Notre Dame Parish

Cresco, Iowa

St. Agnes Oratory, Plymouth Rock and St. Bridget Oratory, Bluffton



Rev. Jacob Rouse **Pastor**

Notre Dame Church 223 2nd Ave. E.

Parish Office: 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday 116 East Third Street

Phone: 563 547-3565 Fax: 563 547-3835 Hall: 563 547-4652

Parish Website: notredamecresco.com

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Mass Livestreamed at:

https://voutube.com/a.notredamecresco

Jodi Dull, Business Manager Mindy Jones, Bookkeeper Connie Frana, Office Manager Melanie Vobr, Coordinator of Faith Formation LeRov Webb. Pastoral Minister Katie Schmitt, Principal 563 547-4513

School Website: https:// sites.google.com/nd.pvt.k12.ia.us/ ndschool/home?authuser=0

Celebration of Sacraments

Baptism Please contact the parish office to register for the required Baptism class, to schedule a Baptism or for more information. Next Baptism preparation class is scheduled for Feb. 13, 2023. 7:00 p.m. (Note date is subject to change).

Reconciliation Contact the parish office to schedule an appointment to celebrate this Sacrament of God's forgiveness.

Marriage Contact the parish office at least six months before intended wedding date.

January 29, 2023 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Zephaniah 2:3, 3:12-12; 1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Matthew 5:1-12a

Rising up from the shores of the Sea of Galilee are a number of gently sloping hills. On the north end of the lake one can look up and see at the top of one hill a lovely church. It is called "Church of the Beatitudes." It is on this hill, tradition has it, that Jesus delivered the now eternal "Sermon on the Mount." The first part of that sermon consists of the eight beatitudes.

It is a very deliberate choice of Matthew to have Jesus go up "on the mountainside" to address the crowds and the disciples. Jesus takes on the mantle, as it were, of Moses. Jesus is the new Moses, the new person who is initiating a new covenant between God and man.

The view back down the hillside toward the lake is beautiful. The grass and trees are lush and green, the lake is a placid blue. One can easily envision Jesus delivering his "inaugural sermon" in that place.

What isn't so placid and peaceful are the stunning words coming from his lips. Blessed, happy, satisfied are: the poor in spirit, the lowly, the mourners, the peacemakers, the persecuted. Can we hear these words afresh? Take them into new ears and new hearts? Be as amazed at them as were those listeners on that hillside over 2000 years ago, hearing the first words of a new covenant?

> Next week's readings: Isaiah 58:7-10; 1 Corinthians 2:1-5; Matthew 5:13-16

Grace brings light to the mind, power to the will, and love to the heart.

Monday, Jan. 30 No Mass—Pray for vocations.

Tuesday, Jan. 31 Mass

5:15 p.m. +Francis Hyke; Francis Bouska

Sacristan: Karen Hyke Wednesday, Feb. 1 Mass 8:00 a.m. +Art Kuhn Music: Jed Becker Sacristan: Terry Duerre

Thursday Feb. 2 Mass 9:00 a.m. +Gerald Nehl Sacristan: Inez Kruse

Friday, Feb. 3

8:00 a.m. +Ray and Delores Vsetecka Sacristan: Bill and Connie Sindelar

Saturday, Feb. 4 Masses in church and livestreamed

4:00 p.m. +Robert Malli

EMHCs: Steve and Terry Duerre, Marcie Huhe

Lector: Terry Duerre

Servers: Leah Henkes, Brynlie Hvitved Music: Carol Foley, Wendy Schatz Greeters: Bryan and Denise Sheehy Hosts: Bryan and Denise Sheehy

Ushers: Bryan Sheehy, Steve Duerre, Joey Reinhart,

Ray Schwarzhoff

Sacristan: Steve and Terry Duerre

Sunday, Feb. 5

8:00 a.m. +Rosemary Kuennen

EMHCs: Connie Sindelar, Wayne and Kelly Mashek

Lector: Bill and Connie Sindelar
Servers: Mason Regan, Cali Schwickerath
Music: Dee Hosek, Deb Moellers
Greeters: Wayne and Kelly Mashek
Hosts: Wayne and Kelly Mashek

