The Magi were overjoyed in seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary, his mother.  
- Matthew 2:10-11
**The Epiphany of the Lord**

They opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. — Matthew 2:11b

**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! The Lord shines upon you and the glory of the Lord appears over you (Isaiah 60:1-6).

**Psalm** — Lord, every nation on earth will adore you (Psalm 72).

**Second Reading** — The mystery has been made known that the Gentiles are coheirs, copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel (Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6).

**Gospel** — Magi from the east arrived, saying, “Where is the newborn king of the Jews?” (Matthew 2:1-12).


**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** 1 Jn 3:22 — 4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

**Tuesday:** 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; Mk 6:34-44

**Wednesday:** 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13; Mk 6:45-52

**Thursday:** 1 Jn 4:19 — 5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15bc, 17; Lk 4:14-22a

**Friday:** 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 5:12-16

**Saturday:** 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 3:22-30

**Sunday:** Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10; Acts 10:34-38; Mt 3:13-17

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday:** The Epiphany of the Lord; National Migration Week

**Monday:** St. André Bessette

**Tuesday:** St. Raymond of Penyafort; Julian Calendar Christmas

**LIGHT OF THE WORLD**

Epiphany can be understood as an extension of the Nativity of the Lord that we celebrate on December 25. While at Christmas we celebrate Jesus’ coming as the long-awaited king and Messiah of the Jewish people, on Epiphany we celebrate the revelation that Jesus is the Savior and Light of all nations—Jews, Gentiles, and all people.

The star shines so brightly that it attracts magi who come from far distant countries to worship Jesus. They are not Jews, yet they are drawn to the Light of the world. The letter to the Ephesians reveals that the Light of the world was for the Gentiles as well as the Jews—Christ gathers all people into the light of his love. The reading from Isaiah also describes a gathering of diverse peoples, but this time it is to the light that Emanates from the people of God. © JSPaluch, Co. Inc.

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH SAN FRANCISCO is a welcoming multicultural and liturgical community that celebrates our Christian Faith. In the spirit of the “Joy of the Gospel” we work together promoting Catholic values and teachings. Our parish encourages a strong devotion to our Blessed Mother Mary, who gives us an example of faithful discipleship and a generous stewardship way of life.

**Welcome to Holy Name!**

We are a Stewardship Parish! If you worship with us each week or are new to our neighborhood, please register online at: http://holynamesf.org/parishregistration. You will be on our mailing list and let us know you are willing to support your parish though your time, talent and treasure – the privilege of every Catholic.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**WEEK of January 5, 2019**

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**COFFEE & DONUTS SCHEDULE**

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**January 5, 2020**


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Happy New Year!

We have survived the busyness of the holidays, the preparations and the celebrations. Nine days of waking up early for the Misa de Gallo at 5:30AM, five masses the day before Christmas including the Midnight Mass that ended around 1:15 AM. Then waking up again for the 7:30AM mass. After the 11:30AM mass on Christmas Day, I was looking forward to the needed rest and yet I was reminded of the Scripture passage: “So should it be with you. When you have done all you have been commanded, say, ‘We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do.”

So, the work continued! After Christmas, I had a Vigil Service and Memorial Mass for Peter Ashe, a long time parishioner and a choir member at the 9:30AM mass. Our deepest condolences and fervent prayers to the family especially to Helen, his wife for 60 years. What a beautiful way to celebrate Christmas than in heaven in the presence of our Lord. “Sleep in heavenly peace” Peter!

One thing I like about our parish is that our feast day, the Feast of the Holy Name of Jesus, falls at the very beginning of the year, on January 3rd. This year it coincided with our First Friday Devotion. What a nice way to jump-start the year!

This weekend, we have another wonderful way to start this new year with a day-long recollection and workshop on Centering Prayer, the Rosary and the Trinity by Sr. Alice Holden, CCVI. It is a transformation in Christ new year retreat. Thanks to Dr. Kim Skidmore for sponsoring this retreat and bringing Sr. Alice to us all the way from San Antonio, Texas. We also thank Sr. Cristina for coordinating this event.

Sorry to miss this event but I am officiating a wedding this same day in Manila. One of the “Nightingales,” the duo sopranos who performed a concert at our church two years ago is getting married. After the wedding, I will spend a week with my mom who will be turning 90 this year.

