

Blessed Sacrament

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PARISH

Blessed Sacrament Parish Phone: 222-2759

Pastor: Fr. Tom Meyer

Pastor Emeritus: Monsignor Michael Kuse

Permanent Deacon: Deacon Terry Ellerman

Director of Faith Formation: Audreana Derhake

Secretary: Laura Megown

Bookkeeper: Linda Ohnemus

Director of Music: Steve Buckman

Custodian: Jennifer Cunningham

SCHOOL

Blessed Sacrament School Phone: 228-1477

Principal: Lisa Berhorst

School Administration Manager: Kailee Flesch

Secretary: Lori Quevillon

Technology: Dottie Buckman

Custodian: Rick Epping

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Thursday: 8:15 a.m. (School Year)

First Saturday of the month: 8:30 a.m.

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m., 11:10 a.m. (Spanish)

RECONCILIATION:

Wednesday: 4:30 - 5:00 p.m.

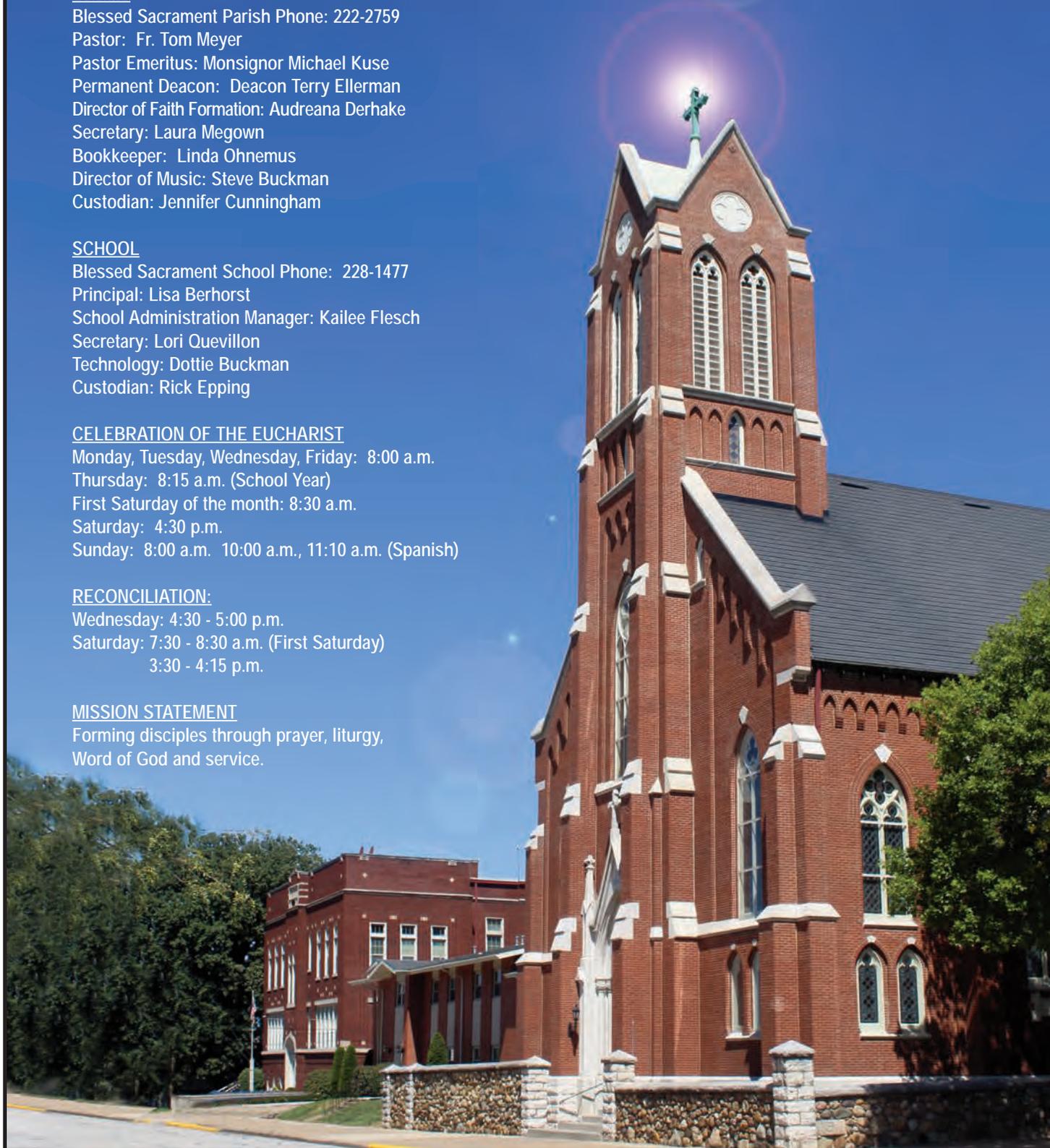
Saturday: 7:30 - 8:30 a.m. (First Saturday)