Ushers: Warren Steffen, David and Shannon Andera,

Ken Hruska

Sacristan: Bill and Connie Sindelar 10:00 a.m. +Emma Jean Koudelka

EMHCs: Patty Elsbernd, Gary and Janel Langreck

Lectors: Rylee Kapler, Gary Langreck Servers: Madelyn Oppriecht, Eleanor Ellingson Music: Good News Singers, Deb Moellers Greeters: Gary and Janel Langreck

Hosts: Mark Kapler Family

Ushers: Matt Daley Family, Brad and Jodi Dull

Sacristan: Jessica Kapler

Regardless of the best plan you can put together for yourself with the greatest of your imagination, God has something much greater planned. If only you will surrender.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule for April through September will be compiled soon. If you would like to begin or discontinue a ministry, please contact the parish office. Thank you to all our liturgical ministers for sharing their time and talent with Notre Dame Parish.

Thank you from Northeast Iowa Community Action for the 394 lbs. of food pantry items donated by Notre Dame Parishioners during December.

In Memory

Lillian Dusheck Sanctuary Candle

Barb Opat Altar Bread
Von Arndt Altar Wine

Francis Hyke; Francis Bouska Missalettes (Feb.)

Stewardship of Prayer

Please pray for the sick of our parish, including the following and those listed in the Book of Petitions.

Parker Byrnes Dianne Kovarik
Makiah Pierce Dean Dietzenbach
Tom Rouchka JoDene Van Dyke
Arlene Kuennen Joyce Kapler
Bill Smith Don Neubauer
Ann Burgess Frances Kovarik Langham

Liz Yount Dan Pahl
Lavon Hyberger Marian Wiltgen
Magnus Rudlong John Gossman
Paula Grayydan Pat Smith

Paula Growden Pat Smith
Randy Smith Beverly Koshatka
Janice Ries Brenda Anding
Tom Kleve Shelly McAllister
Giorgio Gugliemino Ethan Pepera

Paul Pepera

We are pleased to pray for the sick, if you would like to add a name, please call the parish office after receiving permission from the person to have their name published; however, to preserve space if a person has sufficiently recovered and can be removed from the prayer list, also please contact the parish office. Ministry of Prayer Network: If you would like to serve on this Prayer Network, please email the office at:

DBQ047S1@dbqarch.org. When a request is received, you will receive an email asking for your prayers for the immediate need. If you have an urgent need for prayer, call the office at 563 547-3565 to activate the prayer network.

Stewardship of Offering January 22, 2023

Total Stewardship Contributions/Offertory Income

Needed each week: \$10,750.00 Last week's Envelope Contribution Income: \$8,633.00 Last week's ACH Contribution Income: \$695.00 Last week's offertory income: \$487.75

Blessed are they who are what they are and do what they do for the sake of the kingdom! The Gospel today assures good stewards that their suffering and their service on behalf of the Kingdom will be rewarded!

Scrip Program includes Dollar Fresh, HyVee, Pinter's, Ruppert's Ace Hardware, Fareway, Fisk's, Subway, Casey's, A & W, Long John Silvers, Sue-Z-Q, Atomic Pizza and Kwik Star. Cards are available at the parish office and in the church the weekend of Feb. 4-5.

Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service. National Catholic Schools Week is celebrated this year from January 29 to Feb. 4. It is annually celebrated in the United States to promote the exceptional education that comes with functioning as a Catholic school. Education has always been a vital part of decision-making for every family and parent and with this week-long occasion, people can have a glimpse of the excellent standards, formation, programs, and teachings Catholic schools can offer.

Pictorial Directories are available in the front porch of the parish office. They are labeled for everyone who had their picture taken or submitted a picture.

Confirmation Retreat will be held on Sun., Jan. 29, Notre Dame church hall.

Cornerstone will meet on Wed., Feb. 1, 6:15 p.m., Notre Dame Church Hall beginning with a light meal.

