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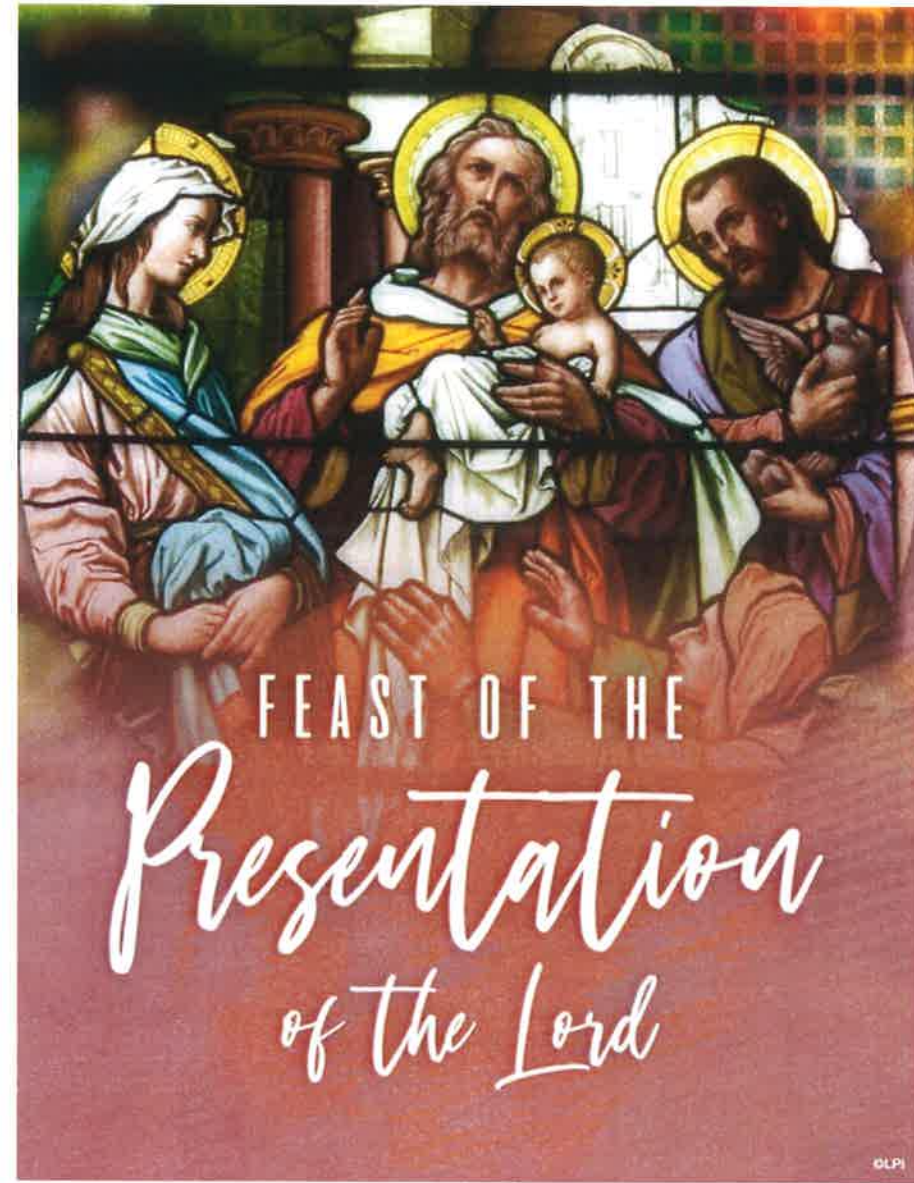
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Today's Readings begin on pg. 1031

Malachi 3:1-4
There will come to the temple the Lord whom you seek.
Psalm 24:7, 8, 9, 10
Who is this king of glory? It is the Lord!
Hebrews 2:14-18
He had to become like his brothers and sisters in every way.
Luke 2:22-40
My eyes have seen your salvation.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 1st
The Presentation of the Lord
4:00PM— (St. J)
-For Dennis Crofoot by Rosemary and Jerry.

Sunday, February 2nd
8:00AM—(St. P)
-For Mary Mulchy by Rosemary Fitts
9:30AM—(St. J)
-For Marilyn J. Daskiewich by Lois Fey & Family.

Monday, February 3rd
8:30AM – (St. J)
-For Fr. John V. Ahern by the Parish

Tuesday, February 4th
8:30AM—(St. J)
-For Our Parishioners and Their Intentions.

Wednesday, February 5th
8:30AM – (St. P)
-For Ralph Rawson Jr. by Mary Beth Reising.

Thursday, February 6th
-No Scheduled Mass

Friday, February 7th
8:30AM—(St. J)
-For Deceased Members of the James & Mary Collins Family by Mary Lou & John Serth.

Saturday, February 8th
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00PM— (St. J)
-For Fran Ficarro by his wife.

Sunday, February 9th
8:00AM—(St. P)
-For Mary Mulchy by Gerry Ritter.
9:30AM—(St. J)
-For David Carrier by his loving wife.

