



# Saint Mark's Catholic Community of the Deaf

**JANUARY 9, 2011  
BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

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Jesus is baptized in the  
Jordan River by St. John  
the Baptist.

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## **BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

**First Reading:** Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7

**Psalm - # 29**

**Second Reading:** Acts 10:34-38

**Gospel:** Matthew 3:13-17

## **NEXT SUNDAY – SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME “A”**

**FIRST READING:** Isaiah 49: 3, 5-6     **PSALM - #40**

**SECOND READING:** 1 Corinthians 1:1-3     **GOSPEL:** John 1:29-34

**BAPTISM OF THE LORD** – The feast of the Baptism of the Lord brings Christmas time to an end. (Christmas time starts with Christmas and not in October or November like in the stores.) In today's feast, Jesus is baptized by his cousin St. John the Baptist. Jesus did not need Baptism but he did it as an example for the people. See photo above. Just as he came up from the water, the Spirit of God came upon him like a dove. Then a voice was heard saying: "This my Beloved Son with whom I am well pleased."

**THANK YOU, FATHER MIKE MCCAFFERY** for being with us today as usual. We appreciate having you with us.

**LINDA AND EUGENE JACULA** sent their best wishes to St. Mark's for Christmas and the New Year from Saskatoon. They miss us.

**PASTORAL WEEK** – Sister Elizabeth will be away from **January 14<sup>th</sup> to January 19<sup>th</sup>** attending the Pastoral Week for Pastoral Workers with the Deaf. This year it is the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the NCOD (National Catholic Office for the Deaf). This workshop will be held in Atlanta, GA.

**COMING BIRTHDAY - ZOFIA LAPIAK** on January 14<sup>th</sup>

**FEAST OF St. Francis de Sales**, patron of the Deaf on January 24<sup>th</sup>

**A BLESSED, PEACEFUL AND HAPPY NEW YEAR TO EVERYONE**



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