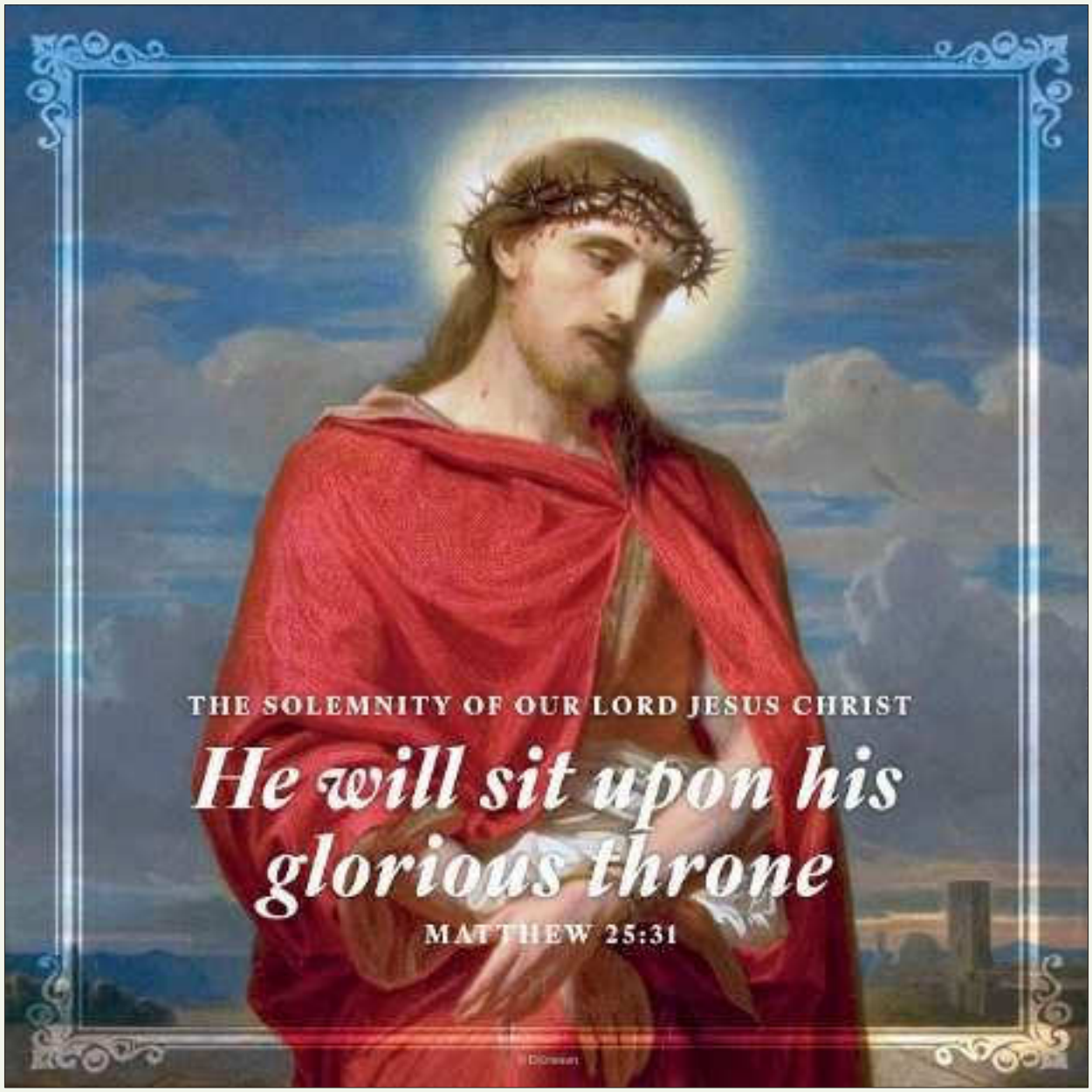

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SATURDAY (VIGIL) 5:00 PM

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12:05PM TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY

