



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**JAN. 23 THRU JAN. 29**

Dear Parishioners,

After Mass on Sunday, I will travel to Washington, D.C. I will be helping to lead an adult pilgrimage group from our area as we together participate in the National March for Life on Monday. I will return late on Tuesday evening. Please pray for us and the hundreds of thousands who will march in witness to the sanctity of the lives of our unborn sisters and brothers. Of course, we march in protest of the horrific January 22, 1973 Supreme Court rulings in the Roe vs. Wade and Doe vs. Bolton cases that legalized abortion during all stages of pregnancy. It is somber event in which we remember the 50-some million babies who have lost there lives through abortion since 1973 and the tragedy that so many women have been scarred emotionally and spiritually by such a choice. Our American bishops encourage us to offer special prayers and to do some type of sacrifice or penance each year on January 22nd for an end to abortion. Since the anniversary of the Supreme Court decision is on Sunday this year, then this can be done on Monday the 23rd as Sunday traditionally is not a day of penance.

Because I will be in Washington, D.C. For the March, on Monday and Tuesday, January 23 and 24, there will not be Masses scheduled. Deacon Dave will do a Communion service both of those days.

Have a blessed and grace-filled week.

God bless, Fr. Matt

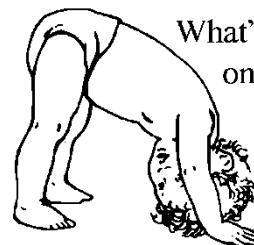
Monday	Communion Service
Tuesday	Communion Service
Wednesday	Sylvia Wulf
Thursday	William Roth
Friday	Joe Fibich
Saturday	Bud Burchard
Sunday	People of St. Joseph

**WANTED: NEW MEMBERS**

The Springfield Knights of Columbus are like the U.S. branches of the military service. We are always looking for a FEW GOOD MEN. If you are new or have been in the parish for awhile and think that you may be interested in joining our group, please contact Ralph Meister, Knight's Recruiter, Fr. Matt or any other Springfield Knight. We will be willing to help you. We would like you to as involved as you want to be. The K of C

**SOUP SUPPER**

The Ladies' Guild Soup Supper & Raffle will be Saturday, February 18. Mark your calendar and plan to attend as well as preparing any items you may want to donate for the raffle and silent auction. Sign-up sheets for soup ingredients and workers will be out soon. If you have any questions, call Dorothy Foged at 402-253-2633.



What's your stand on Abortion?

**ST. JOSEPH**

**SPRINGFIELD, NE.**

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