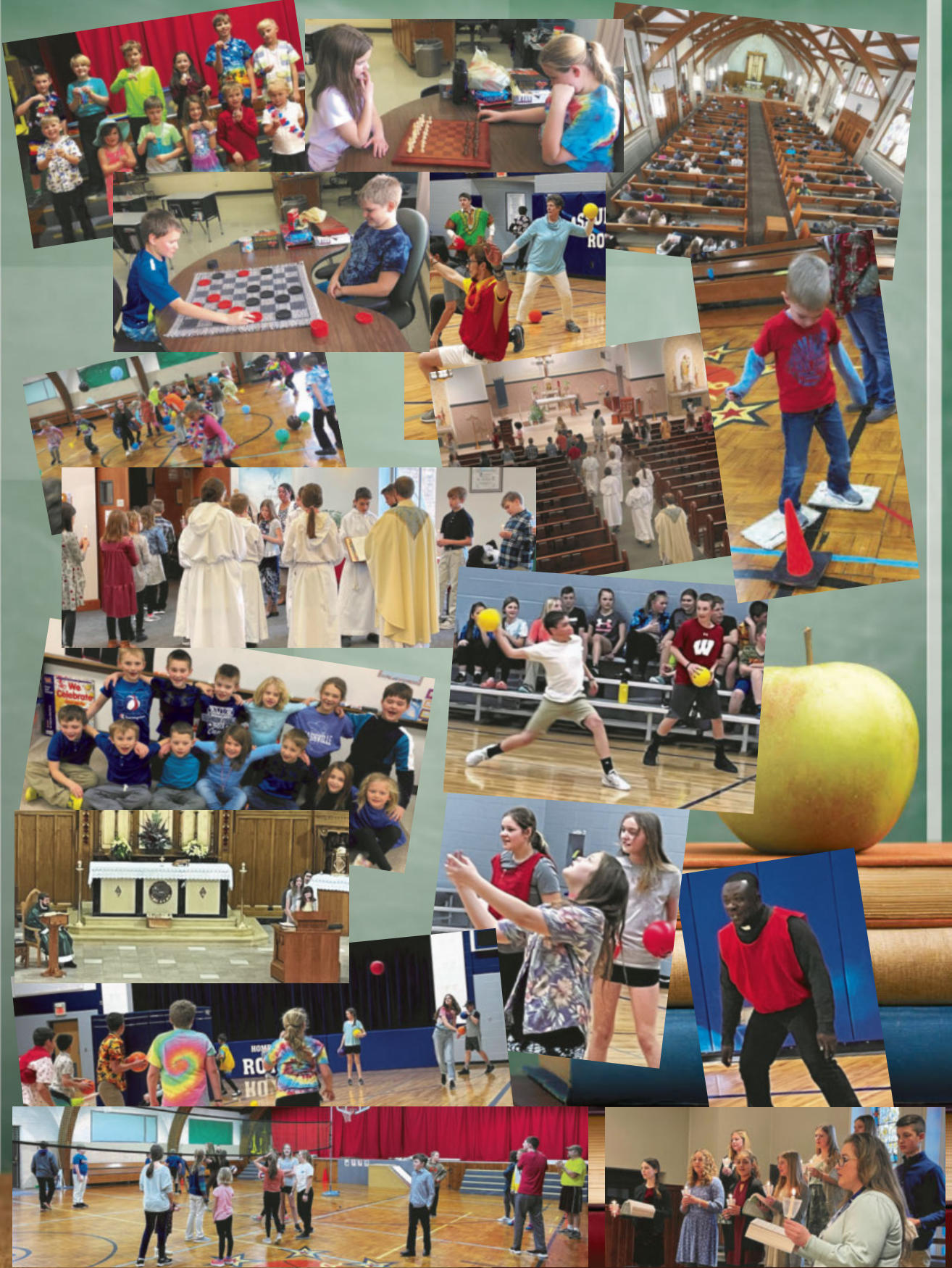


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Gospel Meditation

February 6, 2022—5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man,” these words, uttered by Simon Peter, can be found on any one of our lips. What real significance do I have in the big picture of God’s Divine plan? Even though we try our best to hide it, we all suffer from a lack of faith. We get tired, confused, and often lack any sincere desire to put anything into our relationship with God. It’s easier to simply reap whatever benefits the world has to offer and call it a day. Floating along on the superficial currents of life doesn’t require much effort and seems to get us through the day. Confronting our own infidelity, apathy, weakness of spirit, and doubt in God’s providence, how can we even remotely be considered a worthy vessel of God’s presence or credible voice for His message?

