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January 4, 2026



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**Parochial Vicar:** Fr. Adeodatus Rwehumbiza

## The Epiphany of the Lord

**Prince of Peace Parish is on a  
journey to know, love,  
and serve Christ.**

As part of this journey, we are participating in the Diocesan Disciple Maker Index (DMI) to help our parish grow and thrive as a community of missionary disciples.

This brief survey invites you to reflect on your faith journey and share how our parish can better support you. Your input will help guide parish leadership and strengthen our mission.

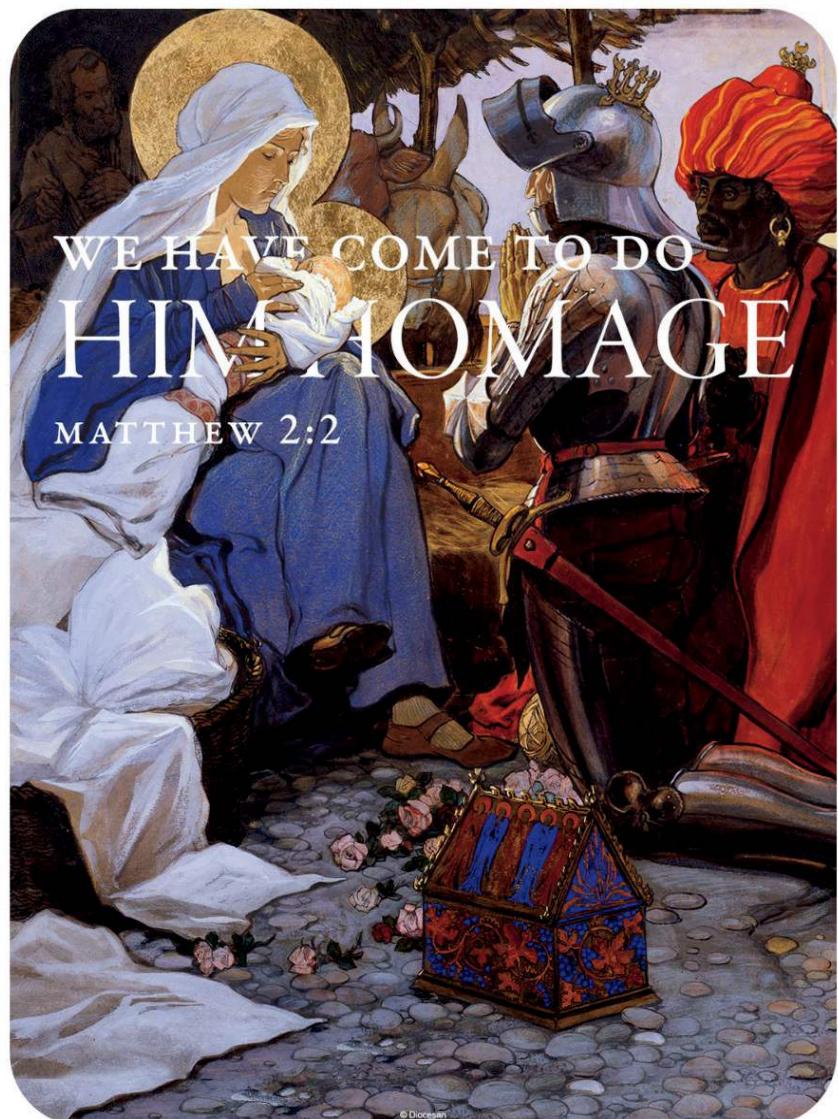
The survey closes on January 6, so this weekend is the final opportunity to participate.

The survey is available online, with paper copies in the Narthex and Parish Office. All responses are confidential.

Thank you for your thoughtful participation and for your prayers for the continued growth and protection of our parish.

Scan the QR code to begin the survey and help guide our parish's future.

**SCAN**



### Mass Times

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 4 pm  
Sunday: 7 am, 9 am (Ad Orientum with incense), 11 am  
Monday - Saturday: 8 am

### Confession Times

Monday: 8:45 to 10 am  
Friday: 5:00 to 6:30 pm

### Office Hours

Sunday: Closed  
Monday - Thursday: 8 am to 3 pm  
Friday & Saturday: Closed

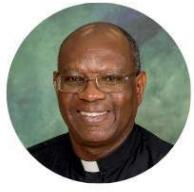
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## Council and Committee Chairs

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## Baptisms

For more information regarding Baptisms at Prince of Peace Parish or to schedule a baptism, please contact Kristal Ostrowski, 623-344-7260 or [Kristal@popscw.org](mailto:Kristal@popscw.org).

