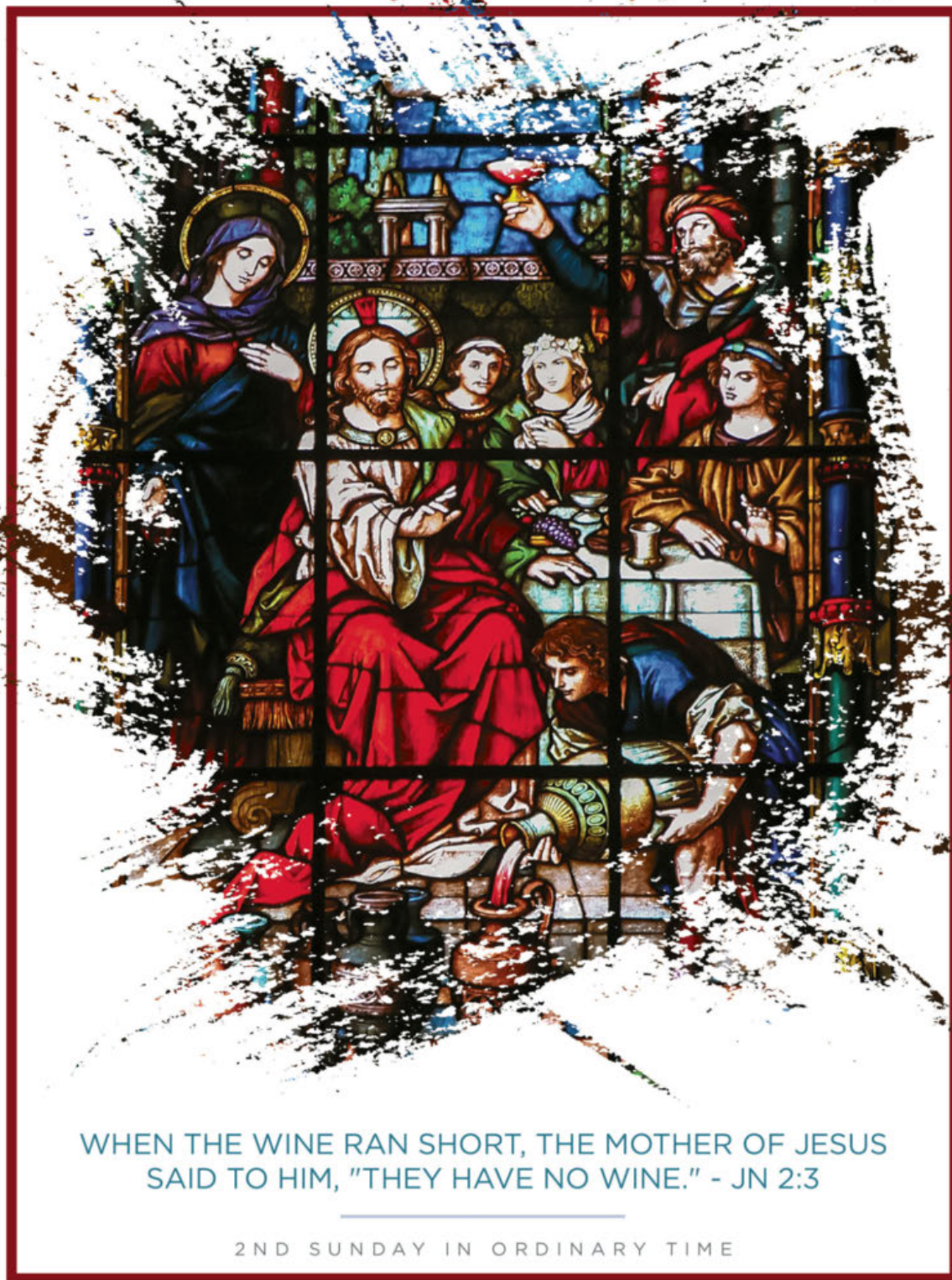


# MARY, *Mother of the Church*

## JANUARY 16, 2022



WHEN THE WINE RAN SHORT, THE MOTHER OF JESUS  
SAID TO HIM, "THEY HAVE NO WINE." - JN 2:3

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## HOLIDAY HOURS



### Monday, January 17

The office and building at Mary Mother will be closed in observance of the national holiday.

