

*Saint Mary*  
CATHOLIC CHURCH

January 9, 2022  
The Baptism of the Lord



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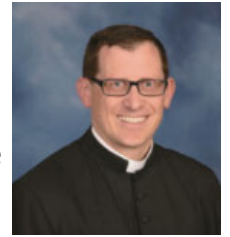
We conclude the Christmas Season today, move back into Ordinary Time, and reflect on the beginning of a new year. I was never much for new year's resolutions. Resolving to practice virtue and live the best life possible is a very admirable thing. However, whether we resolve to lose weight, exercise, better organize our work schedules or read the Bible in a year, it is easy to start out with a bang only to peter out in a few weeks. (I will note that I know a lot of people who actually completed the Bible in a year through listening to Fr. Mike Schmitz's reading of it on his popular "Bible in a Year" podcast).

I do not have any New Year's resolutions to share with you. However, when I think of how I want to proceed through 2022 my mind returns to the necessity of gratitude.

I am thankful for St. Mary parish and all that the Lord continues to do here. I am thankful for the gift of my faith in Jesus. I am thankful for the gift of my priesthood. I am thankful for the gift of the sacraments. I love that the life of our parish is centered around the worship of our Holy Triune God through the Holy Eucharist. I love that we have so many people who humbly seek reconciliation and peace through the sacrament of confession. I love that the healing touch of Jesus Christ is brought to our sick through the sacrament of the anointing of the sick.

I am thankful for all of you—the people of St. Mary. I am thankful for your gifts of prayer, the time and talent that you offer in service, and your generous monetary offerings. I am thankful for your years of commitment. I am thankful for those who serve as ushers, lectors, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, Homebound ministers, music ministers,

the St. Vincent DePaul Society members who serve the poor, the Knights of Columbus, our Ladies Auxiliary and those who participate in all of our other ministries and organizations. I am thankful for our catechists, leaders among our men's ministries and our women's ministries, our youth ministry core team and RCIA team members. We even have a new young adult ministry that is getting off the ground.



I am thankful for my two brother priests, Fr Koutnik and Fr Rico, who collaborate with me to help provide for the ministerial needs of our people. I love that we are able to laugh and share the stories of ministry together. I am thankful for our hard working and talented staff, without whom I would not be able to administer this large parish.

Any time I try to acknowledge people in the parish I am sure to leave out individuals or ministries. That is not my intention. This list is not at all exhaustive. St. Mary is so large it is hard to mention everyone who contributes to the mission of our parish. I simply want to practice the art of gratitude.

Our country, our church, and our parish have been through a lot in the last couple years. The people of St. Mary have once again proven to be a resilient people.

I am not sure what 2022 has in store for us. Maybe we will have good times, maybe hard times, probably a mixture of both. Let us continue to practice the art of gratitude so that we can continue to move forward confident that it is God who sustains and blesses us. He will never abandon us.

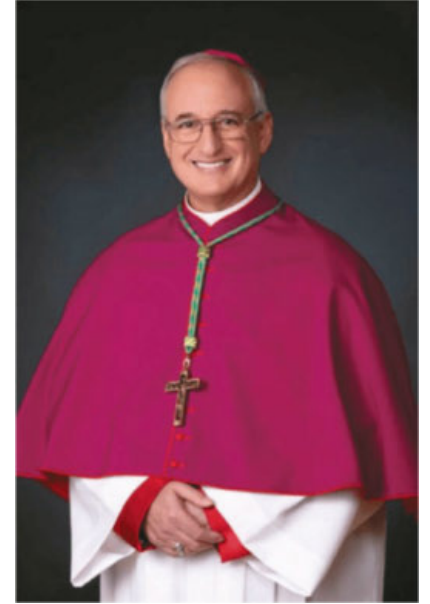
A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Fr. DiTomo".





## MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW FOR OUR LENTEN PARISH MISSION! THE EUCHARIST: THE ANSWER TO LOVING THY NEIGHBOR

Bishop Bob  
Lombardo from  
Mission of Our  
Lady of the



Angels in Chicago will lead us Sunday evening, March 27<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30 to 8:00 PM, then Sr. Stephanie from the Mission will continue on Monday evening, March 28<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30 to 8:00 PM, and on Tuesday evening, March 29<sup>th</sup>, we will wrap it all up from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. Each evening we will have the opportunity for Eucharistic Adoration and fellowship!

