



2ND SUNDAY OF LENT • 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

MY  
BELOVED  
SON.

**MK 9:7**



## Mass Times

**Monday:**  
6:00pm

**Tuesday – Friday:**  
8:15am

**Saturday:**  
8:15am | 4:30 pm

**Sunday:**  
8:30am\* | 11:00am | 5:30pm

**\*Mass is Livestreamed watch via YouTube:**  
[bit.ly/SMOY-YouTube](http://bit.ly/SMOY-YouTube)

**Notice of Filming and Photography**  
*In order to offer Mass online, we will be live streaming during the 8:30 Sunday Mass. This means there is a possibility your image and likeness may appear on camera.*



## Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at our scheduled time or by appointment.

Fr. Ed | 513.697.3169  
Fr. Stephen | 513.697.3102

### Scheduled Confession Times

**Monday:**  
6:30pm-7:00pm\*

**Saturday:**  
8:45 – 9:15am  
3:00pm – 4:00pm

*\*Or until last Confession is heard*

*Anyone in need of assistance at Communion please notify an Usher before Mass begins.*

## The Elizabeth Ministry is Seeking a New Leader.

If you feel called to serve families with new babies in our parish, this ministry is for you! Please call or email Staci Henderson at 513.341.3565 or [stacimhenderson@gmail.com](mailto:stacimhenderson@gmail.com) if you feel called to serve this ministry.

## We Need Adult Volunteers for Youth Group

Our Family of Parishes Youth Group is looking for interested young adult volunteers to help chaperone youth events and participate in Youth Group activities to include small table discussions. No previous training or ministry experience required except a desire to share your faith with the youth of the parishes! Volunteers must be SafeParish trained and registered before working with students. Please contact Fr. Stephen Hughes at [shughes@smoy.org](mailto:shughes@smoy.org).

## Become an Usher

The Usher Ministry would like to request any volunteers to join our ministry. It is so fulfilling to serve SMOY in thanks for our many blessings. The time commitment is minimal except to arrive at mass 15 minutes prior to Mass start time. Please email Sean Hayes at [shayes@gaig.com](mailto:shayes@gaig.com) or call 513.304.7462 with interest, questions. Thank you!

## Life in the Parish

On February 4, Fr. Ed blessed the children of our parish making their first communion.

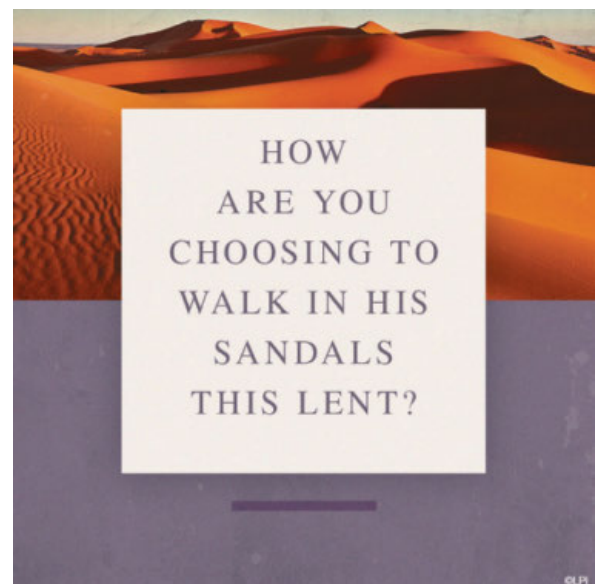


## Food Pantry Ministry: Item of the Month

**Item of the Month: Hearty Soups, Chilis, or canned goods of equivalent value**

Help us stock the pantry with hearty soups, chilis, and canned goods. Help stock the shelves at Kings Food Pantry and Loveland LIFE Pantry.

These and all non-perishable donations can be left in the box opposite the Parish Office and will be delivered to the Kings and Loveland LIFE pantries.







