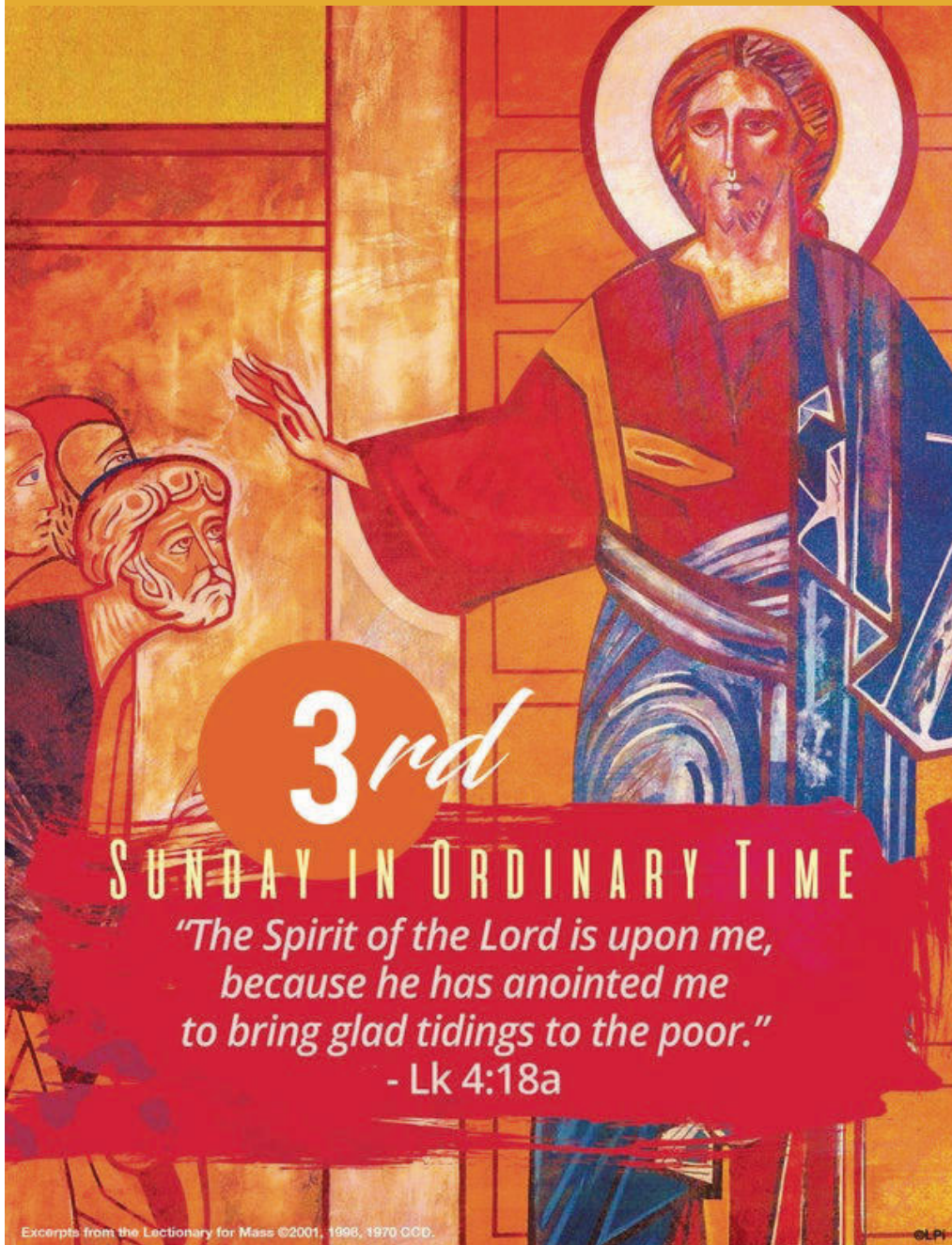


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SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022



3rd

SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me
to bring glad tidings to the poor."
- Lk 4:18a*

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HOLY MASS

Saturday | 4:30 PM
4:30 Mass in church and
on YouTube
Sunday | 8 AM and 10:30 AM

Weekdays

Wed - Fri | 8 a.m.

HOLY DAYS

Schedule Varies.

Consult bulletin or call rectory.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday | 3:00 PM-4:00 p.m.
Sunday | 7:30-7:45 a.m.

Anointing of the Sick

Call the rectory to schedule
an appointment.

