

# HARVEST NEWS



St. Isidore  
CHURCH

January 19, 2025

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## CONNECTING POINT

 Deacon Jeff Loeb [jeff@stisidore.church](mailto:jeff@stisidore.church)

This week's Connecting Point topic reminded me of a story I read about a little girl who stood on a street corner and begged for food and money. Her clothes were tattered, and her face was dirty. A successful businessman drove by the corner, passing the girl. Upon returning home to his family, they sat down for dinner. He thought about the young girl and became angry at God. He

thought, "God, why do you allow these things to happen to people—especially this little girl? Why don't you do something to help her?" Then, he heard God in the depths of his heart say, "I did. I created you!"

Today's scripture readings remind us that we have all been uniquely gifted by God. Whether through spiritual talents, natural talents, or learned

skills, the different gifts bestowed upon us are no accident. These gifts are not for our *individual* fame or advantage but rather for building up our communities and bringing the Kingdom of God to earth.

The second reading this weekend emphasizes that our gifts, although different, come from the same Spirit—the same God.

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# Calendar

JANUARY 19 - 26

SUN

19

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING  
AFTER MORNING MASSES (FCR)

7:30 AM MASS CH

9:30 AM MASS/CLW CH

10 AM OCIA CR9/10

11:30 AM MASS/CLW CH

2 PM FOP COMPASSION  
PREGNANCY EVENT SH

5:30 PM MASS CH

MON

20

8 AM MASS CH

8:45 AM ARMCHAIR  
AEROBICS RC

TUE

21

6:30 AM MEN'S BIBLE  
STUDY VIR

8 AM MASS CH

9 AM ADORATION RC

9 AM GOSPEL OF  
MATTHEW CR9

1 PM COMFORT CRAFTERS  
SH

1:30 PM GRIEF SUPPORT  
FCR

6 PM SIGN LANGUAGE  
CLASS FCR

7 PM PARISH FINANCE  
COUNCIL ECR

WED

22

8 AM MASS CH

9:30 AM SCRIPTURE  
GROUP RC

2 PM FORGOTTEN  
HARVEST PL

4 PM GARDNERS OF  
GRACE ECR

5:30 PM MINDFULNESS  
MEDITATION YR

7 PM YOUNG CATHOLIC  
SOCIETY SH

7 PM GOSPEL OF  
MATTHEW RC

7 PM CHOIR REH. MR

THU

23

8 AM MASS CH

1:30 PM SVDP ECR

6:30 PM TOASTMASTERS  
CR9

6:30 PM GRIEF SUPPORT  
ECR

7 PM HISPANIC ROSARY SH

7 PM K OF C OFFICERS  
MTG RC

7:30 PM TEEN ENSEMBLE  
REHEARSAL CH

FRI

24

7 AM ADORATION CH

8 AM MASS CH

8:45 AM FRIDAY  
FELLOWSHIP SH

SAT

25

3:15 PM CONFESSIONS CH

4:30 PM MASS /K  
OF C CORPORATE  
COMMUNION CH

SUN

26

COFFEE & DONUTS AFTER 7:30  
AND 9:30 MASSES

7:30 AM MASS CH

9:30 AM MASS/CLW CH

10:45 AM OCIA OS (ST.  
THERESE)

11:30 AM MASS/CLW CH

5:30 PM MASS CH



## ▶ Armchair Aerobics

👤 St. Isidore Parish Health Ministry

Is getting into better shape or maybe just getting more physical activity one of your New Year's Resolutions? Consider attending the Parish Health Ministry's Armchair Aerobics Class to help jump start your progress. Armchair aerobics is a low-impact activity that encourages seniors to stay active, and it is a great way to get the physical and emotional benefits of exercise, right here at church! It's held every Monday morning starting around 8:50, directly following daily Mass, and is held in the Resource Center near the prayer garden entrance. It's light and easy and all exercises can be modified for your fitness level. Equipment is provided and no pre-registration is required, so you can just show up. The class is monitored by a Registered Nurse and is free! Check it out and bring a friend.