This is the irony of faith. God doesn’t seek the perfect vessels. He likes the broken ones. There is something to be said about living honestly and sincerely, and wrestling with sin, imperfection, and weakness rather than skipping through the peripheries of life with pretention, arrogance, and mendacity. If we believe ourselves to be our own “god” and serve only ourselves, we close the door to ever being used by the real and only True God. But, if we at least acknowledge that there is One greater than ourselves, then even in our deepest poverty and lowliness, God can enter.

Lessons are best learned from those who suffer. Only someone who has been lonely and lost can attest to the beauty of both Divine and human friendship. Only those who have really lost their way know what happens when they are found. Only those who are afraid know what it is to be calmed by God. The Gospel is messy because life is messy. There are no black and white solutions to problems and challenges that are hazy and gray. When our hesitancy to encounter God gets replaced by friendship with God, we become more aware of our dignity and the fact that we are loved just as we are. We cannot be afraid to share our struggles, reservations, fears, and sinfulness with others. Our genuineness and sincerity will speak of the God who blesses us in our weakness. ©LPI

Weekly Schedule

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7

5:30 pm Mass, the 4 intentions of the St. Vincent de Paul Society Durand

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin

8:30 am Mass, † Marcia Weber Durand
 8:30 am Mass, S.I. Nicholas Baecker Mondovi
 3:15 pm Open Door Durand
 6:00 pm RCIA Lima
 5:00 pm Pickleball Lima

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

8:30 am Mass, † Souls in Purgatory Lima
 8:30 am Mass, † John Allen Mondovi
 3:45 pm HR/StM Rel. Ed grades 1-5 Durand
 6:30 pm HR/StM Rel. Ed grades 6-12 Durand

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10

St. Scholastica, Virgin

8:30 am Mass, † Bart Schlosser Lima
 9:00 am 24 hour Adoration begins Lima
 10:00 am Living Rosary Lima
 2:40 pm Living Rosary Durand
 5:00 pm Pickleball Lima
 5:30 pm Mass, † Irma M. Brantner Durand

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Our Lady of Lourdes

8:30 am Mass, † Marianne Wurl Lima

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12

3:30 pm Confessions Durand
 4:00 pm Mass, † Ed & Margaret Bauer and Bill & Elizabeth Biesterveld Durand
 6:00 pm Confessions Mondovi
 6:30 pm Mass, Tri-Parish Parishioners Mondovi

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME


7:30 am Confessions Lima
 8:00 am Mass, † Randee Blackburn Lima
 8:30 am Confessions Durand
 9:00 am Mass, † Dorothy Prissel Durand
 9:00 am Sacristan Training Lima
 9:00 am SH Rel. Ed grades 1-5 Mondovi
 10:00 am Confessions Mondovi
 10:30 am Mass, † Arnold Risler Mondovi
 6:30 pm SH Rel. Ed grades 6-12 Mondovi

Candlemas Procession



Holy Rosary

Sacristans Needed We are in need of volunteers to take over the role of Sacristan one Sunday per month. The Sacristan arrives approximately an hour before Mass to unlock the doors and set up for Mass, then puts everything away after Mass is done. If you are interested in helping your parish in this way, please contact Diane at the Central Office at 715-672-5640 or secretary@catholictriparish.org.




Holy Rosary Diocesan Annual Appeal Update as of February 1, 2022

Target:	\$24,255.00
Pledged:	19,554.99
Balance needed:	4,700.01

Thank you to everyone who has pledged towards our Annual Appeal. We appreciate your generosity.

Sacred Heart



Sacred Heart Diocesan Annual Appeal Update as of February 1, 2022

Target:	\$20,870.00
Pledged:	13,505.00
Balance needed:	7,365.00


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St. Mary's

Volunteers Needed As a parish family, we are all called to not only come to Masses, but to share our time, talent, and treasure to enable our parish to minister to our people. Often times, a select few volunteers take on so many roles because we don't have enough volunteers to go around. We have some roles at St. Mary's Parish to be filled that are easy opportunities for someone to help our parish with minimal commitment. These are once a month commitments that only require you to arrive early for Mass.

