

# HARVEST NEWS



**February 25, 2024**  
THE 2ND SUNDAY IN LENT



#CONNECTINGPOINT

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The first words we hear this Sunday in the Liturgy of the Word are “God put Abraham to the test.” This week’s Connecting Point, and Lent in general, are God putting each one of us to the test, but, unlike Abraham, we get to choose the test.

God asked Abraham to sacrifice his son. As a parent, it’s impossible to

fathom Abraham’s courage and trust in God to be willing to do this. As a parent, I would do anything to save my child, including sacrificing myself, as I am sure most parents would agree.

While not quite on the same level, each Lent, most Catholics look for something to give up (i.e., sacrifice)

for the duration of the season as a form of fasting. It is often a small pleasure or indulgence, but it is a sacrifice for us, nonetheless. Like me, you may choose the same sacrifice each year, but this Sunday’s Connecting Point asks us to rethink our fasts.

The question isn’t what we want to

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# Calendar

FEBRUARY 25 - MARCH 3

SUN **25**

7:30 AM **MASS** CH  
9:30 AM **MASS/CLW** CH  
10:30 AM **OCIA** ECR  
11:30 AM **MASS/CLW** CH  
5:30 PM **MASS** CH

MON **26**

8 AM **MASS** CH  
8:45 AM **ARMCHAIR AEROBICS** RC  
4:30 PM **DISCIPLESHIP FORMATION** CH  
6:15 PM **DISCIPLESHIP FORMATION** CH  
7 PM **SOCIAL JUSTICE** REC

TUE **27**

6:30 AM **MEN'S BIBLE STUDY** VIR  
8 AM **MASS** CH  
9 AM **ADORATION/ BENEDICTION** RC  
9 AM **MARY, A BIBLICAL WALK...** CR9  
1 PM **COMFORT CRAFTERS** FCR  
4:30 PM **DISCIPLESHIP FORMATION** CH  
6:15 PM **DISCIPLESHIP FORMATION** CH

WED **28**

8 AM **MASS** CH  
9:30 AM **SCRIPTURE GROUP** RC  
2 PM **FORGOTTEN HARVEST** PL  
7 PM **MARY, A BIBLICAL WALK...** RC  
7 PM **CHOIR REHEARSAL** MR

THU **29**

8 AM **MASS** CH  
5:30 PM **MINDFULNESS MEDITATION** CR10  
7 PM **HISPANIC ROSARY** FCR  
7:30 PM **TEEN ENSEMBLE REHEARSAL** MR

FRI **1**

7 AM **ADORATION** CH  
8 AM **MASS** CH  
8:45 AM **FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP** SH  
4 PM **DINNER & MOVIES** CR9 & 10  
4 PM **K OF C FISH FRY** SH  
7 PM **STATIONS OF THE CROSS** CH

SAT **2**

9 AM **FOP LITURGICAL MINISTERS RETREAT** SH  
3:15 PM **CONFESSIONS** CH  
4 PM **FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY** CH  
4:30 PM **MASS** CH

SUN **3**

7:30 AM **MASS** CH  
9:30 AM **MASS/CLW** CH  
10:30 AM **OCIA** ECR  
11:15 AM **BRIGHT BEGINNINGS** SH  
11:30 AM **MASS/CLW** CH  
5:30 PM **MASS** CH  
6:30 PM **FOP EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL EVENT** CH

# FR. RON'S *Reflections*



As we continue this season of Lent, we are reminded that Lent is a community experience. Our focus as a parish is on the Catechumens and Candidates for Full Communion as they prepare for the Easter Sacraments, and on our parish, that we may be purified to receive new members.

Our Family of Parishes Lenten Journal is one way of connecting with members of our three parishes, as we all share this prayer

form together. The reason we are called to abstain from meat on the Fridays of Lent is that we do this penance together, with our fellow parishioners and Catholics throughout the world. To eat meat on Friday is not so much a "sin" against God as it is a "sin" against the community, as it cuts off from the community. And cutting ourselves off from the community is cutting ourselves off from God.

We encourage you to join the

community in other ways this Lent: participating in weekend and daily Mass; joining us for the Stations of the Cross; participating in our Lenten Giving Tree; and coming together with the community at our Friday Fish Fry.

Lent is a time for both personal and communal renewal. Let's keep both in mind and in prayer.

