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**2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY** *in ordinary time*  
Jesus said to her, "Woman, how does your concern affect me? My hour has not yet come." - Jn 2:4

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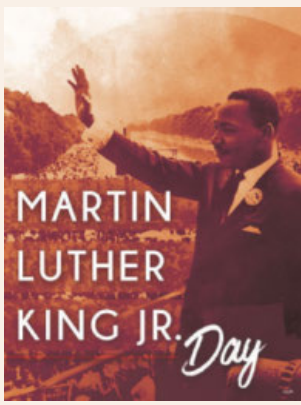
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# LITURGY & PRAYER



The SE Subcommittee of Education on Racism committee asks you to consider participating in a **day of service on MLK Day to honor the legacy of Dr. King.** Then, join us for a **prayer service on MLK Day, January 17, 2022, at 7pm in the Church.** The service will include a "Stations of the Cross: Overcoming Racism".

The committee is offering the prayer service based on the Catholic Social Teaching of Solidarity, which states:

We are one human family whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences. We are our brothers and sisters keepers, wherever they may be. Loving our neighbor has global dimensions in a shrinking world. At the core of the virtue of solidarity is the pursuit of justice and peace. Pope Paul VI taught that if you want peace, work for justice. The Gospel calls us to be peacemakers. Our love for all our sisters and brothers demands that we promote peace in a world surrounded by violence and conflict.

## Calendar of Cash Winners: January 4th—7th

**January 4 - Kirk Zwijoc** - Allenton - WI - \$50.00  
**January 5 - Junk Family** - Fox Point - WI - \$50.00  
**January 6 - Amy Ferrante** - Grafton - WI - \$50.00  
**January 7 - Mike Byars** - Glen Fork - WV - \$50.00

The prayers & sympathies of our parish community are with the family of **Art Gebhardt**. May his soul and the souls of all the faithfully departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

## SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF January 16th, 2022

**Sunday:** Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11 • **Monday:** 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22 • **Tuesday:** 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28 • **Wednesday:** 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6 • **Thursday:** 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12 • **Friday:** 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19 • **Saturday:** 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21 • **Next Sunday:** Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

### Our next Bulletin Deadlines:

**January 19th** for the January 30th Bulletin  
**January 26th** for the February 6th Bulletin  
 To submit a request, visit the website [steugene-congregation.org/communications-requests](http://steugene-congregation.org/communications-requests).  
**Bulletin Requests subject to approval.**

## MASS INTENTIONS

|          |   |                      |  |
|----------|---|----------------------|--|
| SAT 1/15 | 4:30pm  | Fr. Paul Hartmann    | † John Sablan                            |
| SUN 1/16 | 8:30am  |                      | Parishioners of St. Eugene               |
|          | 11:00am   | Fr. Paul Hartmann    | † Deceased Members of the LaSpisa Family |
| MON 1/17 | 8:00am  | Fr. Paul Hartmann    | Mass at St. Monica                       |
| TUE 1/18 | 7:30am  | Fr. Paul Hartmann    | Tim McNamara                             |
| WED 1/19 | 7:30am  | Fr. Paul Hartmann    | Rev. Jordan Berghouse                    |
| THU 1/20 | 8:15am  | Fr. Jordan Berghouse | † Annie & Chuck Azzolina                 |
| FRI 1/21 | 7:30am  | Fr. Jim Lobacz       | John & Donna Eulberg                     |
| SAT 1/22 | Reconciliation: Saturdays at 3:30pm or by appointment |                      |  |
|          | 4:30pm  | Fr. Jordan Berghouse | The Lamek Family                         |
| SUN 1/23 | 8:30am  | Fr. Jordan Berghouse | † Dean Soulliere                         |
|          | 11:00am   |                      | Parishioners of St. Eugene               |

Given the rise in cases in our community, we will resume livestreaming one Mass between the two parishes. Tune in this Sunday, January 16th at 8am, either on Facebook or on the St. Monica website: <https://www.st-monica.org/live>

## THIS WEEK

January 16th—23rd

|        |  |  |              |
|--------|--|--|--------------|
| SUN 16 | 9:00am                                   | Child Ministry: Sunday School (at home, resumes in person 1/23)            | At Home      |
|        | 5:30pm                                   | Holy Hour & Reflection   | SM Church    |
| MON 17 | SES No School — Professional Development |  |              |
|        | 6:00pm                                   | Rosary   | Church       |
|        | 7:00pm                                   | Prayer Service & Stations of the Cross for Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day | Narthex      |
| TUE 18 | 8am-4pm                                  | Eucharistic Adoration  | Church       |
|        | 6:30pm                                   | SES Musical Parent Mtg.  | Mackin Hall  |
|        | 6:45pm                                   | Well-Read Moms   | Narthex      |
| WED 19 | 7:00am                                   | Rosary before Mass   | Church       |
|        | 4:15pm                                   | Children's Choir & Handbell Choir  | Church       |
|        | 6:00pm                                   | Liturgical Choir Rehearsal   | Church       |
|        | 6:30pm                                   | SES Home & School Executive Board Mtg.                                     | Mackin Hall  |
| THU 20 | 6:00am                                   | Catholic Man Cave  | Donovan Hall |
|        | 6:15pm                                   | Child Ministry: Middle School  | Mackin Hall  |
|        | 7:00pm                                   | Catholicism 101: Understanding God's Design with Fr. Jordan                | Church       |
| FRI 21 | 7:00pm                                   | Sheepshead   | Mackin Hall  |
| SAT 22 | 7:00am                                   | Exodus 90  | Narthex      |
| SUN 23 | 9:00am                                   | Child Ministry: Sunday School  | St. Monica   |