## ▶ Connecting Point (cont'd)

This recognition brings forth the profound truth that diversity in gifts is by divine design. Our world may value uniformity, but God calls us to celebrate our differences. Just as a body cannot function with one organ, a community thrives only when **all** members contribute their unique strengths. Our gifts complement one another, reflecting the beauty of God's creativity. These gifts are meant to be used for the common good in service to others.

Our task, then, is to discern those gifts and how to use them. If you are a teacher, you nurture young minds. If you work in direct patient care, you have the gift of facilitating God's restorative grace in healing. If you are a business leader, you provide services that others need



## ▶ Communion to the Home Bound Ministry

👤 Deacon Jeff Loeb 📧 [jeff@stisidore.church](mailto:jeff@stisidore.church)

Our communion to the homebound ministry is in need of more parishioners to help out with bringing communion to those who are unable to attend our worship services. We have a group of 12 wonderful ministers already helping but need more help! If you feel God calling you to be part of this ministry, please contact Deacon Jeff.

and that help them take care of their families.

Sometimes, however, fear or comparison to others can prevent us from using our gifts effectively. We may think that our gifts are not as important as those of someone more successful, or we may believe that we are not good enough. But St. Paul reminds us that all gifts, no matter how *seemingly* small, are essential. A kind word, a listening ear, or a simple

act of service can have a profound impact. As disciples of Christ, we are called to invest what we've been given—not bury it out of fear. When we step out in faith, God multiplies our efforts in wonderful ways!



# EVENTS



**SUN | JAN 19 | AFTER ALL MORNING MASSES**

## ON THE RISE BAKERY

On the Rise Bakery from the Capuchin Soup Kitchen will be here selling their wonderful tasty goodies on January 19. They will only be here after the 7:30, 9:30, and 11:30 AM Masses. Kolbe Coffee will be with

them to sell their products. All of the coffee sales will be donated to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen and Catholic Recovery. You can look them up to find out more about their coffee ministry at [kolbecoffee.com](http://kolbecoffee.com).



**SUN | JAN 19 | 2 PM**

## LISTEN, PRAY, AND LEARN

The Advent season prepared us to greet the Christ Child with hope in our souls. At His birth we celebrated this New Life with our families, our friends, and our fellow parishioners. Join us for an afternoon of reflection and community as we . . .

- **Listen** - Sue Nellis, Director of Compassion Pregnancy.
- **Pray** - that we hear the Spirit speak to us in community.
- **Learn** - how we can support the many programs available to women in need as we walk the journey with them.



**MON & TUES | JAN 20-21**

## DISCIPLESHIP FORMATION - DAY OF SERVICE

The Discipleship Formation Families are asked to join us for a Day of Service. Families sign up to join us at a time that works for your schedules as we come together to clean up our Church and help our Community.

This Event will be held on Monday, January 20 (MLK DAY) from 10 AM - 7 PM and additional items will be offered on January 21 from 6 - 8 PM.







**WED | JAN 22 - MAR 12 | 1 - 3 PM | ST. THERESE**  
**"A MATTER OF BALANCE" SERIES**

St. Therese of Lisieux will be hosting AgeWays' "A Matter of Balance," an eight-week program designed to manage falls and increase activity levels. You will also learn how to make changes to reduce fall risks at home and how to exercise to

increase strength and balance. There is no cost, but donations are accepted. Please preregister by calling (833) 262-2200, or email [wellnessprograms@AgeWays.org](mailto:wellnessprograms@AgeWays.org), or register online by scanning the code.



**THU | JAN 23 | 12:30 - 5 PM | ST. THERESE**  
**VERSITI BLOOD DRIVE**

January is National Blood Donor Month, and every two seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood. St. Therese of Lisieux is hosting a Versiti Blood Drive to support local hospitals. Please consider donating

to help save lives. Appointments are preferred—call 866-642-5663 or visit [versiti.org/mi](http://versiti.org/mi). Walk-ins are welcome as the schedule allows.



**SUN | FEB 2 | AFTER ALL MORNING MASSES**  
**K OF C PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

A delicious pancake breakfast will be held on Sunday, February 2 after all morning Masses and includes pancakes, sausage links, applesauce,

coffee, milk, and orange juice. Still at the very low cost of \$6. Come and enjoy the food and fellowship!



