



# ST. JOSEPH PARISH

THE JESUIT PARISH IN SEATTLE

Sunday, January 7, 2023 \* The Epiphany of the Lord \* [www.stjosephparish.org](http://www.stjosephparish.org)



## Epiphany

"Wise Women Also Came" by Jan Richardson - [www.janrichardsonimages.com](http://www.janrichardsonimages.com)

**Epiphany**  
**JANUARY 7, 2024**

**Mass Times:** Saturday, 5pm, Sunday, 9:00am,  
11:00am (Livestream w/ASL) 5:30pm

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays 3:30 to 4:30pm

**Weekday Mass Schedule:** Tuesday-Friday, 7am

**Parish Center - 732 18th Ave E, Seattle, WA 98112**

**January 14, 2024**

FIRST READING: 1SAMUEL 3:3B-10, 19

SECOND READING: 1CORINTHIANS 6:13C-15A, 17-20

GOSPEL: JOHN 1:35-42

PRESIDING: CHRIS CARTWRIGHT, S.J.

PREACHING: DEACON STEVE WODZANOWSKI

**Mass Intentions:**

1/7 For the people of St. Joseph

1/7 Helena Bugnacki

1/9, 1/10, 1/11 Gary G.

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## A Note from Fr. Chris



Dear Friends,

We are just a week into the new year and our 'resolutions' still have a bit of sparkle and gleam to them. But already we can see some smudges; a scratch or dent or maybe a bit of 'fade' is shadowing the shine that once was there.

Makes me think of a bit of humor you might enjoy:

*So far today, Lord, I've done all right.*

*I haven't gossiped, haven't lost my temper;*

*I haven't been greedy, or grumpy, or nasty,*

*or selfish, or over-indulgent.*

*I'm really glad about that.*

*But in a few minutes, Lord,*

*I'm going to get out of bed*

*to start the day and from then on*

*I'm probably going to need a lot of help. Amen.*

Yes, the year may be new - but I am not! Still working on most of the same bad habits and patterns that have been with me for years.

I will need God's help; it's what God does.

God can make us holy; and it pleases God to do it!

Happy Epiphany!

~ Fr. Chris

# EPIPHANY

## Procession

### *We Three Kings*

*Hopkins*

1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are; Bear - ing  
 2. Born a King on Beth - le - hem's plain, Gold I  
 3. Frank - in - cense to of - fer have I; In - cense  
 4. Myrrh is mine: its bit - ter per - fume Breathes a  
 gifts, we trav - erse a - far Field and foun - tain,  
 bring to crown him a - gain; King for - ev - er,  
 owns a De - i - ty nigh; Prayer and prais - ing,  
 life of gath - er - ing gloom; Sor - rowing, sigh - ing,  
 Moor and moun - tain, Fol - low - ing yon - der star.  
 Ceas - ing nev - er, O - ver us all to reign.  
 Glad - ly rais - ing, Wor - ship - ing God on high.  
 Bleed - ing, dy - ing, Sealed in the stone - cold tomb.  
 O star of won - der, star of night, Star with roy - al beau - ty bright, West - ward  
 lead - ing, still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to the per - fect Light.

## Gloria

*Gates*

1. Glo - ry to our God on high; peace to all on earth who dwell.  
 2. Je - sus, on - ly Son of God, Lamb of God, our sins you bear;  
 3. You a - lone, O Ho - ly One, You a - lone are Lord most high;  
 Migh - ty God and heav'n - ly King we wor - ship You, we give you thanks.  
 Sea - ted at our God's right hand, show us mer - cy, hear our pray'r.  
 with the Spi - rit in God's glo - ry, now to you our voi - ces sing.  
 Glo - - - - - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o.  
 Glo - - - - - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o.

