

# February 2025

## Ascension Outreach Weekend, Feb. 1-2

“Long-term partners in caring for each other.”

That’s how Dr. Nancy Norling describes the relationship between Holy Name of Jesus (HNOJ) and Ascension. She attended grade school at HNOJ and has volunteered at Ascension for years.

“I heard Michael O’Connell (previous Ascension pastor) speak at a Mass at HNOJ, thanking HNOJ for their partnership in supporting Ascension School,” recalls Norling. “He was so passionate about the school and the scholars I wanted to go find out more.”

“I’ve met many great friends, who opened my eyes to reach outside my bubble to see a world I knew little about,” adds Norling. “Fr. Dale (Korogi, Ascension pastor) and Ascension parishioners are passionate about helping the less fortunate, those living in poverty and suffering from racial injustice.”

As a dentist, Norling has helped lead “Ready, Set, Smile,” a program that brings dentists into schools like Ascension to provide free dental care. In fact, one of her favorite memories of volunteering at Ascension came during one of the “Ready, Set, Smile” visits.

“One of the little girls invited me to come for dinner that night,” remembers Norling. “The girl said: ‘My mom makes the best spaghetti ... and I know she won’t care if you come.’”

What makes that relationship between HNOJ so strong?

“I think realizing that each parish has so many gifts to share,” says Norling. “Not just financially, but also the gifts of time and talent. And of course, prayer.”

### Ascension Catholic School - A Beacon of Hope

Ascension Catholic School, an important presence in North Minneapolis for more than 125 years, helps move lives forward through education and spiritual formation.

Currently, 96% of the 272 scholars K-8 at Ascension Catholic School are children of color; 68% meet federal guidelines to qualify for free or reduced lunch, which is a marker for poverty; and 17% are learning to speak English as a second language. For the past several years, nearly 100% of Ascension 8th graders have received their high school diplomas in four years, with a vast majority going on to college.

### Your Support is Vital to Ascension’s Success

Ascension Catholic School needs our partnership more than ever to build on their past success. In fact, 95% of Ascension’s general operating revenue is generated through sponsorships, individual donations, grant funding and second collection efforts. Roughly 4% comes from tuition and fees paid by families.

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## Ascension Outreach Weekend (continued)



Please consider a generous contribution as we highlight our sister parish during Ascension Outreach Weekend on Feb. 1-2. You can pick up a donation envelope in the church pew (or in your envelope packets) or go to [hnoj.org/ascension](http://hnoj.org/ascension) any time to access the link to give electronically.



### Volunteers Make a Difference

In addition to your financial partnership, volunteers are needed to support scholar excellence. Many HNOJ parishioners are past or present volunteers. Roles include classroom and office support, math tutors, Reading Partners and aides in after-school programs. For more information, please contact Maggie LeMay, volunteer manager for Ascension Catholic Academy, at [mlemay@acamn.org](mailto:mlemay@acamn.org), go to [hnoj.org/ascension](http://hnoj.org/ascension) or speak with one of the friendly staff and volunteers after Masses on Feb. 1-2.

## Cana Dinner, Feb. 22

Married Couples, remember the first time you fell in love with your spouse? Relive and celebrate that moment at HNOJ's Cana Dinner on Feb. 22. Married couples are invited to an evening of good fun, great food and an inspiring message about the beauty of married love.

The Cana Dinner is one of the premier events of the year at HNOJ and a fantastic night to spend time with your spouse amongst other HNOJ couples.

**When:** Saturday, Feb. 22, 6-10 p.m.

**Where:** HNOJ, following the 5 p.m. Mass

**What:** A night to celebrate your marriage with your spouse and others; speakers, blessing, remembering vows and fellowship

**Who:** Married couples, engaged couples and widows/widowers

**Speakers:** Mike and Tracy Etzel

**Cost:** \$65 a couple

**Registration closes soon!** Go to [hnoj.org/cana](http://hnoj.org/cana)

If you have any questions, or if you would like to serve at this event (volunteers have just as much fun as those attending) please contact Chris at [ckostelc@hnoj.org](mailto:ckostelc@hnoj.org).