**There is not a 9:00 Mass and Adoration is closed.**

*"Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that."*  
– Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King, Jr.

## BABY SHOWER



### During the Month of January

Help support families in our community by donating new baby items during our **Annual Baby Shower** in January. Donations may be dropped off in the cribs at each end of the Parish Atrium, or in the basket by the Office door. **Items needed include:** baby clothes (new items only) for all seasons, diapers, onesies, wipes, undershirts, bibs, baby blankets, hooded bath towels, and wash cloths. All donations will be divided among local crisis pregnancy centers.

Financial donations are also needed to purchase cribs and other larger baby items for families in need. Place monetary donations in the collection basket, drop them off at the Parish Office, or mail them to the Church. Checks should be made out to Mary, Mother of the Church – please specify A Community Caring for Life (ACCL) on your check. For more information, contact Sister Pranitha at 952-890-0045, or email [srpranitha@mmotc.org](mailto:srpranitha@mmotc.org).

Drop off Baby Items  
in Cribs at ends  
of Parish Atrium  
or at the Office  
during January

## THIS WEEK AT MMOTC

Monday, January 17

Office and Building are closed

Tuesday, January 18

9:00 am	Mass (Live-streamed)
10:00-3:00 pm	Adoration, Chapel
10:00-11:30 am	Divine Mercy Cenacle
6:00-8:00 pm	Stephen Ministry Training
6:30-8:00 pm	Divine Mercy Cenacle
6:30-8:30 pm	Liturgy Commission

Wednesday, January 19

9:00 am	Mass
10:00-3:00 pm	Adoration, Chapel
4:30-6:00 pm	Children's Faith Formation
6:30-8:00 pm	Children's Faith Formation
6:30-8:00 pm	Youth Faith Formation
6:30-8:00 pm	Exultation Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 20

9:00 am	Mass
10:00-3:00 pm	Adoration, Chapel
5:00-6:00 pm	Meals at Mary Mother

Friday, January 21

9:00 am	Mass
6:00-9:00 pm	CGS Catechist Training

Saturday, January 22

9:00 am	Sacrament of Reconciliation
9:15 am	Check-in for March for Life bus
9:00-1:00 pm	Adoration for Life, Chapel
9:00-4:00 pm	CGS Catechist Training
9:00-5:00 pm	Youth Faith Formation Retreat
4:00 pm	Mass (Live-streamed)

Sunday, January 23

8:30 am	Mass & Children's Liturgy of the Word
9:30-11:00 am	Children's Faith Formation
9:30 am	RCIA, Room 17
9:45 am	RCIA Inquiry, Library
11:00 am	Mass & Children's Liturgy of the Word
1:00-5:00 pm	CGS Catechist Training

## BIBLE STUDY START DELAYED

**Due to the current Covid concerns, Bible Study will not resume in January.** The leadership team will carefully assess the situation in the coming weeks and make an effort to keep all those who have registered informed of future decisions. Thank you for your patience. For further information contact Father Tim Rudolphi at 952-890-0045 or Marilyn Ashenbrenner at 952-457-3597.



## ADORATION NEED



**Mary Mother has a critical need for adorers on Mondays at 12 Noon, and Tuesdays at 12 Noon and 2:00 pm.**

Eucharistic Adoration is when the Blessed Sacrament is exposed in a monstrance on the altar. This is an opportunity for quiet time with Jesus by reading

scripture, praying the Rosary or simply sitting in His presence.

We would like to increase our list of substitutes. If you are available during the day and have flexibility to adore as a substitute, or you can fill one of our areas of critical need, please contact Roxanne at [rtozier@mmotc.org](mailto:rtozier@mmotc.org) or 952-890-0045.