**SUN | FEB 2 | 12 - 2 PM | WARREN, MI**  
**ST. ANNE CATHOLIC GRADE SCHOOL - OPEN HOUSE**

St. Anne Catholic Grade School is welcoming any and all families interested in getting a Catholic

education. Visit [www.st-anne.net](http://www.st-anne.net) for more information.



**THU | FEB 6 | 12 PM | ST. THERESE**  
**STROKES**

St. Therese of Lisieux will host a one-hour presentation on Strokes by Daniel Morganroth, N.P., Stroke Coordinator from Henry Ford Warren Hospital. Daniel will provide education on the causes, symptoms,

and treatments for strokes. Please RSVP since a light lunch will be provided. RSVP by contacting St. Therese's parish office at 586-254-4433 or via email at [Marilync@stol.church](mailto:Marilync@stol.church).

# EVENTS (CONT'D)



**FRI | FEB 7 | 7 PM**

## EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

St. Isidore's Altar Society is once again hosting its Euchre Tournament! Cost: \$18/per person (Purchase tickets before Mass the last two weeks of January or at the door.)

Includes: cash prizes, snacks and dessert bar. Doors open at 6:30. For information, contact Cheryl Shabro (586) 747-4173.



**SAT | FEB 8 | 5:30 PM**

## K OF C PASTA DINNER FOR VOCATIONS

Our K of C will be holding a Pasta Dinner to help support Vocations. Proceeds will help our seminarians fund their trip to the Holy Land. Please stop in with your family for a great dinner and meet some of the seminarians joining us. The dinner

includes pasta, salad, bread, dessert, and beverage. This is a Free Will Donation meal!! Please be generous and remember that all of the net proceeds will go to helping our seminarians.



**SAT | FEB 8 | 5:30 PM | ST. THERESE**

## CUPID'S COMEDY NIGHT

Come share a night of love and laughter with your sweetie! A bit of wine, dinner, some sweets and a bellyaching evening of fun and laughter for a perfect Valentines date. Back by popular demand is Shawn Reynolds. This evening will be

a sellout so get your tickets online or in St. Therese's parish office. To reserve a table of ten all tickets must be purchased at the same time.







St. Therese  
OF LISIEUX

# Cupid's Comedy Night

**WITH SHAWN REYNOLDS**  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8  
5:30 DOORS OPEN | 6:00 DINNER | 7:00 START



Come share a night  
of laughter with a hilarious  
comedian, dinner, beer,  
wine, & desserts

**\$80 / COUPLE**

Doors open 5:30 PM  
Dinner 6:00 PM  
Show starts 7:00 PM



GET YOUR TICKETS  
[STOL.CHURCH/CUPID](https://stol.church/cupid)  
OR CALL (586) 254-4433



# ▶ Day of Prayer for the Protection of the Unborn

St. Isidore Evangelical Charity Committee

On January 22, 1973, the Supreme Court legalized abortion throughout the United States in its companion decisions *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*. Since that time, millions of children have lost their lives, and millions of women and families have been wounded by abortion.

On June 24, 2022, the *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization* decision overturned *Roe v. Wade*, and we praise God for the great opportunity legislators now have to protect preborn children. While God, in His mercy, ended the nearly fifty-year nationwide regime of abortion on demand, right now state and federal laws, in many instances, are still hostile to preborn children.

So, great prayer and advocacy is very much needed. The General Instruction of the Roman Missal designates January 22 as a particular day of prayer and penance, called the "Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children." The Church directs:

In all the Dioceses of the United States of America,

January 22 shall be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion.

As individuals, we are called to observe this day through the penitential practices of prayer, fasting, and/or almsgiving. The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) sponsors an annual, nationwide novena called '9 Days for Life,' which encompasses the liturgical observance of the Day of Prayer. Each day for nine days, a different intention is featured, accompanied by a short reflection, suggested actions, and related information as we pray for the respect and protection of every human life. Visit [respectlife.org/9-days-for-life](https://respectlife.org/9-days-for-life) for more information on the annual campaign.

Thank you for your prayers!