## Sunday Reflection

Fr. Ed Smith

Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Romans 8:31b-34; Mark 9:2-10

Let's talk about faith for a moment. We know that faith can be life-giving, meaningful, and consoling. But at the same time, it is also a great challenge. The readings from the Book of Genesis and the Gospel of St. Mark give startling examples of how faith can challenge us, and the importance of our response. In our reading from the Book of Genesis, we hear about the call from God to Abraham to do something unthinkable: sacrifice his only son Isaac. It seems almost heartless of God to ask this of a father. But Abraham, in an amazing act of faith, does not argue, plead or bargain with God. Instead, he obeys and goes to the place God has chosen and prepares to sacrifice his son. Abraham trusts in God so completely, believing that, no matter how much he [Abraham] does not understand what God is asking of him, Abraham will obey. This does not mean it did not hurt. That little phrase describing his relationship with his son ["*whom you love*"] reveals that he is giving up what is nearest and dearest to him. But Abraham also knows that God does not ask for anything without a good reason. And, as we know, the story ends happily, with God's messenger stopping the sacrifice at the last minute, and Isaac being spared and returned to his father. Why then, if God was going to do this from the start, did He put Abraham through all of this? Perhaps it was to teach Abraham the depth of his own faith in God. He now knows that he will hold nothing back. At the same time, it was also a lesson for Israel about the totality of faith, and its demands on the believer, and that these demands, however difficult, are possible to meet. It is a beautiful moment: God showing just how important we are in the faith relationship with Him. But what about today's Gospel? Jesus is transfigured before his apostles, and they are called to put their faith totally in Him as the Son of God, accepting His word as the very Word of God, committing their lives to His service, and taking up the challenge of faith. Total trust. Now, what about us? It is good to ask for this gift of total trust so that, like Abraham and the apostles, we will be able to rise to the challenges of our faith, knowing that God never asks anything from us that is impossible...or useless. Abraham knew this; the apostles knew this; now it is our turn to know this too!

Fr. Ed Smith

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## Parish Financial Support

### Sunday Offerings (February 2024)

February 04 \$ -  
EFT \$ -  
February 11 \$ -  
EFT \$ -  
February 18 \$ -  
February 25 \$ -

WeShare Offering \$ -

Total for current month to date \$ -

### Sunday Offerings (YTD) (July 2022 - June 2023)

Monthly Average: YTD Total:  
\$119,267.03 \$453,215

Monthly Fiscal Annual Fiscal  
Budget: Budget:  
\$125,000 \$1,500,000

Difference:  
\$ (5,732.97)

### Special & Designated Collections (February 2024)

Debt Reduction (Close the Gap):  
\$ -

SVDP  
\$ -

Total for Current Month:  
\$ -

### Mortgage Indebtedness

Principal balance on mortgage:  
\$1,861,775.76  
Number of Months left until payoff:  
63  
Monthly payment:  
\$33,689.70

*Updated numbers not available at time of printing*

# Save the Date

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Events with a green bar under them are at St. Columban. Events with a red bar under them are at St. Margaret.

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### Training Session for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

**Sunday, February 25 | 2:00-4:00pm | Main Church**

If you are interested in serving SMOY as a new EMHC, please attend the upcoming training session. The only prerequisite is to have received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Those preparing to be Confirmed this April are welcome to attend the training and to start serving after Confirmation.

We appreciate your interest and welcome your participation!

**Please RSVP to confirm your attendance:**

<https://forms.office.com/r/6PlizGCfur>

Questions: Ken & Sue Ann Klaber / klabersak@gmail.com

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### Family of Parishes Youth Group

**Sunday, February 25 | 6:30 - 8:00 pm | St. Margaret**

High Schoolers in our Family of Parishes are invited to attend our next youth group meeting.

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### Track Registration is Open

#### SMAC Track

Grades K - 8th grade

**Fee:** \$120

**Contact:** Randy Kuvin

[rskuvin@gmail.com](mailto:rskuvin@gmail.com)

Registration ends 2/29/2023

#### Registration via TeamSnap

For questions on Registration contact Suzie Lucke  
([boostercommunications@smoy.org](mailto:boostercommunications@smoy.org))

**ST. MARGARET OF YORK PARISH**

# FISH FRY

**February 16 & 23  
March 1 & 8**



Come one, come all for St. Margaret of York Catholic Church's highly acclaimed fish fry! Our fish fry has been nominated among the best in the Cincinnati area year after year, and for good reason! Our delicious fish fry features **hand-dipped cod** and is sure to satisfy your taste buds. Plus, your purchase will help support our Ministerial needs. So don't wait, join us for the best fish fry around!