## THE CREED

A SMART, SERIOUS EXPLANATION OF CHRISTIANITY FOR SKEPTICS, SEEKERS, AND NONBELIEVERS!



Please join Deacon Chris Lincoln and Deacon Jim Conrey as they embark on a 6 week study of the CREED. We will have 3 different opportunities a week that you can participate in the same class. You can choose to attend Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00 PM, Wednesday mornings from 9:00 to 10:30 AM, or Saturdays from 9:00 to 10:30 AM. The study begins the week of

January 11<sup>th</sup> and runs consecutively thru the week of February 15<sup>th</sup>.

No cost to attend but, please register with Shirley Allen at [sallen@stmaryhuntley.org](mailto:sallen@stmaryhuntley.org) or (224) 654-8596 or go to St. Mary's website and follow the link.

# Mass Intentions for the Week

## Monday, January 10

8:00 AM ✕ Living & Deceased Members of the Sasis, DeCastro & Geronimo Families; Special Intention of Kathy O'Shea

## Tuesday, January 11

8:00 AM ✕ P. J. Schipma & Matthew & Madison Bykowski; Ken Ellinger

12:00 PM ✕ Jozef Cichon; Thomas Palella

## Wednesday, January 12

8:00 AM ✕ Abbot Adrian Pardner, OSB; John Haley

12:00 PM ✕ William Lydon; Bill Lydon

## Thursday, January 13, St. Hilary, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

8:00 AM ✕ Howard & Agnes Young; George Dewey

12:00 PM ✕ Steve Heale; Special Intention of Wilma Carollo

## Friday, January 14

8:00 AM ✕ Ed & Mary Domagalski; Joyce Zartler

## Saturday, January 15

8:00 AM ✕ Mary Hughes; Patricia Ensalaco

5:00 PM ✕ Pat Otto; Special Intention of Veronica Bieschke

## Sunday, January 16, SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 AM ✕ The People of St. Mary Parish

9:00 AM ✕ Bill Lydon; Madeline Herzog

10:30 AM ✕ Jonathan Jordan; Dorothea Walker Caccavale

12:00 PM ✕ Fred Figueras; Special Intention of Nena DelRosario

5:00 PM ✕ Teresa Rybka; 57th Anniversary of Tom & Donajean Steiner



The candles in the Adoration Chapel are burning this week

In Memory of Edmund O. Ciske, Jr.,  
In Memory of Christian Wyndell Hervias,  
In Memory of Nathaniel Centeno, Jr.,  
and In memory of Eugenio Javelosa.



## PRIEST CELEBRANT

\*\*Subject to change without notice\*\*

Saturday, Jan. 15 5:00 PM—Fr. DiTomo

Sunday, Jan. 16 7:30 AM—Fr. DiTomo

9:00 AM—Fr. Paril

10:30 AM—Fr. Paril

12:00 PM—Fr. Koutnik

5:00 PM—Fr. Koutnik

## MAY GOD BLESS

The families of Gianna Ogheneruno

Opuoro, Asher Ogheneruemu

Opuoro, and Daniela Veronica

Folger, all of whom were

recently welcomed into the Church through the Sacrament of Baptism.



## MAY GOD BLESS

Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Dachman (the former

Alissa Melchionna) who recently gave

themselves to each other in Holy

Matrimony here at St. Mary Church.



The Flowers next to the Tabernacle this week are for Sue Von Esh & John Knauss and for Anthony Malatesta.



The Sanctuary Lamp next to the Tabernacle is burning this week In Memory of Ralph O'Brien.

## ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM

Eternal rest grant unto Gail Sleetig, Edward Kniola, Harold Mowbray, and all our deceased family members and loved ones.

