



# St. Monica's Episcopal Church

## News this Week

February 27th & 28th, 2021

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### WELCOME TO ST. MONICA'S

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We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us, be it in person or online today. Please take this opportunity to check out our website at [www.StMonicasNaples.org](http://www.StMonicasNaples.org) While visiting our site, if you are new, please fill out the visitor's form. You will find that under "*I'm New*". Thank you for joining us!

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### LOOKING TO BECOME A MEMBER ?

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If you have found that St Monica's is the place for you, we would be delighted to get to know you better & let you know that transferring your membership is simple! Simply fill out our online form to start the process. Visit our website at: [www.StMonicasNaples.org](http://www.StMonicasNaples.org). Under the "*I'm New*" tab, you'll find the form "*New Member Form*"

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### WORSHIP SERVICES

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#### Saturday and Sunday Holy Eucharist Services

St. Monica's is offering a Saturday Holy Eucharist Rite II in-person service at 5:00 PM and a 10:00 AM in-person service on Sundays as well. Services are currently being limited to 50 attendees each.

#### Register On-line to Attend an In-Person Service

You can now go on our webpage & register your desire to attend an in-person Worship service. Please visit our webpage at: <http://www.stmonicasnaples.org/coronavirus-updates> to make your reservations. If you would like more information, please email [laura@stmonicasnaples.org](mailto:laura@stmonicasnaples.org).

#### UPCOMING SERVICES - MARK YOUR CALENDARS

##### Holy Week Services - Coming in April 2021

April 1<sup>st</sup>: 6:30PM - Maundy Thursday

April 2<sup>nd</sup>: 12:00PM - Good Friday

April 3<sup>rd</sup>: 7:30PM - Easter Vigil

Each Friday During Lent 2/21 - 3/26:

6:30PM - Stations of the Cross

The reservation links for these have now been published on our website!

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### SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

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<u>Saturday</u>	<u>5:00 PM</u>	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>10:00 AM</u>
▪ Usher	Linda Duffy	▪ Usher	Betty Gamel
▪ Lector	Dave Pardue	▪ Lector	Suzanne Bodley
▪ Altar Guild	Kathy Crevier	▪ Altar Guild	Sandra Kilmon
		▪ Camera Team	Matt Devlin & Tom Coté

Thank you to those serving & providing music ministry at the Saturday 5:00 PM & Sunday 10:00 AM services.

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### FLOWER GUILD

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Calling anyone who loves to create beauty. Join our committee to help beautify the church each week! I would be happy to show you how easy it is, and, during these times, very socially distanced. We rotate, and if we have enough people, your responsibility may only be once every 2 months. If interested, please contact Debbie Corey 781-413-5398 [sdjcorey@comcast.net](mailto:sdjcorey@comcast.net).



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## LETS CELEBRATE!

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### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

2/28	Harold Williams	3/1	Penny Jones
2/28	Emma Baumgartner	3/1	Patricia Bennett
2/29	Thomas Gaffney	3/1	John Varsames
2/29	Donna Gentzel	3/4	Bob Boyden
3/1	Rod Smith	3/6	Jack Baumgartner
3/1	Corinne Potts		

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

2/29	Mary Jo & Chris Tracy
3/1	Kenneth & Frances Marta
3/3	Kevin & Mary Fowler
3/3	Donald & Dalna Montroy

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## HAVE AN ANNOUNCEMENT YOU WANT TO SHARE WITH THE PARISH?

### A NEW EASY WAY TO SUBMIT THOSE ANNOUNCEMENTS

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To help everyone of St Monica's to feel as a part of the parish, we have now created a new way to send in your bulletin announcements!!

- Would you like to suggest a topic, or an article to add to our weekly announcements?
- Do you know of a local activity, or charity going on that you think your fellow church members would enjoy?
- Are you part of a committee & in need for volunteers & would like to request more help?
- Would you like to share an activity you have planned?
- Do you want to mention a good deed that someone did & want to bring recognition to it?

Well, here is your chance!! Feel free to give us your input! What kind of exciting new things will we see in our bulletin! Everyone is encouraged to participate to include our youth!! Our bulletin is for everyone, by everyone!!