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[smoy.org/fish-fry](http://smoy.org/fish-fry)

## Volunteer

This years' sign up is open to all SMOY parishioners 5th grade and up and we encourage families to serve together.





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Unveil God's gentle voice in my daily life, directing me  
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**3/9/2024**

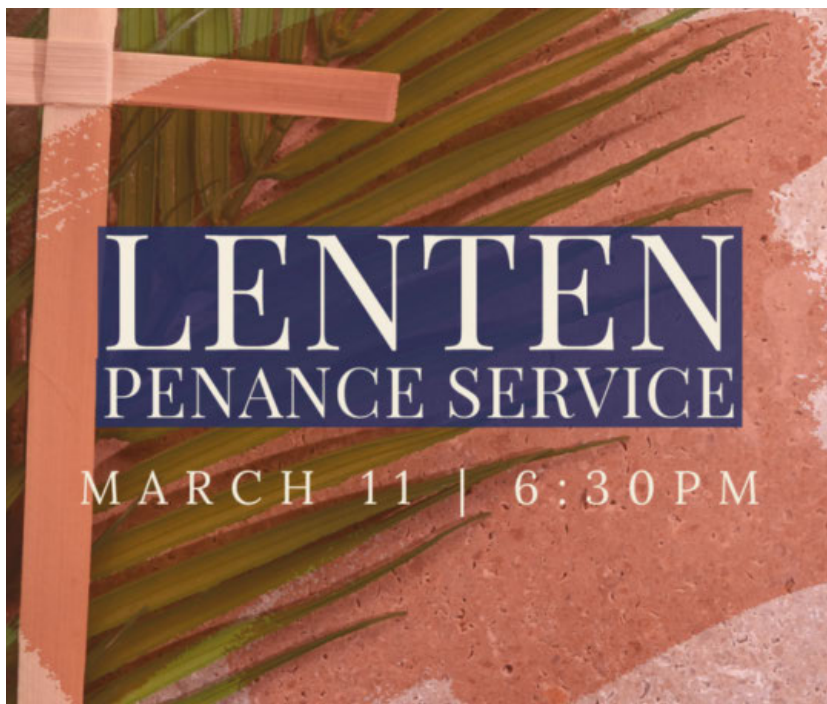
8am - 12pm  
Royalmont Academy  
Mason, OH

*AND JESUS HIMSELF CAME UP AND  
WALKED ALONG WITH THEM."  
LUKE 25:12*

**REGISTER TODAY**

Cost: \$35  
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## Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) Info Session

**Sunday, March 17 | 12:00-1:00pm | Day Chapel**

Join us for a parent info session on March 17th in the Day Chapel from noon to 1:00pm. Cindy Wurzelbacher, lead catechist, will present and share her journey to becoming a catechist.

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) is a Montessori-inspired religious formation program at SMOY. It helps children ages 3 to 6 develop a bond with Jesus and engage fully in Church life. In the "atrium," a specially prepared environment, children hear Scripture, pray, and work with hands-on materials. These materials cover topics like Jesus' life, sacraments, Mass articles, prophecies, parables, and practical life skills. Through these activities, children cultivate habits for prayer and contemplation. Registration for the 2024-25 school year opens soon, with priority given to attendees of the March 17th meeting. Contact Amanda Glenski for more information at [amandajglenski@yahoo.com](mailto:amandajglenski@yahoo.com).

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## 40 Days for Life - St. Margaret's Day

**March 22 | 7:00am - 7:00pm | Planned Parenthood, Cincinnati, OH**

Join a global movement dedicated to supporting mothers and children! 40 Days for Life brings together people worldwide in prayer, fasting, peaceful vigils, and community engagement to promote alternatives to abortion in their local areas. St. Margaret of York will have a Day of Prayer at Planned Parenthood in conjunction with 40 Days for Life on March 22nd from 7am to 7pm. Parishioners can sign up for an hour prayer shift at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0B44AAA929A02-47870617-smoy>.

