Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany February 5 and 6, 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."

#### **SAVE THE DATES**

Feb 5	Annual Parish Meeting - 6pm	Feb 26 Institution of our new Rector - 3pm
Feb 13	Newcomer Brunch - 11am	Mar 27 Bishop's Visit - 10am

#### **NEW TO ST. MONICA'S?**

Let us get to know you! On February 13<sup>th</sup> after church, we would like you to join us for brunch in the Parish Hall or in our Courtyard (depending on health concerns, location to be announced). Please RSVP to administrator@stmonicasnaples.org or call 239.591.4550. We look forward to seeing you!

#### **BISHOP COADJUTOR SEARCH**

The Transition Committee is soliciting your assistance in collecting questions that you would like the Bishop Candidates to answer during the **Meet and Greets March 2022**. The Clergy and the delegates of each congregation will be invited to attend the Meet and Greets in person, but the committee wants to make sure that the people in the pews have a voice. The Meet and Greets will also be "live-streamed" so that everyone can have an opportunity to see and hear the Candidates. Our delegates will collect the questions to distribute to the committee.

#### WANT TO LEARN ABOUT THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH?

Fr. Jonathan will be leading a class: "Everything you ever wanted to know about the Episcopal Church." This is for those who are new to the Episcopal Church and may consider being received into the church, confirmed, reaffirmed in the faith, or baptized. As well, this is for people who are just curious about the Episcopal tradition. We will meet each Sunday beginning on **February 20th** and will end with the visit by the Bishop on **March 27th**. Times to be determined by class participants. Please email rector@stmonicasnaples.org for more information or to register.

# Consider a Gift of Retirement Assets!

Retirement assets can be the best gift for a donor to leave.

- A tax-efficient planned gift: Qualified retirement
   accounts are subject to income tax when received
   by your heirs. If left to heirs, federal income taxes
   and estate taxes can erode a sizable amount of this
   asset. As a nonprofit organization, St. Monica's
   does not pay any federal income tax or estate tax
   on the distribution of this asset.
- Higher value assets to heirs: Leave to your heirs a wide range of other assets that are not subject to income tax.
- Simple set-up: a simple form
  is all you need. While no attorney needs to be
  involved, it is practical to touch base with your
  professional advisors for their counsel.
- During your lifetime, you continue to use and receive distributions form your retirement accounts.
- Flexibility: If your circumstances change, you may easily change the beneficiary designations at any time.

Simply contact Maria Hayes, CPA at finance@stmonicasnaples.org

#### **OUR REGULARLY SCHEDULED ZOOM MEETINGS**

**➤ Contemplative Prayer.....** Wednesdays, 11 am

**■ MEETING ID:** 695 166 7392

**➤ Bible Study**.....Fridays, 9:30 am

➤ PASSCODE: 7070

**➤** Daughters of the King.....Monthly 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday, 1 pm

To join a Zoom meeting, visit: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6951667392 or call one of these three numbers: 312.626.6799 301.715.8592 929.204.6099

#### **BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK**

If you have a birthday or an anniversary this week and your name does not appear, please contact us at: administrator@stmonicasnaples.org so we can add you. We don't want to miss out on your special day!

BIRTHDAYS 2/7 Michael Gaynor 2/7Nancy Hennel 2/8 Jenny Lynn Swendeman

> 2/9 David Pardue 2/9 James Sarconi 2/9 Lori Votapek 2/10 Islav Hedger 2/10 Fr. Jonathan Evans 2/11 Robert Dawes 2/11 Charles Kalwinsky 2/11 Ralph Turley 2/12 Diana Lee

ANNIVERSARIES 2/8 Bill and Susan Docimo

# ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IN NEED OF PRAYER?

<u>Pastoral Needs and Emergencies</u> If you are going into the hospital, or your spouse, partner, or family member is experiencing a pastoral emergency, please call Fr. Ionathan Evans at 786.540.5704.

Prayer List and Prayer Chain 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. To be added to our prayer list, please contact **Terri Tack** at 239.593.9429 or ttack3@yahoo.com To be added to our chain, please contact Colleen Rossomando at: 239.352.6887 or perkycolfl@gmail.com

#### LET US PRAY...

# Our Parish Family:

Angela Altamuro and family, Phil Baker, Sue Baker, Doug Ball, Nancy Beaupré, Susann Benson, the Benson family, Leon and Eula Burrows, Aden Chalick, Al and Lorraine Ciano, Steve Corey, Debby Edmonds, Joyce Gebhardt, Hugh Gower, Nancy Hennel, Pat Kearns, Diana Lee, Ralph and Margaret Miano, Al Neuner, Connie Potts, Priscilla Sandler, Nancy Scofield, Betsy Smith, Mary Sprague, Terri Tack, George Traicoff, Shirley Woolaway, Butch Yarusevich, and all those who have requested anonymity.

# Family and Friends of Our Parish:

Glenn and Linda Anderson, Anthony, David Anuta, Doug Arnold, the Baker family, Kevin Bennett, Beverly Black, Patricia Blake, Jo-Ann Blatt, Bobby, Cristobal Borbor, Emma Braun, Kevin Brown, Raymond Butera, Karen C, Tony Champ, Vince Cirillo, Sherry Corbett, Joyce Coryea, Arline Coston, Avery Evans, Regina Fournier, Dawn Fritz, Margaret Gates, Caleb Gebhardt, Bob and Kristen Gentzel, Donna Gentzel, Joey Gentzel, Jim and Norma Glendon, Sarah Goebel, LeAnn Gomez, Lydia Gomez, JoAnn Gould, Bob Harold, Lisa Herrlich, Gayle Higley, Sam Hood, Donna Hunter, Ellen Hutcheson, the Infozino family, Charlie and Joanne, Dorie Johnson, Michaela Jones, Terry Kerry, Dell Kintiner, John Lazara, Andy Mattox, Laurie May, David McCurdy, the Mitchell family, Dianne Murphy, Barbie Myrick, Frank Napolitano, Joe Napolitano, Mary Nelson, Nora, Diane O'Neil, Bob Pappa, Sue Pawlowski, the Perkins family, Agatha Pope, Joe Randazzo, Martha Reaney, Kelly Rhoades, Paula Roberts, Jane Rocha and family, Brian Roland, Carol Roman, Ginny and Dick Rossi, Peggy Royce, Rebecca Ruppert, Ken Salkeld, Priscilla Sandler, Rose Schmigle, Lynelle and Tom Scullard, Mariola Shuler, Deana Smart, Catherine Sutherland, Barbara Swidler, Ali Tabrizchi, Austin and Allyson Terry, Karyn Terry, Mark Thiel, the Thorn family, Scott Velky, Robert Weyers, Warren Wilson, Kurt Winsellmann, Alan Yarusevich Jr, Virginia Yost, Mark Young, and 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-Evans, Schaeffer McHenry-Grauer, Troy Nelson, Tristan Pate, James Pyles, Doug Ross, Drew Scullard, Daniel Williams, and Peter Witte. \* NAMES IN **BOLD** PRINT ARE NEWLY ADDED THIS WEEK