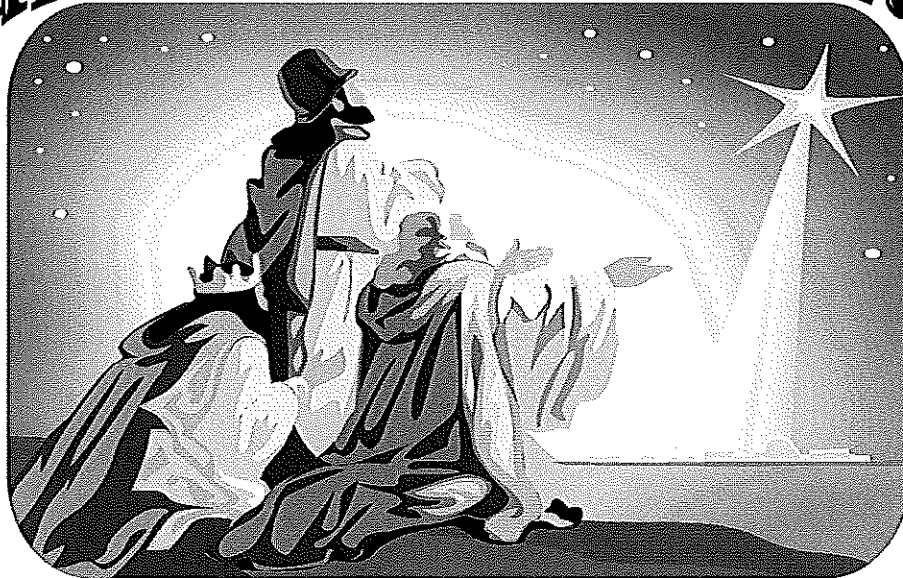


The Community of Our Lady of the Lake



The Epiphany of the Lord January 8, 2012

Pastor

Rev. Monsignor Michael J. Wilbers
Sr. Joanne Rataj, C.P.P.S., Pastoral Minister

Mission Statement:

The Faith Community of Our Lady of the Lake fosters growth in God by spreading and nurturing the message of Christ, through full, active, conscious participation in the Eucharist by outreach and service to those in need and strengthening and promoting community.

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Weekend Masses:
Saturday 5:00 P.M.
Sunday
8:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M.

Daily Mass Celebrated: Monday- NO MASS
Tuesday—5:00 PM, Wednesday – 6 PM, Thursday-8 AM, Friday-8AM
Saturday: 5 PM—Sunday: 8 & 10 AM
Baptisms & Weddings: Contact the Parish Office
Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:00 P.M.—4:45 P.M.

Mass Intentions for Jan. 07 through Jan. 15, 2012

Saturday	Jan. 07	5:00 p.m.	Bob and Frances Thompson
Saturday	Jan. 08	8:00 p.m.	Phil LaSala
Sunday	Jan. 08	10:00 a.m.	Parishioners
Monday	Jan. 09	NO SERVICES	
Tuesday	Jan. 10	5:00 p.m. ◀	Maggie Fish
Wednesday	Jan. 11	6:00 p.m.	Greg and Hannah Thompson
Thursday	Jan. 12	8:00 a.m.	Ron Sorensen
Friday	Jan. 13	8:00 a.m.	Tom Fallert
Saturday	Jan. 14	5:00 p.m.	Jim Phillips
Sunday	Jan. 15	8:00 a.m.	Harold Simon
Sunday	Jan. 15	10:00 a.m.	Parishioners



Prayers of the Faithful

If a family member is ill, in the hospital or homebound, and you would like their name included in the Prayers of the Faithful during weekend Masses or the bulletin, call the parish office. Names will be included for a few weeks. If you wish continued prayers, call the office.

Welcome to Our Lady of the Lake Church

We extend a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors who have graced us with their presence at today's Liturgy. We hope that you feel at home here, please let us know if we can be of any assistance while you are with us.

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Kenny Hobbs, Annette Miller, Ronald Delaney, Linda Spaar, Libby Franke, Joe Luetkemeyer, Laverne Koch, Sam and Alma Wiskirchen, Pat Kelly, Barbara Newman, Bill Heinz, Roland Gooding, Donna Burke, Rob Smith and Richard Placke.



May they place their trust and confidence in the Lord Jesus Christ.

The church considers it her duty to defend in our society as a whole the truths and values in which the very dignity of man is at stake. Accordingly, to mention one particularly important point, we have no right to judge whether an individual is "already a person" or "still a person," and even less is it up to us to manipulate the human being or even to wish to do so.

Pope Benedict XVI, address to the Hon. Reinhard Schweppe, Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany to the Holy See, November 7, 2011

Prayer for Vocations

Faithful God, You sent your son, Jesus, to be our Good Shepherd. Through our baptism you blessed us and called us to follow Jesus who leads us on the path of life. Renew in us the desire to remain faithful to our commitment to serve you and the Church. Bless all who dedicate their lives to you through marriage, the single life, the diaconate, priesthood, and consecrated life. Give insight to those who are discerning their vocation. Send us to proclaim the Good News of Jesus, our Good Shepherd, through the power of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

STEWARDSHIP & ADMINISTRATION:

COLLECTIONS: JANUARY 1, 2012:\$10,177.00

SOLEMNITY OF MARY:\$1,424.50



The Epiphany of the Lord

Today's Gospel reading reveals the story of the magi who come from the east to pay homage to Jesus, the newborn king. The story of the magi teaches Christian stewards three Christmas truths: God, in the person of Jesus Christ is present and active in the world, and stewards must follow his star. Second, each of us, no matter our circumstances or station in life, has a gift to bring to the Lord. And finally, our life's journey always leads to Christ, even when at times we do not know where the road is heading.