**Why attend a Cana Dinner?** Here is one couple's response to that question:

*"Well, we have only had the chance to go one time so far. We were invited to last year's dinner as an engaged couple. It was an amazing experience being in a room full of married couples that had so much history and obvious love for one another. We truly enjoyed when they had us all stand, face one another, hold each other and say our marriage vows. It was 'practice' for us, but the room was full of loving whispers and confident declarations of these vows. It was an amazing experience to hear from the speakers about how a marriage isn't easy, but it takes work for both involved to keep the marriage alive and going strong. We can't wait to come again as a married couple and have a beautiful evening to celebrate our committed love for one another."*





## Grateful for Your Generosity and Support Called to Communion

Wow! We are truly humbled and overjoyed by your generosity and unwavering support. Your incredible response to this year's stewardship invitation, *Called to Communion*, has been nothing short of inspiring. Through your prayer, participation and dedication, you are at the very heart of everything we do here at Holy Name of Jesus.

As a parish community, we encounter Christ's love through the Mass, the Sacraments and the Holy Eucharist. Everything we have is a gift from God, and it is through our stewardship that we are called to glorify Him.

Your continued support enables us to plan for an exciting year ahead, including the development of a new cemetery and columbarium, the installation of a state-of-the-art Allen organ and essential updates to our church facilities like bathrooms, lighting, etc. We are also looking forward to offering enriching events, such as our Lenten Mission with Dr. Edward Sri, a renowned Catholic theologian and speaker; and expanding our small groups, which offer opportunities for deeper faith and fellowship.

If you have not yet responded to the stewardship invitation, we encourage you to visit [hnoj.org/stewardship2024](https://hnoj.org/stewardship2024) to learn how you can become more involved. Whether through prayer, participation or generosity, your contributions reflect the Good News unfolding in our parish and support our shared journey toward faithful discipleship.

Let us give thanks to the Lord for His abundant blessings. Together, we can grow in faith and lift our hearts in joyful praise. Thank you once again for your remarkable support. May God bless you abundantly!

Sincerely in Christ,  
Janna Webskowski, Parish Business Administrator

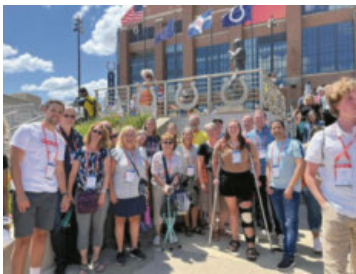


**Prayer**  
374 households committed to pray regularly for Holy Name of Jesus.

**Participation**  
596 parishioners volunteered their time and talent in 35 ministry areas.

**Generosity**  
Total amount pledged for 2025: \$1,803,824, up 4% from last year.  
22% of households pledged, totaling 569 pledges.

**Thank you**  
174 families increased their pledges from last year.  
118 parish families made *new* pledges for 2025.



## Senior High Youth

We have several great options for your senior high youth to grow in their faith!

**1. Senior High Sports Nights:** Join us most Wednesdays from 7:45-9 p.m. We will meet Feb. 5, 19 and 26. Please email Eve at [eanders@hnoj.org](mailto:eanders@hnoj.org) or Luke at [lklavins@hnoj.org](mailto:lklavins@hnoj.org) with any questions.

**2. Life Night:** All high schoolers are invited to attend Life Night which includes Mass, dinner, games, fellowship, prayer and more! Join us from 5:30-8:30 p.m. on March 2, April 6 and June 1.

**3. Holy Half Hour:** Senior high students and their families are invited to join us for a Holy Half Hour following Confirmation Prep on the remaining dates of April 13, April 27 and March 9.



## Friday Night Alive, Feb. 28

Friday Night Alive (FNA) is a monthly gathering at HNOJ for middle schoolers to get to know each other through fun activities (open gym, team 4-square, gaga ball, fun crafts and more!) and to grow in their relationship with Christ through prayer and listening to relatable talks given by our high school core team. We begin with a meal at 5:30 p.m. and have a blast until 8:30 p.m. Our next date is Friday, Feb. 28.

FNA nights are free of charge and open to all 5th through 8th grade youth. This is a great time for middle schoolers to bring a friend! Walks in are welcome, but RSVPs are appreciated to help us get an accurate food count. To RSVP, please email Luke Klavins at [lklavins@hnoj.org](mailto:lklavins@hnoj.org).



## Senior High Spring Retreat

All high school students are invited to attend the Spring Retreat, March 21-23, at a retreat center in Paynesville, MN. The CREW's Spring Retreat is for teenagers who are looking for a weekend to get away, have fun and make friends and memories that will last a lifetime. After a weekend of deep conversations, serious fun and prayer that goes deeper, God is closer and faith makes sense. Early bird cost is \$175 by Feb. 3, and \$195 after Feb. 3. Registration closes on March 6.

Registration and all the details can be found at [hnoj.org/springretreat](http://hnoj.org/springretreat)

**We are in need of several chaperones for this retreat, especially men.** Please contact Eve Anders at [eanders@hnoj.org](mailto:eanders@hnoj.org) if you are interested!