Friends,

Did you know that sixty years before Christopher Columbus set sail for the New World, Pope Eugene IV condemned the practice of slavery in the newly colonized Canary Islands? Following the teaching of St. Paul and several Church fathers, His Holiness

ordered that any Catholic had just fifteen days to fully liberate all persons held in bondage. A century later, Pope Paul III described anyone holding slaves to be "allies of the devil" and subject to automatic excommunication. Three centuries after that, in 1962, in one of the premiere sees of that New World, Archbishop Joseph Rummel excommunicated three Catholics who were public leaders of segregationist movements in Louisiana.

While the history of the Church is not without cause for criticism nor need of asking forgiveness, from the words of Jesus, and the call of St. Paul for Philemon to release Onesimus from slavery and love him as an equal, on through countless popes, right to modern day bishops and activists the Church universal has stood squarely against all vestiges of racism and slavery. Our contemporary struggles with matters of race, human dignity, and justice should make perfectly clear that there remains significant work to be done.

The Bishops of the United State are succinct about the challenge: *"Today, racism continues to exist in our communities and in our parishes. Racism is what makes us see the "other" with suspicion or to attribute negative characteristics to an entire group of people. This evil manifests itself in our individual thoughts, and also in the workings of our society itself."* By this, it is not meant to say that all people are racist. That is a personal accusation often separate from the underlying concern. What the admission does do is make a

clear call for all members of our Church to learn the tenets of our centuries old Catholic Social Teaching.

There are seven themes throughout our Catholic Social Teaching:

- Life and Dignity of the Human Person
- Call to Family, Community, and Participation
- Rights and Responsibilities
- Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
- The Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers Solidarity
- Care for God's Creation

These themes flow from our history of standing up to a world which may not wish to respect that every person is made in the image and likeness of God. These themes hold more depth of thought, call for more introspection, and cause more acts of Christlike charity and love, than do all the slogans and signs of the last sixty years.

On Monday, January 17<sup>th</sup>, we will have the national civic recognition of the historic impact of the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. As part of this there may be justifiably uncomfortable challenges as well as unfounded criticisms. We as Catholics can engage the challenging topics of race and justice with the great benefit of our Catholic Social Teaching. But to do this well, we must always be open to continued study and learning.

To learn more about the Seven Themes of Catholic Social Teaching, <https://www.usccb.org/beliefs-and-teachings/what-we-believe/catholic-social-teaching/seven-themes-of-catholic-social-teaching>

Blessings to all.



**Called & Gifted Workshop**



God is calling you to a unique purpose in life, a work that only you can do. He has gifted you with charisms or spiritual gifts to carry out that work. Have you asked yourself lately is this all that there is? Have you felt restless and unsettled in life, wondering what you should be doing? Are you at a place in life where you are assessing what to do next?

On Wednesday evenings, January 5-February 9, join Firstfruits Women's Center in Elm Grove for their Called and Gifted workshop. You will begin to discern what your charisms are and where God might be calling you to use them.

Check out their website for more details and to register: [firstfruits.info/events](http://firstfruits.info/events).

**YOUR STEWARDSHIP: JULY 1-DECEMBER 26**

**YTD Actual: \$569,087**  
**YTD Budget: \$595,719 (-\$26,632)**

"Following the Christmas season, St. Eugene finds itself moderately under its offertory budget. Offertory giving takes on greater importance for the overall parish budget from here, with school tuition largely collected at this point in the June 30 fiscal year."

~Luke Junk, St. Eugene Finance Council



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# SAVE THE DATES! PARISH MISSION FEBRUARY 20-22 @ ST. EUGENE



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All Parishioners are invited to join keynote speakers  
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our humanity, and how Jesus comes into our lives to heal us and  
free us from all that keeps us from living in His light.

For questions contact Meaghan Turner at [mturner@stme.church](mailto:mturner@stme.church)



Fr. John Burns

## CATHOLICISM 101: 7-8:30PM AT ST. EUGENE IN THE CHURCH

January 20- Understanding God's Design with Fr. Jordan  
February 3- Faith & Science with Dr. Paul Stryker

Exploring the basics of being Catholic:  
Who We Are, What We Do, and Why We Do It.

Contact Meaghan Turner at [mturner@stme.church](mailto:mturner@stme.church) with questions!



# HOLY HOUR & REFLECTION

SUNDAYS @ 5:30PM

ST. MONICA CHURCH

January 2, 16, & 30

February 13 & 27

March 13

Join Deacon-in-training Brian Witteman for an hour of Eucharistic Adoration including a reflection on the Sunday readings. The hour will conclude with simple reposition at 6:30pm.



## St. Eugene Grant Applications Available

Human Concerns Committee helps administer grants provided by our parish to non-profit organizations for projects consistent with our parish mission. If you know of organizations that may be interested, please direct them to our parish website under "Contact" for the application. The due date is February 25.

**January is Respect Life Month.** Let us respect all life from womb to tomb. Please pray.

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