## ► Connecting Point (cont'd)

sacrifice, but what God calls us to sacrifice. Each reading this Sunday involves listening to God, which is how we can differentiate those two ideas. To learn what God was calling him to do, Abraham had to listen. Then, in the Gospel, when Jesus and his disciples went up the mountain, God told the disciples to listen to Jesus.

We know that we need to listen, but

sometimes, we only hear what we want to hear and block out the rest. If you are fasting from a small pleasure or indulgence, it's not too late to stop, listen to God, and pray on what may be a more meaningful sacrifice on your Lenten journey. True sacrifice allows us to be imitators of Christ, thereby sharing in his suffering, fostering a deeper connection with Jesus, and acknowledging his sacrifice for our sins.

Overall, the sacrifice of fasting during Lent is not just about abstaining from food or certain pleasures; it's a holistic spiritual practice designed to bring us closer to God and better prepare us to celebrate his Resurrection at Easter. So, what are you going to sacrifice from this point forward?

# EVENTS



**SAT | MAR 2 | 4 PM**

## FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY

Join fellow parishioners as we pray the First Saturday Rosary in community on Saturday, April 2 at

4 PM in the church. We will finish in time for private reflection before 4:30 Mass.



**SAT, MAR 2 AT ST. ISIDORE OR SAT, MAR 16 AT ST. THERESE**

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS RETREAT: LISTENING, LOVING, BECOMING

Enjoy a few hours in community with your fellow ministers learning, reflecting, and praying together. Two sessions available:

**Sat, Mar 2 at St. Isidore**

9 AM - Noon

Continental breakfast provided.

Register at 586-286-1700

**Sat, Mar 16 at St. Therese**

1 - 4 PM

Light lunch provided.

Register at 586-254-4433

Admission to both is free.



**SUN | MAR 3 | TWO SESSIONS AVAILABLE**

## I AM HERE

Join us for an evening of witnessing the power of Jesus' real presence in the Holy Eucharist. Be inspired by testimonies of real people and be renewed in your devotion to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

Two Sessions Available:

- St. Francis/St. Maximilian Kolbe, following the 12:30 PM Mass (SPANISH)
- St. Isidore, following the 5:30 PM Mass (ENGLISH)

*Brought to you by the Disciples Unleashed Family of Parishes.*





THUR | MAR 7 | 12:30 | ST. THERESE

## HAND ARTHRITIS LECTURE

St. Therese of Lisieux is hosting a lecture on Arthritis of the Hand, Hand Pain and Treatment Options. Fabiha Nishat, Occupational Therapist, Registered (OTR) from Plymouth Physical Therapy Specialists, will present. Please

RSVP for the lecture with St. Therese's Parish Office Secretary at 586-254-4433, or Marilyn Cito the Parish Nurse at 586-254-4433 Ext. #320, or Marilync@stol.church. A light lunch will be provided.



SAT | MAR 9 | CHECK-IN 8 AM | ST. JOHN VIANNEY

## THE HOLY TRINITY APOSTOLATE 21ST LENTEN SYMPOSIUM

Join this prayer-themed Lenten Symposium. Check-in and registration begins at 8 AM, program begins at 8:30 AM. Speakers include Mother Veritas, the Prioress General, Sisters of Mary Mother of the Eucharist, and more. A Holy Relic of Bl. Carlo will

be at the event. Cost is \$20 (pre-paid) or \$25 at the door. Checks payable to: Holy Trinity Apostolate, (54045 Schoenherr, Shelby Twp.) or drop the registration off at St. John Vianney's Parish office. No charge for Seminarians.



SUN | MAR 10 | 1 - 5 PM

## GAME DAY & CHICKEN DINNER

Bring your friends and your choice of game. You play while the Altar Society does the work. Full Chicken Dinner including coffee or tea, and dessert! Cost: \$20 per person, which includes snacks, door prizes, Spring Raffle, 50/50, and more. (Raffle Tickets Extra.)

**Dinner tickets** will be sold after all Masses Feb. 24-25 & Mar. 2-3

**Raffle tickets** will be sold after all Masses Feb. 24-25, Mar. 2-3, Mar. 9 & morning Masses only Mar. 10  
For additional information: Kathy Shipton 586-291-7769.