## Eucharistic Exposition

### Weekly Eucharistic Exposition

#### Thursday

9:00am - 6:00pm  
(Benediction @ 6:00pm)

#### Saturday

9:00am - 4:00pm  
(Divine Mercy Chaplet @ 3:00pm)  
(Benediction @ 4:00pm)

### 24hrs Eucharistic Exposition

#### 3rd Saturday into Sunday

8:45am - 8:00am  
(reposed 4:00 - 5:30pm for Mass)  
Benediction at 7:50am

#### Eucharistic Guardian

To sign up or get information to be a  
Eucharistic Guardian:  
[smoy.weadorehim.org](mailto:smoy.weadorehim.org)

The Church is open whenever Mass isn't in progress for adoration. For access to building after hours, please contact:

#### Josette Hudek

[jhudek@smoy.org](mailto:jhudek@smoy.org)

## Rosary

*This beautiful devotional practice is prayed immediately following every weekday Mass.*

#### Tuesday - Saturday

8:45am

#### Monday

6:30pm

## Sacraments

Please note all sacraments require formational preparation prior to the reception of the sacrament. Please contact the following for more information and to schedule:

**Baptism:** [baptism@smoy.org](mailto:baptism@smoy.org)

(For Baptism please include your phone number when emailing)

**Marriage:** [marriage@smoy.org](mailto:marriage@smoy.org)

(For marriage prep please contact at least 6 months before anticipated wedding date.)

#### Holy Orders:

[vocations@catholicaoc.org](mailto:vocations@catholicaoc.org)



**HOW TO DONATE:**

- Carline drop-off
- Backpack in with your child
- Drop off at the school anytime before April 1



Website



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PILLARS OF  
**LENT**

**PRAYER**  
CONNECT  
WITH GOD

**FASTING**  
CONNECT  
WITH SELF

**ALMSGIVING**  
CONNECT  
WITH NEIGHBORS





## Practicing Catholic

### On the Mountain

Why climb a mountain? "Because it's there," George Mallory famously said, before perishing in an attempt to scale Mount Everest.

God is an event planner; every detail matters, and the location is most crucial of all. On the mountain, God demanded the sacrifice of Isaac. On the mountain, he restored Isaac to his father. On the mountain, Jesus was transfigured, revealed in all his mystifying glory as the beloved Son of God, the sacrifice which would finally balance the scale.

These things happened on a mountain because they could only happen on a mountain. The mountain is where the reckoning happens. It is where God takes, where He gives back, where He hands down.

In Lent, we encounter the mountain. We are removed from the distractions of ordinary life and placed outside the confines of our everyday habits. We find silence and mystery, pain and truth. We struggle and we become tired, and there is always a moment when we wonder if, perhaps, it would have been easier not to climb. There is always a moment when others look at us and think: "Why climb a mountain?"

I confess, I am not much of an outdoorswoman. Hiking, in my family, is any walking you do on a trail that is not paved, so I am far from qualified to comment on whether or not the view from the summit was worth George Mallory's life. But I do know a thing or two about struggling through a difficult experience. I know the strange peace that exists in the moment after it's all over and you catch your breath and realize you are a better, stronger, wiser person for the pain.

The mountain is there. Let's climb it.

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

*"God put Abraham to the test. He called to him, 'Abraham!' 'Here I am!' he replied." — Genesis 22:1*

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## Safe Environment Reminder

Before being approved to work with youth in our parish or school all adults (18+) must complete the SafeParish™ training and complete an online background check. **More Info:** [smoy.org/safe-environment](http://smoy.org/safe-environment)

## Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions for July 1 through December 31, 2024 will open on Ash Wednesday, February 14. Note there is an initial limit of 5 dates per family through Lent. Please come to the Parish Office or call the office to request your intentions.