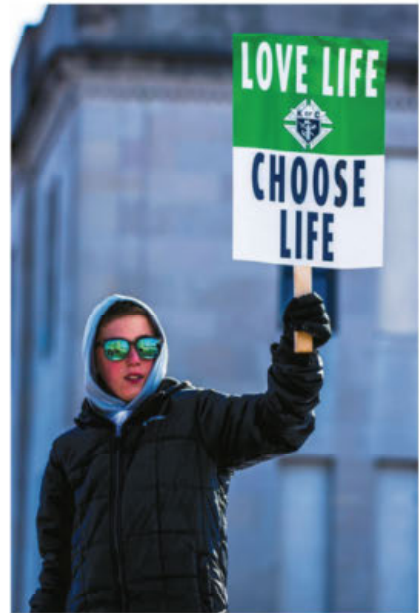




DEFEND THE UNBORN

# ROCKFORD WALK FOR LIFE


SATURDAY, JANUARY 15TH, 2022 • 11 AM



ROCKFORD FEDERAL COURTHOUSE  
237 S. CHURCH ST, ROCKFORD, IL

[PROLIFEROCKFORD.COM](http://PROLIFEROCKFORD.COM)

The Respect Life ministry will be carpooling to this event. Families are welcome to participate again! RSVP is necessary for traveling with the church. We will provide signs and hot chocolate. We will meet at 9:30 AM following the morning Mass. Please contact Melissa at [Melisanchz@gmail.com](mailto:Melisanchz@gmail.com) to RSVP. Free will donations are appreciated.



May we better understand the challenges facing mothers in need and how we can respond with increased care and support.

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## A PRAYER FOR PREGNANT MOTHERS

O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties.

Guide us as we strive to make our parish communities places of welcome and assistance for mothers in need. Help us become instruments of God's love and compassion.

Mary, Mother of the Church, graciously help us build a culture of life and a civilization of love, together with all people of good will, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life.\*  
Amen.

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## St. Mary Huntley Young Adult Ministry Social New Season Kick-Off

**Prayer.**  
**Sports, games, food.**  
**Make a new friend.**  
**Get involved. Major community.**

**Friday, January 14th, 2022 @ 7pm**  
**St. Mary Huntley Parish Hall**

**Contact Kaylee Baginski at**  
**kayleebaginski@gmail.com, or 630-697-9513**  
**for questions and prayer requests!**

**Ages: 21-40, single or married, Catholic or not!**





## THAT MAN IS YOU RETURNS JAN. 29

If you want to become a better Catholic man and grow closer to

Christ in 2022, join us for That Man Is You (TMIY). We're a group of about 70 men who gather on Saturday mornings for food, fellowship and faith. Our spring semester starts at 6:00 AM, Saturday, January 29th in the Parish Hall. (A Monday evening session will be offered online.) If you'll be coming to TMIY for the first time (or the first time in a while), please register at [tinyurl.com/HuntleyTMIY](https://tinyurl.com/HuntleyTMIY). Questions? Contact Marc Roth at [siberhusky7@gmail.com](mailto:siberhusky7@gmail.com)

## ST VINCENT DEPAUL JANUARY FOOD DRIVE

Weekend of January 15th & 16th

The Saint Vincent De Paul Society will be having their January Food Pantry Drive the weekend of January 15 and 16. They are grateful for the variety of items



that they continue to receive but want to remind our parishioners that they can only accept NON-EXPIRED food items and personal care items (no clothing, toys etc).

Some of the items for which they have the greatest need are:

### FOOD ITEMS:

Cereal  
Canned Fruit  
Canned Goods  
Spaghetti and Pasta Sauce  
Pancake Mix and Syrup

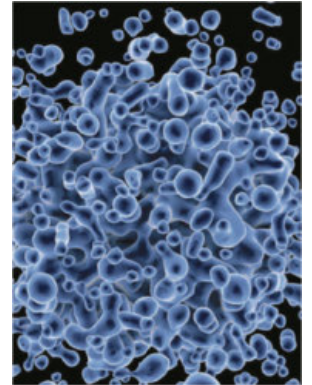
### NON FOOD:

Personal Care (Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Body Wash and Body Lotion, razors etc.)  
Feminine Hygiene Products  
Paper Products (Towels, Kleenex, Toilet Paper)  
Household Cleaning Products (Laundry Detergent, Dish Soap, All Purpose Cleaners, Lysol etc.)

The generosity of our parish allows them to continue to provide much needed assistance to our local community.

St Mary Youth Ministry Presents

## "ARE YOU MY MOTHER? THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SCIENCE AND FAITH"



Friday, January 14th, 6:30-7:30 PM, St. Mary Parish Hall

With Lisa Tambellini. Have you ever wondered why science and faith are at odds? The truth is that they are NOT! Learn about the REAL history between science and faith and how your faith can advance science.

