

Honoring the Most Holy Name of Jesus

"O Praise Ye the Lord in His Sanctuary, in the Firmament of His Power."

Respect for the Holy Name of Jesus involves a slight bow of the head when it is spoken, as a sign of adoration and recognition of His divinity. This practice honors Jesus as our Savior, makes reparation for blasphemy, and signifies that His name holds immense power and brings blessings. January is traditionally dedicated to this devotion.

Show Respect at All Times

- **Bow:** Bow your head when you say or hear the name "Jesus." During the Holy Mass, priests remove the biretta when the Holy Name is mentioned.
- **Silent Prayer:** If someone uses the Name of God or of His only Son irreverently, offer a silent prayer; make an act of reparation.

Show Respect in the House of God

- **Demeanor:** Maintain reverence through quietness, modest dress, and proper posture, reflecting respect for God's Real Presence.

This Respect is Important

- **Biblical Mandate:** Philippians 2:10: "at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, on earth and under the earth".
- **Power & Efficacy:** The Name of Jesus is powerful and brings help, healing, and consolation, as seen in the Acts of the Apostles.
- **Atonement for Blasphemy:** This devotion helps make amends for the casual or profane use of the Name (blasphemy).
- **Reminder of Salvation:** The name "Jesus" means "Savior," reminding us of Christ's earthly mission.

Historical & Devotional Context

- **Ancient Roots:** Reverence for God's name was intense in the Old Testament, and devotion to Jesus' name grew from apostolic times.
- **Feast of the Holy Name:** The Church celebrates the Holy Name of Jesus in January to emphasize its dignity.
- **Saints & Orders:** St. Bernard, St. Bernardine of Siena, and the Jesuits (whose emblem features the IHS monogram) promoted this devotion.

In addition to the exhortations given above, remember that respect in God's Holy House should be particularly evident during the Sacrifice of the Mass. This should be especially notable during the moments Our Lord is physically present upon the altar: from the time of the Consecration, until after Holy Communion is distributed. There should be as little movement and commotion in the church during this time. If one is obliged to leave, a double genuflection is to be made.

*No voice can sing, no heart can frame, nor can the mem'ry find
A sweeter sound than Jesus' Name, the Savior of mankind.*

Sacred Heart of Jesus Traditional Catholic Church

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Offering exclusively the Traditional Roman Catholic Mass and Sacraments.

Most Holy Name of Jesus



"All the faithful should be aware that to participate in the Mass is their chief duty and supreme dignity." Pope Pius XII

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MASS SCHEDULE

Month of the Holy Name of Jesus

Sunday, January 4

8:00 AM
10:00 AM
4:00 PM in Roland

Holy Name of Jesus / St Priscus, M
Pro Populo
Intentions of Jason Kordsmeier
Private Intention

Monday, January 5

No Mass

Feria / St Telesphorus, PM
Private Intention

Tuesday, January 6

8:00 AM

Epiphany of Our Lord
RIP Ted Jones

Wednesday, January 7

8:00 AM
6:00 PM

Feria / St Lucian, M
RIP Ted Jones
Rosary, OMPH devotions, Prayer for Priests
~for our priests and for many fervent vocations!

Thursday, January 8

8:00 AM

Feria / St Apollinaris, BC
RIP Ted Jones

Friday, January 9

8:00 AM

Feria / St Julian, M
RIP Ted Jones

Saturday, January 10

8:00 AM

BVM Saturday / St William, BC
RIP Ted Jones

Sunday, January 11

8:00 AM
10:00 AM
4:00 PM in Roland

Holy Family Sunday / 1st Sunday after Epiphany
Pro Populo
RIP Ted Jones
Private Intention

If you would like to have a Mass offered for a specific intention, the intention may be submitted to the Priest. If it is for a person, please specify whether the person is living or deceased, and whether or not the person is Catholic. The customary stipend for offering the Mass is \$25.00.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Closing hymn: O Come, All Ye Faithful, page 45.
- Blessing of religious articles following mass and we will be having the monthly the second collection for the bishop.
- Fr. Trough will be here for Mass this coming Sunday.

“*Epiphany*” shows us our Incarnate God in a new light. It holds all the sweetness of the Babe of Bethlehem, but adds its own grand manifestation of His divinity. At Christmas, a few Shepherds were invited; but now, the voice of God calls the whole world to adore Jesus and hear Him.

The sixth of January unites three manifestations of Jesus’

Glory: the mystery of the Magi from the East under the guidance of a star, adoring the Infant of Bethlehem as the Divine King; the mystery of the Baptism of Christ, standing

in the waters of the Jordan and proclaimed by the Eternal Father as Son of God, and thirdly, the mystery of the divine power of this same Jesus, when He changed water into wine at the marriage-feast of Cana.

Let us open our hearts to the *Joy* of this grand day. Today the Kings of the East come to the Babe in His crib, bearing with them the prayers and adoration of the whole human race. The humble stable is too little for such a gathering as this. Mary, the Throne of divine Wisdom, welcomes all the members of this court with her gracious smile of Mother and Queen; she offers her Son to man for his adoration, and to God, that He may be well pleased. God manifests Himself to men, because He is great: but He manifests Himself *by Mary* because He is full of mercy.

Let us turn to the triumph of our sweet Savior and King. His magnificence is manifested so brightly on this feast! Let us imitate the faith and obedience of the Magi. Let us adore, with the holy Baptist, the divine Lamb, over whom the heavens open. Let us take our place at the mystic feast of Cana, where our dear King is present, thrice manifested, thrice glorified. At the Jordan and at Cana, let us not lose sight of the Babe of Bethlehem; and in the Babe of Bethlehem let us cease not to recognize the Great God, in whom the Father was well-pleased, the supreme Ruler and Creator of all things.

Pray for the living: Jones family, Amaranta Torres Rodriguez, Cecilia Rodriguez and baby, Melvin Geckle, Joe Dias, Mickey Ellis, Shelby Littlejohn, Randy Nelson, Crochet family, Marguerite Lamothe, Diane Pawlowski, those affected by Hurricane Helene, Don & Babette Lobban, Isaac Martin family, Susy Hale, Gil Credeur, John Pawlowski, Luis Martinez, Kristine Neal

Pray for the faithful departed: Ted Jones, Nancy Ciccone, Gerald Crochet, “Ernest,” Eddie Solomon, Mary Tarnowski, Guillaume Bega, Joseph Vogel, Patsy Nash, Josie Mascarenas, Fr James Thielen, Maria Eugenia, Doranne McMahon, Alexa Martin, Roberta Daley, Patricia Scott, Carlos Zepeda Sr, Cecilia Bender, Kathy Winter, Debbie Pawlowski, Randy Blosser, Linda Givens



Monthly Collection

October 2025: \$5,884.30

November 2025: \$4,824.53

December 2025: \$21,285.05

“For from the rising of the sun even to the going down, my name is great among the Gentiles, and in every place there is sacrifice, and there is offered to my name a clean oblation: for my name is great among the Gentiles, saith the Lord of hosts.” *Malachi 1:11*