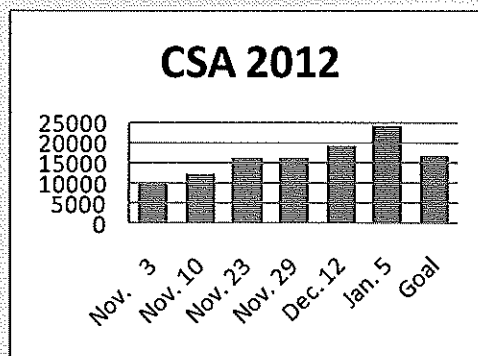
Catholic Stewardship Appeal 2012

"In every place your faith in God has become known"

Our Catholic Stewardship Appeal is at \$24,083.00 of an overall goal of \$16,547.00!! We have met and exceeded our goal. The people of Our Lady of the Lake have responded most generously to the CSA 2012 Appeal. I am most grateful to you and ask the Lord to bestow countless blessings upon you for your overwhelming generosity.

God Bless you for your great support!

Msgr. Michael J. Wilbers



Why Catholic? Retreat

Are you Blessed...What Does Jesus Have in Store for You?

Come and experience the Beatitudes. You've heard them preached before. Do you feel guilty when you hear the Beatitudes proclaimed, or preached, or when you read them in your Bible? Maybe you need another look at this beautiful teaching of Jesus to fully discover the invitation Jesus has for YOU in the Beatitudes. Come and follow Jesus' call to live the Beatitudes. You will know blessing and goodness beyond your imagination.

Date and Time: January 11- 7-9 PM Location: St. Anthony Church-Camdenton

All Adults are welcome. There is no charge for attendance.

Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord, Jan. 8, 2012

Jesus is God's epiphany, God's self-disclosure. In Jesus, all people can walk in God's ways as sons and daughters of God. Though Jesus illuminates the path to God, not everyone follows it. The Herods of the world, who rule through domination and violence, are greatly disturbed by threats to their wealth and power. The dark clouds of fear and terror they create obscure the path to peace.

Only the wise ones—women and men who can see with the eyes of the heart—are able to perceive God's appearance on earth. They speak God's words to the downcast: "Look up and see!" Hearts that are broken throb with joy and gratitude. When we raise our eyes, we see God's light. No longer do we follow the paths of the world; we take another route, guided by the light of Christ, who leads us to our true home.

For Reflection: How can I reveal God's light to others? What gifts can I offer them today?

Roses for Life Crusade will be this weekend January 7 & 8. The roses will be available in the fellowship area.



SCHOOL NEWS

PSR Classes will meet every Wednesday at 6:45 PM

Help for Troubled Marriages

RETROUVAILLE is a Catholic ministry that for the past quarter century has shown couples a way to rebuild their troubled marriages. The next Retrouvaille Weekend (Friday night through Sunday) is on February 10-12, 2012. All couples are welcome at Retrouvaille regardless of religious background. People with financial difficulties are also welcome. For more information go to www.retrouvaille.com or call Chuck and Linda at 1-800-470-2230.

Knights of Columbus Council 9273

Calendar of Events— January 2012



- Knights of Columbus & Auxiliary meet the third Tuesday of each month.
- Planning meetings 1st Mon. of the month
- Knights of Columbus Breakfast every third Sunday of the month.
- Serving donuts 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month.

Serving this Sunday, Jan. 8!

Serving a country breakfast next weekend, Jan.15 after all Masses.

Hope House is always in need of food and household items, please bring to Fellowship Hall. Hope House is open from 9AM to 2PM, M,W,TH, F, SAT. **Please consider volunteering.** Hope House welcomes volunteers every day of operation. Sign up sheets in the Fellowship Area at the entrance to the church (Hwy entrance).



For more information please call Linda Spaar at 365-5039.

Our Lady of the Lake work days are on Jan. 23, 27 and 30th.

Ladies Wednesday Workshop The Ladies Wednesday Workshop would like to invite you to join their Wednesday Workshop. We meet on Wednesdays from 9:00 am for crafting, and camaraderie to raise money for our annual bazaar for our local charities. Our monthly meetings are the 3rd Wednesday of each month.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday	Jan. 09	NO SERVICES		
Tuesday	Jan. 10	▶ 5:00 p.m.	Mass	Chapel
Wednesday	Jan. 10	9:30 a.m.	Wednesday Workshop	Parish Hall
Wednesday	Jan. 11	▶ 6:00 p.m.	Mass	Chapel
Wednesday	Jan. 11	6:45 p.m.	PSR Classes	Rel Ed Bldg
Thursday	Jan. 12	8:00 a.m.	Mass	Chapel
Friday	Jan. 13	8:00 a.m.	Mass	Chapel
Sunday	Jan. 15	11:15 a.m.	Confirmation Classes	Rel Ed Bldg