Lisa began her work in biological research at Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. She completed graduate school at Northwestern University where she studied Cell and Molecular Biology Her experience in biomedical research includes studying placental proteins, circadian rhythm genes, mechanisms of disease in the eye and digestive tract and GnRH neurons. Lisa Tambellini is currently teaching Biology and Bioethics courses at McHenry County College and is a parishioner at St. Peter Catholic Church in Volo, IL.



## Seasons of Hope

A Christ centered bereavement group.

Next session will meet:  
January 14, 21, 28  
February 4, 11, 18  
At 9:00 AM in room 110.

To register or for any questions please contact:  
Mary Lou at (847) 669-3137 ext. 117  
or [mmanion@stmaryhuntley.org](mailto:mmanion@stmaryhuntley.org)

## ALTAR FLOWER INTENTIONS

The flowers next to the Tabernacle can be sponsored for a week in memory of a loved one or in honor of a special occasion. To sign up, please stop by the parish office or call to arrange. Arrangements are \$50 each, or \$100 for the entire weekend. Your person or event will be listed in the bulletin.

**The only dates left for 2022 are listed below:**



**February 5-6, 19-20; May 14-15, 21-22; July 9-10, 16-17, 23-24; August 13-14, 20-21; 27-28, September 3-4, 24-25; October 8-9; November 5-6, 12-13, 19-20.**

## GIVING TREE 2021

For the second year in a row the Giving Tree took on a very different look

because of the COVID 19 Pandemic, but the outcome was every bit as wonderful as it was in years past. Due to the unbelievable generosity of the parishioners, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to



help hundreds of people in need in our community in addition to the four organizations we have helped in the past. Those organizations are Options and Advocacy, who helps disabled children; Turning Point, who works with victims of domestic violence; Informed Choices, who helps women dealing with pregnancy; and Grafton Township, who works with people in need in our township. As these gift cards were given out there were literally tears of joy. How wonderful it is to see the spirit of Christmas live on through the generous hearts of our parishioners. A heartfelt thanks from the Society of St. Vincent de Paul to all who helped make this possible.





**STAY INFORMED ABOUT CURRENT PARISH NEWS!**

Just text the word HUNTLEY to 84576 and fill in your name. Or sign up online at [stmaryhuntley.flocknote.com](http://stmaryhuntley.flocknote.com).

*If you think you should be receiving our flocknotes, and you are NOT, then simply add [mail@flocknote.com](mailto:mail@flocknote.com) to your contact list for your email provider. (Also, make sure to check your spam / clutter file.)*

**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

If you know someone in need of assistance, please refer them to our confidential phone number (224) 569-2100.

**FIND US ON SOCIAL MEDIA**



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Instagram: @stmaryhuntley

**WATCH US ON YOUTUBE!**



**St. Mary is now live on YouTube!**

Go to YouTube.com and type "St. Mary Catholic Church Huntley" in the search bar to find our YouTube channel.

**LIVE STREAM MASS TIME**

We livestream the 9:00 AM Sunday morning Mass. Visit our YouTube channel: St. Mary Catholic Church Huntley to watch the Mass live or you can view the recorded version any time later.

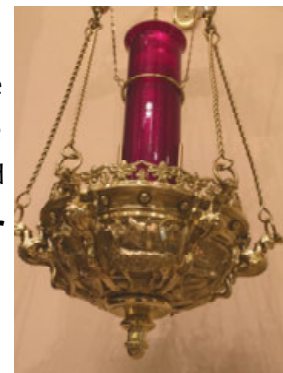
**ADORERS NEEDED**

Listed to the right in red are the days and times when adorers are needed in the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Adoration Chapel. For more information or to sign up, contact Deacon Lincoln at (847) 257-6242 or [dclnlincoln@gmail.com](mailto:dclnlincoln@gmail.com) or Mary Lou Manion at [mmanion@Stmaryhuntley.org](mailto:mmanion@Stmaryhuntley.org) or (847) 669-3137, x117.

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# BOOK OF THE MONTH

## GOD

*WHAT EVERY CATHOLIC SHOULD KNOW*

By Elizabeth Klein

If we want to love God and make him the center of our lives, we would do well to ponder the nature of God, at least in some small way. This book serves as a starting point for understanding what Christians mean when they say “God.” This book addresses three major concepts—the nature of God, the Trinity, and the Incarnation—so that we may strengthen our faith and our ability to communicate it to other people.