3:30 - 4:15 p.m.

MISSION STATEMENT

Forming disciples through prayer, liturgy,

Word of God and service.



Blessed Sacrament Parish
27th Sunday of Ordinary Time
October 8, 2023

From the Pastor's Desk

Monday 7:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m.	October 9, 2023 Morning Prayer Communion Service
Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	October 10, 2023 Communion Service
Wednesday 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	October 11, 2023 Communion service Evening Prayers (Vespers) Communion Service
Thursday 8:15 a.m.	October 12, 2023 Klene Family
Friday 8:00 a.m.	October 13, 2023 Communion Service
Saturday 4:00 p.m. 4:30 p.m.	October 14, 2023 Evening Prayer (Vespers) Angie Havermale
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:10 a.m.-Spanish	October 15, 2023 People of the Parish Norma Ancell Fr. David Lantz

Sunday, October 1, 2023

Regular Collection:	\$ 10,179.00
Electronic Giving:	\$ 1,005.00
Total Collection	\$ 11,184.00
Weekly Support Needed:	\$ 12,013.00
Deficit/Surplus:	(\$ 829.00)
Regular Support Actual (YTD)	\$132,488.81
Regular Support Needed (YTD)	\$168,182.00
Regular Deficit/Surplus: (YTD)	(\$ 35,693.19)
Total School Collection	\$ 2,872.00
Haiti	\$ 944.69
Missionary Collection	\$ 4,477.00

This Week in Our Parish

Sunday Donna Cori Gibson Concert- Church	October 8, 2023 6:00 p.m.
Monday Office Closed GIFT-School	October 9, 2023 6:00 p.m.–7:30 p.m.
Tuesday GriefShare-GS Legion of Mary-GS Junior Legion of Mary-GS	October 10, 2023 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. 1:15 p.m.–3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.
Wednesday Adoration-Church Bible Study-GS Education Committee-School	October 11, 2023 8:30 a.m.– 5:10 p.m. 1:00 p.m.– 2:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Thursday RCIA-GS	October 12, 2023 6:00 p.m.

Today we celebrate the **27th Sunday in Ordinary Time**. In the Gospel, Jesus tells the Parable of the Tenants. In the parable the tenants of the vineyard turn against the landowner. They do violence to the servants, and finally kill the son whom he sent. "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone." Christ is that cornerstone that the builders rejected. May we see in others the "cornerstone" who is Christ.

This **Sunday, October 8 at 6:00 p.m.** is our **Musical Concert with Donna Cori Gibson**. She is a Catholic vocal artist from St. Louis, and we are happy to have her with us for this entire weekend. Please plan to join us!

This weekend we will hear our annual **Lay Witness Talk from Audreana Derhake**, in preparation for our **annual Stewardship Sunday (October 21/22)**. We thank our parish members for their courage and witness that inspire us in our own journey of discipleship and stewardship.

At our recent September Pastor's Cabinet meeting, we agreed that Blessed Sacrament Parish would take up the following monthly collections/donations:

2nd Sunday of the Month: St. Vincent De Paul Food Donations for Mini Food Pantry:

In order to assist in filling our Mini Food Pantry across from the church on 7th Street, we ask parish members to bring non-perishable food donations on the 2nd Sunday of every month. (This will be distinct from the 4th Sunday food donations we receive for Catholic Charities/Ladies of Charity.) These food donations can be placed in the Gathering Space area. Our Vincent De Paul volunteers will store these non-perishable items, and disburse them into the pantry throughout each month.

