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## WANT TO JOIN OUR CHURCH?

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If you have found that St. Monica's may be your next spiritual home, 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](http://www.stmonicasnaples.org). Under "*I'm New*", you'll find the form.

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## HEALING MINISTRY

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We look forward to resuming our healing this month! This will include healing prayers for those who desire it.

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## MISIÓN PENIEL IN IMMOKALEE

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Misión Peniel is a pastoral ministry that provides food, clothing, fellowship, and emergency support to farmworkers in Immokalee, Florida. This ministry works with people of faith and compassion to act with farmworkers to achieve fundamental change in their living and working conditions while increasing public awareness of the need for bridge building. We will be collecting in our "shopping cart" the following items:

- Tennis shoes
  - Work boots (*men and women*)
  - Personal Hygiene Items
  - Non-Perishable Food
  - Diapers (*sizes 4, 5, and 6 only*)
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## MEN'S BOOK CLUB

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The Men's Book Group will resume meeting on Mondays at 9am, beginning on **November 13**. The first book of the year is *Mere Christianity*, by C.S. Lewis. The first three chapters will be discussed. Please contact Ed Strong if you would like to find out more: [estrongjr@gmail.com](mailto:estrongjr@gmail.com) or 267.250.4576

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## OLD TESTAMENT CLASS - LOCATION AND TIME CHANGE

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The Hebrew Scriptures also known as the Old Testament's class, will now meet on Fridays. The first gathering with the new location and time is this Friday, Oct. 27th at 1pm located at Doug Ball's home. Members can get the address from this weekend eNews or logging into the directory.

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## AN EASIER WAY TO REQUEST PRAYER

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The pastoral care team has put together a page to submit a request whenever you want. Simply visit the link below and you will see two different links. One is to add a prayer and the other is remove a prayer. We hope by implementing this, it will help you send in the requests and share with others. Simply visit and bookmark this link for quicker access: <http://www.stmonicasnaples.org/this-weeks-prayer-list>

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## POTLUCK SOCIAL

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**Nov 11th "Friendsgiving"** Bring your favorite Thanksgiving side dish, appetizer or dessert, some wine to sip. Please join us following the 5pm service. Food/wine can be dropped off in the parish hall after 4:30pm. All are welcome. Hope to see you there JoAnn Sarconi 239.397.2408

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**MAKING OUR CHURCH OUR HOME**

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With your coins, we want to beautify our church, making our church our home. Please take one, fill it up, and bring it to church!

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**LADIES LUNCHEON**

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Next month on **November 13th at 12:30**, we will be going to The Patio Cafe, 10711 Tamiami Trail( Rt. 41) across from Trader Joe.

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**IN LOVING MEMORY**

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Remember a loved one, honor someone, or give thanks with the donation of a plaque that will be affixed to the back of a chair in our church. Some examples of wording include, "To the glory of God from the \_\_\_\_\_ Family," "In Thanksgiving for our many blessings, from \_\_\_\_\_," "In Memory of our Grandparents, from the \_\_\_\_\_," or "In memory of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_." The cost is \$200. Donations above that are welcome. Contact Sharon Lapierre at 920-204-4165 or Matt Devlin at 239-450-6229 for any questions. Request forms will be provided at the back of the church, in the church office or you can go online and send in your request.

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**FAITH COMMUNITY NURSE**

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St. Monica's now has a Faith Community Nurse, Susan Docimo, R.N. Her ministry will include serving as a health counselor, educator, advocate, and liaison. She will also help you to promote a healthy relationship between faith, health, attitudes, and lifestyle choices through bulletin articles and health education programs.

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**GET MORE INFORMATION, UPDATES AND NEWS FROM ST. MONICA'S**

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Be sure to sign up to get our announcements, news, and alerts in your email. We send the eNews every Thursday at 5pm and it provides detailed information and photos. To sign up, visit our website at:

<https://www.stmonicasnaples.org/join-our-eneews>

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**BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES**

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11/1 Gail Corbett	11/2 Rob Crevier	11/3 Mary and George Albanese
11/1 Daniela Pedroza	11/2 GiGi Littlepage	11/4 Steve and Irene Nolan
11/2 Eric Bodley	11/2 Barbara Metcalfe	
11/2 John Chadwick	11/2 Susan Shrewsbury	

Please contact us at [administrator@stmonicasnaples.org](mailto:administrator@stmonicasnaples.org) to update our records if we missed you.

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

Prayer List (Bulletin)

Terri Tack

239.593.9429

[ttack3@yahoo.com](mailto:ttack3@yahoo.com)

Prayer Chain (Email Chain)

Colleen Rossomando

239.253.6718

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

If you are going into the hospital, or your spouse, partner, or family member is experiencing a pastoral or health care emergency, please call the Rev. Jonathan W. Evans at 786.450.5704

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**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

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**December 16**

9am-11am, **Holidays without Hunger**

Meals of Hope meal packing event

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