## ▶ Christmas Concert Success

▶ Matt Kush [▶ matt@stisidore.church](mailto:matt@stisidore.church)

Our annual Christmas Choir Concert was a resounding success, with a packed audience coming together to celebrate the season through the gift of music. The evening featured stunning performances by our Adult Choir, Teen Ensemble, and Children’s Choir, each bringing their own unique spirit to the celebration.

The addition of a live orchestra elevated the experience, creating a rich and immersive sound that beautifully complemented the voices

of our talented singers. From heartfelt carols to joyful new arrangements, the concert was a true reflection of the joy and wonder of Christmas.

Thank you to everyone who attended and supported this special event. We are thrilled to share photos from the evening—be sure to visit our website or social media pages to relive the magic with additional photos!

We look forward to celebrating with you again next year. Merry Christmas!



## ► K of C Monthly Recognition

✎ Brian McAleer

The St. Isidore K of C Council monthly recognizes a “Knight of the Month” and a “Family of the Month” for their efforts in serving the council/parish/community. Shown is David Smith receiving a certificate for January’s Knight of the Month from Grand Knight Chijioke Oparaji at the January General Membership Meeting. The Family of the Month was announced as going to Greg and Angela Deakin. The Deakin’s were not available for pictures.



## Upcoming Events

- January 20 - Martin Luther King Day
- January 20 & 21 - Day of Service Family Event - Serve the Community
- January 27 & 28 - Empowering God’s Children Lessons
- February 2 - Scout Sunday 9:30 Mass with Blessing
- February 2 - Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast after all morning Masses



### The 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today the Lord shows us his first known miracle of changing water into wine. We hear that his mother has brought this need for help to him and without listening and obeying his mother’s request this would never have happened.

### Family Time Challenge

As you head further into this New Year remember that Jesus listened to his Mother even if he did not want to at first. This year do what you can to listen and obey your parents better.



## ► Power in Prayer

👤 Sue Rebits - Evangelization Committee

**This Week's Intention:** Sharing our Faith

**Suggested Prayer:** Prayer to Saint Paul the Apostle

O Glorious Saint Paul, after persecuting the Church you became by God's grace its most zealous Apostle. To carry the knowledge of Jesus, our Divine Savior, to the uttermost parts of the earth, you endured prison, scourging, stoning, shipwreck, as well as all manner of persecutions culminating in shedding the last drop of your blood for our Lord Jesus Christ. Obtain for us the grace to labor strenuously to bring the faith to others and to accept any trials and tribulations that may come our way. Help us to partake of your indomitable love for Jesus, so that after we have finished our course we may join you in praising Him in Heaven for all eternity. Amen.



*"I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting.*

Acts 9:5b



## Did You Know? The Story of the Conversion of St. Paul

Saint Paul's life can be explained in terms of one experience-his meeting with Jesus on the road to Damascus. In an instant he saw that all the zeal of his dynamic personality was being wasted. He had acquired a zealot's hatred of all Jesus stood for, as he began to harass the Church: "...entering house after house and dragging out men and women, he handed them over for imprisonment" (Acts 8:3b). Now he himself was "entered," possessed, all his energy harnessed to one goal - being a slave of Christ in the ministry of reconciliation, an instrument to help others experience the one Savior.

From then on, his only work was to "present everyone perfect in Christ. For this I labor and struggle, in accord with the exercise of his power working within me" (Colossians 1:28b-29). Paul's great message to the world was: You are saved entirely by God, not by anything you can do. Saving faith is the gift of total, free, personal and loving commitment to Christ, a commitment that then bears fruit in more "works" than the Law could ever contemplate. St. Paul's feast day is Jan. 25th.

(franciscan media)

## ▶ St. Vincent de Paul

✉ conference621@gmail.com ☎ 586-745-9513

Our parishioners are so kind to our neighbors in need. You may not have met any of them, but you are lifting them up in their weakness to provide necessities and food to their families. Thank you!