Liturgy Committee will meet on Thurs., Feb. 2, 3:30 p.m., Joseph Room.

St. Peter's Circle Soup Supper will be held on Sat., Feb. 18, 4:30—6:30 p.m. in the Notre Dame Church Hall serving Homemade Chicken Noodle Soup and Rolicky; Maid Rites, Chips; Desserts and beverage. Carryouts Available.

Mary Retreat on Feb. 25th from 9:00 a.m.—noon in the parish Hall. Kristina will review information from last year's Retreat but this year our main focus will be Louis de Montfort's Marian virtues. No cost to attend. Free will donation accepted. To register, call the parish office, 563 547-3565.

One of the greatest gifts we can share is the gift of faith. Join other members of our parish to form an RCIA Team to share our faith with those inquiring into the Catholic Church. Please call Fr. Jacob or Melanie at the parish office at 563 547-3565 for more details about training for this rewarding ministry experience and plan to attend an informational session and training on Feb. 7, 6:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Light meal will be served.

Czech Heritage Partnership Masopust Event...Czech Heritage Partnership is having their 17th annual Masopust (Mardi Gra) on Saturday February 18th at the PIVO Brewery in Calmar, IA. Doors open at noon, and the celebration begins at 1pm. This event features Malek's Fishermen Band, live and silent auctions, with a Czech Style meal including kolaches and poppyseed cake. The Czech region recognized this time is the 'Velis' (Velleesh), the origin of Pecinovsky immigrants that settled in the NE Iowa area. Tickets are \$40. Reserved tables of 8 available, but limited. For tickets and info contact: Audrey Lensing = 563-380-3015; Ken Zajicek = 563-379-4100; Eileen Tlusty = 641-229-6049 Check us out on Facebook: facebook.com/czechmasopust

If you have a child under age 17 who is not yet baptized, or a baptized child who has missed their First Communion and you would like to have them receive these sacraments, please call the parish office at 563 547-3565. Let us help you and your child prepare for these wonderful Sacraments of Initiation in our Catholic faith.

Thank You

We are grateful for all the volunteers who offer their time and talent as good stewards for the betterment of the parish. This week we thank the members of the Seven Sisters Apostolate. We welcome Paisley Jo McCabe, daughter of Dan and Amanda McCabe, who was baptized at Notre Dame on Jan. 21.



Notre Dame Catholic School 2023-2024 Pre-Registration for Kindergarten—Grade 6 will take place Jan. 30—Feb. 10, 2023. Preschool and Playgroup Open House Registration will be Thursday, Feb. 23, 3:30—6:30 p.m. Any questions, please feel free to call the school office at 563 547-4513.

Please plan to attend the Choir Boosters Omelet Breakfast Sunday, Feb. 5th, 8am-1pm, \$8 per person. Serving omelets, rolls, fruit, coffee, milk, and juice. Carry-outs available. We appreciate your support!

Valentine's Market Sun., Jan. 29, 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.; Winneshiek County Fair Community Building. Breakfast served 9—11; Lunch 11—2. Proceeds to benefit St. Ben's 8th Grade DC Trip.

Lidtke Mill Bingo Monday nights 6:30-9:30 p.m. Food available. Family, Fun & Fitness, Lime Springs.

Knights of Columbus Council #1571 "NEWS FLASH"!! The emembership online promotion to join us for free the first year is going to continue. Visit www.kofc.org/joinus using promo code BLESSEDMC-GIVNEY Questions, call 563 581-2239.

Trinity Catholic School Boosters Soup Supper to end Catholic School's Week, Sat. Feb. 4, 5:00—8:00 p.m., Ft. Atkinson Community Center serving chicken noodle soup, chili, and broccoli cheese soup; bars, cinnamon rolls, bread and butter, crackers, milk and coffee. All you can eat. Tickets at the Door adults \$10; ages 4-12 \$5.00; ages 3 and under, free. Carry out quarts \$8.00.