## Marriages

If you are interested in getting married at Prince of Peace, please contact Lisa Kragness, 623-344-7283. or [Lisa@popscw.org](mailto:Lisa@popscw.org).

## Annulments

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## Prayer Opportunities

**Divine Mercy Chaplet** - Fridays following 8:00 a.m. Mass in Church

**Healing Prayer Ministry** - Tuesdays at 8:45 a.m. in Church

**Patriotic Rosary** - Mondays following 8:00 a.m. Mass in Church

**Rosary** - Approximately 30 minutes prior to each Mass

**Sacred Heart Charismatic Prayer Group** - Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m. in St. Michael's Hall

**Prayer Shawl** - 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in St. Michael's Hall

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**Tuesday - Thursday** - 8:45 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Friday** - 8:45 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

You are invited you to prayerfully consider committing to a weekly Holy Hour in the Adoration Chapel here at Prince of Peace. Prayer is powerful, especially in the Real Presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Ready to sign-up? Go to: [Princeofpeace.weadorehim.com](http://Princeofpeace.weadorehim.com).



## Gift Bearers Returning to the Liturgy

We are pleased to announce the reintroduction of gift bearers during the celebration of the Holy Mass. This cherished tradition invites members of the faithful to present the bread and wine at the Offertory, symbolizing the offering of our lives and blessings to God.

Individuals, families, and parish groups are encouraged to participate in this meaningful ministry. To volunteer for an upcoming Mass, please sign up at the Hospitality Table before or after the weekend Masses or contact the parish office.

Thank you for helping us enrich the beauty and reverence of our liturgy.

## Mass Intentions for the Week of January 4th

### **Sunday, January 4th**

**7am** Robert Deppensmith †

**9am** Parishioners of Prince of Peace

**11am** Justin Delano †

### **Monday, January 5th**

**8am** John Robert Myers †

### **Tuesday, January 6th**

**8am** Tom Varallo †

### **Wednesday, January 7th**

**8am** Maureen Comstock †

### **Thursday, January 8th**

**8am** Families of Corbett & Hicks †

### **Friday, January 9th**

**8am** Millie Anderson†

### **Saturday, January 10th**

**8am** Nemia J. Go † & Benito Samar Jr. †

**4pm** Parishioners of Prince of Peace

### **Sunday, January 11th**

**7am** James Bolenbach †

**9am** Brandy & Brandon Callis and the Souls in Purgatory

**11am** Living & Deceased Members of the William (Bill) Horner Family

## Mass Intentions

Mass intentions for April–June will open on **Tuesday, January 6**. In accordance with parish policy, intentions are limited to 3 per quarter/6 per year per household and are scheduled based on availability. Please stop by the parish office or contact us to schedule and for any questions.

For Daily Mass readings  
go to

[https://bible.usccb.org/  
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scan the QR code.



## **PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS**

**December 8, 2025- December 14, 2025**

### **TITHING**

Weekly Total .....	\$35,218.85
Weekly Budget .....	\$26,924.25
Weekly Surplus/Deficit .....	\$8,294.60
Fiscal Year-to-date Total .....	\$496,963.36
Fiscal Year-to-date Budget.....	\$566,953.50
Fiscal Year-to-date Surplus/Deficit .....	-\$69,990.14

### **OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS**

Cradle Sunday .....	\$1,350.00
Catechesis Donations.....	\$15.00
Holy Days.....	\$3,601.00
Christmas.....	\$720.00
Gold Envelopes(Maintenance).....	\$265.00
Flowers.....	\$150.00
Misc.....	\$100.00

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# In Loving Memory

Please pray for the following parishioner:

## Paula Mika

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord.  
And let perpetual light shine upon her.  
May the souls of all the faithful departed,  
Through the mercy of God, rest in peace.  
Amen

## Bereavement Support Group

The death of a spouse changes life dramatically and brings with it deep pain and a variety of struggles and emotions. It can be very helpful to gather with others who have experienced a similar loss. A bereavement support group provides the opportunity to share, to learn, and to journey through the pain to hope and new life. If you have lost a spouse, please join us for a eight-week bereavement support group starting **Thursday, January 22nd.**

For information and to sign-up, please contact Lisa Kragness at 623-344-7283 or [lisa@popscw.org](mailto:lisa@popscw.org).