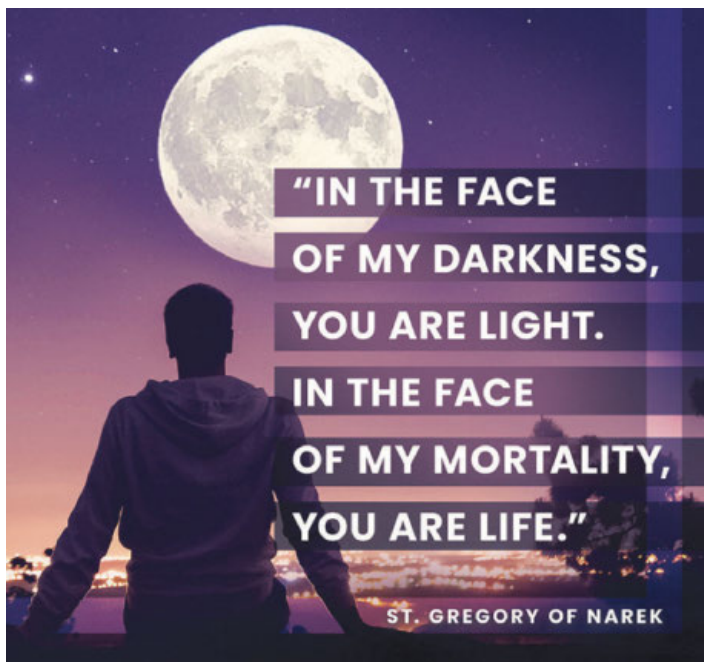
## Baptism Prep Classes

All sacraments require preparation. Baptism Prep Class is for expectant parents who want to have their child baptized. (If your child is already here, congrats. We will still help you prepare for their Baptism with this class.) Once you have completed the paperwork from the class, you will be able to set the date for your child's Baptism. Baptism prep is required for additional children if it's been 4 or more years since your last class or there is a change in pastor. Contact: [baptism@smoy.org](mailto:baptism@smoy.org) to sign up for a class. Please provide your phone number when signing up. **You can register for the class anytime during your pregnancy. Baptisms prep will not be held in January and July.**

### Pray Together:

#### Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me;  
Body of Christ, save me;  
Blood of Christ, inebriate me;  
Water from the side of Christ,  
wash me;  
Passion of Christ, strengthen me;  
O good Jesus hear me;  
Within your wounds hide me;  
separated from you, let me  
never be;  
From the evil one protect me;  
At the hour of my death, call me;  
And close to you bid me; That  
with your saints and angels,  
I may be praising you forever  
and ever. Amen.



## Everyday Stewardship

### When Sacrifice Becomes Mundane

It seems to happen every year, like clockwork: we drag a bit, as we enter into the second week of Lent. On Ash Wednesday, we feel a bit like soldiers banging our shields, rushing into battle. "We're ready, God!" our hearts cry out. "Transform us through sacrifice! Your will be done!"

But by now, these Lenten resolutions are no longer novelties — they've joined the ranks of everyday inconveniences, which somehow are the hardest to bear. Because transformation, in real life, happens in inches, just as a battle is won slowly in the crash of one sword against another. It's not always a dramatic thing, to the naked eye. It's the perseverance in prayer despite weariness, or the continual denial of some pleasure even though there's that nagging voice in our minds saying: go ahead, God doesn't really mind.

It's a week when we all need a shock to the system — and wouldn't you know it, this Sunday God gives us a double-whammy of dramatic sacrificial scenes. We picture Abraham, who also cried "Ready!" when God called, never imagining what He would ask: the surrender of his long-awaited son. We see Christ himself transfigured, as God shows us what He is ready to give up for love of us.

We must remain committed, persevering daily in acknowledging that everything belongs to God. What we sacrifice, we simply give back to Him.

If God is for us, who can be against us? Can we still reply, "Ready!" when we hear the call of God?

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS  
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## Beyond the Parish Doors

Beyond our parish doors, there is a wealth of events and opportunities with external Catholic organizations. Visit <https://smoy.org/beyond-parish-doors> to see more events and volunteer opportunities in the greater Catholic community.

