

**Church of St. Sebastian**  
**January 10, 2016 - The Baptism of the Lord**

**Scheduled Masses For This Week**

**Saturday, January 9, Vigil: The Baptism of the Lord**  
 5:00 pm Evelyn Mastriano, birthday remembrance  
 -requested by her family

**Sunday, January 10, The Baptism of the Lord**  
 9:00 am John P. Lops  
 -requested by Cummings family

11:00 am Alexander, Mary and Alex Jr. Almonte

**Monday, January 11, Weekday**  
 7:00 am Fr. James A Craig, anniversary

**Tuesday, January 12, Weekday**  
 7:00 am Mass  
 7:25 am Novena Prayers to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

**Wednesday, January 13, Weekday**  
 7:00 am Fr. Angelo Moscato, CS

**Thursday, January 14, Weekday**  
 7:00 am Joseph and Beatrice Almonte

**Friday, January 15, Weekday**  
 7:00 am Athalie Cummings, 14th anniversary

**Next Weekend's Masses**

**Saturday, January 16, Vigil: 2nd Sunday in Ord. Time**  
 5:00 pm Raffaella (Ralph) Ciunci

**Sunday, January 17, 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:00 am David McCahan  
 -requested by Cummings family  
 11:00 am Mary Lou Calcagni, 2nd anniversary  
 -requested by her husband and children

Please consider enrolling in *Parish Giving*, our electronic stewardship program for parish contributions. You can register online at [www.Parishgiving.org](http://www.Parishgiving.org) or on our parish website at [www.stsebastianri.org](http://www.stsebastianri.org).

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**EAST SIDE MARKETPLACE GROCERY RECEIPTS**  
 St. Sebastian's receives 1% of the total amount that parishioners spend at Eastside Marketplace, but only if you turn in your receipts. The amount adds up quickly. This is a great way we as an entire parish can help the Outreach Committee. In the past we used the money to help fund our charitable outreach to St. Patrick's parish.

*Let us pray for the repose of the soul of  
 Athalie Cummings  
 whose love for our parish was shown in a  
 bequest to St. Sebastian Church.  
 We remember her in gratitude and offer  
 Friday's 7:00 am Mass for her this week.  
 May she rest in the peace of the Lord.*



<i>THIS WEEK AT ST. SEBASTIAN CHURCH</i>			
Sunday	1/10	Rel. Ed., Grades 6-8	10:00 am
		Adult Choir	10:00 am
		Rel. Ed., Grades 9-10	6:30 pm
Monday	1/11	Rel. Ed., Grades 1-5	4:00 pm
Tues.	1/12	Prayer Shawl Ministry	7:00 pm

**MONTHLY PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**  
 Names of friends, family, and fellow parishioners for whom prayers are asked will be listed monthly. If you would like a person included in this month's Prayers for the Sick please call the rectory. *Kay Thurber, Sylvia Loferski, Carl Robert Dahm, John Haddad, Bob, Bob K., and Deborah Bessette.*

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**HAT AND MITTEN TREE**

You are invited to decorate the tree in the vestibule with new Hats, Mittens, Gloves, and Scarves, for women, men, and children through the month of January. All proceeds will be distributed to the Mary House at St. Patrick Church. Thank you for your generous spirit and kindness.



**Annual Potluck Supper—January 30th, 2016**

In honor of St. Sebastian, whose Feast Day is January 20th, all parishioners are invited to a Potluck Supper to be held in the Church Hall on Saturday, January 30th at 6:00 pm.

This is a Family Event so we will have the Babysitting Room (with a couple of babysitters!) in the Church Hall open that evening.

Sign-up sheets are in the vestibule. Mark your calendars now and plan to attend!

**BABYSITTING AT THE 9:00 AM MASS**

The parish provides BABYSITTING during the 9:00 am Mass on Sunday mornings. This babysitting service is free and is meant to help parents to attend Mass. Your child(ren) will be cared for in a secure environment with approved caregivers. Please take your child(ren) to the Church Hall. You will find the nursery on the stage. If you would like to give a helping hand, please call Karin Schrott at 401-465-7444.



The Parish Book Club will be discussing Main Street by Sinclair Louis at their next meeting, at a date to be announced.

**WEEKLY SACRIFICIAL GIVING REPORT**

	12/27/15	1/3/16
# of Budgets Used	84	85
Contributions—Budgets and Checks	\$9,450.00	\$ 2,678.00
Loose Contributions	285.00	\$ 417.00
Online Giving	-----	\$ 424.00
Total Offertory	\$ 9,735.00	\$ 3,519.00
Christmas	\$ 9,707.00	-----
Solemnity of Mary	-----	\$ 1,100.00
Maintenance	-----	\$ 1,120.00

**HOSPITAL VISITATION**

Parishioners are encouraged to call the parish office if they or a family member would like a pastoral visit from Msgr. Montecalvo at the hospital, nursing home, or at home for those who are homebound. Hospitals no longer inform houses of worship of the admission of patients due to the laws protecting the right to privacy.



Tax letters will be mailed by January 31, 2016 to registered parishioners who donated \$250 or more in 2015. If you donated less than this amount and require a letter for tax purposes please contact the rectory at 751-0196. Thank you.