## FIRST FRIDAYS

PRINCE OF PEACE PARISH



### First Friday Schedule

**Friday, January 9th**

**8:00 a.m.** - Mass

**9:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.** - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in St. John Paul II Chapel

**11:00 a.m.** - Communal Anointing of the Sick

**5:00 to 6:30 p.m.** - Confessions

### Communal Anointing of the Sick (Previously called a Healing Service)

On Friday, **January 9th 2026**, at 11 am, we will offer the Communal Anointing of the Sick at Prince of Peace Church. It is an opportunity to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick in a beautiful communal service. (We previously called it a healing service.) Please arrive a little early to sign in and obtain a name tag.

The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is available to those of the faithful whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or advanced age. Illnesses may be of a physical, emotional, mental, or spiritual nature. Elderly persons who have become notably weakened may receive the Sacrament even if no serious illness is present. The Sacrament may be received multiple times in a person's life.

If you, or someone you know, would like to receive the sacrament but are unable to come to church, please call Lisa at 623-344-7283 to arrange for a visit from one of our priests.

**Lord, every nation on earth will adore you**

**Psalm 72:11**



# 2026

HAPPY NEW YEAR

## A New Year, A Renewed Heart in Christ

As the New Year begins, many of us, young and old alike, think about resolutions. We resolve to improve our health, manage our time better, or let go of habits that no longer serve us. While these goals can be good, our Catholic faith invites us to look deeper and ask: How is Jesus calling me to grow this year?

At Prince of Peace Parish, we are reminded that true renewal begins with Christ. A Christian resolution is not simply about self-improvement, but about allowing God to shape our hearts. Whether we are raising families, enjoying retirement, or somewhere in between, each of us is called to grow closer to the Lord.

As you consider your resolutions this year, you might prayerfully choose one rooted in our Catholic faith:

- Set aside time each day for prayer, even a few quiet moments with the Lord.
- Attend Mass faithfully and enter more fully into the Eucharist.
- Receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation regularly and trust in God's mercy.
- Practice charity through kindness, patience, and service to others.
- Spend time with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration, resting in His presence and listening to His voice.
- Grow in faith by reading Scripture or learning more about the teachings of the Church.

Saint Paul reminds us, "If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation" (2 Corinthians 5:17). The New Year is not just a chance to start over, but an invitation to be renewed by God's grace.

**Reflection:**

As this year begins, ask yourself: What is one small step I can take to draw closer to Jesus?

**Prayer:**

Lord Jesus, as we begin this new year, place within our hearts a deeper desire for You. Help us to seek You in prayer, in the Eucharist, and in one another. May our resolutions lead us closer to Your Sacred Heart and guide us to live as Your faithful disciples. Amen.

## Knights of Columbus

**Want more friends? JOIN THE KNIGHTS  
Meeting Times**

**Officers Meeting:** 9:00 a.m. on Second Saturdays

**Council Meeting:** 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Fourth Thursdays in St Michael Hall

**Contact:** John Gambino  
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## Queen of Peace Women's Guild

### Meeting Times

**Monthly Meeting:** 9:00 a.m. Social and 9:30 a.m. meeting on the 1st Wednesday from September to May in St. Michael's Hall.

**Prayer Shawl Ministry:** Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in St. Michael's Hall

**Contact:** Jean Green, 623-824-9817

## St. John Paul II Pro-Life Ministry

### Meeting Times

**Monthly Meeting:** 9:00 a.m. on third Thursdays from August to May in St. Patrick Room.

Monthly Baby Goods collection for Pregnancy Care Centers first Sunday of the month.

Contact: [info@popscw.org](mailto:info@popscw.org) or 623-214-5180

## St. Vincent de Paul News

Today we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, where the Magi find the Newborn King and offer him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. In the spirit of the Magi, please consider giving a donation this year during our monthly SVdP Prince of Peace charity weekend.

May this New Year bring you blessings of comfort and joy.

SVdP Prince of Peace Conference, phone number is 623-738-3822.

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### **Sacred Heart Charismatic Prayer Group**

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### **Seasonal Decorating Ministry**

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### **Vocational Altar Boy & Girl Sacristan Ministry**

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