While I am gone, Fr. Joseph Ayinpuusa, a priest in Hawaii will cover for me. Fr. Joseph is from Ghana, West Africa but have been in Hawaii for the past four years, serving in the Diocese of Honolulu. He is currently a Parochial vicar in St. John Apostle and Evangelist Church, Mililani. Welcome to the mainland and to Holy Name Fr. Joseph!

As we begin the year 2020, here is my intercessory prayer for you:

God bless you.
God bless your heart
God bless your life.
God bless your health.
God bless your home.
God bless your family.
God bless your spiritual life.
God bless your finances.
God bless all your projects.
God bless you abundantly.

A Blessed New Year!
Cheers to and Prayers for 2020!
May we have a 20/20 vision of love, peace, joy and prosperity!

FAZtor’s Notes:
By: Fr. Arnold Zamora

FAITH FORMATION
CATECHESIS
PASTORAL OUTREACH

Director: Sr. Cristina Ovejera, FdCC
crisfdcc2016@yahoo.com
(415) 664-8590

REFLECTION
“The Magi have been known for many things, but here they may be considered “wise” especially because of the way they understood their lives, and all they possess, within the larger frame of God’s Kingdom. Like Herod, a part of us seeks to cling to what we have, but the Magi call us to move beyond our needs and wants in order to be more responsive to God’s presence in our midst. They remind us not to worship creation but the Creator, not the gifts of this world but the one who generously gives them to us. In what ways do I make an idol of the things of this earth? In what ways do I give importance to God in my life?”

A Blessed feast of the epiphany to one and all!

Religious Ed and Youth Ministry will resume on Sunday, January 12, 2020, at 10:30 AM—12 Noon in the Pastoral Center. Service projects will be a.) making sandwiches for the homeless served by St. Vincent De Paul Conference; and b.) making door hangers for evangelization in the Outer Sunset neighborhood.

Lectio Divina or Reflection on the Sunday Scripture Readings will resume this Tuesday, Jan. 7th. We encourage Lectors who have free time at 10:00-11:00 AM every Tuesday to participate in this vibrant faith sharing group. It is one of the best ways to prepare for the Sunday readings. Lectio Divina is not strictly a Bible Study session. Come and enjoy this community of faith among parishioners and friends.
Sr. Cristina and Bro. Gerry facilitate the weekly session.

An Invitation to Share Your Care for the Environment with Laudato Si at St. Ignatius Parish! For those concerned about the environment and the Care for our Common Home, St. Ignatius Parish is one of a hundred or so parishes worldwide who registered a Laudato Si Circle with the Global Catholic Climate Movement. Every meeting we Pray, Reflect, Act using Laudato Si as our guiding document. All are welcome to join us in the Blue Room at St. Ignatius Parish. Sessions are from 12:00 Noon-1:30PM. Dates are: Jan 12, 26 and Feb. 9th. Starting on Feb 23rd it will be every Second and Fourth Sundays. Reflections provided by the Global Catholic Climate Movement and the Catholic Climate Covenant. Contact: Mary Rose LeBaron, maryroselebaron@gmail.com

A Pledge to Pray for Vocations Through the “Invisible Monastery” Parishioners have already pledged to participate in this prayer group. It can be part of your Stewardship of Prayer commitment. Members of Invisible Monastery pray daily or weekly, offering Mass intentions, rosaries, holy hours, or any other type of prayer members choose. When you enroll at invisiblemonastery.com you pledge to pray for vocations to priesthood and consecrated life. Please remember seminarians in our archdiocese and the Canossian Sisters. Thank you.

Lay Canossians: You are invited to know more about the lay faithful who live the Charism and spirituality of St. Magdalene of Canossa with the Canossian Sisters. We welcome you to the monthly meeting, every first Sunday at 2:00-4:00PM in the Flanagan Center.
YOUR HEALTH MATTERS!

MANY THANKS!

As we begin this New Year, Year 20/20, I hope and pray that our Lord will grant each and every one of us a “perfect vision”. A vision of what His plans are for us as stewards of the bodies, minds, and souls He gave us. This being the last article of “Your Health Matters” I want to thank our Lord for giving me the desire and encouragement to write these articles. I want to also thank Fr. Arnold for allowing me to write these past 4 months of articles. I also want to thank our office manager, Jackie, for arranging these articles in the church bulletin. Last, but not least, I want to thank each and every one of you for reading them. I enjoyed sharing with you some of what I think are practical ways of viewing our health. May our Lord grant you and your families a very Happy and Holy New Year.