Please mark your calendars for the following upcoming October liturgy:

Wednesday, October 18 @ 5:30 p.m.: Health Care Mass. Traditionally known as the White Mass, this Mass is celebrated to honor doctors, nurses, medical technicians, hospital administrators, and emergency personnel in appreciation for their service to the local community. This Mass will be a wonderful opportunity for our parish community to thank the members of our Healthcare community for the tremendous work they continue to do for our Quincy area community.

Finally, this upcoming week I will be joining the **8th Grade Students for their Washington D.C. Trip**. During my absence Deacon Terry will lead Communion Services, except for our Thursday K-8 Mass to be led by Fr. Mike. I look forward to spending the upcoming week with our students!

May the Peace of Christ be with you all,
Fr. Tom

HEALTHCARE

WORKER'S

MASS

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

1119 S 7TH QUINCY IL 62301

OCT 18, 2023

5:30

This mass is being held for Nurses, Therapists, Providers, & all Healthcare Workers, and their families and friends.

Join us for a special opportunity for blessing, praying for, and remembering all healthcare workers, especially those in the Quincy area. This mass is open to all faiths.

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Adventure day with Dad

Fathers & Sons

Villa Maria Retreat Center
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October 14, 2023
10:00 AM-6:00 PM



For any fathers and their sons in grades 4-9.

\$40 per father/son pair.
\$5 per additional son.

Hosted by the Office of Vocations in The Diocese of Springfield in Illinois

The Holiest Adventure Day for fathers/sons October 14 – sign up now – Are you craving screenless quality time with your children? Join Catholics in our diocese for The Holiest Adventure – father/son edition. The day will be packed with fun activities, Mass, adoration, and delicious food. The father/son edition is Saturday, October 14, and is for dads and their sons in grades 4-9. It's from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at The Villa Catholic Life Center, 1903 E Lake Shore Dr., Springfield, IL 62712. To register, go to dio.org/events. Cost is \$40.00 per father/son pair. Each additional child is \$5 extra. For questions, email Daniel Heffernan at dheffernan@dio.org

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“The stone that the builders rejected has become the corner stone...” – Matthew 21:42

Jesus was rejected by the religious and political leaders of his day, as well as ordinary citizens, but he was still obedient to God, the Father. Similarly, living a stewardship lifestyle may cause you to be “rejected” by others, but we, too are called to be obedient. Saying grace before a meal in a restaurant may attract some strange looks from some. But to others it is a sign that God is alive and well!

GIFT begins Monday, October 9!

Our first formation session will take place in Blessed Sacrament School Cafeteria from 6-7:30. This month's session covers God as the source of life!

We would love for you to join us!

If you have any questions please call the parish office or email faithformation@blessedscs.org

Registered for the Eucharistic Congress but don't have your ticket? All registered attendees will receive a ticket via their email or text message. If you have not received your ticket after 5 days of registration, please first check your spam folder. Then contact your local parish or email Erin Danaher at edanaher@dio.org.

Prayer...Liturgy... Word of God...Service



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Respect Life Dinner

Right to Life of Adams County again offers you the opportunity to hear a great speaker and to support the pro-life cause.

The 2023 annual Respect Life Dinner will feature Steve Karlen, who has had much pro-life success in the use of both prayer rallies and the media, and is Communications Director for 40 Days for Life. Steve wrote the book [This Is When We Begin to Fight](#) and co-authored, with Shawn Carney, the bestselling book, [What to Say When: The Complete New Guide to Discussing Abortion](#).

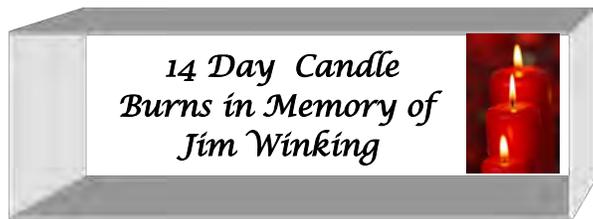
Date: Thursday, October 12, 2023

Time: Doors open, 5:30 p.m.;
Dinner, 6:00 p.m.;
Guest speaker following dinner

Location: Holiday Inn, 4821 Oak Street, Quincy IL

Price: \$25 - per person;
\$40 - 2 persons;
\$150 - table of 8

By reservation only; no tickets available at the door. Reservations must be made by Sunday, October 8. Call or text Lyn Schlipmann, 217-653-0075 for reservations and information.