*Sponsored by St. Isidore Altar Society.*



SAT | MAR 16 | 10 AM - 3 PM

## PALM WEAVING WORKSHOP

Stop in any time between 10 AM and 3 PM to learn how to weave palms. All materials are supplied and the workshop is free. Everyone is

welcome, so bring a friend! Please call to let us know you are coming 586-286-1700.

# EVENTS (CONT'D)



**SAT | MAR 16 | CHECK-IN 5:45 | ST. FRANCIS/ST. MAX**

## K OF C EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

Come out for the Monthly Euchre Tournament at St. Francis-St. Maximilian! Enjoy fellowship and fun, competing with friends old and

new. All skill levels welcome. Come for a night of cards and community. Games start at 6:30. \$20 entry fee.



**SAT | MAR 16 | TWO SESSIONS | ST. FRANCIS/ST. MAX**

## THE REST OF THE STORY

Where is your desert? Our spiritual journey can often feel like a desert. There is more than sand and sagebrush. Join us at St. Francis-St. Maximilian for the "Rest of the Story." Two Sessions Available:

- Mon, Feb. 26 at 6:30 PM - starts with a potluck (bring enough for you and some to share).
- Thurs, Feb 29 at 10:00 AM (join us for Mass at 9:00).



**FRIDAYS THROUGH MAR 22 | 4 - 6:30 PM**

## COME, ENJOY A FREE MOVIE DURING LENT

We are excited to offer a free movie each Friday during Lent along with the St. Isidore Fish Fry. Make it a "Dinner and Movie" by enjoying a short Lenten learning video in Classrooms 9 & 10, either before or after dinner. Various show times

available from 4 - 6:30 PM. No tickets or dinner purchase required to enjoy the movie. We hope you join us each week and learn more about what is in the box, miracles all around us, and why Divine Mercy may be the best gift from God.



**FRIDAYS THROUGH MAR 22 | 4 - 7 PM**

## K OF C LENTEN FISH FRY

Enjoy food, music, and fellowship featuring dine-in, take-out, and drive-thru. Enter from Romeo Plank. Proceeds will support local K of C charities. Cash, check, or credit card accepted and prices include sales tax. Menu (no substitutions):

**Dinner (\$14):** One Entree: fried cod,

baked cod, or fried shrimp. Sides included: redskin potatoes, coleslaw, mac-&-cheese, and roll.

**Lite Meal (\$6):** One Entree: 2 slices of cheese pizza or mac-&-cheese. Sides included: coleslaw and roll.

*Allergy Warning - Fish and Shellfish may come in contact with one another during cooking. Sponsored by St. Isidore Knights of Columbus Council #7200*



**THROUGH MARCH 24 | 10 AM | OFFSITE**

## 40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Join us in prayer to save lives by joining *40 Days for Life*, the worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion! We will meet in front of Woman Care (on the boulevard), at 11474 15 Mile Road, Sterling Heights, Mondays -

Saturdays, from 10 - 11 AM. You're welcome to come any day or every day. No need to register, just show up. Don't forget to bring your rosary. Contact Linda at 586-615-6497 with any questions.



**MON, APR 15 - WED, APR 24**

## 10 DAY PILGRIMAGE TO IRELAND

This 10-day pilgrimage with Fr. Chris Talbot includes, but is not limited to, visits to Dublin, Knock, The Cliffs of Moher, Killarney, Blarney, Holycross Abbey, and Glendalough.

Price: \$4,995 (Airfare from Detroit

included.)

Use the QR code to access itinerary details and to register.

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## ► K of C Vocations Pasta Dinner - Thank You

K of C Council 7200 recently hosted a Vocations Pasta Dinner fundraiser. Seminarians Charles Bemiss and Mathew Yousif from Sacred Heart Major Seminary (SHMS) visited and spent the evening with fellow parishioners, family, and friends. The attendees enjoyed a wonderful dinner and listened to both seminarians discuss life as a seminarian and their anticipated upcoming trip in May to Europe. This pilgrimage will give them experiences that will enliven the Scriptures in their future priestly ministries. Thank

you to everyone who participated or volunteered. Your generosity made this a very worthwhile event, as almost \$2,300.00 was raised. Vivat Jesus! (Jesus lives!)



## ► Blessing Blankets - Thank You!

On Sunday, February 11, a group of our 8th Graders and parents got together to make fleece Blessing Blankets. Their hard work paid off as they were able to complete 61 blankets! These blankets will be delivered to Friends of Foster Kids, which is a local charity that is near and dear to our hearts.

