

MASSES FOR JANUARY 24-30

Monday, 24	8:30 am	(SF)	Rita & Vic Ventolo (Family) 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89:21-22, 25-26; Mk 3:22-40
Tuesday, 25	8:30 am	(SJ)	Dolores Kondik (Jay Smith) Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18
Wednesday, 26	8:30 am	(SF)	For the People 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:1-20
Thursday, 27	8:30 am	(SJ)	Carol Lanave (CWC of Toronto) 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Ps 132:1-5, 11-14; Mk 4:21-25
Friday, 28	8:30 am	(SF)	Theresa Troski (Watts Family) 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Ps 51:3-7, 10-11; Mk 4:26-34
Saturday, 29	5:00 pm	(SF)	Mildred Yaskanich & Jeanne Price (Peggy Reynolds) 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51:12-17; Mk 4:35-41 (Daily Readings)
Sunday, 30	9:00 am	(SJ)	Tim Gribben, Jr. (Wanda Hughes)
	11:00 am	(SF)	Mary E. Petras (Tom & Judy) Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; 1 Cor 12:31-13:13 or 13:4-13; Lk 4:21-30

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

MONDAY: Pirohi Making – 9:00am (SJH)
SATURDAY: Confessions – 10:30am (SJ)

As of 01/18/2022: Trinity West: Trinity East. Please remember to pray for all our sick, shut-ins, and those in nursing homes. If you or a family member becomes hospitalized, please be sure to contact the rectory.



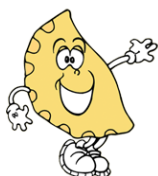
Synod on Synodality: I have included in this weeks bulletin a copy of the questions we have been asked to respond to regarding the decision of Pope Francis to convene a gathering of bishops worldwide to consider how we as the Roman Catholic Church should function and how we can hear from members of the Church regarding the ordinary life of the Christian Community. I would encourage all parishioners to review the questions included in this handout and offer your thoughts. I will submit these to our local bishop who will gather the various responses and submit them to the U.S. Conference of Bishops, and these will be presented to the Holy Father for further consideration. Please place your responses in the Offertory box at the entrance of the church. Thank you for your prayerful input.

A Note of Thanks
From the Pastor

My thanks to **Ed Targoss** who volunteered to help us with snow removal this past week. Given the number of steps at both churches as well as sidewalks his help was greatly appreciated.



Bowl LVI (56) will be held on Sunday, Feb. 13th! There are less than 40 Super Bowl squares remaining and sales will end soon! Super Representatives for **St. Francis/St. Joseph Educational Fund** are selling spaces for the **Super Bowl Pool** this weekend! The cost is \$20 a square and 8 prizes of various amounts will be awarded. The squares sell fast. If you are unable to get a square after Mass, the list is at the Rectory during the week, feel free to purchase one there.



The Pirohi Makers are still at it! Want to join? We make pirohi every Monday morning – **9:00 AM – SJH – through the end of March.** New workers are **always** welcome. Bring your apron and join this “fun” group. If you are an “early bird” and would like to help with some of the prep work (making the potato or cabbage balls), the kitchen is open at 8:00 AM. With enough help, we are usually done by 11:00. You may contact Judy Sabol (740-537-3654) or DeDe Kidder (740-632-3018) with questions or to volunteer your help.



CHURCH SUPPORT: St. Francis: Adult: \$2,478.00; Loose: \$37.00; Candles: \$62.00; Initial: \$115.00; Solemnity: \$30.00; Immaculate Conception: \$50.00; Christmas: \$100.00. **St. Joseph:** Adult: \$1,000.00; Loose: \$10.00; Candles: \$36.00; Initial: \$10.00. May God bless you for your goodness to His Church! **Weekly Mass Attendance for Jan. 16th: Saturday 5:00pm: 87; Sunday: 9:00am – 69; 11:00am – 72.**

MASSES: For **Kathy Green** by Mary Louise Lamantia.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Veronica Sutherin, Aunt of Diane Orsini and Jackie Myslinsky.** We extend our deepest sympathy to the Sutherin family. May Veronica live in the eternal light of Christ.

***Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
by The Faithful Disciple***

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

GROW: Do you ever find yourself feeling like you are at the cusp of something remarkable? Like you are witnessing an incredible, historic, athletic, or aeronautical feat? I wonder if that’s what it was like for the followers of Jesus when he began his public ministry: “News of him spread throughout the whole region. He taught in their synagogues and was praised by all.” In today’s Gospel, Jesus reads the words of the prophet Isaiah that are effectively a “job description” of his mission: glad tidings to the poor, liberty of captives, sight to the blind, freedom for the oppressed. What Isaiah prophesied, Jesus claims to fulfill. He thus inaugurates his public ministry with a claim that is straightforward, bold, true, and of great consequence. Today, by virtue of our baptism, we are part of the body of Christ and share in that mission. Whatever our backgrounds, abilities, or talents, we each have something to contribute to building up one another and the Church. And with the help of the Holy Spirit, we, too, can be bold in our own proclamation of Jesus Christ as Lord.

GO EVANGELIZE | PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

GO: We’ve heard the phrase “Don’t sell yourself short.” Social media aside, many of us tend to focus on our shortcomings: We may wish we could run faster, be better at our jobs, have a cleaner home, in general, “get it together!” Truth is, we’re all works in progress. That’s what I love about Paul’s Letter to the Corinthians. He reminds us that each one of us – whatever our strengths or weaknesses – is part of the body of Christ. God loves us with our imperfections, not in spite of them. As such, each of us has indispensable value and much to contribute to the mission of the Church. As we move into the week ahead, today’s readings invite us to place ourselves at the service of the Church and one another. Beyond that, we can invite others to join us by recognizing that God values the talents – and foibles – that each of us brings to his service.

PRAYER: Yesterday on the liturgical calendar was the Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. As members of the body of Christ, let us join our voices with the universal Church and pray a Pro-Life Rosary each night this week. The USCCB Prayers and Devotions page is a good resource.

BULLETIN BOARD



Applications for the **John and Blanche Mussio Scholarship** are available at the rectory. Any graduating senior, in either public or Catholic school, who plans on attending the Franciscan University of Steubenville, has either a combined SAT score of 1000 or ACT score of 21 (composite) and is interested should stop by or call the rectory (537-4433) for further information.

Thought for the Week:

Humble people are not rigid exacters of thing to which they have no undoubted right; they are always ready to overlook the faults of others, knowing that they have so many themselves.

~Bishop Fulton Sheen