### December Cash Expenditures Report:

- Number of people in need helped - 13
- Number of families in need helped - 6
- Rent paid - \$4,241.67
- Utilities paid - \$353.16

### December Pantry Report:

- Number of people in need served - 274
- Number of families in need helped - 67

Please keep our pantry list in mind as you shop in stores or online this week. Our needs are listed in order of most importance:

- Cash Donations - Blue Envelopes at Church entrances
- \$25 Gift Cards - Walmart, Meijer, Kroger
- Laundry Detergent
- Paper Towel
- Pump Hand Soap
- Canned - Corn
- Canned - Sloppy Joe
- Canned - Chili with Beans
- Canned - Baked Beans
- Canned - Mixed Vegetables
- Jelly
- Canned Soups - Chunky, Chicken Noodle
- Canned - Pineapple

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

## Giving Report

FOR DECEMBER 23, 2024

### BUDGET THIS WEEK



### FISCAL YEAR TO DATE



### CSA



**607** Envelopes Returned

**355** Online Gifts

**32%** Families Contributing

Donating to CSA remains the best way to support St. Isidore. Any excess CSA funds beyond our goal are not subject to the 7% assessment and will not be included in future CSA assessments (14.5%), making them extremely valuable to our parish. The 2024 CSA campaign started on May 1. All donations received between May 1, 2024, and April 30, 2025, will count towards the 2024 CSA campaign. Your generosity enables our parish to thrive. Thank you!

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 one of the blue envelopes located at church entrances, and place in the collection basket at Mass. Thank you!

## ► Prayer Blanket and Shawl Comfort Crafters Ministry

Pat Schmeiser [babypantry@stisidore.church](mailto:babypantry@stisidore.church)

Prayer blankets and shawls are available in the church office during normal business hours and after all Sunday morning Masses. Rosaries are also available thanks to our Rosary Makers Ministry.

To all who have comforted someone with one of our blankets or shawls, we give thanks to you from the recipients. The St. Isidore Comfort Crafters group has distributed many, many hundreds of blankets and shawls. We've been told parishioners have delivered over 1000 blankets or shawls. How wonderful it is that so many have received comfort from

our parish. Amazing! Thank you from our ministry to those of you who have given our items to relatives and friends needing comfort.

Our partnership of giving a crafted item is a special one created by faith, bonded by sacrifice, nurtured by love, and blessed by God. We cannot fail if you remember to take a comfort blanket or shawl to someone who is suffering.

God's great desire/demand is for us to have a relationship of love with one another, to spend time with others, to get to know the hearts and

minds of others. What else matters, except to give others the gifts of our prayers, time, attention, and love?

We ask that you share this ministry information with other parishioners. Please pray for those who need comfort and all recipients of our hand-crafted items.

Thank you from The Comfort Crafters.

"God comforts, not to make us comfortable, but to make us comforters." (John Henry Jowett)

## ► Baby Pantry Request List

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

Your kind and generous contributions make our ministry distribution much easier and is appreciated by the many families you help.

You, the St. Isidore parishioners, are a blessing to our parish and our baby outreach ministry!

"Our faith is about how we live in this life while we wait for the eternal life to come. It is about how well we listen to Jesus' simple and clear words and try to live them. It is about love." (Steve Givens)

We can all help low-income families with children.

Please Donate:

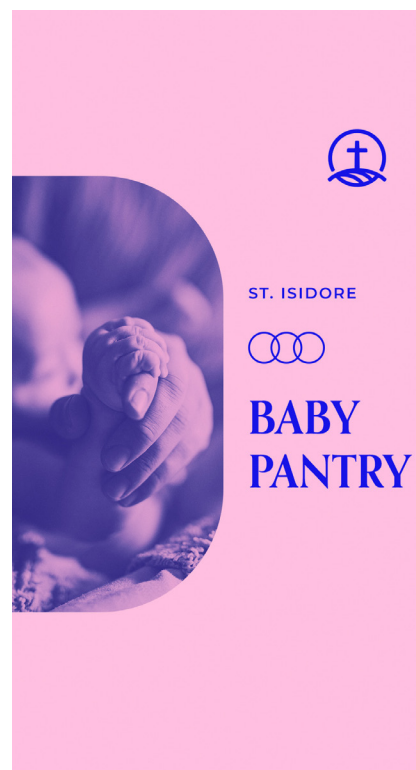
- Sizes 5, 6 AND 8 diapers
- Toddler books, ages 1 - 4

- Diaper Rash ointment with NO zinc
- Size 3T-4T pull ups for girls
- Similac 360 Total CARE powdered formula, small cans

God desired us to remember that we are here to serve and not to be served. Prayer: Dear God, open my heart to those who cry out to You for help. Amen.