Accepting New Counseling Clients via Telehealth If you know of anyone struggling with their brain health during this time, our Catholic Charities Counselors are is accepting new clients from any location in the Archdiocese of Dubuque. The telehealth process allows our counselors to meet with clients remotely via computer or other devices. Counseling provides individuals, couples, and families the ability to work out their challenges before they become a crisis, helping to maintain emotional health and strengthen relationships. Contact us at 563-588-0558 to be connected to one of our licensed professionals.

Blessed are those who recognize their dire need for God, for God will bring them into his Kingdom.

Blessed are those who mourn their sin, for God will forgive them and restore them to the life he intended them to have.

Blessed are those who have their strength under control, for they will inherit the earth.

Blessed are those who are desperate to do the will of God, for they will long for nothing.

Blessed are those who show mercy and forgive, for they understand the mercy that's been shown to them.

Blessed are those who focus on the motive of their actions, for they shall see God.

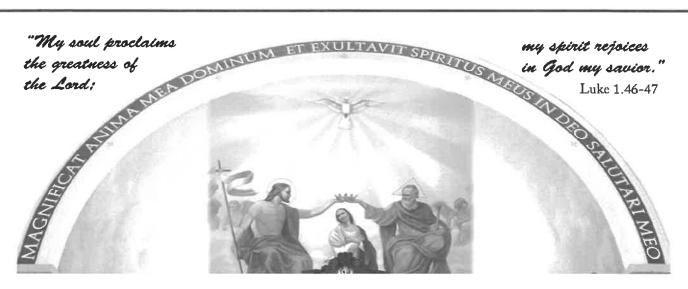
Blessed are those who have received peace and bring peace to others, for they are the sons and daughters of God.

Blessed are you who can rejoice in worst moments in life, for you have found the true treasure.

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Dear Notre Dame Family,

It is my privilege as your Pastor to present to you the "Year In Brief." This is a yearly publication which conveniently collects and makes available various data and information to be known and celebrated. Inside you will find budget updates, council personnel, stewardship offerings, baptisms, marriages, and deaths, youth ministry activities, Notre Dame School activities, and outreach programs.

Please take the opportunity for prayer and thanksgiving as you review everything that we have accomplished and weathered TOGETHER in the past year!

Peace,

father jacob rouse

Notre Dame Parish/School July 1, 2022 Through Dec 31, 2022

Receipts	Expenditures				
Church			Church		
Advertising	\$	8,900.00	Adult Faith/Youth Formation	\$	7,046.35
Budget - Adults/Youth	\$	276,894.24	Arch TAXA	\$	22,180.59
Chritmas/Thanksgiving	\$	18,560.00	Community Life	\$	2,054.50
Donations and Gifts	\$	19,430.02	Interest	\$	601.67
Adult Faith Formation	\$	1,747.00	Sub Priest/Household/Mileage	\$	9,871.11
Interest/Dividends	\$	665.80	Lit/Sac	\$	7,059.02
Offertory	\$	14,492.87	Maintenance/Imp.	\$	13,679.68
Sacramental Offerings	\$	11,272.25	Office	\$	5,870.41
Youth Faith Formation	\$	9,230.00	Payroll	\$	102,460.69
Other Income	\$	(169.60)	Utilities	\$	23,865.37
School			Other expense	\$	(409.15)
Tuition/STO	\$	209,235.36	School		
Donations/Gifts	\$	19,608.94	Instruction	\$	45,560.56
Kids Club	\$	1,664.07	Administration/Fund raising	\$	29,695.89
Scrip	\$	125,509.94	SCRIP	\$	127,128.86
Fundraising	\$	66,678.73	Maintenance	\$	14,733.07
Foundations/Grants	\$	250.00	Fixed Charges	\$	412.40
Interest	\$	3,526.16	Capital Outlay	\$	19,347.66
Other Income	\$	5,033.24	Student Activities	\$	3,440.18
Lunch			Payroll	\$	353,819.82
Lunches/Breakfast/Milk	\$	18,429.50	Utilities	\$	12,656.61
Snack Fees	\$	2,914.00	Lunch		
Government Reimbursements	\$	5,790.96	Milk	\$	4,492.18
Rebates	\$	15,219.54	Food	\$	11,227.93
			Snack expense	\$	1,260.10
To DAPP/TAXA Savings	\$	(8,000.00)	Supplies/Misc	\$	2,691.88
To School Savings	\$	(17,502.00)	- Utilities/Other expenses	\$	846.00
From School Savings	\$	25,000.00	Payroll	\$	28,151.50
			Total Expenditures	\$	849,744.88
Total Receipts	\$	834,381.02			
			Hoffman Trust	\$	22,879.84
Total Receipts	\$	834,381.02	Improv./Cap Camp./Reno	\$	4,253.91
Cash Bal. June 30, 2022	<u>\$</u>	157,050.50	ND Parish Savings	\$	87,685.63
Total to Acct. for	\$	991,431.52	ND DAPP/Taxa savings	\$	28,413.93
Expenditures	\$	849,744.88	ND CFAD Parish	\$	93,584.07
Cash Bal. Dec 31, 2022	\$	141,686.64	ND Funding our Future	\$	7,718.88
			Fran Barnes/ND End.CEF/CFA	\$	268,350.39
			Drilling Trust-D&L	\$	10,553.69
Liabilities			Mary Kleve Estate-D&L	\$	3,310.88
Arch. Loan Balance	\$	135,988.36	Fran Barnes Savings	\$	12,884.41
Good Samaritan	\$	531.50	School Savings	\$	161,298.89
			Hubka Estate	\$	4,341.49
			Ed. Endowment - D & L	\$	41.38