## New Musical Mass Setting

By Kraig Windschitl, Director of Sacred Music

*Mother Church earnestly desires that all the faithful should be led to that fully conscious, and active participation in liturgical celebrations which is demanded by the very nature of the liturgy. Such participation by the Christian people as 'a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a redeemed people' (1 Pet. 2:9; cf. 2:4-5), is their right and duty by reason of their baptism.*  
- Sacrosanctum Concilium

As Holy Name of Jesus begins a new liturgical year, it is with enthusiasm that we begin a new Mass setting on Feb. 8-9, 2025. Composer Kevin Keil's Mass of **St. Frances Cabrini** was published to be approachable and realistic for Catholic parishes across the country. Composed to appeal to all sorts of musical styles and skill sets, this Mass can be played on the guitar, organ and piano. It most importantly is set in a realistic vocal range and can be meditative yet celebratory and festive!

Throughout this Mass setting, Kevin Keil has masterfully woven together a series of recurring chants in the Gregorian tradition with melodic themes that are easy to learn and easy to remember. Easily scalable, it can be as big or small as you need it to be, with a variety of instrumental accompaniments (including handbells).

Besides complete accompaniment parts for various instruments, supplemental solo instrumental parts only add to the quality of the musical writing. The Mass of **Saint Frances Cabrini** can also be used in combination with a five-part brass ensemble, string quartet or timpani accompaniment. Whatever the size/tambor of the given Holy Name of Jesus liturgy, you are sure to find a deeper connection to Christ through this celebratory yet contemplative Mass setting.

## February Senior Events

Seniors 55+, please join us!

### Mass with Anointing of the Sick, Tuesday, Feb. 11, at 10 a.m.

All are welcome to this Mass with the Anointing of the Sick. No signup - just come. We are planning to meet for lunch on your own at Robert's Cafe in Medina after the Mass.

Optional bonus activity in February - **Stop in anytime between 9-11 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 14, for our Valentine Making Party!**

Our cards will be brought to the elderly in the nursing home. No sign up required. All seniors are welcome.



## Men of HNOJ, Feb. 20

Men's Nights are back at HNOJ. Please join us on Thursday, Feb. 20, from 6-8 p.m. We will have food, a talk and many things. Our February topic will be "10 Things not do at Mass" by Chris Kostelc.

Dinner is provided. Please register today at [hnoj.org/mensnight](http://hnoj.org/mensnight)

6-6:30 p.m. Optional Rosary in the Church

6:30-7 p.m. Dinner in Emmaus Rooms

7-8 p.m. Talk, discussion in Emmaus Rooms

Questions? Please contact Chris at [ckostelc@hnoj.org](mailto:ckostelc@hnoj.org).



## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

At Holy Name of Jesus, we offer Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30 a.m.- 9 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration is an opportunity to find an oasis of peace in the midst of a hectic world, an opportunity for silence in the midst of ceaseless noise, an opportunity for reflection in the midst of never-ending tasks of daily life. Most of all, it is an opportunity to spend time with Jesus, and to get to know Him as a friend, a friend who delights simply in time spent with those He loves.

God wants to be close to us. The Eucharist is the miracle of this closeness in our lives. The goal of Adoration is to help us appreciate this miracle in a deeper way, so that we enter more deeply into the wonder of the Mass, and allow it to transform our lives.

**You can sign up for a Holy Hour each week or just come and pray when we have Adoration in the Chapel.**

For questions or to sign up, please go online to [hnoj.org/adoration](http://hnoj.org/adoration).



## Are You New?

Are you new to Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Community? Or have you been coming to Mass but haven't officially registered? Welcome!

We invite you to get involved in all that HNOJ has to offer outside of weekend liturgies.

Our **preschool - grade 6 school** is a Blue Ribbon award winner and dedicated to the academic, spiritual and personal growth of children.

Parishioners of all ages enjoy opportunities for **Faith Formation** – from celebrating the Sacraments, to meeting God in new ways through retreats or camps, to growing in faith with adults in our parish through small groups and speaker events.

We have **over 80 active ministries** – so there's always somewhere to get involved.

Parishioners stay in-the-know through a monthly print newsletter and e-newsletter about our community and our faith. To **receive e-news, sign up on our website at [hnoj.org](http://hnoj.org)**.

You can also like us on Facebook and follow us on Instagram (see page ten for more information on where to find us).

Our church and school is 2700 families strong and rooted in Benedictine tradition, which calls us to "Welcome all as you would welcome Christ."