We Are Blessed Sacrament
Please Scan QR Code to complete
your Stewardship form online.

Commitment Weekend is:
Sunday, October 22, 2023



Fire safety is not just about having knowledge, you need to be practiced as well. Families should work on what to do if there is a fire. E.D.I.T.H stands for exit drills in the home. Children need to know how to exit their room and feel doors for heat. Also establish a meeting place outside that does not move, like a tree or mailbox, where family can convene in the event if an emergency. Practice 911 calls and help them remember their home address if an emergency occurs. Practice makes perfect so don't be afraid to try with your family.

Brought to you by Blessed Sacrament Health & Wellness Committee

St. Peter Adoration Chapel Needs Adorers

OPEN Hours that are available are:

Tuesday: 2 p.m.

Wednesday: 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 11 a.m. on the 1st & 3rd weeks of the month

Thursday: Midnight 2nd week of the month

Friday: 1 a.m., 11 p.m.

Saturday: Midnight, 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 p.m. on the 1st, 5th weeks of the month, 5 p.m. on the 2nd week of the month.

Please call Mary Voorhis at 217 653 3127 or call or text Gina Wolf at 217 257 9966 with questions or to fill an hour.

Prayer Chain

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, call Carol Price to add their intentions to the Prayer Chain: 217-223-8881.

Remember the Sick in Your Prayers...

Please pray for parish family members: Doris Hildebrand, Tom Liesen, Allan Harvey, Robin Cimera, Barb Peters, Maggie Kistner, Robert Conover, Linda Anemone, Sandy Meade, Monica Mast, Ken Nelson, Eric Strunk, Lori Massey, Carl Nieders, Paulette Vahlkamp, Mary Bradfield, Rosie Meyer, Carol Price, Linda Hinkamper, Dave Terwelp & Frank Blickhan.

'Save the Date'

Blessed Sacrament Holiday Bazaar
December 2, 2023
8 a.m. – 2 p.m.
K of C Hall

Calling All Crafters!!!

Blessed Sacrament Bazaar Needs You.!

We are looking for vendors to sell at the bazaar on December 2. If you are interested or know anyone who is interested please have them contact Karen Cawthon - Cell # 217-242-1505 or email cawthon.mark@comcast.net

If you are a crafter, but do not want to be a vendor, the Blessed Sacrament ladies have a booth. We welcome all donations. Please contact Karen or Anna Marie Bentele. We can pick up items you have to sell or they can be brought to the K of C on December 1.

Again this year we will have the gift card raffle and the silent raffle. Donations are needed for both raffles and can be dropped off at the parish office.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Saturday, October 14, 2023

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.	Emmy Kistner Vivi Wilson Leah Terwelp	Karen Finson Doug Luther Pam Luther	Justin & Megan Hale (GS) Mark Ohnemus (WD) Mike & Laura Lucchetti (SD)	Terry Duesterhaus	Jim Schrand Dean Herring Ed Duesterhaus Nathan Terwelp

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR Sunday, October 15, 2023

Mass Times	Servers	Communion Minister	Greeters	Lectors	Usher
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Blakleigh Haubrich Ellie Reuschel Olivia Young	Damin Meyer Laura Peterson Steve Schlueter	Sub. Requested (GS) Kathy Jochem (WD) Becky Ebbing (SD)	Colleen Maalouf	Glen Ebbing Larry Jochem Ed Lohman Gerry Salfen
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Sophia Sibbing Hannah Coovert Divya Sangoi	Laurie Brink Deacon Terry Jill Kelly	2-7th Grade Students (GS) 2-7th Grade Students (WD) 2-7th Grade Students (SD)	2-7th Grade Students	4-7th Grade Students

SERVERS Week of October 9, 2023

Monday, October 2, 2023, 8:00 a.m. & Tuesday, October 3, 8:00 a.m.: Quinn Feldner & Caroline Haugh
Wednesday, October 4, 8:00 a.m.: Carson Kerkhoff & Hannah Coovert
Thursday, October 5, 8:00 a.m.: Carson Kerkhoff, Hannah Coovert & Kyra Brandon
Friday, October 6, 8:00 a.m.- Carson Kerkhoff & Hannah Coovert

St. Edward Catholic Church Turkey Dinner

Join us for a family style turkey dinner at St. Edward Catholic Church in Mendon, IL! Enjoy turkey, homemade dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, green beans, and dessert!

