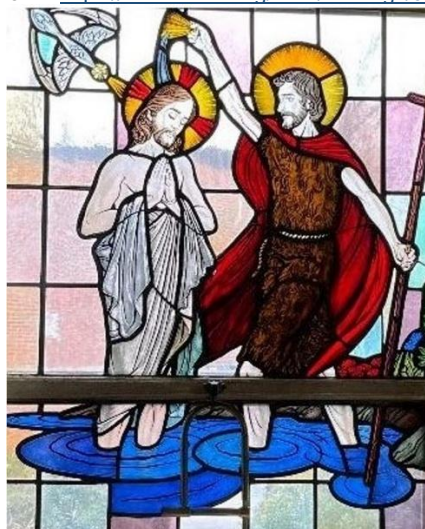


Start preparing for Sunday **today**;  
***"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."***

Matthew 3:17 <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/011126.cfm>



**Celebrate the Baptism of the Lord**

Sat., 4:30pm, Sun. 8am 10am and Noon

<https://saintclare.net/>

[Click here for Fr. Estabrook's & Fr. Kondik's homilies](#)

[Click here for faith formation resources](#)

**Eucharistic Adoration in the Church**; Wednesday, 9am-1pm

**and in our Adoration Chapel**, Monday-Thursday, 9am-4pm, Friday, 9am-3pm, and Saturday, 10am-Noon

**Confessions in the Church** Saturday, 3-4pm and Wednesday, Noon-1pm

**Adult Confirmation** open for those who receive Holy Communion but haven't been Confirmed and would like to complete their Christian Initiation & be eligible to act as a godparent or sponsor. [For more info click here to contact Lori Mascia](#)

**Mass Book is opened for July to December 2026.** Mass for a \$10 stipend. Call 440-449-4242 Ext. 101 for more info.

**Youth Group** for grades 6-8<sup>th</sup> and 9-12<sup>th</sup>. For more info contact **Mrs. Evamarie Cross** [ecross@saintpaschal.com](mailto:ecross@saintpaschal.com)

- Sat., Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> – 9:30a-9p @ JCU, Cleve., Catholic Youth Conference – High School Students Only
- Sun., Jan. 11<sup>th</sup> - Regular Meeting – JYG 5-6:15pm, Mass 6:30pm, HSYG 7:30-8:45pm
- Thurs., Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>; R & R at the Seminary! 6:30-9pm – Permission Slip Required
- Jan. 17-19<sup>th</sup> TEC Retreat, High School Students Only
- Sat., Jan. 24<sup>th</sup>; Dad Dance (Service Opportunity) – No Meeting on Jan. 25<sup>th</sup>

**Volunteers & Leaders needed for our parish Fish Fry.** Fridays, 2/20, 2/27, 3/6, 3/13, 3/20 & 3/27. For more info call the parish office, 440-449-4242 Ext. 101.

**Theology on Tap East** discussion series for **Catholic young adults & friends**, married & single, in their 20s & 30s  
**Weds. 1/28, 7-9pm at Jake's Speakeasy** underneath Pizzaz in University Hts. **"Aquinas for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Wisdom from the Angelic Doctor"** with Fr. Jeff Barnish, Moral Theologian for the Diocese of Cleveland. **\$5** at the door or [click here](#) to register.

**St Clare Marian Movement Priests Cenacle** meet Tuesdays after 8:30am Mass to pray for priests & our parish family

**Knights of Columbus** Catholic men 18+ are invited to join to help those in need, serve your parish & grow in your faith. Contact Benny Capretta for more info 216-396-0222 [benjaminCapretta@aol.com](mailto:benjaminCapretta@aol.com)

**Catholic Men's Fellowship** at Sacred Heart of Jesus each 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday, 8-9am, in Mary's Room. Questions or more info call Joe Kolar 216-632-2819 or Ray Andreas 216-403-5336.

**Check out FORMED**, like a Catholic Netflix **FREE to St Clare parishioners**. Go to <https://formed.org/>, click **"Sign Up"**, then **"Sign Up as a Parishioner"**, enter **"St. Clare"** in the box, register your email & create a password to access movies, videos, audio books, teachings, reflections & so much more! This week as we celebrate the Baptism of the

Lord and the end of the Christmas season, let's reflect on the "real work of Christmas" lived out in our lives. Watch & discuss the awesome series [\*\*The Search\*\*](#)

**It is at this exact moment that our faith is most needed!** This weekend we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord ending the Christmas season reminding us to focus on doing the Work of Christmas:

*The Work of Christmas  
When the song of the angels is stilled,  
When the star in the sky is gone,  
When the kings and princes are home,  
When the shepherds are back with their flock,  
The work of Christmas begins:  
To find the lost,  
To heal the broken,  
To feed the hungry,  
To release the prisoner,  
To rebuild the nations,  
To bring peace among others,  
To make music in the heart.  
~ Howard Thurman*