



# St. Monica's Episcopal Church

## News this Week March 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021

### **WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH!**

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!

### **WANT TO JOIN OUR CHURCH FAMILY?**

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".

### **OUR WORSHIP SERVICES**

#### **Saturday and Sunday Holy Eucharist Services**

St. Monica's is offering a Saturday Holy Eucharist Rite II in-person service at 5:00 PM & 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/coronavirusupdates> 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 1st:	6:30PM – Maundy Thursday	Each Friday During Lent 2/21 - 3/26:
April 2nd:	12:00PM – Good Friday	6:30PM – Stations of the Cross
April 3rd:	7:30PM – Easter Vigil	

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

### **SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY**

#### **Saturday**

#### **5:00 PM**

- Usher      Linda Duffy
- Lector     Pat Kearns
- Altar Guild   Kathy Crevier

#### **Sunday**

#### **10:00 AM**

- Usher      Betty Gamel
- Lector     Sue Adams
- Altar Guild   Sandra Kilmon
- Camera Team   Matt Devlin & Tom Cotè

#### **➡ NEXT WEEKS SCHEDULE for MARCH 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> ◀**

#### **Saturday**

#### **5:00 PM**

- Usher      Ray Lapierre
- Lector     Charles Kalwinsky
- Altar Guild   Linda Duffy

#### **Sunday**

#### **10:00 AM**

- Usher      Bob Boyden
- Lector     *Not Available Yet*
- Altar Guild   Marge Gower
- Camera Team   Matt Devlin & Tom Cotè

Thank you to those of you serving & providing music ministry each week. If you would like to take part in serving during worship, please email us at: [administrator@stmonicasnaples.org](mailto:administrator@stmonicasnaples.org) We would be delighted to have you!

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## CELEBRATION TIME - OUR BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

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We hope that we did not miss *YOUR* special day! If you have a birthday or an anniversary this week & your name does not appear, please contact us at: [administrator@stmonicasnaples.org](mailto:administrator@stmonicasnaples.org) so we can add you! We don't want to miss out on your special day!!

### BIRTHDAYS

03/22	Diane Traicoff	03/26	Beth Moss
03/23	Marilyn McIntyre	03/26	Kelly Mankin
03/24	Carolyn Savitsky	03/26	Abigail Disselhorst
03/25	Dan Zeidman	03/27	Joan Blessing

### ANNIVERSARIES

*None recorded for this week.*

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## SUNDAY ZOOM COFFEE HOUR @ 11:15 AM

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Starting this Sunday, if you watch the 10 AM service streamed on You-Tube, please join us afterwards for the **\*\* VIRTUAL \*\*** Sunday Coffee Hour at 11:15 AM! The virtual Coffee Hour will be on Zoom. If you are unable to come to church in person for any reason, the Welcome Home team hopes this will help you connect with old friends & new from the comfort & safety of home. If you aren't able to be there promptly at 11:15, that is ok!! Come late! Our 1<sup>st</sup> gathering last Sunday lasted for an hour & we had some great topics that were brought up & discussed, so come & join us as soon as you are able! We'd love to see you!

Use Zoom Meeting ID 695 166 7392 (and Passcode 7070 if needed). For your convenience, you can click on the link in the list of other regular church Zoom meetings in the weekly email or Sunday bulletin.

*ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND!*

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## ACOLYTE MEETING - CALLING ALL THAT WANT TO SERVE!

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### *THIS SUNDAY*

We will have an acolyte meeting on Sunday March 21st, 2021 immediately following the 10:00am service. The purpose of this meeting is to gather former and new acolytes together for a 'refresher' and to put together a schedule for Palm Sunday, Holy Week Services and weekend services going forward. All acolytes and those interested in this ministry are invited to attend this meeting.

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## OUR REGULARLY SCHEDULED ZOOM MEETINGS

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- Contemplative Prayer.....Wednesdays, 11 AM
  - Bible Study.....Fridays, 9:30 AM
  - Daughters of the King.....Every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday, 7 PM
  - Sunday Coffee Hour.....Sundays, 11:15 AM
- MEETING ID: 695 166 7392  
➤ PASSCODE: 7070

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

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## PRAYERS

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### Our Parish Family

Sue Baker, Doug Ball, Nancy Beaupré, the Benson family, Leon/Eula Burrows, Aden Chalick, Steve Corey, Tom & Susan Gibson & family, Joyce Gebhardt, Ed/Nancy Hennel, Pat Kearns, Ralph/Margaret Miano, Al Neuner, Connie Potts, Priscilla Sandler, Nancy Scofield, Mary Sprague, Terri Tack, George Traicoff, Barbara Williamson, Butch Yarusevich, & all those who have requested anonymity.

### Family & Friends of Our Parish

Kevin Bennett, Richard Benson, Jo-Ann Blatt, Bonnie, Emma Braun, John Bryne, Karen C, Tony Champ, Joyce Coryea, Arline Coston, Dennis Doiron, Cheryl Dolan, Margaret Gates, Caleb Gebhardt, Bob/Kristen Gentzel, Donna Gentzel, Joey Gentzel, Sarah Goebel, LeAnn Gomez, Lydia Gomez, Lisa Herrlich, Diana Honorat, Sam Hood, the Infozino family, Charlie/Joanne, Dorie Johnson, Dell Kintiner, Janine Lauria, Sylvia LeBlanc, Frank Luzzi & family, Laurie May, Annelisa McLaughlin, Megan, the Mitchell family, Dianne Murphy, Frank Napolitano, Sam Palencia, Sue Pawlowski, Jace Perkins, Kristen/Teagan Perkins, Susan Pilc, Tom/Yvonne Powers, Martha Reaney, Kelly Rhoades, Rhonda & Dain, Carol Roman, Ginny/Dick Rossi, Peggy Royce, Rebecca Ruppert, Mariola Shuler, Deana Smart, Barbara Swidler, 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.

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## COVID-19 VACCINE APPOINTMENT HELP

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If you are struggling to get an appointment for a vaccine, you are not alone as it is a complex and challenging process. These websites have good information about vaccine availability: [vaccinefinder.org](https://vaccinefinder.org) and tips on various locations providing vaccines: [flvc.net](https://flvc.net) password: beatcovid In addition, several parishioners are willing to assist you over the phone. If you want help, call one of the following to get more tips and guidance on how to schedule your appointment: Judith MacGregor 410 991 9115; Jim MacGregor 410 991 9948; & Matt Devlin 239 450 6229.

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## COVID-19 CONSUMER TIP SHEET

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### 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](tel:866-413-5337)**

To learn about and register for upcoming SHINE Hosted Webinars, visit [www.aaaswfl.org](https://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](tel:866-413-5337). To learn more about the SHINE program or Area Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida, visit: [www.floridashine.org](https://www.floridashine.org) or [www.AAASWFL.org](https://www.AAASWFL.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 also on 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 & SWFL Diocese guidelines & a mask must be worn. 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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Fill form out & print or PRINT CLEARLY so the names are correct in the Easter Bulletin. ~Thank you.



## Easter Flowers

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

Donations are being accepted for decorating & 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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