We are in need of four to five volunteers to take on the role of sacristan for the 4:00pm Saturday Masses. The sacristan arrives at church about a hour before Mass, unlocks the doors, and sets up for Mass. This would be a once a month commitment. When your scheduled day doesn't work for you, other sacristans will usually either switch or cover for you. Training is provided.

We are also in need of Rosary leaders for the 9:00am Sunday Mass at St. Mary's. This would be a once a month commitment. The leader arrives at the church a half hour before Mass and prays the rosary out loud for everyone there to join. If you are able to help with either of these ministries, please contact the Central Office at 715-672-5640 or secretary@catholictriparish.org.



St. Mary's Diocesan Annual Appeal Update as of February 1, 2022

Target:	\$26,685.00
Pledged:	31,315.00
Paid:	30,150.00

Thank you to everyone who has pledged towards our Annual Appeal. We appreciate your generosity. Any funds raised above our target are returned to our parish. We have already received our first rebate check!

Assumption Catholic School

Honor Roll
 Congratulations to the following students who made the honor roll:



Highest Honors—4.00-4.33 GPA

- Grade 6: Lucy Hoyt, Emma Pelke, Lucas Reckin
- Grade 7: Josephine Mehling, Brielle Poeschel
- Grade 8: Ethan Mack, Jessica Wood



High Honors—3.70-3.99 GPA

- Grade 6: Marian Bullard, Alaina Dorwin, Samantha Tulip, Nicholas Wood
- Grade 7: Dylan Jereczek, Addison Lamm, Isabelle Lamm, Keiara Lee, Warner Patnode, Lincoln Richardson, Elizabeth Wayne
- Grade 8: Jacob Poeschel, Landen Slater



Honors—2.80-3.69 GPA

- Grade 6: Anthony Bauer, Jacey Brunner, Chloe Gunderson, Ian Havens, Lucas Manor, Porter Richardson
- Grade 7: Isabella Auth, Mallory Bauer, Julian Bullard, Luke Weber
- Grade 8: Christian Bauer, Rocklan DeLisi, Clara Manor, Isaac Sabelko

Faith Formation & Youth Ministry

50 Bags of Shoes to Go!

Bring your gently used or new shoes of all types to the RE Office or bring them in bags to be dropped off at any of the Tri-Parish churches. We have signed our contract with funds2org and now have until the end of February to fill 100 bags. We've collected 50 bags so far, so we need to fill 50 more! We get bonus incentive amounts if we collect 120 bags or 160 bags total, so the more shoes we can collect, the better!

Parish News & Notes



In Memory

Our sympathy and prayers go out to the family and friends of **Dennis Weiss**, who passed away on Saturday, January 29, 2022. A Mass of Christian burial was celebrated on Saturday, February 5, 2022 at Sacred Heart Church in Mondovi.

May Dennis and all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

Sacristan Training We will be having a training sessions for Sacristans coming up over the next few weeks. These are refreshers for our current sacristans, as well as new sacristan training for anyone interested in becoming a Sacristan. For those who don't know, the Sacristan unlocks the doors and sets up everything for Mass. Training sessions will be held on the following Sundays:

February 6th after the 9:00am Mass at St. Mary's
February 13th after the 8:00am Mass at Holy Rosary.

If you are curious about this ministry but not sure if you wish to commit, please feel free to come to the training to check it out. There is no commitment required. New sacristans are always welcome for all Masses, weekend or weekday, and there is currently a particular need for the Saturday Masses in Durand and Mondovi and the weekday Masses in Durand.

