

Announcements

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 15 and 16, 2022

WANT TO JOIN OUR CHURCH?

If you have found that St. Monica's is the place for you, we would be delighted to get to know you better. Feel free to call or email Fr. Jonathan, as he would love to welcome you. Also, you can fill out our online form. Visit our website at: www.stmonicasnaples.org. **Under the "I'm New" tab, you'll find the form "New Member Form."**

RUMMAGE SALE POSTPONEMENT

The Fund-Raising Committee feels the scheduled date of November 5th is too soon after Hurricane Ian and its aftermath and decided to postpone the sale. We will let you know when a date is set but looks to be in the month of March 2023. We wish to thank all of you who volunteered for the Rummage Sale and hope you will join us in March.

BREAKING BREAD TOGETHER

We are inviting all members of St. Monica's to participate in Breaking Bread Together. This is an informal gathering where groups of 8 people will share a meal together. Each group decides where and when to meet including potluck dinners, picnics, restaurants, etc. This is a great opportunity for newcomers, long-time parishioners, couples, singles, families, seasonal, and year rounders to get together over a meal and build community. **All are Welcome.** Please complete our form online (scan the QR code with your smart device) or on the paper form located at the back of the church so we can get the groups formed. **The deadline for survey submission is November 15th.** Groups will start meeting in January. For questions, contact: Lorraine Ciano 609.276.1422



JOIN US FOR THE FIRST FRIENDS OF MUSIC PROGRAM

Monday, October 17, 2022 at 7:00 pm in the Church. The Naples' Nautilus Chamber Players and Guest Soloists will perform music by Mozart, Berg, Bernstein, Ginastera, Rodgers and Hammerstein as a Hurricane Recovery Benefit Concert of Local Musicians. Please bring your family and friends. **All Are Welcome!** A free-will offering will be received.

FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

We are gathering on Fridays at **9am**. Discussions include the Gospel readings for the following Sunday. This month, we will read and learn about Isaiah followed by First Corinthians. We will start our gatherings with a Morning Prayer and a light breakfast will be included when meeting in person. If you have any questions, call Betsy Smith at 239.292.5763.

COME PRAY WITH US EVERY TUESDAY

Your faith and scripture will come alive as we pray together in this prayer group. We invite you to spend one special hour with us each week. We think you will be glad you did. **All Are Welcome** to gather with us in the Church every Tuesday at 10am. We will praise God with song, read and pray with scripture, share faith experiences, bring our needs and the needs of others to our Lord through intercessory prayer and close with a prayer and song. For more information contact Theresa Miller 239.849.3315 or Toni Strong 717.372.8619.

CAN YOU HELP?

Feed Thy Neighbor is in need of items to help feed those in need. Since hurricane Ian their need has grown even more. If you can provide help, these are the items they are currently in need of:

FOOD	Flour	Potatoes	Cooking Oil	Salt	Pepper
	Bullion	Tomato Puree	Breadcrumbs	Sour Cream	Yams
	Rice	Pumpkin Pies	Brown Gravy	Cranberry Sauce	Cream of Chicken Soup
	Pasta	Powered Milk	Cream of Mushroom Soup		

NON-FOOD	Pans/Skillets	Tupperware	Potholders	Wash Clothes
	Dish Detergent	Facial Tissues	Cabinet Organizers	Hand Sanitizer

If you are wanting to volunteer your time or have questions, please contact Tony at 239.269.8000

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

10/9	Mary Scanlon	10/12	Paul Votapek	10/18	Peter Joseph Goodin
10/10	Philip Reid	10/13	Gabriel Chalick	10/19	Debra Danno
10/10	Wally Hedman	10/13	Jenny Baumgartner	10/20	Helen Strong
10/11	Virginia Carter	10/14	Muriel Fishman	10/20	Sarah Nick
10/12	Madeline Coe	10/14	Sandra Johansen	10/21	Lorraine Maurer
10/12	Nancy Moritz	10/15	Valerie Ouillette	10/22	Mary Gentzle
10/8	Rob and Dong Waverka	10/12	Victor and Stephanie Saco		
10/10	Charles and Ruth Kalwinsky	10/13	Ned and Sara Meekins		
10/10	David and Marcia Pardue	10/20	Sarah Kelsey and Robert Randall		

If you have a birthday or an anniversary this week and your name does not appear, please log into the church directory to update your record, or contact us at administrator@stmonicasnaples.org. We don't want to miss out!

OUR REGULARLY SCHEDULED IN-PERSON AND ZOOM MEETINGS

Zoom Only	➤ Contemplative Prayer.....	Wednesdays, 11am - Zoom	MEETING ID
Zoom & In-Person	➤ Bible Study.....	Fridays, 9am - Library	166 7392
Zoom & In-Person	➤ Daughters of the King.....	3 rd Monday, 1pm - Church	PASSCODE
Zoom & In-Person	➤ Prayer and Faith Sharing...	Tuesdays, 10am - Church	7070
In-Person Only	➤ Ladies Luncheon.....	2 nd Monday, 12:30pm - Different each month.	

To join a Zoom meeting, visit: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6951667392>

or call one of these three numbers: 301.715.8592 312.626.6799 929.204.6099

CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY



A Charitable Gift Annuity is a simple agreement that provides you with a fixed, guaranteed life-time stream of income in exchange for a gift of cash or securities.

We would be happy to provide a personalized illustration of the benefits of a gift annuity for you, a friend or any family member you wish to benefit from your gift annuity.

Advantages also include:

- ♦ **Tax Savings:** A large part of what you donate qualifies as a tax deductible charitable gift.
- ♦ **Tax Free Payments:** A large part of your annual payments may be tax-free.
- ♦ **Reduction of Capital Gains:** When you fund your annuity with appreciated securities you can avoid considerable capital gains tax.

Simply contact St. Monica's at finance@stmonicasnaples.org

Please sign up for our eNews as there is more information about tax-free contributions there.