Some of us might protest that we are not smart enough to do theology and that less is more when it comes to contemplating the divine. But if God is perfect, wonderful, all goodness, love itself—as the Bible tells us in 1 John 4:8—it would be strange indeed if we did not want to give our whole selves to God, including our minds.

Visit the kiosk in the narthex for this book (\$5 each). After reading please do not return book to the kiosk – pass it on and share the faith. For assistance or more information, please contact Terry at (847) 651-0422.



To add or remove the name of a sick person, please call the parish office at (847) 669-3137. In order to keep the list current, names will remain on the list for two (2) months. After that time, if you would like a name to remain on the list, we ask that you call the parish office again to renew the listing.

✠ Paul Andres ✠ Frank Ardito ✠ Kelly & Jake Barna ✠ Simona Birdsell ✠ Katherine Birkner ✠ Paul Bjerkos ✠ Craig & Chris Boggs ✠ Lana Book ✠ Jack Browne ✠ Marti Casalino ✠ Bill Champine ✠ Phil & Vince Claps ✠ Rick Conquest ✠ Patty Creager ✠ Linda Cunningham ✠ Cam Curtis ✠ Barbara & John Curzon ✠ Maria Cybolski ✠ Raymond Dempsey ✠ Ally Diorio ✠ Maria Dow ✠ James Fischer ✠ Claudine Gerbel ✠ Norma Hartsock ✠ Maddie Helm ✠ Kathleen Hennelly ✠ Charlene Hogan ✠ Martin Hudik ✠ Lucy Irizzary ✠ Andrew Jean ✠ Laury Karwoski ✠ Laurie Kastning ✠ John Keck ✠ Pat Kellerman ✠ Elaine Kelly ✠ Robert Kinder ✠ Delaney Kinstner ✠ Law Family ✠ Shelly Lentine ✠ Dan Loranz ✠ Eric Maillefer ✠ Alyssa Mandarino ✠ Nico Manzo ✠ Victor & Eileen Mieszala ✠ Jim Mitzel ✠ Yolanda Moreno ✠ Joey Mueller ✠ Mike Mulcahy ✠ Peggy Murphy ✠ Gina O'Connor ✠ Tony Paladino ✠ John Panko ✠ Tina & Tony Pollastrini ✠ Frank & Eileen Poppo ✠ Salvadore & Ricky Portiera ✠ Ray Pozdol ✠ Larry Prange ✠ Robert Rollings ✠ Fr. Richard Ross ✠ Casey Ryan ✠ Iola Schneiderman ✠ Pat Sharpitis ✠ Tom & Sharon Sible ✠ Gail Sleeting ✠ Jacob Sonnefelt ✠ Ella Steel ✠ Dianne Steinhoff ✠ Bill Taylor ✠ John Taylor ✠ Pat Tomalis ✠ Donald Triebold ✠ Ameerah Walker ✠ Lucille Walsh ✠ Robert Wise ✠

Please pray for our men and women in the armed services, and all our “First Responders”—those in the police, fire fighters, and paramedics/EMTs.

# BLESSING RELIGIOUS ITEMS

**Mondays following the  
8:00 AM Mass**

Due to the many requests to bless items, we will now be blessing

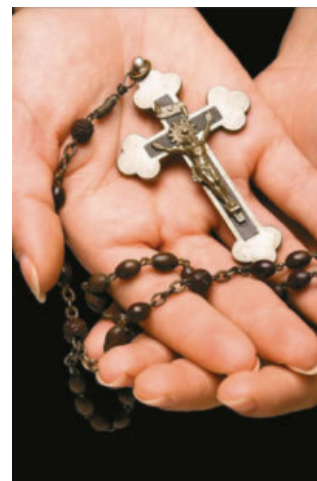
items on  
MONDAYS  
ONLY.

Please  
bring your  
items after  
the 8:00  
AM Mass.

If you  
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make it on

Monday, you may drop your item off at the parish office any time of the week prior to Mondays and your item will be blessed along with the other items and you can pick your item up later that day.





# KNIGHTS CORNER

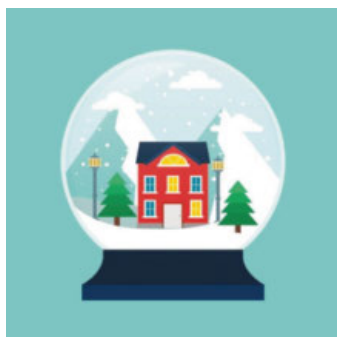
**CHARITY MANIA IS BACK!** How would you like a chance to win some money and help our parish at the same time?