Notre Dame Pastoral Council

Jim Truka, Chairperson; Buildings and Grounds Committee

Tom Kleve, Vice-Chair; Liturgy Committee

Brian McConnell, Buildings and Grounds Committee

Joye Meyer, Executive Secretary, Emergency Management Committee; Community Life Committee

Holly Manske, Catholic School Board

Joe Wacha, Liturgy Committee Patti Guyer, Stewardship Committee

Mary Larson, Faith Formation Commission

Maryln Shores, Finance Committee

Keith Wherry, Emergency Management Committee; Buildings and Grounds Committee

Notre Dame Parish Finance Council

Notre Dame Catholic School Board

Tom Barnes, Chairperson, Buildings and Grounds Committee Maryln Shores, Vice-Chair; Parish Council Representative Erin Powers-Daley, Catholic School Board Representative

Erin Powers-Daley, Chairperson/Finance Council Rep. Holly Manske, Vice-Chair; Pastoral Council Representative

Tracy Herold, Secretary

Tom Crouch Jodi Dull

Emily Dohlman-Govern

Patricia Pinter

Aaron Hvitved

Sarah Kach

Amber McCarville

Alanda Meyer

Greg Prochaska

Kyle Teeling

Faith Formation Commission

Mary Larson, Chairperson, Pastoral Council Representative

Michelle Midthus, Vice Chair

Rebecca Keune, Secretary

Lynette Andera

Jami Schwickerath

Notre Dame Family Circles of Faith

Parish Statistics for 2022

President:

Joye Meyer

Baptisms:

Weddings: 35

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\$13,383.46

\$18,927.62 \$32,311.08

Secretary:

Vice-President: Donna Ryant Pat Pinter

Funerals: Confirmation: 54 30 First Communion: 23 New Parishioners: 18 Families

Treasurer:

Total

Terry Duerre

2022 Summary of Stewardship of Offering

Budget Contribution	Number		
Range	Parish Contributors		
\$ 0	386		
\$ 1.00 - \$ 500.00	198		
\$ 501.00 - \$ 1,000.00	126		
\$1,001.00 - \$ 2,500.00	126		
\$ 2,501.00 - \$ 5,000.00	52		
\$ 5,001.00— \$10,000.00	8		
Over \$10,000.00	3		
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Notre Dame Family Circles of Faith Financial Report for 2022

