

**ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH – NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY – HIGH HILL**  
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**Rev. Jasper Liggio, Pastor – Rev. Luke Prihoda, Parochial Vicar**  
**Rev. Alex Aboagye, Parochial Vicar – Deacon Jay Vocelka, ObISB**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2024 – FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Jb 7:1-4, 6-7      1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23      Mk 1:29-39 (74)

Wednesday, February 7 <sup>th</sup>	5:30 PM	Sharon Dittrich
Sunday, February 11 <sup>th</sup>	10:15 AM	Parishioner Wedding Anniversaries
Wednesday, February 14 <sup>th</sup>	5:30 PM	Virginia Holub
Sunday, February 18 <sup>th</sup>	10:15 AM	Parish Family

**SOUPER BOWL OF CARING**

"Lord, as we enjoy the Super Bowl Football game, help us to be mindful of those without even a bowl of soup to eat." Be part of this movement that is sharing God's love with those in need. Please give generously to the Souper Bowl of Caring. Every dollar donated goes to the Schulenburg Food Pantry. Donations will be accepted at Church masses and at the St. Rose School Office through Wednesday February 7. Thank you for your continued support.

**PRAYER FOR LIFE COMMUNITY RALLY**

All parishioners are invited and welcome to join in and participate in the group rosary. You may also bring your own rosary. Join us on Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, at the Schulenburg KC Hall at 5 PM. This event is sponsored by the Schulenburg Knights of Columbus Council #2902.



**FAITHFULLY ALIVE RESUMES IN FEBRUARY**

God's Embrace Ministries (GEM) have made some changes to their Adult Formation Program and will be postponing sessions until February 2024. The good news is that there is still time to sign up for their newest study combining the Catechism, Scripture and NEW GEM Material to help apply these great resources to your daily discipleship so that you can live your Faith to the FULL-est and developing a deep daily prayer life. *Sign up today!* (<https://www.godsembrace.org/adult-formation-program>)

**PARISH ANNIVERSARIES**

St. Mary High Hill Parish will be recognizing all married couples of our parish that have reached a 5-year anniversary milestone beginning with 25, then 30, 35, etc. through 60 plus on Sunday, February 11, 2024. Father will give a special blessing and certificates will be handed out to each couple. If you are not able to attend, we will make sure you received your certificate and special gift. Please contact Denise Trojacek 979-561-6155 or Tonya Stang 979-561-6947 if you will be celebrating one of these milestones.

**ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE – FEBRUARY 14**

- 7:00 am - Mass - Ammannsville	5:30 pm - Mass - High Hill
- 8:10 am - Mass - St. Rose	6:00 pm - Mass (Spanish) - St. Rose
- 10 am - Distribution of Ashes - nursing home	7:00 pm - Mass - St. Rose
- 12 noon - Prayer Service/Distribution of Ashes (not a Mass) - St. Rose	

**WEEKEND RETREAT**

***Passion of Christ, Strengthen Me*** - Lenten retreat rooted in Christ's Passion and Death. March 1-3, 2024 at Cathedral Oaks Retreat Center in Weimar. Dr. Michael Fonseca is the retreat director and Fr. Luke Prihoda will be the retreat priest. \$160 includes meals and accommodations. Register today: [www.GodsEmbrace.org/gem-weekend-retreat](http://www.GodsEmbrace.org/gem-weekend-retreat) or 979-561-8883.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

February 14	Ash Wednesday
February 14	<i>Special Collection</i> – Church in Central & Eastern Europe (CCEE)
Sundays of Lent & Easter	<i>Special Collection</i> – Catholic Relief Services (CRS)
	Rice Bowl
March 10	<i>Special Collection</i> – Catholic Relief Services

**FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP**

Restoration Box	\$ 136.00
Restoration (Anonymous)	\$ 105.00
St. Rose Church (Mass pass thru)	\$ 25.00
2nd Collection (Aid to Latin America)	\$ 199.00
<u>Offertory (1/28/24)</u>	<u>\$ 1,156.00</u>
Total Deposit	\$ 1,621.00

**LAY MINISTERS**

**SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 11**

Rosary	Denise Trojacek – Lad Trojacek
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Eucharistic Minister	Francis Ripper
Lector	Forrest Lauher
Altar Servers	Mikayla Stang – Kaysen Wick
Ushers	Mark Stang – Matt Kubala
Ushers	William Reed – Robert Hranicky
Gifts	William & Johanna Reed

**SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 18**

Kim Wellborn – Lillian Hilscher
Barbara Cernoch
Kim Wellborn
Gigi Marburger
Buddy Dittrich – Mark Olsovsky
Marshall Wellborn – Matthew Prihoda
Matthew & Shantelle Prihoda

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Renee Mazoch, Glen McLaren, Henry Miksch, Connor Machicek, Ken Dittrich, Francis Pio Pilkington, Leon Shank, Mary Shank, Larry Nuhn, Jessi Wilcox, Gordon Ross, Diana Heinrich, Doris Anders, Jan Ripper, Cheryl (Kobza) Powell, Nadine Kruschke, Steve Hopkins, Barbara Nugent, Luke Friedel, Orly R. Elizondo, Wilbert Demel, Elroy Demel, Terri Hanna, Georgia Kalich, Bruce Treybig, Carrol Ray Demel, Francis Ripper, Julia Oeding, Lillian Hilscher, Leon Popp, Mary Demel, Marilyn Adamcik, Lad Trojacek, Joyce Dittrich, Mildred Hollas, Kathy Kutac, Al Martinez, Willy Schmidt, Edward Schwenke, Ruth Fabian, Angie Schwenke and Derek Schwenke.