Adoration in the Chapel

Tuesdays 7am-5pm, Wednesday 9am-8pm, Thursday 7am-5pm

Open Prayer in Church 7:00am—5:30pm

Holy Days of Obligation

SEE CURRENT BULLETIN / CALENDAR

Sacrament of Penance

Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 11:30-11:55am,
Tuesday 5-5:30pm,
Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm or by appointment call the Parish Office

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November 8, 2026

Masses for the week

MON, NOV 9	**THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA**
	NO MASS
TUES, NOV 10	**SAINT LEO THE GREAT**
12:05 p.m.	Living & deceased members of the Pecko family - Maureen Prebynski
WED, NOV 11	**SAINT MARTIN OF TOURS**
12:05 p.m.	+Spencer Penland – Mike & Sandy Hayes
THUR, NOV 12	**SAINT JOSAPHAT**
12:05 p.m.	+Carol Brinkman – Peter & Bronna Utterback
FRI, NOV 13	**SAINT FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI**
12:05 p.m.	Special intentions for Stephen Boviall
SAT, NOV 14	**WEEKDAY**
5:00 p.m. (vigil)	Living & deceased members of the Wrona & Larimer families
SUN, NOV 15	**THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
8:00 a.m.	For the Parish Community
10:30 a.m.	+Bernie Prebynski – Family

THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY	
9:00 a.m.	Monday Morning Prayer Group
WEDNESDAY	
1:00 p.m.	Ladies Guild Meeting / Gather Space
THURSDAY	
6:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group
SUNDAY	
9:15 a.m.	Religious Ed Grades K - 8

Ministry Scheduler Pro

Please request a substitute through Ministry Scheduler Pro

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WELCOME ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH

Ladies Guild

Ladies Guild will meet **Wednesday, November 11** at **1:00 p.m.** in the gather space.

Thank you to all the Ladies Guild for the work it takes in making **Feather Bingo** a great parish gathering!



We wish to express our sincere sympathy and condolences to the families and friends of

THOMAS GEORGE DIRIG
Brother of Dick Dirig
also
CAROLYN BAVIS
Mother of Jordan (& Rachel) Bavis

May perpetual light shine upon them and may all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

If you are not receiving envelopes monthly, you are not a registered parishioner. Please call the parish office.

For emergencies such as anointing of the sick and last rites, please call Father Jake anytime at 260-232-2367.

ARE YOU REGISTERED?

By using your weekly envelopes or giving online it will show you are a **registered *active* member** of ICC. If there is no giving history for 6 months you will be marked "inactive".

If you do not currently receive envelopes please call the parish office to register or re-register.

Please be sure to take a few minutes to register. This can be done online at www.iccauburn.com, pick up a registration form in the gather space or stop by the parish office.

It is very important for all Catholics to be registered. This is especially important when you request letters of testimony to become a sponsor for baptism or confirmation or wishing to be married. Young adults over 18 years of age who are living at home and in the working world should be registered on their own. College students or those who are mentally or physically challenged are the exception.

REGISTER AND BE A PART OF OUR PARISH FAMILY!

PLEASE KNOW THAT FATHER JAKE AND STAFF WILL NEVER ASK FOR FINANCIAL HELP, GIFT CARDS, ETC.
ALWAYS CHECK WITH THE PARISH OFFICE BEFORE YOU RESPOND TO ANY TEXTS, PHONE CALLS OR EMAILS.

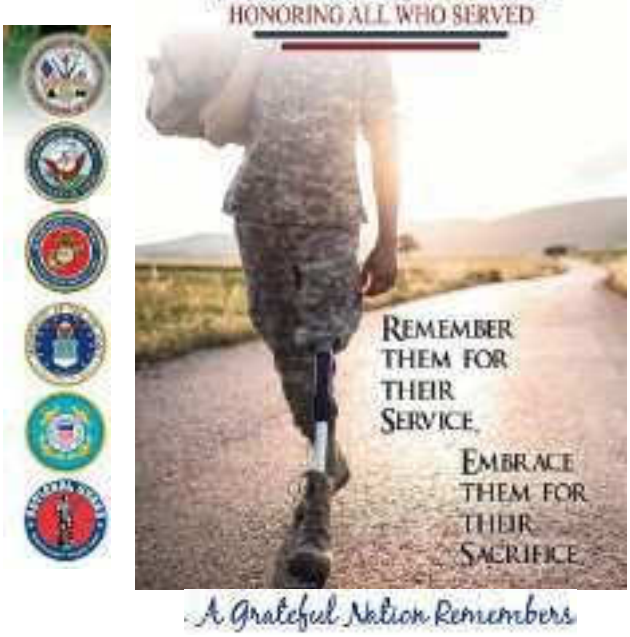
THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE DIOCESE

