: Team C

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**Our prayer list for healing**

Please continue to pray for the following and all the sick in our Parish, their families and friends, those hospitalized and home-bound, and those in care facilities. To be included on the Prayer Chain (separate from this bulletin list), call Jason George at (231) 736-7487.

- Linda Padula  
- Kenneth Schumacher  
- Kelsey Gibson  
- Mark Wilkens  
- Joe Lemont  
- Beverywky Family  
- Anthony Mckinney  
- Jennifer Hassell  
- Mick Vaughn  
- Ben Baird  
- Rich Hubbard  
- Kathy Maslowski  
- Deb Russo  
- Catherine Owens  
- Jeff Zystra  
- Marlene Strong  
- Cindy Cole  
- Jill Moyer  
- Brianne Bassett  
- Tom Woljes  
- Kerry Deboer  
- Sr. Jean Marie Woljas  
- Terri Bertott  
- Jerry Deboer  
- Arline Dzwonkowski  
- Cleo Ruppen  
- Christopher Alighire  
- Ann Ferguson  

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**Mass Attendance**

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**A GREAT BIG THANK YOU** to Marv Steffes for donating his time, treasure, and woodworking talent and expertise. The mission, and Marv chose to accept it, was to create a parish giving tree—bigger and better than last year’s. And we can all agree, he accomplished the task beautifully! Thank you Marv! Your contribution played a huge role in providing Christmas gifts and necessities to many individuals and families who were in need.

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**Treasure**

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**Budget Overage (Shortfall)**

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**Master’s Mission**

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