Interested in learning more or becoming a member? Contact us at 763-473-7901 or stop by the welcome desk on Sundays and speak to Jan!

## Valentine's Bake Sale, Feb. 15-16

If your Valentine missed you, or you need some extra love, come choose your own goodies at our next bake sale after all the Masses on Feb. 15-16! Baked goods, candies, cookies will be available for a free-will donation. Sponsored by the Ladies of the KC Auxiliary with proceeds going to "Help at your Door" and the Plymouth/Wayzata Meals on Wheels programs.



## Boy Scout Pancake Breakfast, Feb. 23

Join us for a delicious morning of pancakes and fellowship, hosted by Boy Scout Troop 537 on Sunday, Feb. 23, from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (after each of the morning Masses).

The menu includes hot pancakes, sausage, juice, milk, coffee and toppings. The cost is a free-will donation. (Cash, check and credit cards accepted)

All proceeds benefit HNOJ ministries. Bring your family and friends, enjoy a tasty meal and support a good cause!



## Save the Date for Our Lenten Mission

HNOJ is excited to announce we will be hosting a Lenten Parish Mission on March 26 and 27 with Dr. Ed Sri.

Dr. Edward Sri is a theologian, author and well-known Catholic speaker who presents to tens of thousands of people from around the world each year, including clergy, parish leaders, catechists and laity. He is a founding leader with Curtis Martin of FOCUS (Fellowship of Catholic University Students), where he currently serves as Sr. Vice President of Apostolic Outreach. He holds a doctorate from the Pontifical University of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome and is an adjunct professor at the Augustine Institute. He and his wife, Elizabeth, reside in Littleton, Colorado. They are blessed with eight children and one grandchild.



Mark your calendars now and invite your friends to this exciting opportunity to grow in faith this Lent.

## Women's Retreat Save the Date

Please save the date for our upcoming women's retreat!

*It Is Well - A Retreat for All Women* will be held at HNOJ on Saturday, May 3, from 8 a.m.-3 p.m. More information and registration are coming soon.



## Lenten Small Groups

By Tim Lyngdal, Coordinator of Mission

“There are no lone wolf saints. Saints run in packs.”

I heard this quote on a retreat many years ago and I often find myself wondering why I always go back to it when discussing how to move forward in discipleship. While the imagery of a wolf pack recalls strong memories of my most formational years in high school and college it also stands in stark contrast to the times I’ve tried to do it alone. Those times weren’t periods of growth, adventure or excitement for the Christian mission. They were isolated, sinful and despairing. I owe it to a few good friends and the grace of the Lord who reminded me how impossible it was to try to carve my own path of discipleship. Thank God He called me back into communion and blessed me with Christian friends who also wanted to grow closer to Him.

We have the privilege of looking back on thousands of years of Christian history and can easily see the common theme to sanctity...**communion**. Communion includes showing up to Mass, it means a life of daily prayer and it means a common life with other Christians. Common life isn’t perfect and you don’t always agree on everything. It takes time to develop because trust takes time to develop. **Once you’ve taken the step in faith, God will bless you and we’re inviting you to do that this Lent by joining a small group!**

Last year, we started almost 40 new groups that were lead/co-lead by 70 parishioners with over 370 participants! Our goal this year is 50 small groups with over 450 participants. Why? Because every new small group participant is an opportunity to share Christ and the incredible love He has for us! We really don’t care about the numbers because to tell the truth, we want everyone to join and see what it’s like to be a Christian in a small group community. You can browse all the different small groups and meeting times through the link to Group Vitals on our Small Groups page on the website [hnoj.org/lentensmallgroups](http://hnoj.org/lentensmallgroups). We will be starting the week of Ash Wednesday (March 2-8) with a five-week course on the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist.

**Tired of being a “lone wolf Christian”? We can help you change that this Lent.**

With any inquiries or interest to lead a small group please contact Tim at [tlyngdal@hnoj.org](mailto:tlyngdal@hnoj.org).

God bless you!