## NEW MEMBERS



**Ms. Mary Brostuen**

**Mr. Vivek Kuppamala  
Jose and Jolly Kuppamala**

## PRAYER REQUEST



Mary Mother's Confirmation candidates will be on retreat this Saturday, January 22, as part of their preparation to receive the Sacrament on April 5. Please keep them in your prayers as they spend time with one another, their catechists, our priests, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 17 | No Mass

Tuesday, January 18 | Eleanor McEllistrem †

Wednesday, January 19 | Vince Cahill †

Thursday, January 20 | Jenny & her mother

Friday, January 21 | Kathy Martin †

Saturday, January 22 | Phil McCarty †

### PLEASE NOTE

When requesting a Mass or other specific prayer intention, please be advised that some daily and weekend Masses are live-streamed. This results in prayer petitions being broadcast on the Internet.

## WEEKLY READINGS

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23  
Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13  
Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33,37,40-51  
Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9;19:1-7  
Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21  
Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4,11-12,19,23-27  
Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a,5-6,8-10  
1 Cor 12:12-30  
Lk 1:1-4;4:14-21

All readings available online at [bible.usccb.org](http://bible.usccb.org).

## RCIA



Every Sunday, at 9:45 am in the Library, the **RCIA Inquiry** team can answer questions and begin the journey. RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. This process is for adults, and children over the age of 7, who have never been Baptized or Confirmed. It is also for Baptized Christians who wish to investigate the Catholic Faith.

## HOW I SPENT MY SUMMER



### MMOTC Summer Camp July 24-29 2022

A week-long residential camp in Trego, WI for students entering grades 6-12.

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**Registration is open through February 1.** Cost is \$495. Up to \$250 in scholarships is already available and fundraising will begin in the Spring. Contact Amy for details: [aschroeder@mmotc.org](mailto:aschroeder@mmotc.org) or 952-890-0045.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**The Youth Room** is in need of some revitalization. We are looking for donations of gently used furniture to replace some well worn pieces. (Sofas/couches are especially welcome). It need not be new, but must be smoke-free and pet hair-free. Please contact Amy Schroeder, Director of Youth Formation, if you have a donation that may suit Mary Mother's Youth Room. Contact Amy at 952-890-0045 or [aschroeder@mmotc.org](mailto:aschroeder@mmotc.org).



## MARCH FOR LIFE 2022

**Saturday, January 22, 2022**

**Reserve your spot today!**

Mary Mother will have a bus leaving promptly at 9:30 am and returning by 1:30 pm to the lower level parking lot. Check in for the bus at 9:15.

The day begins with at the St. Paul Cathedral with a prayer service, followed by a procession downhill to the State Capitol for the MN March for Life program.

Cost for the bus is \$10 per person or \$30 per family. Due to COVID, only bottled water and a granola bar will be provided. **Transportation regulations require a mask be worn on the bus.**

Adoration will take place at the Mary Mother Chapel from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm to pray for Life. Sign up after Masses or at the office by January 19. Contact Sr. Pranitha with any questions at 952-890-0045.