Thank you and God bless all of you for your support!  
St. Isidore Baby Pantry Team

If you are low income and need help, call anytime and leave a message. We will return your call as soon as possible.





## ► Mass Intentions

### SAT. JAN. 18 4:30 PM

- † Jim McIntosh, Family  
Peggy & Dave Patterson, Eleanor  
Westerland
- † Gregoria Hickey, Sally Slowke
- † Jerome Zinser, Family
- † Luise Zinser, Family
- † Carol Beste, Family
- † Jerry Zinser, Family
- † Bill Morris, Spriet Family

### SUN. JAN. 19 7:30 AM

- † Anthony J. Lucido, Wife
- † John Maciag, Irene Maciag
- † Eileen Hammer, Susan & George Ball
- † Daniel Puchalski, Wife, Donna
- † Ilio Benvenuti (Bday), Sister, Carla

### SUN. JAN. 19 9:30 AM

- † Mike Jamula, Sue Thomas  
People of St. Isidore Parish
- † Romano Paoletti (Anniv), Family
- † Paul Grzelewski, Family
- † Marilyn Winter, Family
- † Edward Stefani, Bev & Frank Stellon
- † Anna Bang, Family
- † Paul Hoang-Hiep, Family  
Malina Ladzinski, Family

### SUN. JAN. 19 11:30 AM

- † Donna & Larry Obrzut, Family
- † Mario Amicangelo, Wife, Bonnie
- † Joann Befine-Gardner, Marisa Direzze
- † Msgr. Richard Osebold, Rita Schmitz and  
Family
- † Gladys Dorich, Husband, Michael
- † Maria Thuan Hoang, Family
- † Joseph Tuan Hoang, Family
- † Joseph Luy Viet Nguyen, Family

### SUN. JAN. 19 5:30 PM

- † Russell Paquin, Pat & Michelle Lang

### MON. JAN. 20 8:00 AM

- Noah and all sick children, Danski Family

### TUES. JAN. 21 8:00 AM

- † Ilio Benvenuti, Sister, Carla

### WED. JAN. 22 8:00 AM

- Kristen Haisenleder, Family

### THUR. JAN. 23 8:00 AM

- † James Boyd, Family
- † Ken Sierzan (Bday), Wife and Family  
Rachel John (Bday), Family

### FRI. JAN. 24 8:00 AM

- † Anna Maciag, Irene Maciag
- † Barbara Kaiser (Bday), Family  
Alex McClure, Aunt Sue
- † Barbara Kolodziejski, Family

### SAT. JAN. 25 4:30 PM

- † Francesco Barracco, Grace McLoughlin
- † Gail Babich (Bday), Husband
- † Deceased Members of the Muzyk Family,  
Kathy & Jeff Muzyk

### SUN. JAN. 26 7:30 AM

- † Larry Lauzon, Susan Ball
- † Remo Spalvieri, Sister
- † Eleanor Kaslatas, Family
- † Fred Manczyk, Maryann Michels

### SUN. JAN. 26 9:30 AM

- † Vincenzo Esposito, Elena Esposito
- † Catheriine Ripari (11th Anniv), Family
- † Nathan Komosinski, Family
- † Diane Galba (Bday), Family
- † Helen Doan, Family
- † Joseph Loc Hoang, Family

### SUN. JAN. 26 11:30 AM

- † Daryl Kraemer, Wife  
People of St. Isidore Parish
- † Gregoria Hickey, Family
- † Nabil Marei, Bonnie Amicangelo
- † Christopher Bolek (Anniv), Family
- † Fernanco DiFelice, Family
- † Alice O'Donnell, Family
- † Margaret Chojnacki (Bday), Family
- † Robert Leskoviansky, Strawberry Festival Committee

### SUN. JAN. 26 5:30 PM

- † Sophie Skoney, Hill Family
- † Ron Mattei, Pat & Michelle Lang

## Readings

### SUNDAY

Is 62:1-5;  
Ps 96:1-3, 7-10;  
1 Cor 12:4-11;  
Jn 2:1-11

### MONDAY

Heb 5:1-10;  
Ps 110:1-4;  
Mk 2:18-22

### TUESDAY

Heb 6:10-20;  
Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9, 10c;  
Mk 2:23-28