For \$10, you can join the FootballMania SuperMatch and have a chance to win \$10,000. The SuperMatch is a Super Bowl pool where

winner's are determined by the score at the end of each quarter. Use the following link to buy tickets -- and share the links with family, friends and co-workers: <https://www.charitymania.com/give/rc00e>. Are you a hockey fan? HockeyMania tickets are available for \$20, and cover a 15-week season. Here is the link for HockeyMania: <https://www.charitymania.com/give/hc0117>. Proceeds from all CharityMania sales are used by the Knights for the benefit of St. Mary parish.

**JOIN US:** Want to become a Knight? Are you a Knight who hasn't been involved for a while? We welcome you with open arms. Please contact Membership Director Greg Windbiel at (224) 805-9637 or [Real150guy@yahoo.com](mailto:Real150guy@yahoo.com).



## NEW IN THE PARISH?

Please call the Parish Office at (847) 669-3137 and we can register you right over the phone. We look forward to hearing from you soon.

## TRAVELING?

Visit <http://www.mass-times.org> Enter the city you're visiting to find the Mass times nearest to you.



# PIETRA FITNESS FOR WOMEN

A fitness class that stretches, strengthens and tones the body while refreshing the soul with prayer.



Pietra (meaning "rock" in Italian) is a word that reminds us of the importance of a solid foundation when building anything that is to have strength, stability, and longevity. At Pietra Fitness, our "whole person" workouts are built

upon this concept. We utilize physical exercise to promote core strength as a solid physical foundation. For the soul, our workouts include prayer and meditations. This powerful combination truly benefits the entire human person.

**Dates are: January 19th & 21st.**

**Time is 9:00 to 10:00 AM.**

You will need to register in advance. For class you will need a mat and towel. Please contact Ann, Certified Pietra Fitness Instructor, at (630) 337-6203 to register.

## CONFESSION TIMES OFFERED AS FOLLOWS:

**Tuesdays,**  
**6:00-6:30 PM**  
**Wednesdays,**  
**11:00 AM-12:00 PM**  
**Saturdays,**  
**8:30-9:00 AM**  
**and 3:30-4:30 PM**

# The 8th Commandment



“YOU SHALL NOT BEAR  
FALSE WITNESS AGAINST  
YOUR NEIGHBOR”  
—CCC, NOS. 2464-2513

## Speak the Truth and Live the Truth

“Truth or truthfulness is the virtue which consists in showing oneself true in deeds and truthful in words, and guarding against duplicity, dissimulation, and hypocrisy. . . . Respect for the reputation and honor of persons forbids all detraction and calumny in word or attitude.”

—CCC, nos. 2505 and 2507

The Bible teaches that God is the source of truth. Jesus not only taught the truth; he also said, “I am the truth” (cf. Jn 14:6). The Hebrew word for truth, *emeth*, refers both to truth in words and truthfulness in deeds. Jesus both personalized truth and spoke nothing but the truth. . . .

## Sins Against Truth

“Lying is the most direct offense against the truth. . . . By injuring man’s relation to truth and to his neighbor, a lie offends against the fundamental relation of man and of his word to the Lord” (CCC, no. 2483). People sin

against the truth when they are guilty of ruining the reputation of another by telling lies, when they practice rash judgment, or when they engage in detraction (the unjust telling of someone’s faults), perjury (lying under oath), or calumny (telling lies about another).

Scripture is clear about the evil of lying. In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus said, “Let your ‘Yes’ mean ‘Yes’ and your ‘No’ mean ‘No.’ Anything more is from the evil one” (Mt 5:37). This reminds us not only that we need to be truthful, but also that hypocrisy—saying one thing while doing the opposite—is a sin against truth.

In the Gospel of John, Jesus describes the devil as father of lies (cf. Jn 8:44). St. Paul discouraged lying: “Stop lying to one another” (Col 3:9); “Speak the truth, each one to his neighbor, for we are members one of another” (Eph 4:25). . . . We can testify to the truths of our faith in our everyday living.