Projects 2022:		Balance 12-31-21	
St. Peter	\$ 1,485.00	Income:	
St. Blasé	\$ 1,735.00	Projects	\$14,499.00
St. Patrick	\$ 2,553.00	ACCW Dues	\$ 216.00
St. Mark	\$ 1,540.00	Interest	\$ 7.62
St. Catherine	\$ 3,081.00	Funeral & other Donations	\$ 3,785.00
St. Anne	\$ 1,580.00	Pies	\$ 420.00
St. Andrew	\$ 985.00	Total Income	
St. Cecilia	\$ 1,540.00		

\$14,499.00

Less Expenses:

Sacramental Fund \$12,000.00 195.00 Memorials \$ Gifts/Donations \$ 2,733.44 \$ 264.00 Paddlewheel Baccalaureate \$ 568.02 Maintenance donations \$ 1,383.11 \$ 1,336.63 Supplies, quilt, etc. Total Expenses \$ 18,480.20

(18,480.20)Balance 12-31-22 \$13,830.88

ST. BRIDGET ORATORY

July 1, 2022 - December 31, 2022

RECEIPTS		, ,,	EXPENDITURES	
DONATIONS	\$	9,225.00	GAMBLING TAX/LICENSE/BANK FEES	\$ 363.80
FUNDRAISING	\$	14,192.76	MOWING	\$ 3,001.70
OFFERTORY	\$	1,938.00	MAINTENANCE	\$ 6,581.60
HALL RENT	\$	725.00	UTILITIES	\$ 396.32
			INSURANCE	\$ 297.78
			FUEL	\$ 1,114.75
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$	26,080.76		
			TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 11,755.95
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$	26,080.76	St. Bridget Cemetery 12/31/22	
BALANCE 07/01/22	\$	31,155.60	Checking Acct.	\$ 7,950.95
	\$	57,236.36	Perpetual Care Acct.	\$ 225,000.00
			St. Bridget Cemetery Savings Acct.	\$ 16,306.27
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR	\$	57,236.36		1
EXPENDITURES	\$	(11,755.95)	St. Bridget Oratory Directors	
BALANCE 12/31/22	\$	45,480.41	Scott Courtney David Sexton	
			St. Bridget Cemetery Directors	
Sav. Acct. Bal. 7/1/22	\$	79,726.74	D. Edward Christopher David Bergan	
Interest Received	\$	200.96	St. Bridget Oratory 2022 Statistics	
Balance 12/31/22	\$	79,927.70	Weddings 2 Funerals/Burials 6	
Cavalry Cemetery December 31	, 20			
Perpetual Care	\$	119,137.64	Calvary Cemetery Lay Directors	
General Fund	\$	67,141.11	Camilla Conway Jeff McAllister	
Checking	\$	68,155.48		

St. Agnes Oratory July 1, 2022- Dec 31, 2022

INCOME		St. Agnes Cemete	ry	
Contributions	\$ 600.00	Checking Acct.	\$	1,199.54
		CD's	\$	42,281.08
EXPENSES		Arch. Of Dub.	\$	10,597.32
Insurance	\$ 297.00	Savings	\$	12,384.73
Maintenance	\$ 208.95			
Total Expense	\$ 505.95	St. Kiernan Cemet	ery	
		Checking Acct.	\$	3,888.92
Total Receipts	\$ 600.00	Arch. Of Dub.	\$	5,324.84
Cash Balance 7/1/22	\$ 481.95	CD's	\$	1,000.00
Total to Account For	\$ 1,081.95			
Total Expenditures	\$ 505.95	St Agnes Ceme	tary Lay Direc	tors
Cash Balance	\$ 576.00	Margaret Miller	Carroll Gos	sman
		St. Kieran Cemetery Lay Directors		
St. Agnes Guild		Gary Hovey	Justin Hove	ey .
Checking Acct.	\$ 18,789.52			
CD's	\$ 11,901.19	St. Agnes Oratory Funerals/Burials:		os I