**BOOKMARK:** <http://www.stmonicasnaples.org/bulletin-submission>

Your message must be submitted no later than 12noon on Wednesdays (before that Sunday). If your request is sent after 12noon on Wednesday it will be in the following bulletin.

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## STEWARDSHIP 2021

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St Monica's Stewardship Committee is happy to report that we have reached 80% of our 2021 pledge goal. Ninety-six parishioners have committed \$315,936 towards our \$395,000 monetary goal. We need others to step up and pledge to meet the expected 2021 expenses. Pledge cards are available at Church or you may go to our website and click the Giving tab at the very top and then fill out the pledge form. If you have any questions or would like to use E-Giving, call or email Treasurer Ray Lapierre at 920-251-3489 or [rlapierre@stmonicasnaples.org](mailto:rlapierre@stmonicasnaples.org).

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## CHURCH OFFICE HOURS & CLOSURES

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Due to Covid-19 we are still locking the doors daily to limit daily visits & traffic. We do hope that this can be lifted soon so that we can open our doors once again. In the meantime, the church staff is here Monday through Thursday 9AM-12PM & 1-3PM & Friday 9AM-12PM. If you need to reach us during these hours, or need to make an appointment to see us, please call the church at (239) 591-4550 or email the Parish Administrator at [administrator@stmonicasnaples.org](mailto:administrator@stmonicasnaples.org). Please remember when on church campus, we are following the CDC & SW Florida Diocese guidelines & a mask must be worn at all times. Thank you for your cooperation & understanding.

### UPCOMING OFFICE HOLIDAYS / CLOSURES:

Friday; April 2<sup>nd</sup> in observance of Good Friday.

Monday; April 5<sup>th</sup> in observance of Easter.

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## OUR REGULARLY SCHEDULED ZOOM MEETINGS

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Contemplative Prayer      Wednesdays, 11:00 AM

Bible Study                      Fridays, 9:30 AM

Daughters of the King      Every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday, 7 PM

PASSCODE: 7070

MEETING ID: 695 166 7392

To join a Zoom meeting, visit link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6951667392> or call one of these three numbers:  
(301) 715 - 8592                      (312) 626 - 6799                      (929) 204 - 6099

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## ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IN NEED OF PRAYER?

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### Pastoral Needs & Emergencies

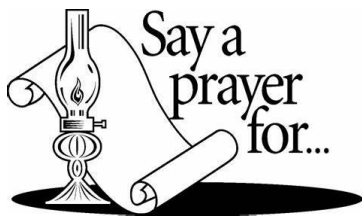
If you are going into the hospital, or your spouse, partner, or family member is experiencing a pastoral or health care emergency, please call Fr. Eddie at ( 239 ) 560 - 8254.

### Prayer List/ Prayer Chain

It is our Christian duty to pray for our sisters & brothers. If you would like to have prayer for a family member, a friend, or even yourself please let us know.

To be added to our prayer list, please contact Terri Tack at : ( 239 ) 593-9429 or [ttack3@yahoo.com](mailto:ttack3@yahoo.com).

To be added to our chain, please contact Colleen Rossomando at : ( 239 ) 352-6887 or [perkycolfl@gmail.com](mailto:perkycolfl@gmail.com).



### Our Parish Family

Sue Baker, Doug Ball, Nancy Beaupré, the Benson family, Leon/Eula Burrows, Aden Chalick, Steve Corey, Joyce Gebhardt, Tom & Susan Gibson & family, Ed/Nancy Hennel, Ray Lapierre, Ralph/Margaret Miano, Al Neuner, Fred/Joan Poulter, Priscilla Sandler, Nancy Scofield, Mary Sprague, George Traicoff, Barbara Williamson, Butch Yarusevich, Mia Zambelli, the Zambelli family, & all those who have requested anonymity.