“I do not sit with deceivers, / nor with hypocrites do I mingle.”  
—Ps 26:4



# The Ninth Commandment

“YOU SHALL NOT COVET  
YOUR NEIGHBOR’S WIFE”  
—CCC, NOS. 2514-2533

## The Morality of the Heart

“The heart is the seat of moral personality: ‘Out of the heart come evil thoughts, murder, adultery, fornication’ (Mt 15:19). The struggle against carnal covetousness entails purifying the heart and practicing temperance.”  
—CCC, no. 2517

We experience tensions between spiritual and physical desires. This struggle belongs to the heritage of sin. This does not mean that we are to despise the body and emotions that, with the soul, constitute our nature. It does make us realize that we will face a daily spiritual struggle to acquire virtues that help us obey the saving action of the Holy Spirit and overcome vices that cause us to resist him.

The grace of Baptism purifies us from sins, but a certain tendency to sin remains. We must

struggle against disordered desires by practicing purity of mind, heart, and body with daily vigilance. To do this, we need to examine our motives as well as our deeds, so that we always seek God’s will. This will cause us to discipline our feelings and imagination. Finally, since purity is a gift of God, we need to pray for it, as St. Augustine did:

“I thought that continence arose from one’s own powers, which I did not recognize in myself. I was foolish enough not to know . . . that no one can be continent unless you grant it. For you surely would have granted it if my inner groaning had reached your ears and I with firm faith had cast my cares on you.” (*The Confessions*, bk. 6, chap. 11, no. 20)

“Everyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart’ (Mt 5:28). The ninth commandment warns against lust or carnal concupiscence.” (CCC, nos. 2528-2529).

St. Catherine of Siena School

Preschool-8th Grade

# OPEN HOUSE

January 30, 10:30-12:30

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"Let us become saints so that after having been together on earth we will be together forever in heaven."

—St. Padre Pio



  
**BELLARMINE**  
 Jesuit Retreat House

February 21, 2022  
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# THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

## MONDAY, JANUARY 10

8:00 AM—MASS

6:00 PM—Confirmation Class

6:30 PM—Bear Den

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 11

8:00 AM—MASS

12:00 Noon—MASS

5:00 PM—Religious Ed

6:00-6:30 PM—Confessions

7:00 PM—The Creed Explained

7:00 PM—K of C Council

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12

8:00 AM—MASS

9:00 AM—The Creed Explained

11:00 AM-12:00 Noon—Confessions

12:00 Noon—MASS

5:00 PM—Religious Ed

6:45 PM—Religious Ed

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 13

8:00 AM—MASS

8:30 AM—MMP

12:00 Noon—MASS

4:30 PM—Haitian Ministry

6:00 PM—Book Club Meeting

6:30 PM—RCIA/Catholicism 101

6:30 PM—Ladies Auxiliary

7:00 PM—Pastoral Council

7:00 PM—Alcoholics

Anonymous

7:15 PM—Adult Choir

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00 AM—MASS

9:00 AM—Seasons of Hope

1:00 PM—Science & Faith

6:30 PM—Respect Life

6:30 PM—Young Adult Social

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 15

8:00 AM—MASS

8:30-9:00 AM—Confessions

8:30 AM—Al-Anon

8:30 AM—Patriotic Rosary

9:00 AM—The Creed Explained

9:00 AM—Magnify 90

10:30 AM—Knights Color Guard

3:30-4:30 PM—Confessions

5:00 PM—MASS

6:30 PM—Angelus Choir

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 16

MASSES AT: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM, & 5:00 PM

9:00 AM—Child care during Mass

10:30 AM—Child care during Mass

3:00 PM—Veritas St. Lucy

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**Sunday:** 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM, 12:00 NOON, 5:00 PM  
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*Recitation of the Rosary*

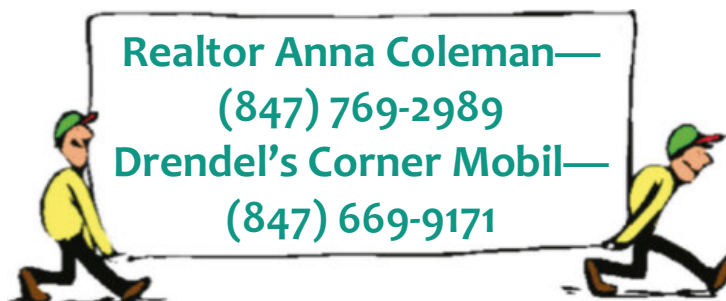
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