



Community of Faith

Jan. 24th – Feb. 13th, 2022

M: St Mary • J: St Joseph

Tuesday, 1/25

Weekday

8:00am J St. Mary & St. Joseph's Parishioners

9:00am M Special Intention

Wednesday, 1/26

Sts. Timothy & Titus

8:00am J † John J. Palushock r/o wife, Enes & family

9:00am M Special Intention

Thursday, 1/27

St. Angela Merici

8:00am J † Albert & Marie Salvaterra

r/o Mike & Judy Dziak

9:00am M Special Intention

Friday, 1/28

St. Thomas Aquinas

8:00am J † Priest Intention

9:00am M † Priest Intention

Saturday, 1/29

Weekday

8:00am J † Priest Intention

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Year C

3:00pm M Edward Jankowski (birthday) r/o Mary Kubicki

4:30pm J † Eleanor Morrissey r/o Bill & Kathleen Lynch

Sunday, 1/30 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Year C

8:30am J Terry Sciara (birthday) r/o Mary Kubicki

10:00am M † Josephine Rejent

r/o son, Gene & Sherry Rejent

Tuesday, 2/1

Weekday

8:00am J Marianne Maslowka (birthday) r/o Mary Kubicki

9:00am M Special Intention

Wednesday, 2/2

The Presentation of the Lord

8:00am J † Priest Intention

9:00am M † John F. Washko r/o John J. Washko

Thursday, 2/3

St. Blaise

8:00am J St. Mary & St. Joseph's Parishioners

9:00am M Special Intention

Friday, 2/4

Weekday

8:00am J † Priest Intention

9:00am M Special Intention

Saturday, 2/5

St. Agatha

8:00am J † Priest Intention

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Year C

3:00pm M † IMO: Frank & Sophie Kalinowski

r/o Frank & Lisa Kalinowski

4:30pm J † Carol Richards & Mark Schriener

r/o Bob & Kathy Richards

‡ Blessing of Throats after Mass

Sunday, 2/6 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Year C

8:30am J † Sister Nivarda Filip r/o cousins

10:00am M Sean Bogashewicz (birthday) r/o Mary Kubicki

‡ Blessing of Throats after Mass

Tuesday, 2/8

Sts. Jerome & Josephine Bakhita

8:00am J † Sister Nivarda Filip r/o Bette Jane Shamany

9:00am M St. Mary & St. Joseph's Parishioners

Wednesday, 2/9

Weekday

8:00am J Diana Bogashewicz r/o Diana Bogashewicz

9:00am M Special Intention

Thursday, 2/10

St. Scholastica

8:00am J † Stephen Fellin r/o The Fellin cousins

9:00am M Special Intention

Friday, 2/11

Our Lady of Lourdes

8:00am J † Priest Intention

9:00am M Special Intention

Saturday, 2/12

Weekday

8:00am J † Priest Intention

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Year C

3:00pm M † Felicia Stankavage r/o Stan & Marie Piaskowski

4:30pm J † Michael J. Delese III r/o Donna & Art Fuehrer

Sunday, 2/13 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Year C

8:30am J † Joseph Schneider

r/o Linda Kellock & Lawrence Bragalone

10:00am M † Filomena & Edward Jankowski

(anniv. remembrance) r/o Mary Kubicki



Upcoming Collections February: Weekly, Dues, Energy

❖ Last 2 Months Sunday collections:

	St. Mary	St. Joseph
NOVEMBER	\$4,897	\$4,375
DECEMBER	\$4,037	\$3,798
LAST 3 SUNDAY COLLECTIONS	\$2,594	\$3,511



❖ **Pray for:** Jaden Leiby • J.P. • J.A • Dorothy & Frank Hovanec • Mark & Andrea & Baby Everett Miles • Ava Fritz • Rose Angelotti • Bill Jarzinko • Mary Balkiewicz • Dolly Zakavage

► **We are asking all parishioners to sanitize their hands upon entering Church to continue our vigilance regarding the COVID virus. Hand sanitizer can be found at all entrances of both churches.**

❖ **Confession:** Since the COVID restrictions have lifted, confessions will return to normal and be offered before Mass.

‡ If you know someone who is ill or homebound and can't make it to church and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick and/or Holy Communion, please call the parish office, Nancy Krajnikovich (215)801-5797 or text/call Father Dominic with the name, phone # and address of the person(s) in need of this ministry. Please see the front of the bulletin for phone numbers.

Liturgy & Worship

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Let us look briefly at the history of this sacrament, the essential elements and the rite itself and also how it fits into our life and what it should mean to us.

Part 1:

Probably many of us have never received this sacrament; probably some of us have never been present when it was administered to others. For some there is a mysterious aura about this sacrament. It conjures up death-bed scenes like those portrayed in the movies, a large bed with a priest hovering over a dying person and muttering Latin phrases as he touches various parts of the body. This week we hope to do away with such an understanding or feeling about this sacrament, to dispel any wrong notions and come to a better understanding of the anointing of the sick.