## Stewardship Contributions

	December '24 Detail				YTD			
	Budget	Actual	%	Variance	Budget	Actual	%	Variance
<b>Total Collections</b>	\$480,093	\$535,977	10%	\$55,883	\$1,676,093	\$1,763,132	5%	\$87,039
General Ops Exp	\$56,039	\$58,873	-5%	(\$2,834)	\$465,984	\$452,731	3%	\$13,252
Ministries Exp	\$78,806	\$80,656	-2%	(\$1,850)	\$357,258	\$319,868	11%	\$37,390
Facilities Exp	\$30,879	\$23,470	24%	\$7,409	\$211,266	\$209,908	1%	\$1,358
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$165,725</b>	<b>\$162,999</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>\$2,725</b>	<b>\$1,034,507</b>	<b>\$982,507</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>\$52,000</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>\$314,369</b>	<b>\$372,977</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>\$58,609</b>	<b>\$641,586</b>	<b>\$780,625</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>\$139,039</b>
Long-Term Capital Exp*		\$16,112.00		\$16,112		\$474,930		\$474,930

\* Long-Term Capital Expenses include building improvements such as roof, HVAC, school addition, etc.

## IgNight School Gala

The annual IgNight Gala is Holy Name of Jesus School's largest annual fundraiser. Proceeds support HNOJ School's general operating budget and essential improvement projects which allow the school to offer the highest quality Catholic education possible.

The success of prior campaigns helped supply our growing classrooms with updated technology and furnishings. Most recently, the 2024 campaign facilitated sorely needed student restroom refurbishments. These improvements have had a tremendously positive impact on our student and staff experience.

In 2025, we remain inspired by Holy Name of Jesus's robust culture of giving. Please help continue our momentum with your generosity and support of our 2025 IgNight fundraising efforts!

### Here's how you can help HNOJ's 2025 IgNight goals:

#### Fund-A-Need Donation

Each year the IgNight campaign focuses on a Fund-A-Need goal to support specific school improvement opportunities. For 2025, help us reach our goal to rebuild our outdoor playground equipment and recess space! Fund-A-Need donations can be made directly on our event website or by check.

#### Sponsorships

Are you interested in promoting your business to the 2700 church and school families at Holy Name of Jesus parish? Event sponsorships are available at varying donation levels and are critical to the success of our fundraising goals. Please contact the Gala Chairs for more information or visit our sponsorship page on our event website!

#### Raffle tickets

CASH PRIZES! Tickets are \$20 each and available from Jan. 30 - Feb. 21. They will be sold after Mass on Feb. 9, but you may also reach out to the HNOJ School office, or to a school family, to purchase your chances. The prize drawing will be held at the IgNight Gala on Saturday, March 15. The winner need NOT be present!

**1st Prize: \$5,000      2nd Prize: \$2,500      3rd Prize: \$1,000**

#### Browse and bid on our Silent Auction

Enjoy the fabulous and unique items featured in our Silent Auction gallery, located on our event website. The Silent Auction will go live at noon on Tuesday, March 11, and closes on Saturday, March 15, at 8 p.m. Winners will be contacted for prize distribution.

#### Attend the Gala

Join us for a party...with a purpose! Ticket sales and onsite campaigns account for a large part of our overall fundraising goal. By attending, you can participate in event-only opportunities such as raffles, Live Auction and the live Fund-A-Need drive. Tickets go on sale at noon on Saturday, Jan. 25.

#### All details and tickets may be found at [www.IgNightGala2025.givesmart.com](http://www.IgNightGala2025.givesmart.com)

For any questions, please contact IgNight Gala Co-Chairs: Whitney Gartland: [whitneygartland@gmail.com](mailto:whitneygartland@gmail.com) and Becky Linstroth: [becky.linstroth@gmail.com](mailto:becky.linstroth@gmail.com)

Check donations may be mailed directly to:  
Holy Name of Jesus School  
Attn: IgNight Gala 2025  
155 County Road 24  
Wayzata, MN 55391



## Young and Married Community

Being married is hard. Being newly married is hard. Being newly married AND trying to make friends at church is hard!

**If you've been married in the last five years and are looking to grow in your Christian faith, don't do it alone!** Holy Name of Jesus is excited to start monthly events and small groups. Email Tim at [tlyngdal@hnoj.org](mailto:tlyngdal@hnoj.org) if you're interested in being on the Core Team or if you want to sign up! We expect to have our first event in the beginning of March.





## Baptisms

### Dec. 15

**Piper Catherine Dehmer**  
Daughter of  
Patrick and Tricia

### Dec. 28

**Chase John Casareto**  
Son of  
Jacob and Catherine

### Dec. 28

**Amelia Jane Latzke**  
Daughter of  
Travis and Anne

### Dec. 30

**Henry Haynes McDermott**  
Son of  
Bryce and Sarah

### Jan. 12

**Chandler Rae Heiman**  
Daughter of  
Chad and Sarah

**Paykhom Archer  
Peckskamp**  
Daughter of  
Matthew and Pritha

**Elliot Leonard Uher**  
Son of  
Nathan and Melanie

## Mass Intentions

If you are interested in having a Mass with intentions, please call Jan Stumpf at 763-473-7901, or email her at [jstumpf@hnoj.org](mailto:jstumpf@hnoj.org). Many dates are often booked a year out, please plan ahead and thank you for your understanding.