OFFICE HOURS

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Mass Times

Daily Mass

Monday, Tuesday, Friday 8:30AM (SJ) Boonville
 Wednesday 8:30AM (SP) Forestport
 Thursday No Mass

Sunday Mass

Vigil Saturday 4:00PM (SJ) Boonville
 Sunday 8AM (SP) Forestport, 9:30AM (SJ) Boonville
St Mary of the Snows 11:15AM Sunday
(Memorial Day through Labor Day)

Would you like to join us as a new parishioner?

We invite you to become an active participant of our parish community and we welcome you. Please take a census envelope from the entrance of the church or call the Parish Office.

Prayer of Faith

Dear God,
 Open my eyes to Your movement in my life.
 And, even when I don't see it or don't understand, help me to rely on the promises of Your love and mercy.
 Amen.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Please call the office to make arrangements.

Marriage

Please make an appointment with the priest at least 6 Months prior to Wedding date.

Reconciliation

3:15-3:45PM Saturdays at St Joseph's, Boonville and 7:30-7:50AM Sunday at St Patrick's, Forestport

† To request either the Anointing of the Sick or Communion to the Sick please call the Parish Office. †

Dear Parishioners,

Luke 2:22-40 recounts the presentation of Jesus at the temple, a significant event that underscores the fulfillment of Jewish law and the recognition of Jesus' divine identity. This passage highlights the obedience of Mary and Joseph as they adhere to the Mosaic Law, presenting their firstborn son to the Lord, as mandated in Exodus 13:2. Their adherence not only reflects their faithfulness but also sets the stage for Jesus' future ministry.



The moment is marked by the presence of Simeon, a righteous and devout man who had been promised by the Holy Spirit that he would see the Messiah before his death. When he encounters the infant Jesus, he recognizes Him as the salvation prepared for all people. This recognition is profound; Simeon's proclamation signifies that Jesus is not just a fulfillment of Jewish expectations but is also a light for the Gentiles, illuminating the path to salvation for all nations. This inclusivity challenges the prevailing notion of exclusivity within the Jewish faith and foreshadows the universal mission of Christ.

Anna, a prophetess, also plays a crucial role in this narrative. Her lifelong devotion to God and her acknowledgment of Jesus as the Redeemer further reinforces the theme of recognition and revelation. Both Simeon and Anna represent the faithful remnant of Israel, awaiting the promised Messiah. Their encounters with Jesus highlight the joy and hope that accompany the arrival of God's salvation.

This passage invites reflection on the themes of obedience, recognition, and fulfillment. Mary and Joseph's compliance with the law illustrates the importance of faith in action, while Simeon and Anna's testimonies emphasize the joy of revelation. As we consider the significance of Jesus' presentation, we are reminded of the call to recognize and celebrate God's presence in our lives. The passage concludes with a sense of anticipation for Jesus' future ministry and the transformative impact He would have on the world, inviting us to remain open to the ways God reveals Himself to us today.

God Bless,
 Fr. Matt



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
8:50-9:30 AM on Tuesdays.
 We begin the hour in the church with Adoration and conclude with Solemn Benediction.



PRAYER REQUESTS

We remember in our prayers

Charles Mooney, Frances Miller,
 Jamie Uhl-Goosman, Jeffrey Batt, Lorraine King,
 Walt Belewich, Sr., Jim White,
 John Bailey, Cretia Carpenter, Candace Schaffer,
 David Hoffman, Shirley Mason,
 Michael Stinebrickner, Ron Cuccaro,
 Michelle Durney Croniser, Alan Ripp,
 Wayne Millnitz, Rick Dano, Matthew King,
 Tim Thayer, Eric Wayne Brown, and
 Everett Otto Stoots

Parish contribution envelopes for 2025 are now available in the Churches.

Please pick up your box.

If you currently do not have envelopes and would like them, please complete a Parish census form also found in church, and return it to the Parish office. Thank You.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2024-2025

First Communion students will be making their First Reconciliation on Feb. 9th after the 9:30AM Mass at St. Joseph's.
Reminder, there will be no Religious Education Classes on Feb. 16th and 23rd.

Students will be escorted to Gill Hall by their teachers after the 9:30AM Mass.
 Please pick up your children from Gill Hall at 11:30AM. Thank you.

2024 ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH OFFICE. PLEASE CALL OR STOP BY.

Christ Our Hope

Last Week's Collection

Regular Income: \$2,216.00
 Repairs & Improvements: \$ 812.00

February Second Collections

Feb. 9- Catholic Charities Wildfire Relief

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Food Pantry Corner

In December the pantry assisted 40 families that were comprised of 71 adults, 44 children and 14 seniors for a total of 2,709 meals. For the calendar year 2024, the pantry provided food for a total of 21,869 meals. These are all very amazing numbers.

Our sincerest Thank You to our dedicated team of volunteers and our families and friends who support us throughout the year with donations and fundraising. Together our efforts help get nutritious meals distributed to struggling families in our community.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB NEWS

Save the Date: February 5, 2025, 12 Noon
 We will gather for an informal Midwinter Lunch at Kratzy's in Forestport. This will be an order from the menu, buy your own meal gathering. Hope to see you there!
 In the event of a snowstorm or school cancellation, the luncheon will be cancelled..

KIDS CORNER



What letter **begins** each picture name? Circle the beginning letter. Then color the pictures.



T | E M T



J | S J E



D | O V D



I will ask my parents if our family can read the Bible together tonight.