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Saturday 4:30 p.m.  
 Sunday 7:00, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.  
 Weekdays 7:00 a.m. Mon.-Thursday;  
 8:15 a.m. Friday  
 8:00 a.m. Saturday

### Confessions

Saturday 3:30 p.m.-4:15 p.m.  
 or by appointment.

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### CCD

309-444-3524 (Pre-K thru 8th Grade)  
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# D MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, January 22nd**

4:30 50th Wedding Anniversary—Jerry &amp; Marla Jarboe

**Sunday, January 23rd**

7:00 Ray Torry by Mark O'Neill

8:30 Ingrid Cooksey by Steve &amp; Mary Leary

11:00 Henry Pratt by Bill &amp; Kathy Werstein

**Monday, January 24th**

7:00 Mary &amp; Ted Oberle by The Oberle Children

**Tuesday, January 25th**

7:00 Ray Torry by Becky Beckmann &amp; Mary Miller

**Wednesday, January 26th**

7:00 Catherine Zwilling by The Zwilling Family

**Thursday, January 27th**

7:00 Ray Torry by Esther Torry &amp; Family

**Friday, January 28th**

8:15 Michael Venzon by Bob &amp; Mary Kinney

**Saturday, January 29th**

8:00 Pete &amp; Jean Heinrich by Dan &amp; Bonnie Brown

4:30 Marie Mrchand by Denny Marchand

**Sunday, January 30th**

7:00 Marty Whitby by Jennifer Sloan

8:30 Bud Melton by The Family

11:00 The Holland Street Gang—Bill Goebel, John &amp; Jean Crandall &amp; Jerry Koch by Kim &amp; Randy MacDonald

**Adoration****Thursday Adoration**

St. Patrick Church has Adoration on Thursday evenings from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Friday Adoration**

Friday Adoration is after the 8:15 a.m. School Mass (Only students will be able to attend 8:15 a.m. Mass when school in session). Adoration is open to all parishioners. Benediction will be at 2:20 p.m.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR . . .**

Mikayla Hoff, Austin Strong, Tina Otten, Charles & Sue Pierceall, Evan Grube, Kristina Holt, Mary Nickerson, Joan McGlaughlin, Dee Otten, Dan Curley, Stephanie Standish, Kathleen Lange, David Clark, Linda Clark, Lisa Liening, Jen Stone, Dominic Ingolia, Marty Sokolowski, Victoria Lacey, Dick Alessi, Sharon Buysse, Harlan Monk, Susan Cody, Dominic Ingolia, Sr., Avery Dansizen, Suzanne O'Dea, Paul McLaughlin, Mary Otten, Deb Kammermann, Shirley Black, Rhonda Larson, Earla Tenuta, Shari West, Jill Cunningham, Jean Jones, Jaxson LaBorde, Susan Wisner, Sarah Rogers, Charlotte Foley, Pat Ozella, Bridget Buysse, Deacon Paul, Gavin Miller, Martha Franz, Deacon Joe, Polly Casey, Kenneth Bergman, Lynn Moushon, Eleanor Hammer, Peter Blackburn, Mary Ann Speerly, Barbara Broadbear, Gary Sweet, Mary Jane Junk, Irma McCaffrey, Kelly Bay, Kris Williams, Shirley Kelly, Susan Widmer, Pat Dougherty, Larry Miller, Tom Hobbs, Brylyn Caudle, Victoria Houze, Kent Karcher, Mary Habecker, Bridget Tackman, Mary Schone, Becky Beckmann, John Goonan, Shirley Hobbs, Mary Winslow, Tony Tenuta, Gene Broadbear, Gloria LaHood and Aileen Orr.

**In Sympathy**

Please remember in your prayers **Rita Blommel**, mother of Meg (Mark) Redden and grandmother of Christopher, Mary Beth, Jessica, Nicole and Jacob Redden who died recently in Ohio. Our sincere condolences to the family.

Please remember in your prayers **Brody Iverson** who died January 6th. Our sincere condolences to his parents, Jody and Brian, siblings Alyx, Austen, and Marissa Iverson.

Please remember in your prayers **Joyce Volk**, longtime member of St. Patrick Church and a retired school teacher from St. Patrick School died at age 103. Joyce's Funeral Mass was January 18th at St. Patrick. Our sincere condolences to her family, Margaret (Chuck) Bentley, John (Marcia) Volk, Rhea Morgan, Dave Volk and Russ (Cheryl) Volk, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

**Just to Let You Know . . .**

The Rosary is said on Sunday Mornings before the 7:00 a.m. Mass at 6:30 a.m.

The Rosary is said on Saturday Mornings before the 8 a.m. Mass at 7:30 a.m.

Contact Dan and Bonnie Brown for more information at 444-2566.

## NEWS & UPDATES



### News from the Principal



**St. Patrick School has been assigned  
Seminarian Nathan Hooper  
from Mount St. Mary Seminary.**

During Catholic Schools week, our students will be sending Nathan a Spiritual Bouquet and a Care Package as he starts his second semester.