## First Reading

Isaiah 60:1-6

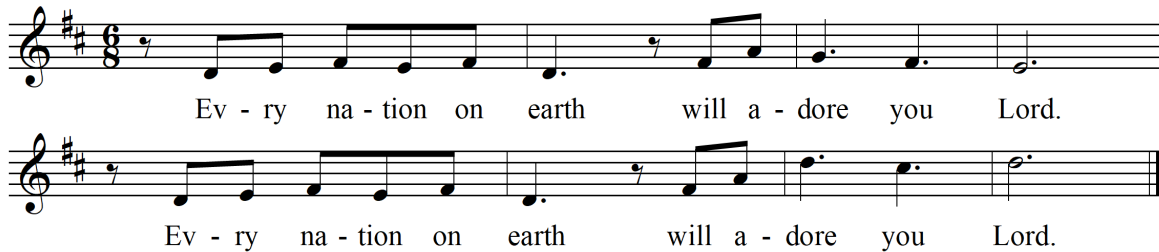
Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come,  
the glory of the Lord shines upon you.  
See, darkness covers the earth,  
and thick clouds cover the peoples;  
but upon you the LORD shines,  
and over you appears his glory.  
Nations shall walk by your light,  
and kings by your shining radiance.  
Raise your eyes and look about;  
they all gather and come to you:  
your sons come from afar,  
and your daughters in the arms of their nurses.

Then you shall be radiant at what you see,  
your heart shall throb and overflow,  
for the riches of the sea shall be emptied out before you,  
the wealth of nations shall be brought to you.  
Caravans of camels shall fill you,  
dromedaries from Midian and Ephah;  
all from Sheba shall come  
bearing gold and frankincense,  
and proclaiming the praises of the LORD.

## Psalm

*Psalm 72*

*Joncas*



O God, with your judgment endow the king; with your justice endow the king's son.  
With justice he will govern your people, your afflicted ones with right judgment. *Ref.*

Justice shall flow'r in his days, lasting peace 'til the moon be no more.  
May he rule from sea to sea, from the river to the ends of the earth. *Ref.*

The kings of Tarshish and the Isles offer gifts, those from Seba and Arabia bring tribute.  
All kings shall pay him their homage, all nations shall serve him. *Ref.*

He rescues the poor when they cry out, the afflicted with no one to help.  
The lowly and poor he shall pity, the lives of the poor he will save. *Ref.*

## Second Reading

Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

Brothers and sisters: You have heard of the stewardship of God's grace that was given to me for your benefit, namely, that the mystery was made known to me by revelation. It was not made known to people in other generations as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that the Gentiles are coheirs, members of the same body, and copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel.

## Gospel Acclamation

*Chepponis*



*We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage.*

## Gospel

Matthew 2:1-12

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was greatly troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. Assembling all the chief priests and the scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it has been written through the prophet:

*And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah,  
are by no means least among the rulers of Judah;  
since from you shall come a ruler,  
who is to shepherd my people Israel. "*

Then Herod called the magi secretly and ascertained from them the time of the star's appearance. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search diligently for the child. When you have found him, bring me word, that I too may go and do him homage." After their audience with the king they set out. And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed for their country by another way.

## Homily

Matthew Pyrc, S.J.

## Profession of Faith

I believe in God,  
the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

*All bow.*  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
*All stand upright.*

suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen



## Offertory Song

### *What Child is This*

*Dix/GREENSLEEVES*

1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, On  
2. Why lies he in such mean es - tate Where  
3. So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh; Come,

Mar - y's lap is sleep - ing, Whom an - gels greet with  
ox and ass are feed - ing? Good Chris - tian, fear; for  
peas - ant, king, to own him. The King of kings sal -

an - thems sweet While shep - herds watch are keep - ing?  
sin - ners here The si - lent Word is plead - ing.  
va - tion brings; Let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.

This, this is Christ the King, Whom shep - herds guard and an - gels sing;

Haste, haste to bring him laud, The babe, the son of Mar - y.

## Holy, Holy, Holy

### *Mass of Christ the Savior*

*Schutte*

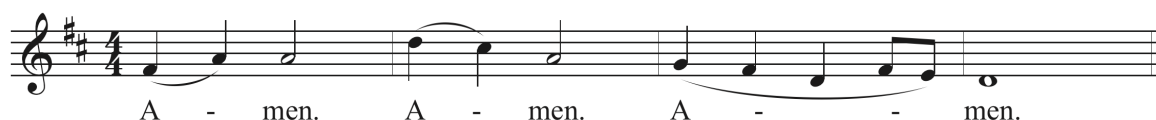
Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are  
full, are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na! Ho-san - na! Ho-  
san-na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he who comes, who comes in the name of the  
Lord. Ho - san - na! Ho-san - na! Ho-san-na in the high - est.

## Mystery of Faith

When we eat this\_ bread, and drink this cup, — we pro-  
claim your death O Lord, — un - til you come a — gain.