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THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parish Family of St. Augustine,

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: In the Gospel, Jesus announces to the crowd in the synagogue that He has fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah...that He has come "to bring glad tidings to the poor, liberty to captives, sight to the blind, setting the oppressed free, to proclaim a year of favor from the Lord." What a beautiful fulfillment of these words of Isaiah in Jesus, the long awaited Messiah! Jesus comes to bring the same blessings to us—enlightening us with His teaching; enriching us with His grace; setting us free from captivity to sin; bringing hope to those mistreated by others; and rejoicing in a time of grace and favor from the Lord! **MAY WE SHARE THESE BLESSINGS WITH THOSE AROUND US.**

SISTER CAROL MARKUS, SSND: Sister Carol was a great blessing to our PSR program, as she was Co-Director with her "sister", Sister Theresa ("Sister Tess") Markus. Sister Carol passed away on January 10; her body was donated to science. A Memorial Mass was celebrated this Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Cathedral. May the Lord bless Sister Carol with eternal rest and peace after her many years of religious life as a School Sister of Notre Dame; and bless her "sisters": Sr. Tess, Sr Joan (who was also Sr. Carol's twin sister) and all of the extended Markus family, as well as the School Sisters of Notre Dame.

PRAYER FOR PROTECTION OF THE LIVES OF THE UNBORN: As Catholics, we are committed to respect for the gift of innocent human life, especially the lives of the unborn. Jan 22nd 1973 was date of the legalization of abortion in our country; we continue to pray for the legal protection of the lives of the unborn, as well as offer prayer, support, and help to mothers facing difficult pregnancies that they may choose LIFE.

KC COUNCIL 1028: will have their membership drive on "Playoff Sunday" at their KC Hall, located on St. Henry's Church property, 5301 W. Main, from 2-9 pm. The Council gives a lot of charitable donations to worthy causes in our area...any men of our parishes who are not in the Knights of Columbus would do well to look into joining Council 1028....this event on Jan. 30 is a family event as wellall welcome to come! See the ad in our bulletin!

May the Lord bless us all!

Fr. Bill

NOTRE DAME ACADEMY NEWS

As we approach the end of January we prepare for Catholic Schools Week. Catholic Schools Week begins Jan. 30th. We start this week with an Open House on Sunday, Jan. 30th from 11-12:30 pm. This open house is for prospective families only. If you are interested in Notre Dame Academy for your child for next year, please stop by and take a look at our facilities and learn more about our school. Masks are required and social distancing will be followed.

Next Saturday, Jan. 29th our parent organization is putting on a Trivia Night. Go to www.eventbrite.com and search PANDA Through the Decades for more information and registration. This event will have limited seating, so get your table early. COVID protocol will be put in place to keep all participants safe.

Linda Hobbs
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PARISHES' SCHOOL OF RELIGION

The Parishes' School of Religion does meet on Sunday, January 23 from 8:45 - 10:10 A.M. and on Wednesday, January 26 from 6:00 - 7:30 P.M.

I ask you to make the attendance of your children at the Parishes' School of Religion a priority. It is important that your children continue to grow in their Catholic faith. We need to collaborate in this important responsibility given to us. We want your children to learn their faith, love their faith and live their faith. Of course, we understand that if your children are sick they should stay home.

Sister Theresa Markus, S.S.N.D.
Coordinator of the Parishes' School of Religion

CBAY

We are still looking for some more adults to help with the meetings. If you are interested, let us know.

Mark your calendars for these upcoming gatherings: February 13, February 27, March 13, March 27, April 10, April 24, May 1, May 22 .

Questions? Contact Nancy Furlow @ 222-0585 or nancy.furlow@charter.net.

PRAYER & WORSHIP

Please keep in your prayers, all who are ill, especially those listed below, their families and their caregivers.

Adalyn H.	Dennis G.	Laura N.	Ruth S.
Amie T.	Dennis S.	Leontine R.	Ryan S.
Ann M.	Elsie W.	Liz A.	Sandy J.
Ashley C.	Fernando C.	Logan G.	J Schrage Family
Aubrey C.	George V.	Lori M.	Sarah B.
Becky B.	Gio F.	Marcia	Shari C.
Becky S.	Grace G.	Marcia R.	Shirley B.
Bill A.	Hudyma Family	Marian B.	Stephanie K.
Bill P.	Irwin Family	Marlene W.	Steve B.
Brenda	Jean L.	Mary T.H.	Susan H.
Brenda W.	Jeanine H.	Matt C.	Teresa S.
Brittany G.	Jeannie P.	Maureen R.	Tina
Cameron K.	Jessica V.	Michael Q.	Tom C.
Chad W.	Jet D.	Mike B.	Toporynski Family
Chris S.	Jim H.	Mike G.	Tracy G.
Chuck A.	Joan M.	Natalie B.	Vern R.
Cindy C.	JoAnn S.	Nick	Vince B.
Cindy H.	Joe B.	Patty B.	
C.J.	Joe T.	Peggy L.	
Daryle R.	Juanita W.	Ray A.	
Deacon Gerry	Julie M.	Rita M.	