### **Saturday, Feb. 1**

8 a.m. † East & Carmel Oshima  
5 p.m. † Rita Bear

### **Sunday, Feb. 2**

8:30 a.m. † Francis Schmith  
10:30 a.m. For the Parish  
5:30 p.m. † Tim Sammond

### **Monday, Feb. 3**

8 a.m. † Ann & Sam Catapano

### **Tuesday, Feb. 4**

8 a.m. † Ray Jacques

### **Wednesday, Feb. 5**

8 a.m. † Kevin Schieffer  
9 a.m. † Margaret Collins

### **Thursday, Feb. 6**

8 a.m. † Paul Merz

### **Friday, Feb. 7**

8 a.m. All Deceased & Loved Ones

### **Saturday, Feb. 8**

8 a.m. † Joseph Eidenschink  
5 p.m. For the Parish

### **Sunday, Feb. 9**

8:30 a.m. † Darryl Rogge  
10:30 a.m. † Percy Miranda  
5:30 p.m. † Christopher Groshek

### **Monday, Feb. 10**

8 a.m. † Robert Steininger

### **Tuesday, Feb. 11**

8 a.m. † Norbert Cemensky

### **Wednesday, Feb. 12**

8:00 a.m. † Marion Merz  
9:00 a.m. † Mary Caldwell

### **Thursday, Feb. 13**

8 a.m. † Lawrence Kayser

### **Friday, Feb. 14**

8 a.m. † Cindy Schuh

### **Saturday, Feb. 15**

8 a.m. † Pam Ledin  
5 p.m. † Donald Roeder

### **Sunday, Feb. 16**

8:30 a.m. For the Parish  
10:30 a.m. † Cindy Schuh  
5:30 p.m. † Arnold & Roberta Rogge

### **Monday, Feb. 17**

8 a.m. † Vera Guidry

### **Tuesday, Feb. 18**

8 a.m. † Harold Pilbury

### **Wednesday, Feb. 19**

8 a.m. † Nancy Mehus  
9 a.m. † Gene & Helen Kuehn

### **Thursday, Feb. 20**

8 a.m. † Paul DeJute

### **Friday, Feb. 21**

8 a.m. † Greg Pahl

### **Saturday, Feb. 22**

8 a.m. † Sam & Ann Catapano  
5 p.m. † Donald Roeder

### **Sunday, Feb. 23**

8:30 a.m. For the Parish  
10:30 a.m. † Rose Wenner  
5:30 p.m. † Christopher Groshek

### **Monday, Feb. 24**

8 a.m. † Anne Marie Shellessmann

### **Tuesday, Feb. 25**

8 a.m. † Don & Helen Baudler

### **Wednesday, Feb. 26**

8 a.m. † Tom Plantenberg  
9 a.m. † Nettie Lynch

### **Thursday, Feb. 27**

8 a.m. † Bill Stender

### **Friday, Feb. 28**

8 a.m. † Sandra Faber

## Sacraments

### **Reconciliation:**

Saturday 8:30-9:30 a.m. and  
Wednesday at 5:15-6:15 p.m.  
or any time by request.  
The Confessional is located  
in the Adoration Chapel.

### **Pastoral Care/ Anointing of the Sick:**

Anointing and Holy  
Communion for the sick and  
homebound are readily  
available. To arrange, please  
contact Fr. Chris at  
763-745-3495.

### **Baptism:**

Please call Claudia in the  
parish office at 763-745-3492  
to schedule a Baptism.  
Parents are required to come  
for a Baptismal Preparation  
session, which is usually held  
on scheduled Tuesdays at  
6:30 p.m. Check our website  
[hnoj.org/baptism](http://hnoj.org/baptism) for  
upcoming classes and start  
times.

### **Marriage:**

Please call the parish office  
to make arrangements six  
months in advance of the  
proposed date.

## Rest In Peace

### **Marlene Schneider**

Dec. 7, 2024

### **Gordon Engstrom**

Jan. 5, 2025



*May the souls of all  
the faithful  
departed, through the  
mercy of God, rest in  
peace. Amen.*



## How Can We Help?

### Anointing/Emergency

In case of a sudden pastoral emergency (such as urgent anointing or death) contact the after-hours clergy emergency line at 763-233-0259.