The practice of anointing the sick is derived from Saint James' epistle 5: 14-15:

"If one of you is ill, he should send for the elders of the church, and they must anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord and pray over him. The prayer of faith will save the sick man and the Lord will raise him up again; and if he has committed any sins, he will be forgiven."

There is also a reference to anointing the sick in Mark 6:10-13.

Jesus was speaking to the disciples: "whatever house you find yourself in, stay there until you leave the locality. If any place will not receive you or hear you, shake its dust from your feet in testimony against them as you leave." With that they went off, preaching the need of repentance. They expelled many demons anointing the sick with oil and worked many cures.

In the early church, there was no set form for this rite. A uniform ritual was established in the 9th century. A gradual misunderstanding of the sacrament began to creep in at this time. What was originally intended to be a comforting and strengthening of the sick became the practice of waiting until a person was very close to death before administering the sacrament. This change of attitude was reflected also in the change of name---from Anointing of the Sick to Extreme Unction or Last Anointing.

The Second Vatican council in 1963 called for renewal of the sacramental rite and revisions were completed in 1972. The church has returned to the more appropriate ancient biblical and Christian name-The Anointing of the Sick and the sacrament is no longer referred to as Extreme Unction.

Part 2: Continued in the next bulletin

❖ **Blessing of Throats:** Thurs., Feb. 3: St. Blaise. A bishop, who, in Jesus' name, prayed over a child with a throat illness. When he was imprisoned for being Catholic, the mother of the child brought him two candles, grateful for the prayer of healing, thus, the tradition of blessing throats with two candles. **The blessing takes place after the Holy Masses on Sat. Feb. 5th and Sun. Feb. 6th**



❖ **K of C Happenings:** Council 16072

- ▶ 2/6 @ J Rosary prior to Mass
- ▶ 2/13 @ M Rosary prior to Mass
- ▶ 2/20 @ M Rosary prior to Mass & meeting following Mass.

- ▶ Knights are selling **COAL (Chance of a Lifetime) Tickets \$5.00/ea** – All **Cash Prizes** – See a Knight to purchase a ticket.
- ▶ K of C Council 16072 **Frozen Bleenie Batter Sale** continues. See Marie or Stan after Mass to purchase. **\$6.00/quart container.** Just thaw batter to room temperature, fry and enjoy!
** All funds raised goes to support our local charitable projects.*

❖ **Welcome new parishioners:**

(J) Dominick & Judith Marie Failoga

❖ **Memorials: (M) IMO: Arden "Artie" Anderson:**

Mary Balkiewicz & family: \$10

❖ **Collection Envelopes 2022:** The new envelopes can be found on the tables in the church. If you do not see your envelopes on the table, please call the office and leave a message and we will make sure you get them. **If you know of any fellow parishioners who are not able to attend mass due to COVID-19 pandemic please take their envelopes and deliver to them. We would greatly appreciate it!**

❖ **2022 Mass Book: Is OPEN! *Please take note to the winter Mass schedule.** Remember your loved ones who have passed away or those who are special to you with Masses for their birthdays, special occasions, etc. The Diocesan Mass Stipend is set at \$10. Your requested dates for the Masses will be recorded upon receiving the stipend. *Any questions please contact the parish office*

❖ **Thank you** to all the businesses who continue to support our bulletin. Please support the businesses that have been so generous to our church.

We highlight a sponsor ad: K of C Council #16072

✠ The weekend of January 22nd we celebrated "**Sanctity of Life**", as hundreds of thousands March for Life around our nation. On the 10th Anniversary of Roe vs Wade, President Ronald Regan wrote the following:

"The real question today is not when human life begins, but, What is the value of human life? The abortionist who reassembles the arms and legs of a tiny baby to make sure all its parts have been torn from its mother's body can hardly doubt whether it is a human being. The real question for him and for all of us is whether that tiny human life has a God-given right to be protected by the law – the same right we have..... Prayer and action are needed to uphold the sanctity of human life. I believe it will not be possible to accomplish our work, the work of saving lives, 'without being a soul of prayer.'"

The church teaches that "The creation of humans was unlike the rest of creation because they were made in the Image of God. The Latin term for in the Image of God is Imago Dei. The Catholic Church teaches that all human life is sacred (sanctity of life) and that everyone has a right to life which should be protected and valued at every stage."

Please consider being a "soul of prayer" for the unborn and human life at every stage by saying a rosary at least once a week and asking for our Blessed Mother's powerful intercession.

Our Lady of Sorrows, pray for us!!!

❖ **2021 Contributions:** If for tax purposes, you are in need of a report, contact the parish office. **If you received a copy last year there is no need to call the office, they will be mailed automatically. Tax forms will be mailed out January 21st.** If you prefer to have it emailed to you call the office and leave your name and email address.

Redner's Save-A-Tape: Save your receipts, put them in Sunday Stewardship. (M) benefit 1%. **Please consider asking family & friends to save them as well. For your receipts to count toward the church you must sign up at Redners service desk!**

"We must not be surprised when we hear of murders, of killings, of wars, of hatred. If a mother can kill her own child, what is left but for us to kill each other."

~**Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta**~