# Solemnity of Mary:

January 1, 2023

Masses for the Week

Sunday, January 1, 2023 9:00 AM + Brient Wiest

Tuesday, January 3, 8:00 AM + George T. Klemick II

Thursday, January 5, 8:00 AM + Susanne Miller

Sunday, January 8, 9:00 AM + Nikki Slodysko



No Tithing report today due to early publication of the bulletin.

<u>Ministry Schedule</u> Sunday, January 8, 9:00 AM Lector: Melissa Sitlinger Extraordinary Minister: Deacon Bob Server: Bill Long



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9:00 AM Liturgy

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection today is the **Solemnity of Mary Offering**.

### Sunday Mass

Our Lady of Hope will be adding a 6:00 PM Sunday evening Mass into the mass schedule beginning January 8, 2023. We have had a few requests to have an evening mass for people in the area that travel, participate in sports, or can't attend Sunday morning mass. Please spread the word to your family, friends and acquaintances that this mass will be starting in the New Year. This mass <u>will not</u> replace the Saturday 4:00 PM or the Sunday 7:00 AM and 11:00 AM masses.

### Upcoming 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections

January 8 – Aid to Church in Central & Eastern Europe

January 22 – Offering to Defray Heating Costs

## Announcements

Thursday, January 5

2:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, January 8, 2023

### **Epiphany of the Lord**



The 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection today is the **Aid to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe**.

9:45 – 10:45 AM Religious Education Classes resume today at OLOH.



**Pierogies....**will be made on Monday, January 9. Please call the parish office to order.



Teen Group

The parishes of Our Lady of Hope, St. Patrick and Mother Cabrini are starting a "Teen Group" to be held on the third Sunday of the Month. Our first activity night will be held on January 15 and is open to all kids in the Confirmation Class through high school. The group will start at 4:00 PM and will consist of games, dinner and fun activities. We will end at 6:00 PM with a family Mass at Our Lady of Hope Church. Come join us and bring a friend!

### Deacon's Corner

During this Christmas Season, the memorial of St. John Neumann, Bishop, will be celebrated on Thursday, January 5. St. John was born and lived in Bohemia, which is now the Czech Republic. He wanted to be a missionary priest in the United States. With one suit and one dollar, he arrived in New York City in 1836. Shortly after his arrival, he was ordained a priest by the bishop of New York.

Initially, Father John Neumann's work focused on ministering to people in Buffalo, NY. Later, he desired community life and joined the Order of the Redemptorists and was the first to make his vows to this Order in the United States. St. John

became the superior of this order who dedicated their service to the poor and abandoned. He continued his priestly missionary work in Maryland, Virginia and Ohio. At the age of 41, St. John became the bishop of Philadelphia. In this diocese, he established 100 parochial schools to support the educational needs of the children. He also attracted teaching communities of sisters and Christian brothers to help with these efforts. Bishop John Neumann visited our area when he traveled to Trevorton on May 20, 1860 to dedicate St. Patrick Church and place it under the patronage of this saint. St. John was canonized in 1977. He is the patron saint of immigrants and sick Children. May we ask St. John Neumann to pray for us.

### Attention:

All contributions for the 2022 Tax Year must be received by Sunday, January 22, 2023. Anything received after that will be credited to the 2023 Tax Year. You may call the office after January 22<sup>nd</sup> if you would like a copy of your 2022 statement.

Children's Envelopes for the new year are available. If your child would like to make a weekly monetary offering to God, please call the parish office to request a box of envelopes.