

Second Sunday of Ordinary

Time

January 15, 2017

January 16 - 22 MASSES FOR THE WEEK erner +

Martin Albl

Stephanie Litzen

Sandy Andera

Mike Russell

Mon.	7:55 am	Zacharia Hoerner +
Tue.	7:55 am	Arlene Lacher +
Wed.	7:55 am	National Catholic Society of Foresters
Thurs.	7:55 am	James Appl +
	12:10 pm	NO MASS
Fri.	7:55 am	Paul Heinz +
Sat.	5:00 pm	Michael & Mary Schumacher +
	7:00 pm	All members of the parish
Sun.	8:30 am	Peter O. Gefre +
	10:30 am	Rebecca Jacobson +

Lectors

Sat. 5:00 pm 7:00 pm Sun. 8:30 am 10:30 am

Mass Servers

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January

Jared Loecker, Isaac VanOrman Sat. 5:00 pm 7:00 pm Ken Awe 8:30 am Katelin & Dillon Stoebner, Spencer Titus Sun. 10:30 am A. Day, J. & M. Friedrichsen

Music Ministry

Sat.

Sun.

January 21 - 22 5:00 pm **RES** Choir 7:00 pm Molly Taylor 8:30 am Michele Titus 10:30 am Sydney Raap: Instrumental Ensemble

Extraordinary Ministers

Sat. 5:00 pm Marilyn Batch Linda DeWalt James Kraft Rose Kraft Scott Kram Donna Mehlhaff Mark Stone

Sat. 7:00 pm Kenny Awe JoAnn Kokales Kaitlin Awe

Sun. 8:30 am Brad Andera Sandy Andera Craig Hartman Marlene Loebs Keith Schumacher Marie Schumacher

Jim Uhrich



<u>Sun. 10:30 am</u>

Angie Hanson

Ryan Hanson

Connie Reuer

Lvnn Hodnv

LIFE AT ST. MARY'S:

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Please join us this Sunday, Jan. 15th for a German Russian Brunch after the 8:30 am Mass in the parish hall.

Parish Bazaar Planning Meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 25 at 7:00 pm in the parish hall.

NO MASS on Thursday, Jan. 19 at 12:10 pm.

SAVE THE DATE: The annual St. Mary's Bazaar will be held on October 14-15, 2017.

HELP!! With the snow piling up, we could use a little help with the shoveling. If we get more than 3 inches, we have a company hired to clean the parking lots and sidewalks. If it is under 3 inches and you can help, don't wait for a call. Grab a shovel and help us out.

Roncalli Nearly New Looking for Valentine items such as cards, decorations or cuddly toys? We are open on Tue., Wed., Thurs. & Sat. from 12-4 pm. We appreciate your donations & your business.

Sacred Heart invites everyone to attend the PARISH MISSION: Jan. 14-17. Topic: Mercy & Evangelization. Dr. Margaret A. Schlientz, PhD will be presenting conferences Sun-Tue at 7pm. There is also a special Lunch for Seniors on Tuesday at noon where Dr. Schlientz will give a talk on prayer and intention. There is no cost for any of the conferences or lunch. Please refer questions to the parish office, 225-7065.

Who: Boys & Girls ages 9 - 14 What: KC'S - Free Throw Championship Where: Roncalli High School Gym When: Sunday, Jan. 29. 1:00 Local Contest Registration 12:30 Winners advanced to 2:00 Region contest Questions - Scott Lunzman. 225-5389

The Aberdeen Knights of Columbus council is offering two scholarships of \$250.00 each to graduating high school seniors who are active members of Sacred Heart or St. Mary's parishes. Applications may be picked up at the parish offices. Application deadline is April 1. Return the application to the parish office.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration is available 24/7 at Avera St. Luke's Hospital. Open hours are: Sun. 2 am, & 11 am, Mon. 7 pm, and Thurs. 4 am. Call Theresa at 226-0838 or Mary at 225-6001.



Congratulations: Our parish rejoices in the baptism of Lilly Michelle Hanson, daughter of Jason and Carmin.