To Your Health,
Angela Testani R.N.

ACE COLLECTION

Today’s Second Collection is the ACE Collection for the benefit of our Parish School. Your generosity is always appreciated by our school children.

BUILDING & MAINTENANCE FUND

Next Sunday, our Second Collection is for our Building & Maintenance Fund. Your generous donation allows us to take care of the cost for continued maintenance and much needed repairs to our parish buildings and facilities. The aging of our physical plant brings about much needed upkeep so that we can continue to care for the Lord’s House in a manner worthy of the dignity and reverence we should give to God. Thank you for your continued support.

HOLY NAME WEEKLY CALENDAR

Week of January 5, 2020

Sunday, Jan 5, 2020
9:00 AM Choir NY Party Flanagan Center
1:00 PM Lay Canossians Flanagan Center

Monday, Jan 6, 2020
10:00 AM Line Dancing Flanagan Center
1:00 PM Sewing Group Pastoral Center
7:30 PM SVdP Meeting Pastoral Center

Tuesday, Jan 7, 2020
10:00 AM C/E Class Pastoral Center
10:00 AM Lectio Divina Pastoral Center
6:30 PM HN Preschool/School Staff Yoga Flanagan Center
7:30 PM Legion of Mary Pastoral Center

Wednesday, Jan 8, 2020
10:00 AM C/E Class Pastoral Center
11:00 AM HNLA Meeting Pastoral Center
7:30 PM Chinese Bible Study Flanagan Center

Thursday, Jan 9, 2020
11:00 AM Senior Club Flanagan Center
2:30 PM RCICY Pastoral Center
7:00 PM RCIA Pastoral Center

Friday, Jan 10, 2020
9:00 AM Holy Name School Flanagan Center

Saturday, Jan 11, 2020
3:00 PM Chinese Ministry Church
3:45 PM Chinese Ministry Fellowship Flanagan Center
4:20 PM Confessions Church
5:00 PM Youth Ministry Pastoral Center

Stewardship

Stewardship is the grateful response of a Christian disciple who recognizes, receives and cultivates God’s gifts and shares these gifts in love of God and neighbor.

1. I’ll improve my stewardship of prayer by an unhurried talk with God each day.
2. I’ll improve my stewardship of possessions by setting aside a truly proportionate part of my income and prayerfully dedicating it to the work of God’s Kingdom on earth.
3. I’ll improve my stewardship of life by practicing the presence of God and living the teachings of Christ wherever I may be … whatever I may be doing … always remembering my final accountability.
4. I’ll improve my stewardship of time by eliminating the trivial and concentrating on the important.
5. I’ll improve my stewardship of faith by reading good religious literature.
6. I’ll improve my stewardship of activities by using them more effectively for God and my neighbors.

2020

PARISH SUMMARY REPORT

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Make Stewardship a way of Life!

Save the Date! Come to this FREE workshop sponsored by the Office of Stewardship of the Archdiocese of San Francisco

Lord, what do you want of me?

When: Saturday, February 1, 2020
10:15 am - 10:30 am: Registration
10:30 am - 12:30 pm: Sessions 1 & 2
12:30 pm - 1:00 pm: Lunch break
1:00 pm - 3pm: Sessions 3 & 4

Where: St. Andrew Church
1571 Southgate Ave. | Daly City

Koren Ruiz shares a unique perspective on the spirituality of stewardship. He gives practical recommendations on how to incorporate stewardship in one's daily life.

Koren is the President of Corresponsables de Dios (Stewards of God), a consulting firm that focuses on implementing the concept of Stewardship in the Catholic Church. He has been successful with the Archdiocese of Seattle, Diocese of Portland, Diocese of Yakima and the Diocese of Orange.

This is a FREE workshop and lunch will be provided. Please register by Jan. 27, 2020 so we can prepare accordingly.