### Family & Friends of Our Parish

Matthew Ross Baldwin, Kevin Bennett, Richard Benson, Jo-Ann Blatt, Emma Braun, Caleb, Casey, Tony Champ, Charlie/Joanne, Brenda Coates, Riley Cochran, Joyce Coryea, Arline Coston, Dennis Doiron, Cheryl Dolan, Michael Ebanks, Sandra Falisi, Ethel Farny, Al Feinstein, Dale/Gloria Gannon, Margaret Gates, Caleb Gebhardt, Bob/Kristen Gentzel, Donna Gentzel, Joey Gentzel, Sarah Goebel, LeAnn Gomez, Lydia Gomez, Fr. Daniel Gunn, Lisa Herrlich, Gayle Higley, Sam Hood, the Infozino family, Joann, Dorie Johnson, Dell Kintiner, Janine Lauria, Sylvia LeBlanc, Jean Lucier, Frank/Edna Mae Luzzi & family, Laurie May, Annelisa McLaughlin, Megan, the Mitchell family, Gerald Moffatt, Dianne Murphy, Frank Napolitano, Sam Palencia, Sue Pawlowski, Jace Perkins, Kristen/Teagan Perkins, Susan Pile, Tom/Yvonne Powers, Lily Ramos, Martha Reaney, Kelly Rhoades, Rhonda & Dain, Carol Roman, Wendy Rose, Ginny/Dick Rossi, Peggy Royce, Rebecca Ruppert, Mariola Shuler, Mary Jane Skrobacz, Deana Smart, Ali Tabrizchi, Mark Thiel, the Thorn family, Scott Velky, Angie Wakefield, Warren Wilson, Kurt Winsellmann, Virginia Yost, & all those who have requested anonymity.

### Those Who Are Serving Our Country

Katie Coston, Noah Evans, Sal Filardi Jr., Dane Grauer, Devin Harrity, Emma McHenry, Kate McHenry, Schaeffer McHenry, Grauer, Troy Nelson, Tristan Pate, James Pyles, Doug Ross, Drew Scullard, Daniel Williams, Peter Witte.

# COVID-19 Consumer Tip Sheet

## Tips for Protecting Yourself and Medicare

### What Does Medicare Cover in Relation to COVID-19?

- Medicare Part B (Medical Insurance) covers COVID-19 tests when ordered by your doctor or health care provider on or after February 4, 2020.
- Medicare covers all medically necessary hospitalizations, including extra days in the hospital for patients who had to stay longer under COVID-19 quarantine.
- Medicare also recently expanded coverage of telehealth services to enable beneficiaries to access a wider range of services from their providers without having to travel to a facility.
- This includes access to doctors, nurse practitioners, clinical psychologists, and licensed clinical social workers.
- During this emergency, there are also more options for the ways your providers can talk with you under this provision.

**For more information, contact the SHINE/SMP Program at: 866-413-5337**

To learn about and register for upcoming SHINE Hosted Webinars, visit [www.aaaswfl.org](http://www.aaaswfl.org). You can also sign-up for the Agency E-newsletter which includes SHINE program updates and other Agency resources.

**Medicare assistance from the safety of your home, SHINE is here to help.**

SHINE trained counselors continue to provide services with your safety in mind; you can speak with a SHINE counselor by phone. SHINE counselors are able to assist with matters related to Medicare, including access to preventive services, cost-saving programs, and identifying and reporting Medicare fraud.

To request help with Medicare, please call the Elder Helpline at **866-413-5337**. To learn more about the SHINE program or Area Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida, visit: [www.floridashine.org](http://www.floridashine.org) or [www.AAASWFL.org](http://www.AAASWFL.org)

Please **PRINT CLEARLY** so the names are correct in the Easter Bulletin. ~Thank you.



## Easter Flowers

Donation Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Donations are being accepted for decorating and beautify St. Monica's Sanctuary for our Easter celebrations.

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Memory: \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like to dedicate Easter flowers in honor; in memory of a loved one, or in a celebration of an occasion, please complete this form.

You can either mail it to the office, or put it in the offering plate during any of the services.

All contributions must be received by **Tuesday, March 30th**, to be listed in the Easter bulletin.

Thanksgiving: \_\_\_\_\_

Celebration: \_\_\_\_\_

St. Monica's Episcopal Church  
ATTN: Easter Flowers  
7070 Immokalee Rd  
Naples, FL 34119