## Great Amen



## Lamb of God



### ALL ARE INVITED TO COME FORWARD

During communion, we invite all to come forward. If you do not ordinarily receive Eucharist, or choose not to, come for a blessing, indicating your desire by putting your hand on your heart. If you have need of a gluten free host, please come to the presider and make that known.

## Communion Song

### *The First Nowell*



## Recessional

### Epiphany Carol

1. Ev - 'ry na - tion sees the glo - ry Of a  
2. Ev - 'ry tongue shall sing the prais - es Of his  
3. Once a - gain may we dis - cov - er Word made  
4. Gath - er, God, the world to - geth - er In the

star that pierced the night. As we tell the won-drous  
birth in deep - est night. He is heal - ing for the  
flesh sent from a - bove. In our neigh - bor, sis - ter,  
bright - ness of your day. Fill our hearts with joy for -

sto - ry We are bathed in ra - diant light.  
a - ges; He is Christ, our God's de - light.  
broth - er, In the lone - ly and un - loved.  
ev - er; Help us walk the ho - ly way.

Star sent forth from high - est heav - en, Danc - ing  
He pro - claims with - in his be - ing All our  
May we touch him, may we hold him, May we  
May your jus - tice rule the na - tions; May all

light of God's de - sign, Shine up - on the gift that's  
hopes, our great de - sires. He shall die to rise, re -  
cra - dle him with care As we learn to love each  
peo - ple live as one. Now we see our true sal -

giv - en: Word made flesh now born in time.  
deem - ing All who fol - low with their lives.  
oth - er, Bring - ing hope from out de - spair.  
va - tion In the glo - ry of your Son.

## New Giving Platform for the New Year

We are excited to announce that our parish has begun using Pushpay as our new giving solution. Pushpay is an industry leader known for creating an easy, secure way for to manage your own giving from the convenience of a mobile device or your computer (gifts by check or cash won't be affected!).

On the following page, you'll find detailed instructions for how to set up new RECURRING donations, and how to cancel your current recurring donations on OSV, our previous giving platform. Don't feel comfortable doing it yourself? We will have volunteers after Mass to help on February 4th! You will have until May to move your recurring donations, but don't wait until then!

Don't have a recurring donation? No problem! Pushpay accepts *one-time donations* easily. All the giving links on our website and the QR codes in the bulletin now automatically redirect to the Pushpay site. Just follow the link, select "Give One Time," enter an amount, and click "Next." The site will ask you to enter a phone number to sign in, but you can also give as a "guest" by clicking the "How does mobile sign in work?" button.



<https://pushpay.com/g/stjosephparishseattle>





**We Have a New Online  
Giving Platform!**

**Do You  
Donate  
Online?  
Read Me!**

# **Register Your New Online Giving Account**

## **1 Set up a new recurring gift using Pushpay**



Visit [www.stjosephparish.org](http://www.stjosephparish.org) and click on "PushPay," or scan the QR code.

\*The "recurring" option should already be selected, and you can simply set up your automatic gift, after which you will be prompted to complete the set up of your new account.

## **2 Cancel your scheduled gifts on OSV**



*(Only if you have a current recurring gift set up.)* Go to <https://osvhub.com/stjosephparish/giving/funds/stewardship> (or scan the QR code) and cancel your previously-scheduled recurring gifts on the old online giving platform, OSV.

- Click on "My Gifts" at the top of the screen.
- Click on the three dots to the right of any "Upcoming Gifts"
- Select "Cancel Gift"

### **Questions?**

**Ask Mary! – [maryw@stjosephparish.org](mailto:maryw@stjosephparish.org) – (206) 965-1654**



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# "I WILL LIVE UNTIL I DIE"

## A MUSICAL OF THE LIFE OF SR. THEA BOWMAN

### STARRING VALLIMAR JANSEN



## SAVE THE DATE

MARCH 1 & MARCH 2  
ST. PATRICK CHURCH  
815 E EDGAR ST, SEATTLE, WA



Save the Date for a this once-in-a-lifetime experience! Experience an original musical with 14 beloved Spirituals, four classic Gregorian chants, and a talented cast bringing to life the story of the dynamic Black Catholic Sister, Thea Bowman.

Follow her journey from Canton, Mississippi, to the all-white community of Lacrosse, Wisconsin, where she became a Sister and eventually a world-renowned social activist and pioneer of intercultural awareness, unity and acceptance.