A special thank you to our Knights, the Bruck family, and all of our parishioners who donated the fleece. We couldn't do this without your support. Thank you also to Deacon Jeff who supplied a generous amount of holy water and blessings on the attendees and the blankets.





## ► Could This Be You?

👤 Larry Opalewski 📞 586-286-2104

Ever have the feeling you would like to give a little more of yourself to some kind of activity where you could help others without taking up too much of your time? Looking for an opportunity where you could show others some Christian charity in the form of sympathy, compassion, and warmth during their time of need?

Perhaps the Funeral Server Ministry is just the answer for you. We are looking for men and women of all ages who could devote a couple of hours a month to helping their fellow Christians during their time of sorrow in the loss of a loved one. Perhaps we are looking for you. Funeral Servers assist the priest with the funeral service which normally includes Holy Mass and appropriate

memorial ceremonies for the deceased and the grieving family and friends. It is a special way to give of yourself by honoring our beloved deceased brothers and sisters and extending comfort and support to their families.

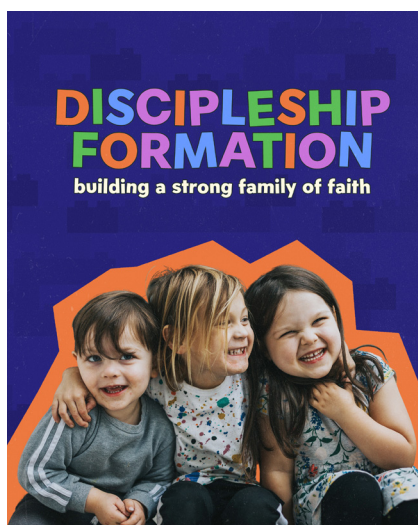
Funerals are held on weekdays and Saturday mornings, normally at 10:00 AM or 12:00 PM. Only a couple of hours at the most would be needed of your time for any one such rewarding experience. Training would be provided and you would serve with an experienced partner. The more teams we have the fewer times you would have to serve per month.

Sound like something you could do? Do you think you might be



able to spare a couple of hours a month, whether on weekday mornings, or Saturday mornings, as your busy schedule permits, to reach out to others in this special way? You might be surprised at how rewarding it could be for you. If you are interested or would like to know more about this worthy ministry, please call Larry Opalewski.

God may be calling you to help His children in this special way. Won't you please consider volunteering? Thank You.



## Upcoming Events

- March 4 & 5 – First Communion Bread Baking
- March 10 – Daylight Savings Time Starts
- March 11 & 12 – Discover Your Church

### The 2nd Sunday in Lent

In today's reading, we are shown Jesus' fulfillment of all that was promised to the people of Israel and we receive the message "This is my beloved Son. Listen to him."

### Family Time Challenge

Spend some time this week in silence listening to God. Be sure to share your experiences with each other.



## ▶ Divine Mercy Image

Sue Rebitts [evangelization@stisidore.church](mailto:evangelization@stisidore.church)



During the 1930's, Jesus revealed himself to Sister Faustina, a simple and holy nun, in Poland. He called her

to be his secretary and his apostle of mercy. He spoke to her of his mercy and the way he wants us to respond to it. Through Sr. Faustina, Our Lord gave us special means of drawing on his mercy. They are a Feast of Divine Mercy, an Image of the Divine Mercy, a Novena, a Chaplet of Divine Mercy, and a 3:00 Hour of Divine Mercy, the hour of His death.

Jesus appeared to Sr. Faustina and told her to have the image painted according to the pattern that she saw before her. In the image, the glorified Jesus comes forth from the darkness, his right hand raised in blessing and left foot stepping forward in search of lost sheep. From Jesus' sacred body emanates blood (red ray) and water (pale ray). These two rays defeat Satan's only two weapons: sin and death. The cleansing waters

of Baptism and the healing words of Confession wipe away sin. Death is wiped away by life - and life to the Jews was in the blood. Blood provides us life, so we receive Jesus' body, blood, soul, and divinity in the Eucharist. These rays represent what Christ asks us to do on the Feast of Divine Mercy Sunday (April 7th this year), go to Confession and receive Holy Communion. You will find this image in St. Isidore Church on the wall above the confessional.