If you would like to donate to the care package, please send your money to school by  
Friday, January 28th.

Thank you!

### Substitute Teachers Needed

Substitute Teachers needed at St. Patrick School. Interested candidates can contact the school office, 309-444-4345 for more information.

### ADA Update . . .

As of January 18th, \$108,904 has been pledged toward our goal of \$111,739. Thank you to all who have pledged. It is not too late to turn in your pledge card.



### Catholic Spirit Radio Pilgrimage

Join Catholic Spirit Radio for a Lenten Pilgrimage on Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup>.

The all-inclusive trip provides charter bus transportation from Normal to Princeville and Peoria. We will visit the Community of Saint John for a Lenten talk, Adoration, Confession, Mass and lunch; the Archbishop Fulton Sheen Museum & Gift Shop; a talk on Sheen by Katie Bogner, followed by her book sale; Sheen's Tomb at the Cathedral; and dinner at Obed & Isaac's. Register by February 7<sup>th</sup> for \$140 or by February 19<sup>th</sup> for \$155 at [catholicspiritradio.com](http://catholicspiritradio.com). For questions, contact Pam at (217) 855-4418 or [elliottbus@gmail.com](mailto:elliottbus@gmail.com).

### St. Mary of Lourdes, Germantown Hills Second Annual Parish Walk for Life January 23, 2022

As many Catholics across the country are preparing to join in the Washington DC March for Life in January, please join us at St. Mary of Lourdes for our 2nd Annual Parish Walk for Life.

We will begin the 2nd Annual Parish March for Life with the rosary at 1pm in the church. Following the rosary, you are invited to walk around the parish grounds & cemetery and/or pray in church. We will end the Parish Walk for Life at 3pm under the church awning with a short prayer. In the event of inclement weather, the parish hall will be open for our walkers.

We are also collecting diapers, baby powder/shampoo/wash, baby wipes, diaper cream, etc. These items will be donated to the Bessette Center. All items can be left in the boxes marked "March for Life" in the back of the church.

For more information, please contact St. Mary of Lourdes Faith Formation Office, (309-383-4460).

### St. Phil's Men's Club Smoker

The St. Philomena Men's Club Smoker returns in 2022. We hope you will spend some time with us in the St. Philomena School gym on Sunday, February 20 from 12-5pm. All-you-can-eat Klement's Brats, German potato salad and ice cold beverages for just \$15. Join us for fellowship and fun games of chance. Can't wait to see you!

### Just to Let You Know . . .



Do you send in your Menards Rebate Receipts? If you don't, we will! They even accept our out-of-date receipts, so dig through that pile of papers and send them in to us. Drop them into the collection box or bring them into the parish office. We use the re-bates to help pay for our miscellaneous grounds expenses (light bulbs, caulk, etc.). Thank you!



## SUNDAY'S READINGS

### FIRST READING:

Ezra read plainly from the book of the law of God, interpreting it so that all could understand what was read. (Neh 8:8)

### PSALM:

Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life. (Ps 19)

### SECOND READING:

For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit. (1 Cor 12:12)

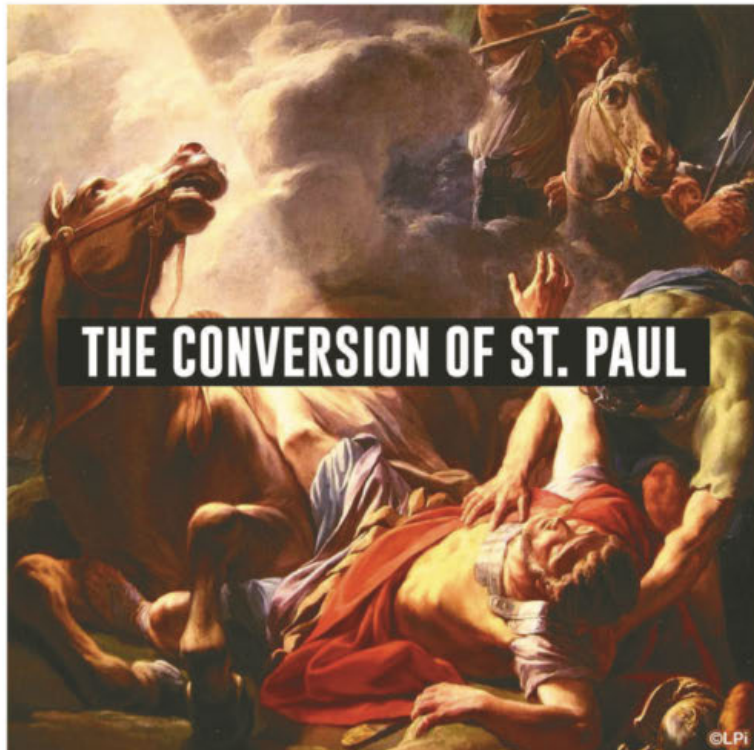
### GOSPEL:

He said to them,  
"Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." (Lk 1:21)

