



# Parish Newsletter

The Baptism Of the Lord **January 12, 2025** 

Dear Parish Family,

This Sunday, we celebrate the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord, marking the moment when Jesus stepped into the waters of the Jordan to be baptized by John. This event reveals Jesus as the beloved Son of God and inaugurates His public ministry, setting an example for us to follow as His disciples.

Baptism is more than a ritual; it is our entry into the life of grace and our adoption as children of God. Through the waters of baptism, we are cleansed of sin, united with Christ, and called to live as His witnesses in the world. It is the foundation of our Christian identity and the beginning of a lifelong journey of faith, hope, and love.

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# Nuestra Señora de las Aguas Fiesta News

Our Fiesta is on Saturday, January 25th. Our Parish Family has been devoted contributors every year and so once more we will gather together to express our love and devotion to Our Lady. Our Pastoral Council has scheduled a Church and Conference Room Preparation for Fiesta Night on Friday the 24th. We also have envelopes for Fiesta Gifts available in the church for those of us who are not able to help physically. Si Yu'os Ma'åse.



....and the holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased."

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#### **Parish Office Hours**

Mon., Wed., Fri., & Sat. 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

or by appointment

Closed Tues., Thurs., Sun., Holidays and

Holy Days of Obligation

### **Eucharist Regular Schedule**

5:00 p.m. 9:00 a.m.

Mon. to Fri. 6:00 p.m.

## **Holy Hour**

First Friday 6:30 p.m.

### Confessions

Mon. to Fri. 5:30 p.m.

1st Friday 6:45 p.m. (during Holy Hour)

#### **Baptism**

Celebrated after Sunday masses except on office about necessary preparation class and sponsorship requirements.

### Wedding

Please contact the parish office to schedule necessary marriage preparation and wedding.

# A Friendly Reminder from Your Secretaries

Please update your mass intentions for the year 2025. If you would like to review your mass intentions for the year 2024, a copy can be provided for you upon request. Please request via Whatsapp to Ms. Rose at (671)688-7508.

March for Life 2025 Friday, January 17, 2025

Dulce Nombre de Maria Cathedral-Basilica Showtime: 4:15 pm

Start/End 4:30 to 5:30 pm Main Speaker: Fr. Harold Prieto

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As we reflect on the baptism of Jesus, let us renew our commitment to live out our own baptismal promises. Are we attentive to the voice of the Father calling us to holiness? Are we living as members of the Body of Christ, sharing His love with others?

May this feast remind us of the beauty and responsibility of our baptism. Let us draw closer to God and faithfully respond to His call, striving each day to live as His beloved sons and daughters.

In Christ, Fr. Jeff



# **Family Faith Formation**

This is the 2nd Sunday of the month. It is the Sunday session for All Students. Next Sunday is Special Activity/Corporal Works of Mercy Sunday.

# Stewardship

God has provided us with everything around us and with our lives. He is the Great Provider. We must strive to remember to thank Him, and to be generous and caring with these gifts. With a cheerful heart, always strive to do what is pleasing to Him.

### 1 Corinthians 10:31

So whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God. NABRE

# January 2025 Parish Activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
12 The Baptism of the Lord 9:00 am Mass	13 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass	14 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass	Funeral of +Maria N. Lewis 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass 6:45 pm Pastoral Council Meeting	16 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass	17 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass 4:15 pm March For Life 2025 Agana Cathedral- Basilica	18 5 pm Mass 12:00 Funeral of +Mark Anthony Sanchez Pangilinan
9:00 am Mass Baptism of Lowen Thomas Paulino	20 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass	21 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass	5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass	23 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass	24 5:30 pm Confession 6 pm Mass After Mass: Fiesta Church and Conference Room Preparation	25 NSDLA FIESTA 4:00 pm Novena 4:30 pm Mass Procession after Mass