Sunday, October 29,
 11 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
 Adults \$12,
 Children 10 and under \$8

Carry out meals available for \$12 each.

Mass time on Sunday, October 29 at 9:30 a.m.

St. Edward Catholic Church
 214 S. State Road
 Mendon, IL 62351

St. Anthony Ladies Society Fall Craft/ Vendor Show

Saturday, October 7, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. in the parish hall at St. Anthony Church. The St. Dominic School 8th graders will be holding a bake sale and the St. Anthony Quilters will be selling chances for a quilt to be given away later in the year. The St. Anthony Ladies Society will be kicking off a RADA Cutlery fundraiser at the event.

Vendors will be selling handcrafted jewelry, rosaries and memorial items, Tupperware, Pampered Chef, wooden handmade cutting boards, ceramics, wreaths, crocheted & knit hats, gloves, scarves, painted signs, lighted glass florals, handmade fabric purses, wine caddies and fabric tote bags, dog treats, t-shirts, tumblers, embroidered kitchen towels, baby blankets, jean aprons, and many more handmade items! Get a start on your holiday shopping and decorating! There will be food, including homemade cinnamon rolls, so bring your friends, shop, and have lunch!



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OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

October, 2023

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

On October 22, as we observe World Mission Sunday, we stand in solidarity with the Missions of the Church in this annual worldwide Eucharistic celebration.

Pope Francis reflected on this year's theme: "Hearts on fire, feet on the move?" The Holy Father invites us to kindle the fire of Christ's love in our hearts and to actively share this warmth with the world around us. Inspired by the Holy Spirit, we go forth and bring the Good News to all corners of the world.

Founded by French laywoman Blessed Pauline Jaricot in 1822, the Society for the Propagation of the Faith is an essential source of aid for the Church's missionary work. In the United States, we benefited from these donations: up until 1908, we received close to 7 million dollars, the equivalent of over 250 million today. Those dioceses in our country, considered mission territories, continued to receive subsidies. Fairbanks, Alaska, was the last of those dioceses and received its final subsidy payment this year!

The World Mission Sunday collection assists the Holy Father to meet his Petrine obligation to build up the Church in over 1,100 dioceses and territories that are too young and/or too poor to sustain themselves. Offerings support the formation of seminarians and religious men and women, assist in the construction of schools and orphanages, and enables missionaries to build churches in remote and resource-limited areas, and to meet essential works to proclaim the Gospel and celebrate the Sacraments.

Embodying this year's theme, I urge you to keep your hearts aflame and your feet moving this World Mission Sunday. Your prayers are invaluable, and your financial support provides life-giving aid to our brothers and sisters in the world's most vulnerable communities,

Gratefully in the Lord,

Most Reverend Thomas John Paprocki
Bishop of Springfield in Illinois

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Parker & Mildred Gates	A.B. Blickhan & H.B. Schuering Families
Barbara Gerdes & Mary Gerdes	Missie Onhemus Moore
Harold & Virginia Hartman	Living & Deceased Members of Marian & Virgil Terwelp
Richard & Helen Lukeman	Penie & Emma Vahlkamp
Dick Iseminger & Families	Albright & Havermale Families
Mike & Laura Rokita & Liz Galloway	Deceased Members of Fenwick & Schinderling Families
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Mary & Greg Wellman	Deceased Members of the Haugh & Jochem Families
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Tracy Dede & the Families of Mary & Jerry Lovell	Dempsey, Hull & Kelly Families
Jeffrey & BJ VandenBoom	Clarence & Evelyn Genenbacher Family
Fr. Don Everett & Mary Knuffman	Deceased & Living Members of the Community of Catholic Women
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