St. Agnes Oratory Lay DirectorsGary Hovey Naomi Gossman

BAPTISMS IN OUR PARISH— 2022

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Name	Parents	Date of Baptism
Jack Richard Steiner	Caleb and Kylee (Button) Steiner	January 16
Eversynn Kay Omar	Shawn and Daron (Wiltgen) Omar	February 6
Kalvin Jeffrey Harrod	Ryan and Meghan (McAllister) Harrod	February 6
Owen Louis Wenthold	Louis Wenthold and Lindsy Carlson	February 12
Ember Rose Sindelar	Kyle and Latrice (Crozier) Sindelar	February 19
Lillian June Mischel	Steven and Rebecca (Kauble) Mischel	March 6
Lincoln Harold Sajdak	Brandon and Kirsten (Busta) Sajdak	April 23
Ezekiel Robert Bohr	Nicholas and Lindsey (Kuhn) Bohr	May 7
Lane Thomas Neubauer	Karl and Lottie (Kirchner) Neubauer	May 22
Kaiya Ann Gragert	James and Hallie (O'Brien) Gragert	June 4
Kora Marie Gragert	James and Hallie (O'Brien) Gragert	June 4
Elowen Rose Rodenz	Jett and Cheyann (Courtney) Rodenz	June 12
Liam Griff Roberts	Thomas and Cami (Jones) Roberts	June 12
Cora Marie Pisney	Trevor and Emily (Macal) Pisney	June 26
Willow Rose Shields	Jason and Kayla (Hageman) Shields	July 12
Bodie Rainey Moellers	Arley and Kaitlyn (McCabe) Moellers	July 24
Charles Ryan Kreitzer	Ryan and McKayla (Abarr) Kreitzer	July 24
Casey Allen Trojan	Denver and Kala (Carroll) Trojan	August 6
Avery Mae Dietzenbach	Matthew and Leigh (Freidhof) Dietzenbach	August 14
Waylon Dwayne Carolan	Eric and Alisha (Andera) Carolan	August 27
Blakely Kate Andera	John and Katelyn (Moellers) Andera	September 4
Audrey Ann Rue	Travis and Jordan (Isham) Rue	September 10
Axton Ty Nels Langreck	Patrick and Samantha (Lepa) Langreck	September 11
William Kenneth Wolter	Taylor and Nicole (Bronner) Wolter	September 24
Callie Jean Wolter	Taylor and Nicole (Bronner) Wolter	September 24
Tilly Jo Ollendieck	Kyle and Janel (Bolson) Ollendieck	September 25
Tate Randy Mashek	Andrew and Kristen (Wennes) Mashek	October 15
Kreed Randal Brown	Tayler and Kimberly (Freidhof) Brown	October 16
Goldie Rae Langreck	Patrick and Samantha (Lepa) Langreck	November 20
Nixon Lane Langreck	Patrick and Samantha (Lepa) Langreck	November 20
Kason Rhys Langreck	Patrick and Samantha (Lepa) Langreck	November 20
Hayden Lee Andera	Luke and Whitney (Fox) Andera	November 27
Blair Elaine Reicks	Eric Reicks and Brittney Bluhm	December 11
Juliet Dee Kriener	Mitchell and Savana (Novak) Kriener	December 18
Walker Eugene Thomas	Colter and Molly (Reicks) Thomas	December 18

MARRIAGES

IN OUR PARISH COMMUNITIES

Andrew Oldenburg and Holly Schnitzler	May 14
William Thomson and Elizabeth Shaw	June 2
Tayler Brown and Kimberly Freidhof	July 16
Dalton Martinek and Alexis Reicks	August 13
Matthew Berg and Alison Sexton	September 24
Jess Stevens and Abby Ahrens	September 24
Aaron Ashbacher and Candice Bohr	October 1
Jacob Roelofs and Karley Freidhof	October 22
Alec Hauge and Kathryn Sheehy	November 4
Lynn Panos and Amy Sorenson	December 31