Register with one of the following:
- Mildred Biery at St. Andrew | 650-756-3222 | mildredb@standrew-dalycity.org
- Jackie Alcaraz at Holy Name | 415-664-8590 | hnpnparishsecretary@yahoo.com
- Florian V. Romero, Stewardship Director | 415-614-5537 | romerof@sfarch.org

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Parish Leadership
Parish Pastoral Council: Paul Roscelli
Finance Council: Jim Regan
Stewardship Council: Ricky Inting & Cecile Sabater

Liturgical Ministries
Eucharistic Ministers & Children’s Liturgy: Roberta Beach
Lectors: Leo Nascimento
Altar Servers: Tri Nguyen
Music Ministry: Carl Vengco
Sacristans: Ramsey Ramos
Environment: Cecilia Bermudez
Linens: Ding Carbonel

Faith Formation & Catechesis
Religious Education: Hilda Dela Cruz
Rite of Christian Initiation: Sr. Cristina Ovejera, FdCC
Youth Ministry: Julie Quock, Alejandra Brito, John & Erin Grogan
Infant Baptism Prep: Terry Flaherty

Pastoral Outreach
Sick & Homebound Ministry: Susan Logan
Senior Club: Pat Relampagos
Holy Name Ladies Aid: Letty Palpalatoc
Grief & Consolation Ministry: Valerie Toy
Knights of Holy Name: Bill Flaherty
Hospitality: Linda & Tony Sideco, Noreen McEllistrim, Mary Dunne

Chinese Ministry: Valerie Toy & Louis Chan
Fil-Am Ministry: Ramsey Ramos & Freda Motak
St. Vincent De Paul Conference: Carol Elliott Maloof
Marian Shrine: Ester Aure
Legion of Mary: Ray Frost
Gabriel Project and Cancer Support: Rose Tang

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San Francisco, CA 94122
Parish office E-MAIL: hnparishsecretary@gmail.com
Website: www.holynamesf.org

SCHEDULE OF MASSES
Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM (Family Mass), 11:30 AM,
Saturday: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 3:00 PM (Chinese), 5:00 PM (Vigil)
Weekdays (in Convent Chapel 1555 39th Ave): 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM
Except Thursdays when school students are in attendance,
Mass will be in the Church.
Holy Days: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, and 7:00 PM

Confessions: 9:10 AM—9:25 AM and 11:10 AM—11:25 AM
on Sunday & 4:20 - 4:50 PM Saturday or as requested, just call the
Parish office or approach any priest

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Every Wednesday—after the 9 AM Mass with benediction at 12 Noon
Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotions: Friday after 9:00 AM Mass
Perpetual Help Devotions: Every Saturday after 9:00 AM Mass
First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus: The 9:00 AM
Mass with the Exposition, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and
Benediction at 10:30 AM
First Saturday Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary
begins at 8:30 AM with the Rosary, then Mass & Benediction

Baptisms by appointment
Baptismal Preparation—Every 1st Saturday of the month in the
Pastoral Center - 1:30 PM—You need to register for the class
ahead of time.
Baptism Ministry (Sewing Group): Every Monday 1-3 PM in the
Pastoral Center Event Room

Marriages: Contact Pastoral Center 6 months in advance.
Sundays: 12:30-2:30 PM, Flanagan Center

R.C.I.A. (Chinese): Every Saturday—Green Room—1:30 PM
Lectio Divina: Tuesday 10—11 AM (Pastoral Center)

Bible Study Group (Chinese): Every Wednesday—7:30 PM
Flanagan Center

Parish Pastoral Council: contact Fr. Arnold Zamora
St. Vincent de Paul Society meeting—every Monday at 6:30 PM
(Pastoral Center)
Holy Name Ladies Aid: every 1st Wednesday of the Month at 12:30 PM
(Pastoral Center)
Senior Club: every Thursday at 11:30 AM –2:30 PM (Flanagan Center)
Holy Name Choir Practice: every WEDNESDAY at 5:30 PM in the
Pastoral Center

The Gabriel Project: Contact Rose Tang (415)793-0967
Legion of Mary: every Tuesday at 7:30 PM
Youth Ministry: First Sunday of the month 5 PM—7:30 PM
including Mass. Contact person: Sr. Cristina & Team
(415)664-8590
Blood Pressure Screening: every 2nd Wednesday from after the
7:30 AM Mass until 11 AM (Pastoral Center) except July & August
Hospitality: Every Wednesday after the 7:30 AM and 9 AM Masses