### Parish Prayer Line

As a parish community we hold each other in prayer and commit to praying for those in need. Call to share your prayer requests confidentially or to join the Prayer Line.

Email: [prayerline@hnoj.org](mailto:prayerline@hnoj.org) or call Lee Ann Silver at 612-790-3114.

**Parish Phone** .....763-473-7901  
**Parish Fax** .....763-745-3488  
**Parish Hours**  
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**Sunday Liturgy**  
 Saturday 5 p.m.  
 Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.  
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## February 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>***Faith Formation***                      4:45 p.m., Faith Formation Classes                      6:15 p.m., Faith Formation Classes                      6:15 p.m., MS Crew</p>						<p><b>1</b>                      Ascension Outreach                      Weekend                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. ACCL Quaterly                      Meeting                      8:30 a.m. Reconciliation                      10:45 a.m. AA                      5 p.m. Mass</p>
<p><b>2</b>                      Ascension Outreach Weekend                      8 a.m. Morning Mass Nursery                      8:30 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Sunday School Class                      10:30 a.m. Mass                      10:30 a.m. Sunday School Class                      5:30 p.m. Mass                      7 p.m. Senior High Faith Formation</p>	<p><b>3</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      8:30 a.m. Divine Will Meeting                      10 a.m. Senior Bible Study                      5 p.m. CBS Leader's Council                      6 p.m. Small Group Leader                      Training                      7 p.m. CBS Bible Study                      7 p.m. Lector Rehearsal                      7 p.m. Players for the Dying                      7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 537</p>	<p><b>4</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      2 p.m. Padre Pio Book Club                      6:30 p.m. Marriage in Christ                      7 p.m. AA                      6:30 p.m. Men's Basketball</p>	<p><b>5</b>                      7 a.m. Bible Study - DH                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. School Mass Nursery                      8:45 a.m. Cursillo - RW                      9 a.m. School Mass                      10 a.m. Women's Wisdom Wednesday                      ***Faith Formation Classes***                      5:15 p.m. Reconciliation                      7 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal                      7 p.m. OCIA                      7:45 p.m. Senior High School Sport Nights</p>	<p><b>6</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      6 p.m. Handbell Choir                      Rehearsal</p>	<p><b>7</b>                      Winter Weekend Family Off                      Campus Retreat                      6:45 a.m. Cursillo SGRH                      7:30 a.m. Rosary                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. First Friday Social                      8:45 a.m. MomCo Nursery                      9 a.m. MomCo                      4 p.m. Children's Holy Hour</p>	<p><b>8</b>                      Winter Weekend Family Off                      Campus Retreat                      7 a.m. Parish Council                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Reconciliation                      10:45 a.m. AA                      5 p.m. Mass</p>
<p><b>9</b>                      HNOJ School Ignite Raffle Ticket                      Sales                      Winter Weekend Family Off Campus                      Retreat                      8 a.m. Morning Mass Nursery                      8:30 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Sunday School Class                      10:30 a.m. Mass                      10:30 a.m. Sunday School Class                      5:30 p.m. Mass</p>	<p><b>10</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      8:30 a.m. Divine Will Meeting                      10 a.m. Senior Bible Study                      5 p.m. CBS Leader's Council                      7 p.m. CBS Bible Study                      7 p.m. Lector Rehearsal                      7 p.m. Players for the Dying                      7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 537</p>	<p><b>11</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      10 a.m. Seniors Anointing Mass                      2 p.m. Padre Pio Book Club                      6 p.m. Catechist and Small Group                      Leader Dinner                      6:30 p.m. Marriage in Christ                      7 p.m. AA                      6:30 p.m. Men's Basketball                      7 p.m. Knights of Columbus</p>	<p><b>12</b>                      7 a.m. Bible Study - DH                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. School Mass Nursery                      8:45 a.m. Cursillo - RW                      9 a.m. School Mass                      10 a.m. Women's Wisdom Wednesday                      ***Faith Formation Classes***                      5:15 p.m. Reconciliation                      7 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal                      7 p.m. OCIA</p>	<p><b>13</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      6 p.m. Handbell Choir                      Rehearsal</p>	<p><b>14</b>                      School Closed                      High School Winter Faith Camp                      6:45 a.m. Cursillo SGRH                      8 a.m. Mass</p>	<p><b>15</b>                      KC Auxiliary Bake Sale                      High School Winter Faith Camp                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Reconciliation                      10:45 a.m. AA                      5 p.m. Mass                      6:30 p.m. Jacob's Well Liturgy</p>