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN THE SERVICE:

Adam	Matt B.	Connor F.	Nathan S.
Brian	Derek B.	Justin	Brian B.
James B.	Fr. Paul H.	Jon V.	Matthew K.
DeAndre	Jonathan P.	Brett B.	Jacob H.
Jimmy C.	Josh J.	Nicholas	Katlyn K.
Chaz F.	John K.	Rebecca	Adam M.
Shawn M.	Juno D.	Robert	

To add names to the Prayer List, please contact Karen Goetz by phone at 618-789-1076 or by email at karen.goetz@rd.nestle.com . Names will be published for 4 weeks unless we are notified to retain them longer.

PARISH SUPPORT FOR JAN. 9, 2022

Sunday Envelopes	4704.99
Loose Collection.....	711.50
Online Giving.....	1,741.00
Total.....	\$ 7,157.49
Building Fund	287.00
Debt Reduction.....	350.00
Candles	83.00
Food Pantry.....	50.00
Guatemala Missions	75.00
Family Faith Formation Ctr.....	.50
Solemnity of Mary.....	147.00
First Offering	245.00
Total.....	\$8,399.79

*Thank you for your generosity.
Your donations enable St. Augustine to continue to be of service to our Parish and our community..*

Readings for the week of January 23, 2022

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30

Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26/Mk 3:22-30

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

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30/
Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14/
Mk 4:21-25

Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7, 10-11/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 [cf. 15ab]/
1 Cor 12:31-13:13 or 13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30

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

LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, USHERS/SANITIZERS, AND SERVERS for the following weekend

SATURDAY, JANUARY 29th, 4:30 p.m.

L:	John Bogacki
EM:	Bob Phelps
U:	Paula Sobol & Joe Schomber
S:	Volunteers

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30th, 8:00 a.m.

L:	Gary Hoefken
EM:	Jane Friederich
U:	Ron & Rosemary Tedesco
S:	Volunteers

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30th, 10:30 a.m.

L:	Paula Gingrich
EM:	John Gingrich
U:	John & Mary Therese Hoffmann
S:	Sarah Gingrich, Hannah Gingrich

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF January 23-30, 2022

Sat., Jan. 22, 4:30 p.m.	James Twardowski
Sun., Jan. 23, 8:00 a.m.	For the People
Sun., Jan. 23, 10:30 a.m.	Queenship of Mary Sodality
Weds., Jan. 26, 8:00 a.m.	Judy Ganey
Thurs., Jan. 27, 8:00 a.m.	Cheryl Neu
Fri., Jan. 28, 8:00 a.m.	John & Margaret McGhee
Sat., Jan. 29, 4:30 p.m.	Charles Eckert
Sun., Jan. 30, 8:00 a.m.	For the People
Sun., Jan. 30, 10:30 a.m.	Verna Lickenbrock

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time – 23 January 2022

We devote this day to the celebration, study, and spread of the Word of God.

Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10. Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 15. 1 Corinthians 12:12-30. Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21.

Believing the Word of God. We are the Body of Christ (Corinthians) assembling as the graced community of believers (Nehemiah) each week to give thanks and praise, to share in Communion, and then sent to serve. We are part of the great Communion of Saints to whom is handed down the living Word of God – both the Scriptures and the Tradition as well as the very person of Christ who is the spoken Word of God (Luke). During the first Mass in a brand-new church building, the bishop shows the *Lectionary* to the assembly and says:

“May the word of God resound always in this building, to open for you the mystery of Christ and to bring about your salvation in the Church.”

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The Word of God is central to faith.

- ◆ How will I set aside a few minutes each day to read/re-read Scripture? What is a good time?
- ◆ How will I look for the unfolding mystery of Christ in little and big ways today?
- ◆ How will I be “good news” this week by what I say and do?

BLESSING OF THE THROATS

Father Bill will do a general blessing over everyone as he makes announcements after Communion at the February 3rd, 8:00 a.m. mass. An opportunity will be made for those who prefer a personal blessing to come to us. Candles will be held toward the person and Father will bless them.

Masks and social distancing will apply.