Jesus said, "I am offering people a vessel with which they are to keep coming for graces to the fountain of Mercy. That vessel is this image with the signature, 'Jesus, I trust in You.' By means of this image, I shall grant many graces to souls." (Diary 327 & 742)

## ▶ Reconciliation: An Opportunity

There are many great reasons to take advantage of the opportunity for Confession.

Confession is a Holy Sacrament of the Catholic Church through which we seek forgiveness for our sins. We name our sins, claim them, and ask forgiveness so that we can be spiritually cleansed and begin anew.

Sin separates us from God. Through Confession, we reconcile with God by acknowledging our faults and seeking forgiveness.

Admitting our sins to the priest fosters a sense of accountability for our actions. This accountability can help us grow in determination and moral improvement. Oftentimes, the

priest may offer guidance and advice on how to avoid the sin in the future and how to grow in our spirituality.

In addition to our weekly opportunity for confession here at St. Isidore on Saturdays at 3:15 PM, here are the Lenten 2024 opportunities offered in our North Macomb community:

- St. Isidore - Monday, March 18 - 7:00 PM
- St. Lawrence - Wednesday, March 20 - 7:00 PM
- St. Kieran - Saturday, March 23 - 1:00 PM
- St. John Vianney - Monday, March 25 - 7:00 PM

Come to Confession. Be forgiven.



## ► Power in Prayer

February is traditionally dedicated to the Holy Family.

**This Week's Intention:** An increase in mercy

**Suggested Prayer:** Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.

**Suggested Activity:** Practice the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy.



*Be merciful even as your Father is merciful.*

Luke 6:36



## Did You Know? Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy

Lent is the perfect time to exercise our mercy muscles. The 7 Corporal Works are feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, sheltering the travelers, comforting the prisoners, visiting the sick, and burying the dead. The Spiritual Works include teaching the ignorant, praying for the living and

the dead, correcting the sinners, counseling those in doubt, consoling the sorrowful, bearing wrongs patiently, and forgiving wrongs willingly. Which will you pick?

## ▶ St. Vincent de Paul

✉ [conference621@gmail.com](mailto:conference621@gmail.com)



*The Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve.*

Matthew 20:28

We are sending out a huge thank you to our parishioners and K of C for their very generous support of the Meijer Simply Give Double Days in December. Because of you and Meijer, our pantry remains open ready to help families in need.

We are only 3 ½ weeks away from Easter Distribution. Please keep our pantry in mind as you shop in stores this week. Our Pantry needs are:

- ☐ \$25 Gift Cards – Walmart, Meijer, Kroger
- ☐ Pancake Mix & Syrup
- ☐ Scalloped/AuGratin Potatoes
- ☐ Baked Beans
- ☐ Soups – Cream, Chicken Noodle, Tomato
- ☐ Fruit – Mandarin Oranges, Cocktail, Pineapple,
- ☐ Jelly & Peanut Butter
- ☐ Canned – Spaghetti Sauce
- ☐ Spaghetti Noodles
- ☐ Mac & Cheese
- ☐ Tuna
- ☐ Helpers – Hamburger, Tuna
- ☐ Easter Candy

SVdP blue donation envelopes are located on the tables, as you enter the church. One needy family tells us, “Throughout the past couple years, their viewpoint on life has changed, as they are now looking through different lenses.” Let us continue as one community in Christ to carry-on building better lives for the less fortunate.

God Bless you for loving our neighbors,  
St. Vincent de Paul Society

## Giving Report

JANUARY 15, 2024

BUDGET THIS WEEK

112%  
**\$26,265** **\$23,251**  
ACTUAL

FISCAL YEAR TO DATE

104%  
**\$827,796** **\$790,549**  
ACTUAL

CSA

163%  
**\$290,442** **\$177,986**  
ACTUAL



**504** Envelopes Returned



**237** Online Gifts



**24%** Families Contributing

The generosity of the St. Isidore community continues to amaze. We have again exceeded our CSA goal! Meaning, from this point forward, every dollar directed toward CSA comes back to St. Isidore. For years, we've said CSA is the best way to support the parish, and from now until April 2024, all funds will remain at St. Isidore for parish use and will not be assessed. If you are able, now is a great time to consider giving an additional gift to CSA.

Visit [stisidore.church/give](https://stisidore.church/give) for the safest and easiest way to support St. Isidore

## ▶ How to donate to St. Vincent de Paul

We use all donations to help our neighbors who are in financial distress with rent, utilities, and food. All donations are tax-deductible.