<p><b>16</b>                      KC Auxiliary Bake Sale                      High School Winter Faith Camp                      8 a.m. Morning Mass Nursery                      8:30 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Sunday School Class                      9 a.m. Special Needs Faith Sharing                      10:30 a.m. Mass                      10:30 a.m. Sunday School Class                      12 p.m. Small Group Leader                      Training                      5:30 p.m. Mass</p>	<p><b>17</b>                      School Closed                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      8:30 a.m. Divine Will Meeting                      10 a.m. Senior Bible Study                      5 p.m. CBS Leader's Council                      7 p.m. CBS Bible Study                      7 p.m. Lector Rehearsal                      7 p.m. Players for the Dying                      7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 537</p>	<p><b>18</b>                      7 a.m. Safety Committee Meeting                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      2 p.m. Padre Pio Book Club                      6:30 p.m. Baptism Prep Class                      6:30 p.m. Marriage in Christ                      7 p.m. AA                      6:30 p.m. Men's Basketball</p>	<p><b>19</b>                      7 a.m. Bible Study - DH                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. School Mass Nursery                      8:45 a.m. Cursillo - RW                      9 a.m. School Mass                      9:15 a.m. MomCo LT                      10 a.m. Women's Wisdom Wednesday                      ***Faith Formation Classes***                      5:15 p.m. Reconciliation                      7 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal                      7 p.m. OCIA                      7:45 p.m. Senior High School Sport Nights</p>	<p><b>20</b>                      7:30 a.m. Career Transitions                      Group                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      6 p.m. Handbell Choir                      Rehearsal                      6 p.m. Men's Night at HNOJ</p>	<p><b>21</b>                      6:45 a.m. Cursillo SGRH                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:45 a.m. MomCo Nursery                      9 a.m. MomCo</p>	<p><b>22</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Reconciliation                      10:45 a.m. AA                      5 p.m. Mass                      6 p.m. Cana Dinner</p>
<p><b>23</b>                      Boy Scouts Pancake Breakfast                      8 a.m. Morning Mass Nursery                      8:30 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Sunday School Class                      10:30 a.m. Mass                      10:30 a.m. Sunday School Class                      12 p.m. First Communion Parent                      Meeting                      5:30 p.m. Mass                      7 p.m. Senior High Faith Formation</p>	<p><b>24</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      8:30 a.m. Divine Will Meeting                      10 a.m. Senior Bible Study                      5 p.m. CBS Leader's Council                      7 p.m. CBS Bible Study                      7 p.m. Lector Rehearsal                      7 p.m. Players for the Dying                      7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 537</p>	<p><b>25</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      2 p.m. Padre Pio Book Club                      6:30 p.m. First Communion Parent                      Meeting                      7 p.m. AA                      6:30 p.m. Men's Basketball</p>	<p><b>26</b>                      7 a.m. Bible Study - DH                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. School Mass Nursery                      8:45 a.m. Cursillo - RW                      9 a.m. School Mass                      10 a.m. Women's Wisdom Wednesday                      ***Faith Formation Classes***                      5:15 p.m. Reconciliation                      7 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal                      7 p.m. OCIA                      7:45 p.m. Senior High School Sport Nights</p>	<p><b>27</b>                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:30 a.m. Adoration                      6 p.m. Handbell Choir                      Rehearsal</p>	<p><b>28</b>                      6:45 a.m. Cursillo SGRH                      7 a.m. Finance Council                      8 a.m. Mass                      8:45 a.m. Moms of School Age                      Children Bible Study                      9 a.m. Moms of School Age                      Children Bible Study                      5:30 p.m. Friday Night Alive</p>	



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### Lent 2025

This year, Ash Wednesday is March 5, which will begin our Lenten Season. Please stay tuned for more details on how to make this your best Lent ever. You will have opportunities to join a small group, participate in Friday Stations of the Cross, commit to a Holy Hour, go to confession, find an organization to volunteer with or be recharged with our Parish Mission speaker Dr. Ed Sri!

**Please save the following dates because you won't want to miss these events:**

- Wednesday, March 5, Ash Wednesday Masses: 6:30 a.m., 8 a.m., 9:15 a.m. and 6 p.m.
- Parish Mission Speaker, Dr. Ed Sri on March 26 and 27 in the evenings
- Fish Fry Dinners on Friday, March 21 and April 11, from 4:30-7 p.m.
- Holy Triduum begins with Holy Thursday, April 17 and Good Friday on April 18. Easter Vigil is April 19 and Easter Sunday is April 20.