It remains important for our Church to protect children and young persons from the evils of abuse. The Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend remains committed to upholding and following its guidelines, policies and procedures that were implemented for the protection of children and young people. These can be reviewed on the diocese's website, **www.diocesefwsb.org**, under **"Youth Protection."**

If you have reason to believe that a minor may be a victim of child abuse or neglect, Indiana law requires that you report this to civil authorities. If you or someone you know was abused as a child or young person by an adult, you are encouraged to notify appropriate civil authorities of that abuse. In addition, if the alleged abuser is or was a priest or deacon of the Catholic Church, you are encouraged to contact Jodi Marlin, Victim Coordinator, 260-399-1447 or jmarlin@diocesfwsb.org; or Rev. Mark Gurtner, Vicar General of the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend, at P.O. Box 390, Fort Wayne, Indiana 46801; 260-399-1419; or at mgurtner@diocesefwsb.org. The diocese is committed to helping prevent the abuse or neglect of children and young people and to assist those who have suffered harm as a result of such abuse.



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Father Jake's Column

Anointing of the Sick: Not Just for the Dying

That's right! Many Catholics are familiar with the Anointing of the Sick, but some may hesitate to request it because they associate it exclusively with the end of life. Historically, this sacrament was often called *Extreme Unction*, meaning "final anointing," because it came to be administered primarily to those who were near death. It is sometimes included among what we call the "Last Rites," the Church's sacramental care for someone approaching death. However, **the Anointing of the Sick is not reserved for a person's final moments.**

The Catechism of the Catholic Church states: "The Anointing of the Sick 'is not a sacrament for those only who are at the point of death'" (CCC 1514). Rather, it is a sacrament through which Christ strengthens those experiencing serious illness or the frailty of old age. Through this sacrament, the Lord offers grace, peace, courage, and spiritual healing, uniting our suffering with His own. The sacrament may also bring physical healing if it is conducive to the salvation of the person's soul.

When, then, should we consider receiving this sacrament? The Church gives us practical guidance. The Code of Canon Law states that Anointing of the Sick may be administered to a member of the faithful who, having reached the use of reason (7 y/o), "begins to be in danger due to sickness or old age." The Catechism further identifies several appropriate occasions (CCC 1515):

- **Before serious surgery:** Normally when one will experience general anesthesia or surgery could cause mortality.
- **During a serious illness:** When a medical condition becomes grave by being hospitalized.
- **When an existing illness worsens:** An example would be like when someone reaches the next stage of cancer, from stage 1 to 2. When symptoms change or worsen.
- **When serious illness returns:** Someone who has recovered from a previous grave illness may receive the sacrament again if another grave illness develops.
- **In advancing age and frailty:** Elderly parishioners whose weakness becomes more pronounced may appropriately receive the sacrament.

If someone is approaching death, Anointing of the Sick may be celebrated alongside the other sacraments traditionally called the "Last Rites." These include Confession and Holy Communion, especially known as Viaticum—the Eucharist received as food for the journey into eternal life. Each has its own purpose, and together they offer profound spiritual care.

Please do not wait until a loved one is unconscious or death is imminent before contacting a priest. If you or a loved one is facing serious illness, major surgery, or increasing frailty, please contact the parish during normal hours or **our emergency line** 24/7 **(260-232-2367)**. The Church desires to accompany us not only at the hour of death, but throughout the trials of illness, bringing Christ's healing grace and strengthening presence into our suffering.

ALL SOULS
2026

We remember and pray for all of the faithful departed, and especially for all of the souls in purgatory.