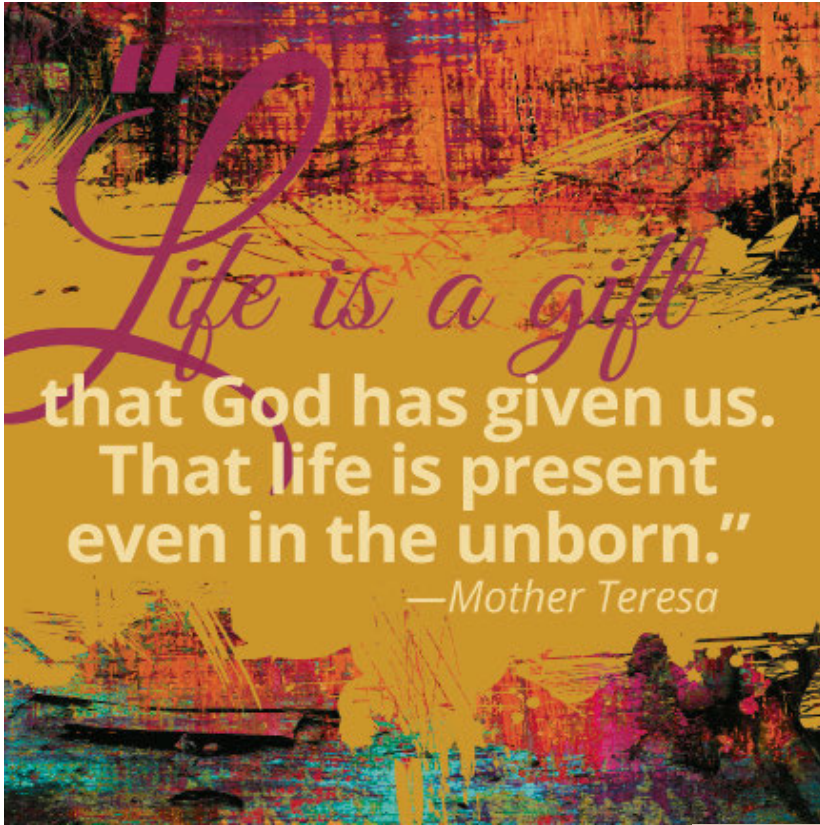
## LEARNING OPPORTUNITY

**HAVE YOU SEEN THIS WOMAN?**

**Thursday, January 20, 6:30-8:30 pm**

**St. Thomas Becket Church  
4455 S Robert Trl, Eagan**

There is a crisis of missing and murdered indigenous women and girls in this country, including in Minnesota. State Senator Mary Kunesh will share her knowledge about the work being done in Minnesota to address this crisis. This event is free, but please sign up at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040449A8A92CA5FA7-have> so that space may be properly planned. There will be a free will offering for local organizations who support Indigenous Minnesotans. Masks and a COVID vaccination card or a negative COVID test taken within 72 hours, are required.



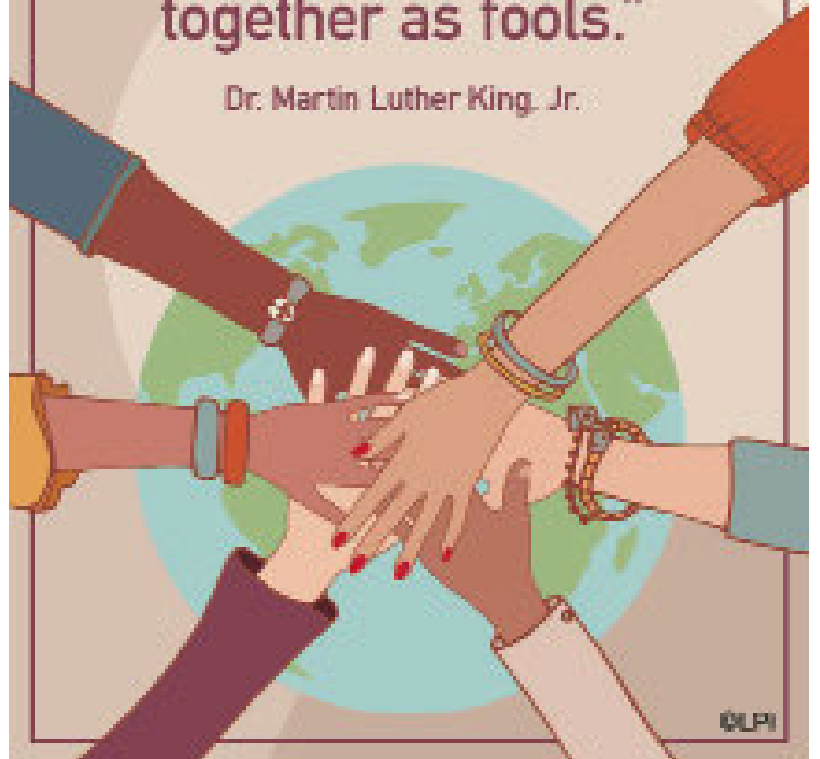
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Pope Paul VI

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together as brothers  
or we will perish  
together as fools."

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



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