To make a donation put cash or a check (to St. Isidore SVdP) in an envelope marked SVdP in the collection basket at Mass. Thank you!



## ► Baby Pantry Request List

Pat Schmeiser | [babypantry@stsidore.church](mailto:babypantry@stsidore.church) | 586-745-9501

We really need:

- ☐ Similac Total Comfort powdered formula, sensitive
- ☐ Fragrance free, sensitive wipes
- ☐ Size 7 diapers
- ☐ Girls size 4 diapers (must have picture for girls on package)
- ☐ Easter books for toddlers (ages 1-5)
- ☐ Baby shampoo
- ☐ Baby lotion (the pink stuff)



## ► Food for the Poor Missionary Visit

A missionary priest from Food for the Poor will be presiding at all Masses March 2nd and 3rd to share with us

their important work for families and children in Latin America. May the visit inspire us during our journey of Lent.

## ▶ We pray for the sick...

Jason Abbate	Joe Cox	Maysoon Kashat	Karen Oliver	Bob Schwark
Steve Andree	Noah Ryan Danski	Kathleen V. Kempisty	Tim Palmer	Pierina Serra
Baby Suida	Rosalie Debeausaert	Myra Kieffer	David Patton	Robert Silvestri
Bob Agius	Pam DeClerc	Sharon Koscielski	Desi Paquette	Christine Simon
Maria Antonuccio	David DeKeyser	Sabrina Kozlowski	Natalie Perini	Dennis Slowke
Donald Baker	Maria De Santis	Nancy Krantz	Louisa Pietrowsky	Bob Spence
Joseph Baccrowiak	Janet Dwyer	Lizanne Lebedyk	Yolanda Polisen	Tom Sroka
Nadal Balou	Gisalla DiBella	Roberto LiCavoli	Carol Lee Price	James Standridge
Arceni Barrocal	Jackie Duncan	Donald Loeb	Sharon Prizgint	Betty Suminski
Bradley Beck	Loretta Eckert-Krause	Don Macioce	Marge Pullen	Laura Suskiewicz
Scott Bell	Judy Elskens	Conner MacKenzie	Diane Raab	Breanne Talmadge
Meagan Betcher	Edmond Essad	Rocco Maiuri	Eric Racette	Anthony Tancredi
Kathy Bielinski	Bruce Faehner	Gerri Marini	Jenny Racette	John Terry
Sam Biondo	John Farsakian	Tracy Schmitz Marshall	Charlotte Rapin	Jason Tikkanen
Jonathan Bisdorf	Rick Filary	Jeff McBride	Dennis Rivard	Andrea Tisch
Rita Bova	Ryder Finkel	Janet McDonald	Victoria Roddy	Kathy Treas
Thomas Breen	Isaiah Ford	Sue Merlano	Gary Ross	Jerry Trombly
Stephen Bruck	William Francis	Jerry & Julie Milkie	Karen Rothenhauser	Joe Tocco
Diane Buckenhizer	James Franze	Barbara Moczydlowska	Bea Russell	Katelyn Tomasello
Annette Buonbrisco	Lisa Garner	Nina Mondalek	Don Russell	Barb Turchanik
Stephanie Burk	Jeffrey Gatt	Tasha Moses	Josephine Russo	Curtis Wellhausen
Virginia Carucci	Haberkamp Family	Mike Mullins	Ron Ryan	Johnny White
Geri Chambers	Lisa Hohmann	Nicole Mustazza	Rys family	Marion White
Rose Chesney	Barb Hoover	Mary Mutti	Charlene Sapienza	Elizabeth Zach
Carol Chianese	Mike Jamula	Glenn Muzyk	Christopher Sapienza	Judy Zado
Frank Chianese	Devin Kachar	Linda Muzyk	Michael Sapienza	Bill Zaharoff
Patricia Chmielewski	Scott Kadets	Anthony Nicosia	Kenneth Sawicki	Philomena Zetouna
Jonathan Cleere	Kathy Karpinski	Jeri Nofs	Barbara Schafran	
Richard Coules	Kenneth Karpinski	Mike Nowinski	Mel Schafran	

