

# Irish Messenger

## Reverence, Respect, Responsibility

January 14, 2022

#### Virtue of the Week-FORESIGHT



This week our strength building on the virtue of PRUDENCE is **FORESIGHT.** The strength to think ahead and consider what if or what might happen.

#### **PRAYER**

Grant me grace, O merciful God, to desire ardently all that is pleasing to Thee, to examine it prudently, to acknowledge it truthfully, and to accomplish it perfectly, for the praise and glory of Thy Name. Amen.

- St. Thomas Aquinas

### **Important Upcoming Dates**

Sat, 1/15: Girls Volleyball—8th Grade City Tourney

@ Home 9:00am

**Boys Basketball—8th Grade Tourney** 

@ Blessed Sacrament 11:30am

Boys Basketball -8th Grade Tourney (2nd Game) @ Blessed Sacrament TBD

Mon, 1/17: No School; Martin Luther King Day

Girls Volleyball @ Bartonville Monroe

4:30pm

Tues, 1/18: Girls Volleyball @ Robein 4:30pm

Wed, 1/19: Boys Basketball vs LowPoint-Washburn

@ Home 5:30pm

Thurs, 1/20: Boys Basketball (5th/6th Grade) vs

Blessed Sacrament @ Home 5:30pm

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St. Patrick School has been assigned Seminarian Nathan Hopper from Mount St. Mary Seminary. During Catholic Schools Week, our students will be sending Nathan a Spiritual Bouquet and a Care Package as he starts his second semester. If you would like to donate to the care package, please send your money in by Friday, January

As a Religion class project, the 7<sup>th</sup> grade is teaming up with the Tazewell County Right to Life to collect **baby food, juice, and formula** for families in need in our area. The collected food will be donated to Catholic Charities, Neighborhood House, Women's Pregnancy Center, and other charitable organizations that support families that chose life.

We would be very appreciative if your child could bring baby food, juice, and/or formula to school **by Tuesday**, **January 18th**. There will be a contest between classes, and the class who brings in the most food will receive a special treat.

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