### WEDNESDAY

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17;  
Ps 110:1-4;  
Mk 3:1-6

### THURSDAY

Heb 7:25—8:6;  
Ps 40:7-10, 17;  
Mk 3:7-12

### FRIDAY

Heb 8:6-13;  
Ps 85:8, 10-14;  
Mk 3:13-19

### SATURDAY

Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22;  
Ps 117:1bc, 2;  
Mk 16:15-18

### SUNDAY

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10;  
Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15;  
1 Cor 12:12-30;  
Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21

## ► We pray for the sick...

David Agaus	Patricia Chmielewski	Jena Hermiz	Rocco Maiuri	Diane Raab	Dennis Slowke
Bob Agius	Jonathan Cleere	Lisa Hohmann	Marian Manz	Eric Racette	Bob Spence
Steve Andree	Joe Cox	Deanne Holbrook	Sam Marchione	Charlotte Rapin	Tom Sroka
Maria Antonuccio	Tracy Craciolo	Barb Hoover	Linette Marsack	Aida Reyes	John Stafford
Brian Ardurino	Nancy Lombardo	Becky Hoover	Tracy Schmitz	Gabriel Richard	Ronald Stewart
Don Avenia	Crimaudo	Carol Hynous	Marshall	Dennis Rivard	Betty Suminski
Baby Suida	Jennifer Dahl	Sylvia Imbrunone	Laura Maslonka	Rose Robinet	Steve Suminski
Donald Baker	Barbara Danaj	Phillip Isola	Addyson Matta	Gary Ross	Laura Suskiewicz
Liz Baker	Stan Danaj	Najy Jaboro	Janet McDonald	Bonnie Roth	Sharon Sutter
Nadal Balou	Noah Ryan Danski	Daniel Jackman III	Alex McClure	Karen Rothenhauser	Breanne Talmadge
Arceni Barrocal	Sarah Davidson	Andy John	Danny McMann	Al Roy	Monica Terranova
Kevin Battaglia	Greg Deakin	Patricia Johnson	Sue Merlano	Fredrick Royce	Bill Terry
Linda Baumann	Margaret Debono	Devin Kachar	Jerry & Julie Milkie	Bea Russell	John Terry
Bradley Beck	Pam DeClerc	Scott Kadets	Rose Ann Miller	Don Russell	Emily Thom
Scott Bell	David DeKeyser	Lilyan Karakoshy	Grace Mocerri	Joe Russo	Jasime Thom
Brett Bielski	Mark Deman	Kathy Karpinski	Barbara	Rys family	Jason Tikkanen
Angelo Biondo	Janet Dwyer	Kenneth Karpinski	Moczydlowska	Charlene Sapienza	Joseph Torre
Jonathan Bisdorf	Gisalla DiBell	Maysoon Kasha	Nina Mondalek	Christopher	Kathy Treas
Rita Bova	Terri DiMeglio	Kathleen V.	Tasha Moses	Sapienza	Jean Tremblay
Dennis Boyd	Mila Divozzo	Kempisty	Amy Motyka	Michael Sapienza	Katelyn Tomasello
Chloe Brausch	Claudia Dombrowski	Valerie Kenney	Brooks Murphy	Kenneth Sawicki	Jerry Trombly
Thomas Breen	Cydney Domsic	Myra Kieffer	Linda Muzyk	Tom Saigh	Barb Turchanik
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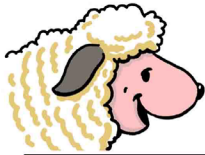
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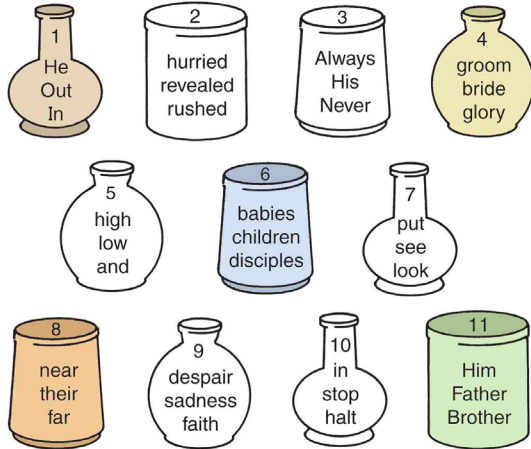
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**The Miracle at Cana**

Jesus and His disciples were invited to a wedding.