## ▶ And those who serve

PFC Tanner Adkins, Army – Afghanistan	Sgt. James Galowski Jr., Army – Middle East	Jason Kurpiewski, Navy – Afghanistan
PO Henry J. Altermatt, Navy – Japan	PFC John Gellert III, Army	Spec. Michael Manning, Army – Afghanistan
Mathew Bronikowski	Michael Giacalone, Coast Guard	Connor McDonald, Navy – Texas
WO1 Jeremy Bentley, Army – Iraq	Lt. Alison J. Grzywacz, Navy	Laurel Morton, Air Force
Pvt. Troy Ciarabella, Army – USA	LCDR David R. Grzywacz, Navy	Tristan Newton, Navy
CPL Kyle Cichowski, Marines – North Carolina	Sgt. Alexander Hendzell, Marines	Courtney Osborne, Navy – Afghanistan
MSgt. Sean Collins, Marines – USA	LCpl David Horton, Marines – Afghanistan	PFC Matt Piotke, Army – Iraq
Captain Theresa Corsentino, Marines USA	Ethan Hund, Air Force – Saudi Arabia	MC2 Jeffrey Richardson, Navy – Afghanistan
Sgt. Brian Dahl, Army – Afghanistan	Maj. Jeffrey Jablonski, Army – Michigan	Joel Sebastian, Army
Sgt. Tyler Dean, Army – Kuwait	Staff Sgt. Logan Jabouri, Marines	Chief John C. Sbraccia, Navy – Kuwait
Spec. John Deapen, Army – Iraq	Daniel Jackman, Air Force	Sr. Airman Jeremy Spanski, Air Force – Afghanistan
PFC Anthony Difatta, Army – Afghanistan	J. Jackson, Navy	CPL Jeremiah Stewart, Army – Afghanistan
Sgt. Blake Doetsch, Marines	Staff Sgt. Ethan Jensen, Air Force – Afghanistan	Gjelosh Vata, Army
CPL Brian Domzalski, Marines	Sgt. Sean R. Kellogg, Marines California	Pvt Andre Ventmiglia, Army – USA
PFC E3 Jeffrey Frame, Army	Sgt. Griffin Kozak, Marines – California	LS1 Justin Wood, Navy – USA
Justin Francis, Army	SSgt. Edward Kujawa, Marines	Thomas Yombor, Army Ranger 1/75
WO4 Jason Gaboury, Army – USA		

## Rest in Peace

Entered eternal life on...

**WILLIAM (BILL) OLIVER**  
January 17

**MARY ANN CAMPBELL**  
February 13

**MICHAEL OLEKINSKI**  
October 16, 2023

**DEBRA BILLOTTI**  
February 12

**TOM CLARK**  
February 10

**DENNIS WATSON**

## Baptisms

**FEB 17/18**

# ► Mass Intentions

## SAT. FEB 24 4:30 PM

- † Remo Spalvieri, Sister  
Fr. Ron Victor (Bday), Friend
- † Larry Prudhomme, Wife, Sherrie
- † Bernadette Lapinski (Bday), Husband
- † Bill Jensen, VanDamme Family
- † Tony Kendzierski, Monkevich Family
- † Ervin & Eleanor Pakizer, Family
- † Janet Poxon (1st Anniv), Husband and Family
- † Ron Mattei, Dave & Lois Gacki
- † Loretta Chambers, Dave & Lois Gacki

## SUN. FEB 25 7:30 AM

- † Domenico Natuzzi, Daughter
- † Dominic Calcagno, Cassie & Peter Sapienza

## SUN. FEB 25 9:30 AM

- † Maria Thuan Hoang, Kelly Doan
- † Joseph Loc Hoang, Kelly Doan
- † John Luy Viet Nguyen, Kelly Doan
- † Joseph Tuan Hoang, Kelly Doan
- † Helen Doan, Kelly Doan  
Fr. Ron Victor (Bday), Jarosz Family
- † Mike LePoudre, Banas Family
- † Wendell "Windy" Hamlin, Hamlin Family
- † Joann Keith, John and Carrie

## SUN. FEB 25 11:30 AM

- People of St. Isidore Parish
- † Ken and George Scargall, Family
- † Francis Izzi, Bonita Amicangelo
- † Richard Josephs, Ilene Josephs
- † John Kepshire, Carol Gollehur  
Annie Delia, Family

## SUN. FEB 25 5:30 PM

- Chlubinski Family, Pat Chlubinski
- Evert Family, Pat Chlubinski

## MON. FEB 26 8:00 AM

- † Robert Monson, Family
- † Nick Monkevich, Family  
Noah Ryan Danski, Grampy & Busha