Those who died from our parishes in 2022

Requiescant in Pace

Name Date o	nequies of Death or Burial	Name Date of De	eath or Burial	
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Florence Combs	January 1	Deanne Marie Webb	August 10	
Robert Olmstead	January 15	Lillian M. Dusheck	August 13	
Margaret (Peg) Seifried	January 19	Marilyn M. Balk	August 26	
Lois Ann Svestka	January 19	Helen Christine Wenthold	September 6	
Emma Jean Koudelka	January 20	Elmore E. Herold	September 16	
Thomas Ryan	January 31	Marilyn J. Novak	September 17	
Robert "Bob" Fitzgerald	February 1	Keith M. Steffen	September 20	
Clarine C. Schmitz	February 2	Wilmer (Will) G. Hubka	September 23	
Loretta M. Vokaty	February 7	Thomas Q. Mahr	September 27	
Evelyn C. Steffen	February 13	Genevieve (Genny) Riehle	October 5	
Francis "Frank" McConne	ll February 16	Ruth M. Rinn	October 12	
Zachary Steven Stapelkam	p February 17	Richard Drtina	October 18	
Joan M. Carolan	February 20	Sonia M. Drtina	October 24	
Francis John Hyke	April 4	Zeno Kappes	October 26	
Jeffrey A. Svestka	April 4	Theona Mlady	October 28	
Patrick Joseph Reicks	April 6	David Kappes	October 28	
Phyllis J. Pitz	April 13	Geneva G. Kolbet	October 29	
Debra A. Winsell	April 21	Ross (Bill) Gooder	October 31	
John A. Schmauss	April 21	Arthur Kuhn	November 2	
David F. Wilgenbusch	April 29	Robert James Wenthold	November 6	
Joan Howard Murray Smit	h May 7	Doris G. Ferrie	November 22	
Denis D. Reicks	May 9	Dorothy R. Barnes	December 2	
Judy Ann Miller	May 15	James R. Kuhn	December 3	
Marlene G. Wemark	May 17	Gerald "Gene" McCormick	December 8	
Betty Jean Shea	May 17	Monica Newman	December 13	
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Vincent McKenna	July 2			
Elizabeth (Liz) Holub	July 14	′/ [] ′		
Denis Hugo Reicks	August 3	Rest In Peace		

THE YEAR IN BRIEF - 2022

Notre Dame ho	isted the virtual	Archdiocesan	Women's Confer	ence and Men'	s Conference
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Notre Dame Parishioners continue to deliver Meals on Wheels in March, July and November.

Notre Dame hosted World Day of Prayer in March

Lasagne Supper; online Auction; Golf tournament; Football Mania and Fair Day Fundraisers were successful

Cornerstone met three Wednesdays a month with a light meal served on the first week of the month

Adult Bible Study; Easter Series; Moving with Mission and Behold Your Child programs are offered

John Paul Derryberry gave a presentation on mental health

A Seder Meal was held for the Bible Study Groups

A Diaper Drive was held in connection with the March for Life

A new altar cloth and frontal panel were donated

Notre Dame hosted a Marian Retreat

New tables were purchased for the church hall

Wee Families and Into the Deep were offered

Reverse Collection was held four times during the year to benefit the local food pantry

Notre Dame served food at the parish stand and malts at the Moo Mobile at the Howard County Fair

Totus Tuus and Bible Buddies Programs were held

Alumni Appeal raised funds for the school

Stewardship Renewal Program was held in the fall

A new Pictorial Directory was compiled

Playgroup for 3 year olds started again in 2022-2023 school year

New stained glass window was installed above the East entrance of the church

Cement work was done on the parking lot and playground; and the church was "bat proofed"

Margaret Ward, Jill Ryan and Connie Zahasky made a quilt to be donated by Notre Dame Parish to the Hospital Auxiliary Quilt Auction

Family Ministry events: Family Picnic, Mother-Daughter Tea; Father-Son BBQ and Cookies with Santa were held

Notre Dame participated in the ArchdioceseOne Fundraiser

Remembrance Mass held in November

A pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe was hosted by the ACCW

Notre Dame hosted the Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service

Parishioners participated in the Giving Tree for CARE

Cornerstone Team Retreat was held in December

Children's Choir for Christmas

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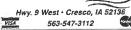
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