### A Walk With God: Lenten Morning of Reflection for Moms

**March 9 | 8:00am-12:00pm | Royalmont Academy, Mason, OH**

Encounter God in your life and marriage. Unveil God's gentle voice in your daily life, directing you in your roles as a wife and a mother according to His plan.

**Register Today**

**Cost:** \$35

[canafamilyinstitute.com](http://canafamilyinstitute.com)

### Never Alone: A Theology of the Body Retreat for High Schoolers

**March 8-10, 2024 | Woodland Lakes Christian Camp & Retreat Center, Amelia, OH 45102**

Are you searching for the truth about who you are, what's your purpose, and how to be happy in this life? Join us and your fellow high schoolers at St. Gertrude Parish's Lalto: High School Spring Retreat to discover who God created you to be—instead of who the world says you should be.

March 8-10, 2024

(Begins on Friday at 6pm and ends on Sunday at 12:30pm)

Woodland Lakes Christian Camp & Retreat Center  
(3054 Lindale-Mt Holly Rd, Amelia, OH 45102)

Cost is \$90 if you register by the end of the day on March 3. Price increases to \$100 beginning March 4.

**Register:**

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/stgertrude/1136899>

## Youcats for Prison Ministry

Do you have old Youcat (Youth Catechism) books? (They are bright yellow;) AOC Prison Ministry is actively leading a weekly OCIA, the "Order of Christian Initiation of Adults" class and has distributed 25 Youcat (Youth Catechism) books. With new participants registering every month, it is time to rebuild our supply of this valuable resource for the next wave. Another group of incarcerated participants who value the Youcat books are lapsed Catholics who are renewing their Faith!! These books are all going to great use. The prison ministry team is hoping that we can find other ministries and/or families that would like to redistribute their Youcats to serve a new and holy purpose. Youcats may be dropped off at the parish office for pickup during February! Questions on the AOC Prison Ministry or how to get involved, pls contact: Alison Estes, [agreyestes@gmail.com](mailto:agreyestes@gmail.com). Thank you in advance for your good charity!



## Friends of Jesus

**Saturday, March 30, 2024 | 1:00 - 3:00pm | All Saint, Montgomery, OH**

Friends of Jesus is a group for adults with developmental disabilities (18 years of age or older). This group's focus is primarily for support, prayer and socializing. We come together in prayer, do some craft-making and enjoy refreshments. New members are always welcome but must RSVP first prior to attending so we can plan for food and craft supplies. For questions or to RSVP, please contact Jane Callan at 513.793.3546.

## Keep Your Lamps Trimmed & Burning

**Saturday, May 4, 2024 | Saint Meinrad Archabbey, St. Meinrad, IN**

Discernment is not just a prayerful process for the young, but an ongoing spiritual progression that can help us all to remember and live out our baptismal call. If you are looking for guidance, feeling stuck, or wondering if your light has dimmed, spend a day in reflection and prayer. Examine the gift of discernment (the Lamp), create space to discern God's will (the Trimming), and affirm its necessity, at any age, for a transformed life. Together, we can discern and reflect the light of Christ in the world (the Burning). (9 a.m.-3 p.m. Central Time, \$55 per guest). Presented by Jane Feliz Rush.

### Fees

Single- \$55

Double- \$110

### Register:

<https://www.saintmeinrad.org/retreats/?event=14263>

2nd SUNDAY OF LENT



## Become a Bulletin Sponsor

Did you know, our weekly bulletin is paid through our bulletin sponsors and actually provides extra funds to the parish? Becoming a bulletin sponsor is a great way to support the parish and get your business in front of your fellow parishioners. Interested? Contact: Danielle Day | 800.477.4574 x6022 | dday@4lpi.com