## TUES, FEB 27 8:00 AM

- Fran Savicki (Bday), Christine Boyd
- † Annette Lalama, Mother
- † Nick Monkevich, Susan Ball

## WED. FEB 28 8:00 AM

- † Nick Monkevich, Beth Beebe  
Tom Bartkowicz, Irene Maciag  
Robert Kresky, Irene Maciag
- † Richard T. Paul, Sr. (35th Anniv), Joan Fetti

## THUR. FEB 29 8:00 AM

- † Stefano DiBellis, Wife
- † Antonia Valentini, Daughter  
Annie Delia, Family

## FRI. MAR 1 8:00 AM

- † Members of the Menard and Daniel  
Families, Claudette Menard
- † Pellerito Family, Daughter
- † Bill Schmitz, Bart, Mary Karen Grzenkiewicz

## SAT. MAR 2 4:30 PM

- † Stephen & Lottie Muzyk, Kathy & Jeff Muzyk
- † Bernadine Dubrovich (Anniv), Family
- † Grace Mazzara, Andary Family
- † Emilio Coletti, Francesca Ferri
- † Grace Mazzara, Wanda Dziewit
- † Denise Grogis (Bday), Family

## SUN. MAR 3 7:30 AM

- † George & Petrina Boyd, Family
- Jerry Lou Colzani, Pat & Mike Yandura
- Pat Zublin, Pat & Mike Yandura

## SUN. MAR 3 9:30 AM

- † Eloise Souldourian, Mother of Gary  
(Grace) Stanley
- † Vincenzo Esposito, Wife
- † Orlando Salvatore, Family  
Reagan Turner (Bday), Gramma & Grandpa
- † Anna Josephine Milito, Family

## SUN. MAR 3 11:30 AM

- † Del Kolpacki (4th Anniv), Family
- † Cindy Johnson (7th Anniv), Mother
- † Leonardo Marchionda, Bonita Amicangelo
- † Christine Sloan (12th Anniv), Family

## SUN. MAR 3 5:30 PM

- People of St. Isidore Parish

# Readings

## SUNDAY

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18;  
Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19;  
Rom 8:31b-34;  
Mk 9:2-10

## MONDAY

Dn 9:4b-10;  
Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13;  
Lk 6:36-38

## TUESDAY

Is 1:10, 16-20;  
Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23;  
Mt 23:1-12

## WEDNESDAY

Jer 18:18-20;  
Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16;  
Mt 20:17-28

## THURSDAY

Jer 17:5-10;  
Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6;  
Lk 16:19-31

## FRIDAY

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a;  
Ps 105:16-17, 18-21;  
Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

## SATURDAY

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20;  
Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-12;  
Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

## SUNDAY

Ex 20:1-17;  
Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11;  
1 Cor 1:22-25;  
Jn 2:13-25

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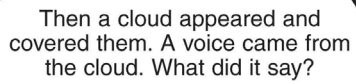
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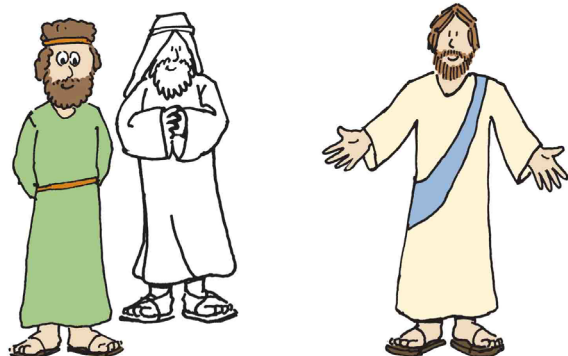
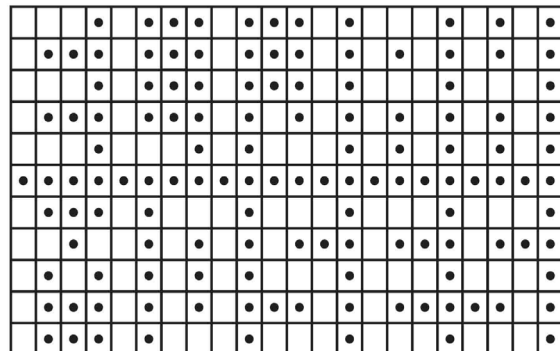
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