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THE TILMA CAFE
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November 15
6-8 PM

Help others stay warm this winter!

Look for the donation box in the "Gathering Space" and drop off your **new/gently** used winter coats, hats, gloves or scarves. Please be sure to bag the items individually.





Boys Coats Size 8-14 are most needed

All donations will be taken to Catholic Charities, Auburn at the end of November.

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Membership Drive
November 21st and 22nd Weekend

All Knights Mass
November 29 at 8:00am
We encourage all Knights to attend and to volunteer for liturgical roles, as more volunteers are still needed.



Have You Heard? Learn more about the meaningful work being done in our parish:

Kingdom Builders

Kingdom Builders is a Catholic ministry founded by Mary Jo Parrish that inspires women to discover their unique God-given design through laughter, learning, and a deeper love of the Father. The ministry encourages women to grow in faith and discover a path to greater peace and joy amid the busyness and demands of everyday life.

This ministry blends Scripture, prayer, and personal planning to help women grow in faith, peace, and joy, while building God's Kingdom in their everyday lives.

Through inspiring and humorous lessons drawn from the month's Sunday Scripture readings, women deepen their understanding of God's Word, strengthen their relationship with Him, and grow in faith. Each lesson offers practical ways to apply Scripture to everyday life, encouraging women to grow spiritually and become more aware of God's presence in their daily journey.

Through Eucharistic Adoration, accompanied by worship music and contemplative silence, Kingdom Builders experience a time of spiritual renewal as they rest in the loving presence of Jesus. This sacred time allows women to quiet their hearts, deepen their relationship with Christ, and be refreshed in His love, finding renewed peace, joy, and strength to carry into their daily lives.

At ICC, Kingdom Builders gather monthly as a group to foster a deeper sense of community and spiritual renewal. This ministry is led by women of our parish, for all women, providing a welcoming space to grow in faith and support one another on our spiritual journeys.

Each 90-minute gathering is divided into two 45-minute segments. One focuses on an inspiring Scripture-based teaching that encourages spiritual growth. The other offers time for Eucharistic Adoration, where women can rest in the presence of Jesus.

Curious about Kingdom Builders? All women are invited to come and experience the joy of growing in faith together!

YOU WERE MADE FOR Peace & Joy

Join us at our next gathering on:

Thursday, November 19th
6:30 - 8:00 at ICC

Together, we support and encourage one another on our journey to become the woman God created us to be.

Blessings and heartfelt thanks to Father Jake and the ICC community for your guidance, kindness, and unwavering support. Your impact is truly appreciated.





The Solemnity
of

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Tuesday – December 8, 2026
Immaculate Conception Church

MORNING

- ❖ 11:30AM | Rosary and Confession
- ❖ 12:05PM | Daily Mass

EVENING

- ❖ 5:00PM | Confession
- ❖ 5:20PM | Rosary
- ❖ 5:45PM | Songs of Taize (with choir & instrumentalists)
- ❖ 6:00PM | Mass with reception to follow in Parish Hall

WE PRAY: O God, who by the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin prepared a worthy dwelling for your Son, grant, we pray, that, as you preserved her from every stain by virtue of the Death of your Son, which you foresaw, so through her intercession, we, too, may be cleansed and admitted to Your Presence. AMEN.



ALL VETERANS INVITED!

VETERANS APPRECIATION PARADE

The students and staff at St. Joseph School would like to invite all veterans to join us as we honor you with an "Apprecation Parade." Veterans will drive by in their vehicles as students and staff are lined up outside the school to thank you and hand out special treats!

DATE: Wednesday, November 11th
TIME: 10:00am
ADDRESS: St. Joseph School
301 W. Houston St. Garrett, IN 46738

-9:45 CARS LINE UP FACING NORTH ON IJAMS ST. IN FRONT OF ST. JOSEPH CHURCH
-10:00 DRIVING PROCESSION BEGINS FROM IJAMS ST., AROUND THE CORNER EAST ON HOUSTON ST. IN FRONT OF THE SCHOOL

In case of rain, all veterans are invited into our gym for snacks.