Please support our bulletin sponsors

### Bulletin Sponsors of the Week

The Butcher Block

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## Mass Intentions

**Monday, February 26**

**6:00PM Mass** *Celebrant: Fr. Ed*  
+ Andy Kihm req by  
Ted Bort

**Tuesday, February 27**

**8:15AM Mass** *Celebrant: Fr. Simon Peter*  
+ For the Confirmation of Sam Eisele  
req by Tina Martin

**Wednesday, February 28**

**8:15AM Mass** *Celebrant: Fr. Stephen*  
+ Robert Kopack req by  
WOW Table 1

**Thursday, February 29**

**8:15AM Mass** *Celebrant: Fr. Ed*  
+ Arnold Sandman req by  
Deacon Paul and Mary Blessing

**Friday, March 1**

**8:15AM Mass** *Celebrant: TBD*  
+ Charlie and Lottie Byrd  
req by Alice Hoffer

**Saturday, March 2**

**8:15AM Mass** *Celebrant: TBD*  
+ Grant Egbers  
req by Alice Hoffer  
**4:30PM Mass** *Celebrant: TBD*  
Parishioners of SMOY

**Sunday, March 3**

**8:30AM Mass** *Celebrant: TBD*  
+ Thomas Goertemiller  
req by Peggy Quinlivan  
**11:00AM Mass** *Celebrant: TBD*  
+ Angie Buehler  
req by Barb Becker  
**5:30PM Mass** *Celebrant: TBD*  
+ Jane Riehemann  
req by Ann and Ray Rytel

*Celebrants are subject to change without notice.*

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Mary Sue Loftus	Earl Wall
Nancy Kern	Barbara Wilders
Andrea Kittel	Jerry Young
Kendall Millette	Michael Zegarski
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## Prayer Request

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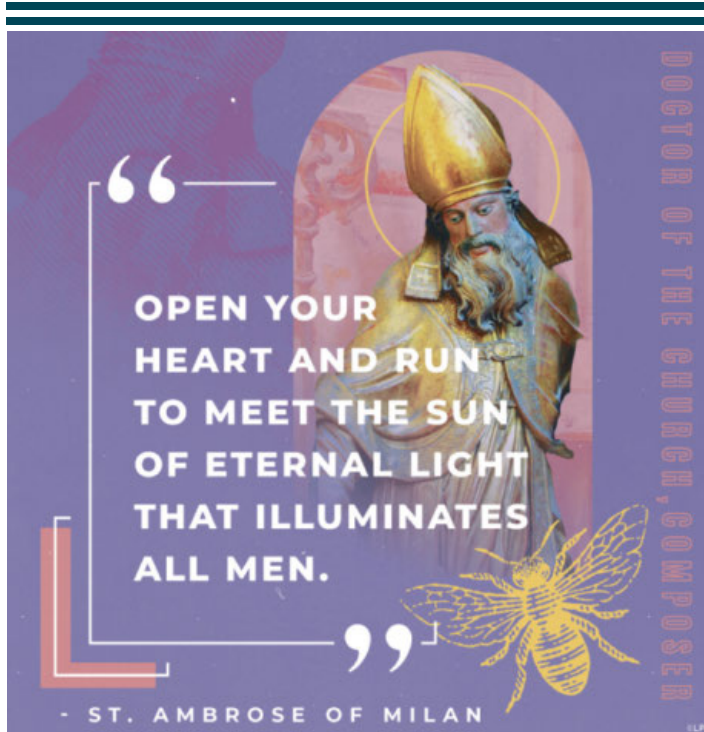
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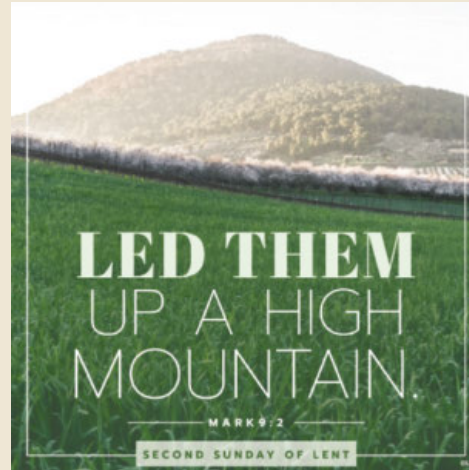
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