BIRTHDAYS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 16-23, 2022

22nd:	Stephanie Gaubatz, Marilyn Glasscock, Maria McManus, Francis, Vernier
23rd:	James Dohle
24th:	Helen Keilman, Leonard Klein, Paul Kuehne, Michelle Woods
25th:	Josh Foster
26th:	Matt Dunn, Cory Padgett
27th:	Deacon Casner, Mary Ellen Michael, Richard Sims
28th:	Karlee Albrecht, Vickie Horcher, JP Wohlgemuth
29th:	Aidan Bradley
30th:	Russell Roark
31st:	Maura Brueggeman, Virginia Goetz



VOCATION CORNER:

My parents gave me and my siblings a joyful and loving childhood where the beauty of the Catholic faith shone brightly. They sent us to a school in Madrid operated by the sisters of the Company of the Savior, whose charism is to cooperate with parents by providing a strong education in a faithful catholic environment. The joy, devotion and dedication of the sisters immediately attracted me. During my last years of high school and my first year of college, I was tempted by new experiences and friendships based on different ideals than those of my youth. It was Mary who opened my eyes to see deeper. She brought me back to the heart of Jesus. Eventually, I embraced His loving call to be only his and joined the Sisters of the Company of the Savior. ***Sr. Maria Alguacil; Sisters of the Company of the Savior; Columbia, Sept. 2021.***

SUBSCRIPTION RENEWAL TIME

The Messenger Newspaper Subscription Renewal Weekend is Feb. 5-6. Please stay connected with your Diocese through a subscription to **The Messenger** Catholic Newspaper. Payments can be made via your Messenger envelope or on-line at www.bellevillemessenger.org

Please make checks payable to the Messenger
The cost is still only \$25 for print or digital and \$30 for both!

GIFT BEARERS for January 22/23, 2022:

Saturday, Jan. 22, 4:30 p.m.	Bob & Mary Phelps
Sunday, Jan. 23, 8:00 a.m.	Mary Ann Warnecke and Carolyn Sedabres
Sunday, Jan. 23, 10:30 a.m.	Bill and Kim Klopmeier

HAPPENINGS

THROUGH THE DECADES TRIVIA NIGHT - January 29, 2022

NOTRE DAME ACADEMY

The Parents Association of Notre Dame Academy invites you to join us at our online trivia night to kick off Catholic Schools Week. All proceeds from ticket sales and donations will go to Notre Dame Academy. **Trivia Through the Decades** will consist of five rounds of trivia, each focusing on a different decade.

Log in at 6:30 PM CST; Trivia starts at 7:00 PM. We will offer mulligans and 50/50 tickets 30 minutes before the trivia starts. To add to the excitement we will also have five rounds of prize drawings.

Choose a team, or select the team that you were invited to. You can register up to 10 individuals on each team. After a team is full, please choose a different team. We will adjust and combine ALL teams that are under 10 people to make it a fair competition!

ST. PEREGRINE MASS - NEW TIME

Our Lady Queen of Peace celebrates St. Peregrine Mass the first Thursday of every month. Mass will begin at **8:15 a.m.**, followed immediately by special prayers to St. Peregrine, the patron saint for cancer patients. The next St. Peregrine Mass is on Thursday, February 3, 2022.

BLOOD DRIVE THANK YOU

Our January 10th blood drive was a success. We had 23 people show up, and we collected 18 units of blood. We had one gentleman give a double - which is something I always love to see. Eighteen units of blood helps 54 people.

A special thank you to Debbi Clover and Ed Friday for their wonderful help.

Our next drive is May 9, 2022, and I hope to see tons of people there. Thanks again everyone who attended,

Susy

QUEENSHIP OF MARY SODALITY

The QMS invites all ladies to attend the St. Augustine 8 AM mass on Wednesday, February 2nd in observance of the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, followed by breakfast together at the Golden Oak Restaurant at 159 and Frank Scott Parkway. No reservation needed.

Our next gathering will be for a service project--Easter cards and goodies for homebound, assisted living, and nursing home parishioners. We need your help! Saturday morning, March 26th at 10 AM in the multi-purpose room. Light refreshments and social time afterwards.



Don't Miss the
PLAYOFF FAMILY PARTY

January 30th

2:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

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5301 West Main St.

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(the KC Hall is on the St. Henry campus)

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John 14:12

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Your support of The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal **helps to make this possible**. If you have not already done so, please consider making a gift today. The youngsters at Sister Thea Bowman are counting on you.

WINE TASTING

St. Thomas Church in Newton would like to invite you to their annual Wine Tasting event, hosted by their Angel's group! It will take place on Saturday, January 29th at 5:30 p.m. at the Newton KC Hall. There will be a quilt raffled off, as well as an auction of various alcoholic drink baskets taking place at 8:00 p.m.

Admission is \$10 per person. Come out and enjoy wines from around the world, specialty drinks, and delicious hors d'oeuvres! Hope to see you there!

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