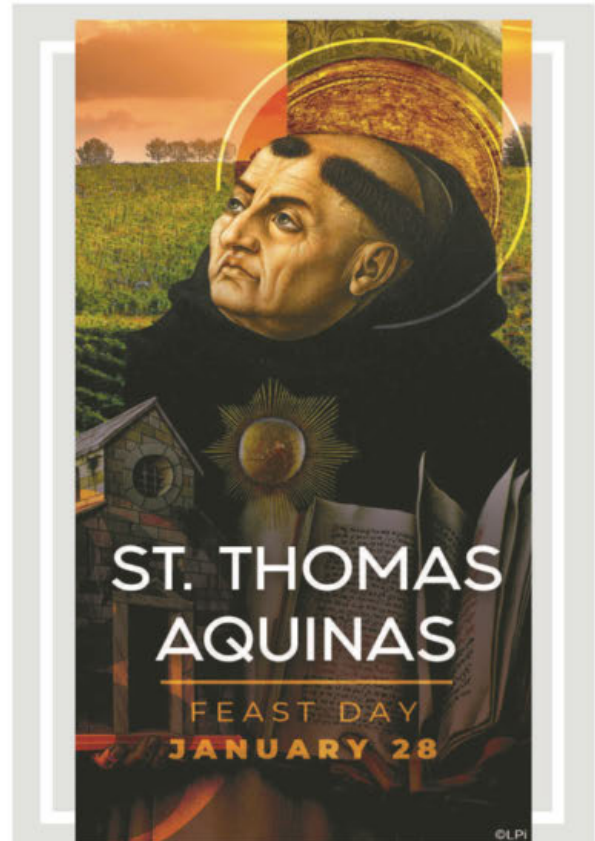
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### OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 23, 2022

Sunday: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin  
Monday: St. Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church  
Tuesday: The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle  
Wednesday: Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops  
Thursday: St. Angela Merici, Virgin  
Friday: St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church  
Next Sunday: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Celebrate Catholic Schools Week



**THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL**



## Saint of the Week

One of the most famous members of the Dominican Order, St. Thomas Aquinas (1225 – 1274) is well-known by many for his theological work, "The Summa Theologiae." Born in Italy, his mother wanted him to become a Benedictine and had high hopes that he would eventually become abbot of Monte Cassino, where he spent much of his youth. To change his vocation, she had him kidnapped by his brothers on his way to Paris at the age of 19. He spent two years in their captivity. Despite this, nothing could shake him from his vocation to become a Dominican priest and he was eventually released. Once free, he went to Paris and then to Cologne, where he finished his studies with Albert the Great.

His greatest contribution to the Catholic Church is his writings. The unity, harmony, and continuity of faith and reason, of revealed and natural human knowledge, encompasses his writings. The Summa Theologiae, his last and, unfortunately, uncompleted work, deals with the whole of Catholic theology.

The patron saint of teachers, theologians and students, St. Thomas Aquinas died in 1274. His life and the impact he had on the whole Church, however, remains alive today.

## PARISH INFORMATION



### Donation Statements

To save on postage, we will not be mailing out donation Statements again this year. If you would like a statement mailed or emailed to you, please call the Parish Office, 444-3524 or email the office at [churchoffice@stpatswashington.com](mailto:churchoffice@stpatswashington.com)

### Coffee & Donuts Today

Coffee & Donuts will be served in the Sister Mary Ann Gym today after the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

### CCD News . . .

Today, January 23: CCD Classes 9:45-10:45a.m.  
 Sunday, January 30: CCD Classes 9:45-10:45 a.m.

### Bible Study

Please join us as we walk through the Bible from Genesis through Revelation. It's a fun, educational and spiritually rewarding way to spend your Tuesday evenings! We laugh, we cry and most importantly we get closer to God through Scripture. You don't have to commit to attending each session - pop in and out as your life allows. Just bring a bible and a notebook Tuesday evenings from 6:00-7:30 pm in the main church. We hope to see you there! For more information contact Molly Knapp [mej66@gmail.com](mailto:mej66@gmail.com)

### Attention: CCD First Communion Parents

Wednesday, January 26th: Sacrament of Reconciliation for CCD students **6:00 p.m.**  
 Church

### For Your Information . . .

Relevant Radio on You Tube has been praying the Family Rosary Across America every night at 7:00 p.m. central time. They also have an app to listen and pray.



### 50th Wedding Anniversaries January 22nd

**Congratulations to:**

**Jerry & Marla Jarboe  
&  
Steve & Mary Jo Parish**

**May God Bless You Always!**

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 (\$60/TICKET AFTER FEB. 19TH)  
 MUST BE 21 TO ATTEND

### Baptism Class

The February Baptism Class will take place on Sunday, February 13 after the 11 a.m. Mass. To register for the class, please call the Parish Business Office at 309-444-3524.

### Catholic Women's League News. . .

#### Catholic Women's League Membership Dues

For the calendar year Jan. 1st–Dec. 31, 2022

Members: \$20 per year

Life Members: \$10 per year

Please pay before April 1st, 2022

New members contact Ann Gerardo for applications and questions. Cell # 630-464-8



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