Acclaimed playwright Vallimar Jansen plays Sr. Thea, along with local actors in supporting roles. You won't want to miss it! More information about the play at [www.stjosephparish.org/theabowman](http://www.stjosephparish.org/theabowman). Tickets available in 2024!



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# Students Doing Justice: A Presentation on IFTJ 2023

## January 10 - 7pm

## St. Joe's Parish Center

In October, over 1,800 High School and College Students from Jesuit Preps and Universities, including students from Seattle Prep, attended the Ignatian Family Teach-In for Justice in Washington, DC.

Over the weekend, they networked with students from all over the US, participated in workshops and plenary sessions on Justice issues, learned about advocacy and community organizing, stood in solidarity as advocates in front of the US Capitol, and met with their legislators to share their concerns.

Now that they are back home, the students who attended from Seattle Prep would like to share their experiences with the Jesuit Works in Seattle, their school community, their parents, and parishioners at St. Joe's. Join us for this special event!



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# EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



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## ***Living Water: The Ebb and Flow of Marriage***

### **Marriage Enrichment Weekend**

LaConner, Washington  
February 2nd - 4th, 2024

**\$475 per couple\***  
*Partial scholarships available*

\*Price includes two nights lodging, Continental breakfast on Saturday and Sunday, and the Saturday evening group dinner.

For details and to register, please contact  
Deacon Steve Wodzanowski at  
(206) 965-1646 or [steve@stjosephparish.org](mailto:steve@stjosephparish.org)

### **Sister Parish**

#### **Sister Parish Committee/Delegation Meeting - January 11th, 7pm at the Parish Center**

Interested in joining the Summer 2024 delegation trip to our Sister Parish in El Salvador, or interested in how you can support the Sister Parish from Seattle? Join us on January 11th at 7pm at the Parish Center for an informational/planning meeting with the Sister Parish Committee!

Email [markp@stjosephparish.org](mailto:markp@stjosephparish.org) with any questions.

### **Seniors Ministry**

Thursday, January 18th 10:30 am - **Book discussion *Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet*, by James Ford.** Please read the book before you come, if you need a copy, call or email Mary Wiseman, [maryw@stjosephparish.org](mailto:maryw@stjosephparish.org) or 206.965.1654. (In February we'll take a tour of the areas in the book).

Friday, February 2nd, 11:30 am - **First Friday Healing Mass followed by lunch!** If possible, please bring \$5 to contribute to lunch expenses.

## New! Pax Christi Group Launch



**Saturday, January 20 in the Arupe Room, St. Joe's Parish Center - 10:00-11:30 am**

Are you interested in learning more about what Catholics can do for peace? Would you like to do something for nuclear disarmament? Have you ever wondered how people can live nonviolently?

If you are interested in any of these questions, come to an informational meeting about establishing a parish chapter of Pax Christi USA, the national Catholic peace movement. We will pray for peace, learn about what Pax Christi membership offers, and discuss meeting formats and future topics

The meeting will be facilitated by Jim Thomas, a lifelong Pax Christi member and a participant with Archbishop Paul Etienne on the Pilgrimage of Peace to Hiroshima and Nagasaki last August. **Please RSVP by emailing Jim: [paxpilgrim@gmail.com](mailto:paxpilgrim@gmail.com).**

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## Sacred Salmon Campaign Update

St. Joseph's Climate Justice Committee is pleased to report on the Lower Snake River situation that we have been closely following as we advocate for Sacred Salmon. After years of legal wrangling, as of December 15, the federal government and six Northwest tribes agreed on measures with the potential to reverse the salmon extinction trajectory.

With this turning point, the government will help build tribally-sponsored clean energy projects (one to three gigawatts) to replace energy currently supplied by the dams. In addition, studies about how to replace other Lower Snake River services (transportation, irrigation, recreation) will provide Congress with additional information to take subsequent action.

The historic agreement does not yet ensure removal of the dams. Rather, it provides a pathway to better understand what is needed and it preserves options to do the right thing. The Climate Justice committee is grateful for this progress. From last October, we thank you, dear parishioners, for cards or other contact methods to key leaders. Democracy in action! No doubt we will need to continue to watch and support next steps in this critical project. May progress continue!