Find 11 objects that are hidden in the wedding picture. Use the first letter of each item to find the name of the city.



The wedding was in \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_.

While Jesus was at the wedding something amazing happened!

Unscramble the words for the crossword, then place the words in the story. The word meanings are in parentheses to help you.

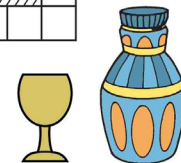
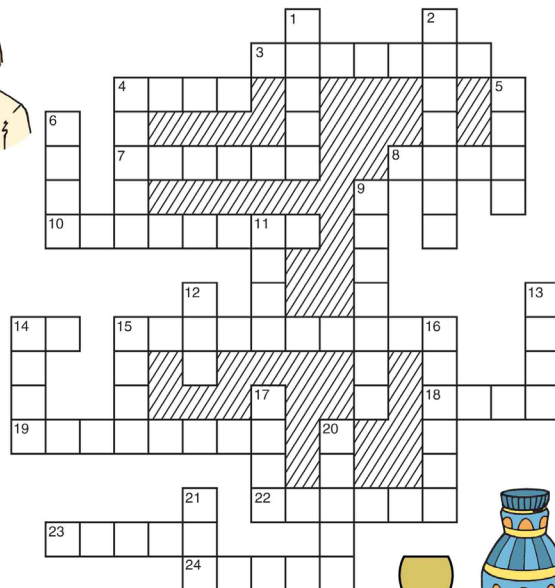
**Across**

- 3. qetunab (feast)
- 4. eniw (grape juice)
- 7. dettas (tried)
- 8. lifl (put in)
- 10. tanessvr (helpers)
- 14. od (carry out)
- 15. rderimbogo (wedding host)
- 18. keat (remove)
- 19. veerthaw (anything)
- 22. trasem (director)
- 23. noste (ceramic)
- 24. lestl (instructs)



**Down**

- 1. vased (kept)
- 2. zeelira (know)
- 4. treaw (clear liquid)
- 5. dolt (instructed)
- 6. jrsa (containers)
- 9. nollsag (4 quarts)
- 11. mite (moment)
- 12. ixs (number)
- 13. moce (approach)
- 14. wrad (take out)
- 15. steb (most superior)
- 16. mertho (parent)
- 17. nrrib (top edge)
- 20. sueJs (God's Son)
- 21. tey (until this time)



Jesus' (16D) \_\_\_\_\_

told Him that the wedding hosts had run out of (4A) \_\_\_\_\_.

He said, "My (11D) \_\_\_\_\_ has not (21D) \_\_\_\_\_ come."

His mother told the (10A) \_\_\_\_\_, "(14A) \_\_\_\_\_

(19A) \_\_\_\_\_ He (24A) \_\_\_\_\_ you." Jesus said,

"(8A) \_\_\_\_\_ the (6D) \_\_\_\_\_ with (4D) \_\_\_\_\_." They filled (12D) \_\_\_\_\_ (23A) \_\_\_\_\_

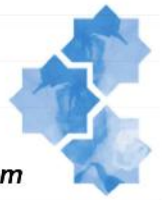
jars to the (17D) \_\_\_\_\_ – each holding 20-30 (9D) \_\_\_\_\_. Jesus (5D) \_\_\_\_\_ them, "Now (14D) \_\_\_\_\_ some

out and (18A) \_\_\_\_\_ it to the (22A) \_\_\_\_\_ of the (3A) \_\_\_\_\_." The master did not (2D) \_\_\_\_\_

where it had (13D) \_\_\_\_\_ from. After he (7A) \_\_\_\_\_ it, he asked why the (15A) \_\_\_\_\_ had saved

the (15D) \_\_\_\_\_ wine for the end of the banquet.





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