Sympathy: We pray for the repose of the soul of Charles Jungwirth and Dolores Streifel buried in Christ. May those who mourn them be filled with comfort and peace.

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News from <u>your</u> Aberdeen Catholic School System



Mon., Jan. 16	NO SCHOOL - Martin Luther King Jr. Day7th/8th Boys BB at Warner - 4 pm
Tue., Jan. 17	 Girls BB vs. Hamlin: JV-4; Varsity- 6:30 Boys BB Vs. Hamlin; JV-5:15; Varsity-8
Wed., Jan. 18	 RHS Mass - 9:24 am RES Mass - 12:10 pm - Sacred Heart RHS Booster Club - 7 pm
Thurs., Jan. 19	 <u>NO</u> RPS Mass - 12:10 pm - St. Mary's 7th/8th Boys BB vs. Groton at RE-4pm Boys BB vs. Groton - C Game-5:15; JV-6:30, Varsity-8
Fri., Jan. 20	- Girls BB at Groton - C Game 5:15; JV-6:30; Varsity-8
Sat., Jan. 21	 Wrestling Tourn. at Sanford Classic 9 am Gymnastics - Invite at Rapid City Central Boys BB at Hanson Classic in Mitchell

We would like to invite parents whose child is entering Kindergarten next year to Parent Information Night on Tue., Jan. 31st at 6:30pm at the Roncalli Primary School. Let us share our faith-based philosophy of nurturing your child's mind, body and soul. Scholarships are available and we offer Pre-School, After-School, and Summer programs to serve your family's needs. Please call 225-3460 to register or with questions. We serve the King . . . We are Cavaliers!

RONCALLI FINE ARTS FUNDRAISER- Sun., Jan. 22. Art Show/Auction begins at 5 pm. Creamy Alfredo Chicken Dinner begins at 6 pm. Talent Showcase begins at 6:15pm and One Act Play Performance of "The Dancers" begins at 7 pm. FREE WILL OFFERING RECEIVED. Please RSVP for dinner to michala.heller@aberdeenroncalli.org, or call 226-2100

Financial Aid Applications are now being taken by the Aberdeen Catholic Schools for the 2017-2018 school year. All forms must be completed and submitted BY MARCH 17, 2017. Applicants must complete a financial aid online application at https:// online.factsmgt.com/signin/413ND and must also submit the General Scholarship application, applicable scholarship forms, and the work grant application on our web page at aberdeenroncalli.org under the Admissions - - Financial Aid tab. Please contact Vickie Haiar at 226-2100 or

Vickie.haiar@aberdeenroncalli.org if you have any questions.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Sunday, January 15 - 9:30 am Family Ed

Youth Group will be going ice skating this Sunday, Jan. 15 6:15-7:45 at the Odde Ice Arena. Families are invited to join us with their students.

Wednesday, January 18 - Confirmation class 7:00 pm

Fr. Michael's Musings



Well, the Christmas Season has drawn to a close and a new year has begun.

While I hate to begin this new season and year talk-

ing about finances, alas, I must.

As you can read in the Church Support section below this column, we are in need of \$18,000 a weekend to meet our budget.

We have not been meeting our budget...at all.

Christmas was bountiful, as was New Year's Day, but we also lost two weekends since those holidays fell on Sundays.

In addition, we have had to pay a bit more for snow removal lately due to the added snow...not to mention the ice accumulations, and all of this is straining our resources to the limit.

To be honest, a few weeks ago, I had more money in my personal checking account than the parish had in its account. We simply cannot sustain a parish this way.

Someone asked me the other day what I was planning on doing about it and I said, to be honest, there is little I can do about it. Our financial viability comes from all of us, each person sitting, kneeling and praying in the pews.

We are all responsible for this parish and its future.

In this new year, please spend some time prayerfully reflecting on the gift of your parish family, and offer your support. A little more from each of us goes a long, long way!



"I told you not to order the Zamboni."

Church Support:

Envelopes: \$ 12,516.75 Loose: \$ 1,097.00 Children's: \$ 90.00



REMEMBER: We need \$18,000 a week to meet our needs!

January 7 - 8, 2017

Just a

Thought...

Three inches?!? I would have sworn it was 15!