# 2024 MLK MASS



15 JANUARY 2024  
11:00 AM

**NOW IS THE TIME TO  
MAKE REAL THE  
PROMISES OF  
DEMOCRACY**

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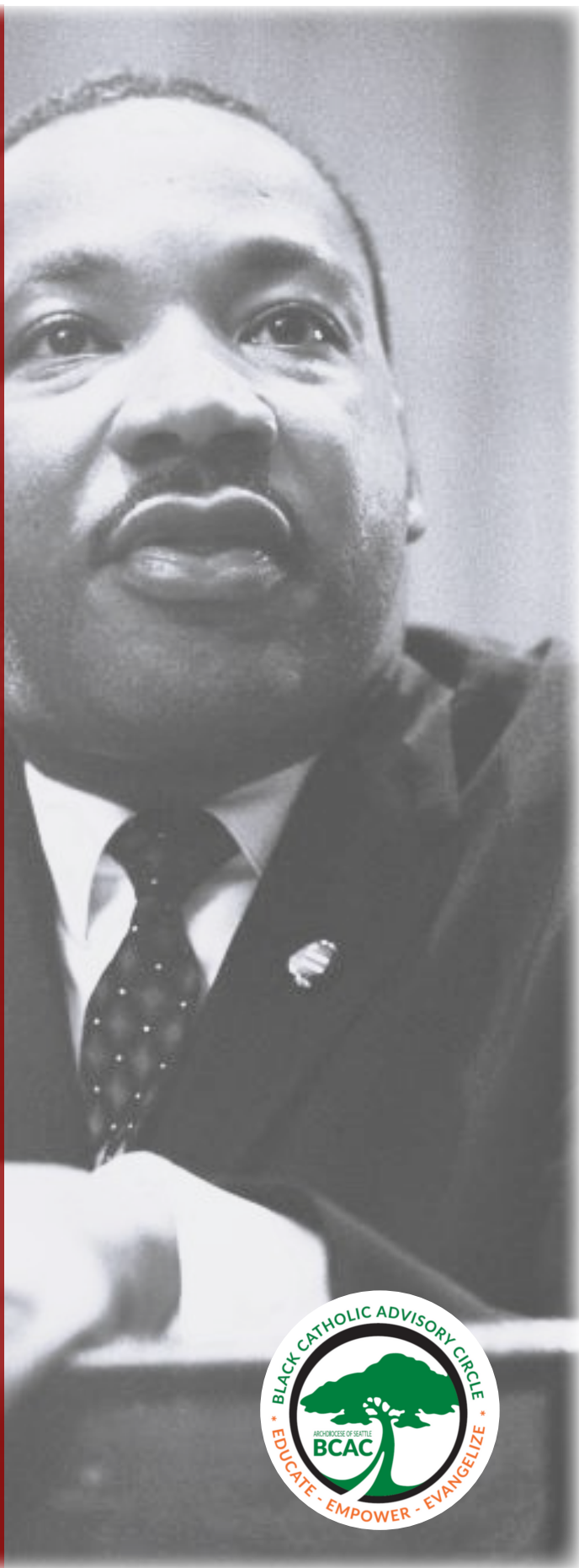
Seattle University Campus Ministry

## **LOCATION**

Seattle University - St. Ignatius Chapel  
901 12th Avenue | Seattle, Washington

Very Rev. Gary F. Lazzeroni, Celebrant

[www.bcacseattle.org](http://www.bcacseattle.org)





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# WINTER DAY OF REFLECTION

*A one-day guided silent retreat to reflect on the past year and look ahead*

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 2024**

**9 AM - 3 PM PST | ONLINE VIA ZOOM**

**ALYSSA PEREZ, PRESENTER**



After a year full of both growth and challenge, we pause for a moment to take a breath, give thanks, grow in awareness of God's love, and seek hope for the journey ahead. Through the movements of the Examen, we will look back at our experiences, and with an open heart, embrace the path before us and usher in the new year.

This silent mini-retreat includes brief presentations leading you through four movements of the Examen, guidelines for prayer, abundant time for personal reflection and journaling, and a small group at the end of the day—all designed to support you on your spiritual journey.

This program is for anyone who is interested in Ignatian spirituality. All are welcome!

**For more information and to register, visit  
[www.ignatiancenter.org/winter-day-of-reflection](http://www.ignatiancenter.org/winter-day-of-reflection)**

*Please register by January 24*



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