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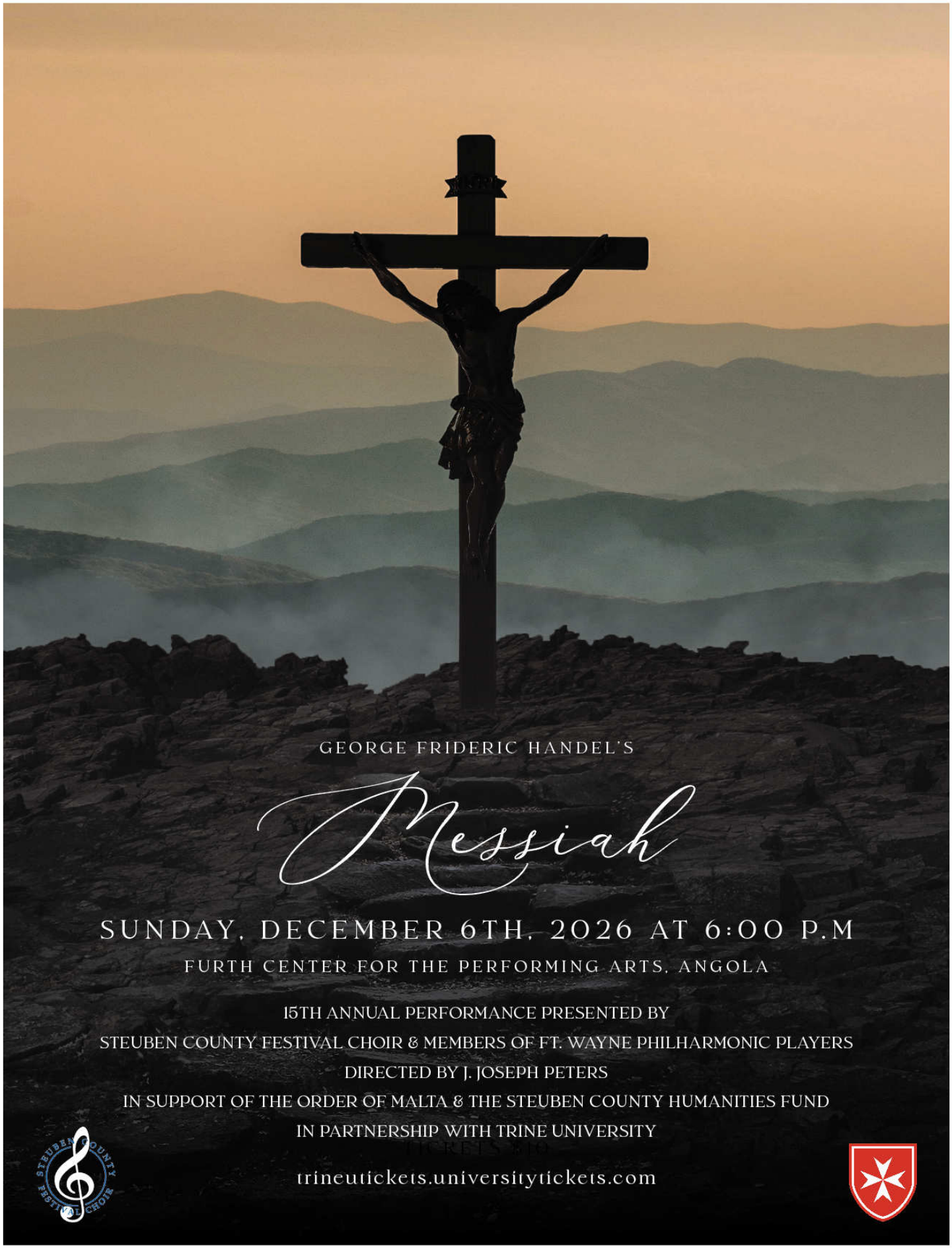
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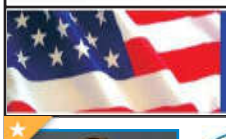

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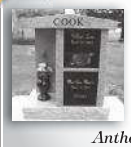

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