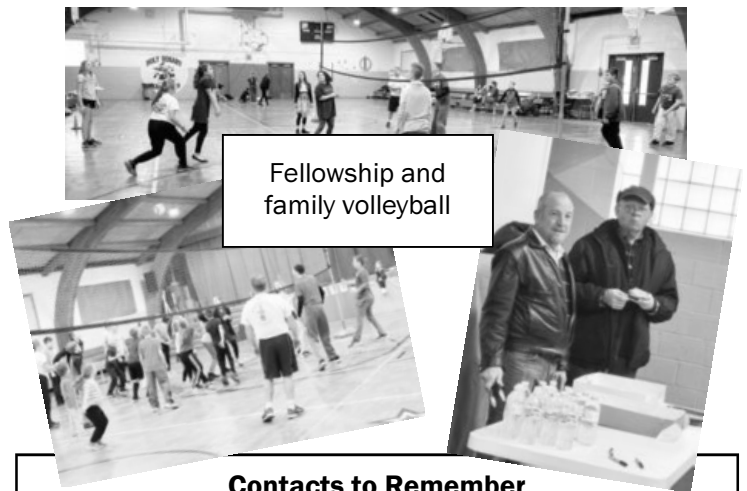
If you are planning on attending the training, please contact the Central Office at or secretary@catholictriparish.org or 715-672-5640.

Mobile Food Pantry The next Mobile Food Pantry will be held on Thursday, February 10, 2022 at St. Mary's Church in Durand from 4:00-5:30pm. This will be a drive up format. No proof of income is required.

Readings for the week of February 6, 2022

Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 [1c]/1 Cor 15:1-11 or 15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11
 Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Ps 132:6-7, 8-10/Mk 6:53-56
 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Ps 84:3, 4, 5 and 10, 11/Mk 7:1-13
 Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40/Mk 7:14-23
 Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Ps 106:3-4, 35-36, 37 and 40/Mk 7:24-30
 Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-13, 14-15/Mk 7:31-37
 Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-20, 21-22/Mk 8:1-10
 Next Sunday: Jer 17:5-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6 [40:5a]/1 Cor 15:12, 16-20/Lk 6:17, 20-26 ©LPi

24 Hour Adoration will again be held after the 8:30am Mass on Thursday, February 10 until the 8:30am Mass on Friday, February 11 at Holy Rosary, Lima. There is a sign up sheet on our parish Facebook page where anyone can sign up for a one hour time slot. People are needed to sign up so we can make sure that Jesus is never left alone. If you are unable to commit to a specific time, everyone is welcome to come any time. If you are unable to access the online sign-up, please call Patty Bauer at 715-672-5359 to sign up.



Contacts to Remember

Pastoral Care of the Sick and Homebound

(Durand) Central Office 715-672-5640
 (Mondovi) Wanda Evans 715-926-3663

Prayer Line

To include a name to our prayer list please contact:
 Elaine Sabelko 715-672-5848 (Lima)
 Bernice Fedie 715-926-3357 (Mondovi)
 Pam Baier 715-672-8345 (Durand)

Bulletin Announcements

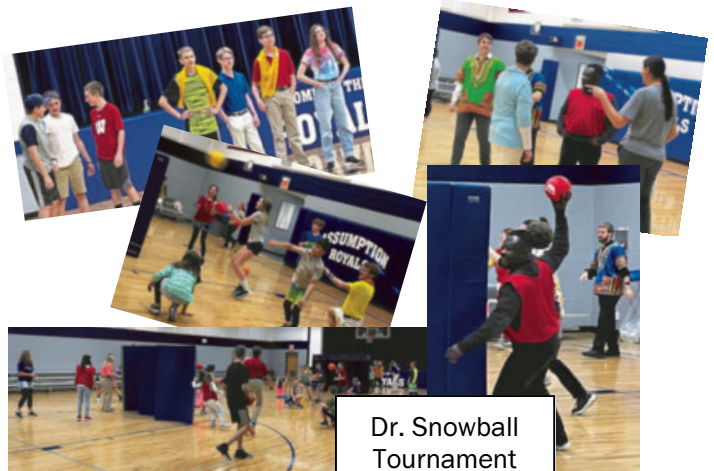
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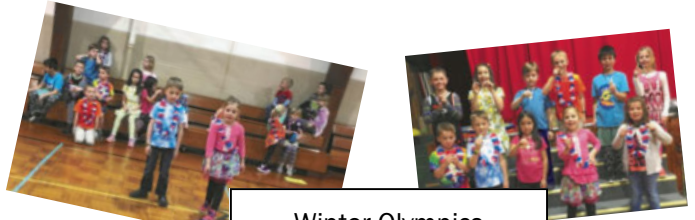
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