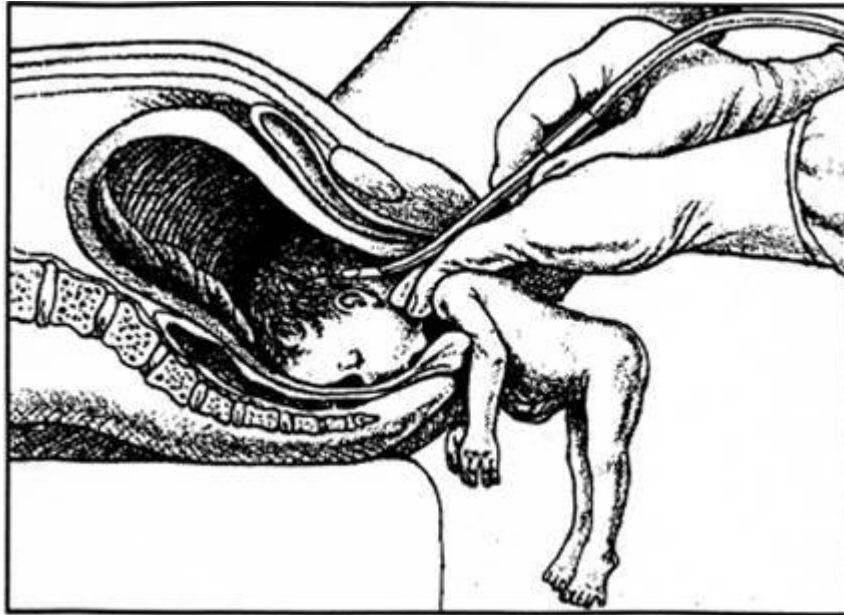


Our Lady of Fatima Weekly Bulletin

Baptism of Our Lord

January 9-10, 2010

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March For Life Bus Trip

When: Friday, January 22, 2010

Where: From here to Washington D.C.

Cost: \$15.00

For reservations, call:

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YEAR FOR PRIESTS

June 19, 2009 - June 19, 2010

Monday 01/11 - Mon

07:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration for private Holy Hours
 07:40 AM Rosary Begins
08:00 AM Mass Phyllis Mosney, (Helen Pufka)
 08:30 AM Confessions until 9:00 AM
 09:00 AM Church remains open for Eucharistic Adoration
 07:00 PM Church closed until 7:00 AM

Tuesday 01/12 - Tue

07:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration for private Holy Hours
 07:40 AM Rosary Begins
08:00 AM Mass Helen Kasun, (Mary Walter & Family)
 08:30 AM Confessions until 9:00 AM
 09:00 AM Church remains open for Eucharistic Adoration
 07:00 PM Church closed until 7:00 AM

Wednesday 01/13 - Wed

07:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration for private Holy Hours
 07:40 AM Rosary Begins
08:00 AM Mass Louis Miller, (M/M Louis Mangiacarne)
 08:30 AM Confessions until 9:00 AM
 09:00 AM Church remains open for Eucharistic Adoration
 07:00 PM Church closed until 7:00 AM

Thursday 01/14 - Thur

07:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration for private Holy Hours
 07:40 AM Rosary Begins
08:00 AM Mass Sally Colledge, (Children)
 08:30 AM Confessions until 9:00 AM
 09:00 AM Church remains open for Eucharistic Adoration
 07:00 PM Church closed until 7:00 AM

Friday 01/15 - Fri

07:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration for private Holy Hours
 07:40 AM Rosary Begins
08:00 AM Mass Frances Kasun, (M/M Paul Kowalski)
 08:30 AM Confessions until 9:00 AM
 09:00 AM Church remains open for Eucharistic Adoration
 07:00 PM Church closed until 7:00 AM

Saturday 01/16 - Sat

07:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration for private Holy Hours
 04:00 PM Confessions until 4:24
 04:25 PM Pulpit Announcements
04:30 PM Mass Bill Stitt, B-day Anv (Wife & Family)
 07:00 PM Church closed until 7:00 AM

Sunday 01/17 - Sun

07:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration for private Holy Hours
 08:30 AM Confessions until 8:54
 08:35 AM Rosary Begins
 08:55 AM Pulpit Announcements
09:00 AM Phyllis Mosney, M'Mind, (Jack & Carol Corle)
 09:50 AM Exposition and Adoration - Pray for Priests
 10:30 AM Confessions until 10:54
 10:35 AM Rosary Begins
 10:55 AM Pulpit Announcements
11:00 AM Mass Helen Kasun (Virginia Eder)
 12:00 N Church open for private Eucharistic Adoration
 07:00 PM Church closed until 7:00 AM



A previously unpublished Christmas Flower / Decoration Memento:

Joseph and Theresa Angeski

by
Sisters

Money Matters:

• Coll Immaculate Conception (December 8)	\$ 674.00	• Coll Epiphany Sunday (January 3)	\$1,845.00
• Coll 4th Sunday of Advent (December 20)	\$2,928.00	• Coll Christmas Flower Memorials	\$1,069.00
• Coll Christmas Day (December 25)	\$6,856.25	• Coll Campaign for Human Development	\$ 65.00
• Coll Holy Family Sunday (December 27)	\$1,780.62	• Coll Altoona Central Catholic School	\$ 145.00
• Coll Mother of God Sunday (January 1)	\$ 872.00	• Coll Retirement Fund for Religious	\$ 85.00

A Lingerin Voice

Listed below weekly, are the names of people whom our parishioners have requested be remembered in our daily private prayers.

Francis T. Zatalava Father of J.D. Zatalava	Mae A. Zatalava Mother of J.D..Zatalava	John A. Zatalava Brother of J.D. Zatalava	The Zaczek Family Carol Smith	Coy R. Smith Family Carol Smith
The Jaronieski Fam. Carol Smith	Herbert E. Summers, Sr. Herbert E. Summers Jr.			
<p>For a single donation of \$50.00 your loved one will be prominently featured in our Weekly Bulletin and therefore called to mind in the personal prayer of your fellow parishioners, for a period of 26 weeks.</p> <p>Down through the centuries Church Fathers have assured us of two things: 1. Our loved ones who are in Purgatory need and benefit from our prayers. 2. Prayers said for those who have exited Purgatory and are already in Heaven are not wasted, but are “redirected” as expressed so beautifully in our Fatima Rosary Prayer: “Oh my Jesus save us from the fires of hell, lead all souls to heaven especially those in <u>most need</u> of Thy mercy.”</p> <p>Simply put your donation in an envelope with the required information and we’ll take care of the rest, even to reminding you when your first 26 weeks is nearing completion.</p>				

Prayer for the Sick:

A number of people have asked if it would be appropriate to place the name of sick persons in the spaces on the above memorial grid. My answer is no, it would not be appropriate to list living people in the memento for the dead. The above grid is an extension in time of that part of the Mass where we pray explicitly for the dead.

It is important to note that we (the parish) pray every day in every Mass for the sick of the parish, both throughout the Mass and especially during the prayer of the faithful with the standard petition: **For all O.L.F. parishioners and / or members of their families who are in ill health. Let us pray to the Lord, Lord, hear our prayer.** Granted, from an earthly point of view it is a bit generic. From a Heavenly perspective ... well. Our Lord, His mother, and all the Saints know exactly what we earthly creatures are trying to say.

Having gotten burned in the past with “prayer lists” I have been reluctant to go that route again. The funniest one of those slip ups occurred when I was a seminarian living in Maryland. At Sunday Mass the pastor asked for prayers for “Dr. Smith (a local physician who was also my golf coach) who died of a heart attack last night.” We were all shocked at the news when the prayer of the faithful was interrupted by the powerful booming voice of Doctor Smith, saying aloud “ thank you for your obviously very powerful prayers.”

A good friend of both the Doctor and the pastor got his story all screwed up and gave the priest the wrong information. The Doctor was tending to another parishioner who had a heart attack the night before and was taken in an ambulance to the hospital. *He didn't die either.* I will announce a plan next week to deal with the sick.