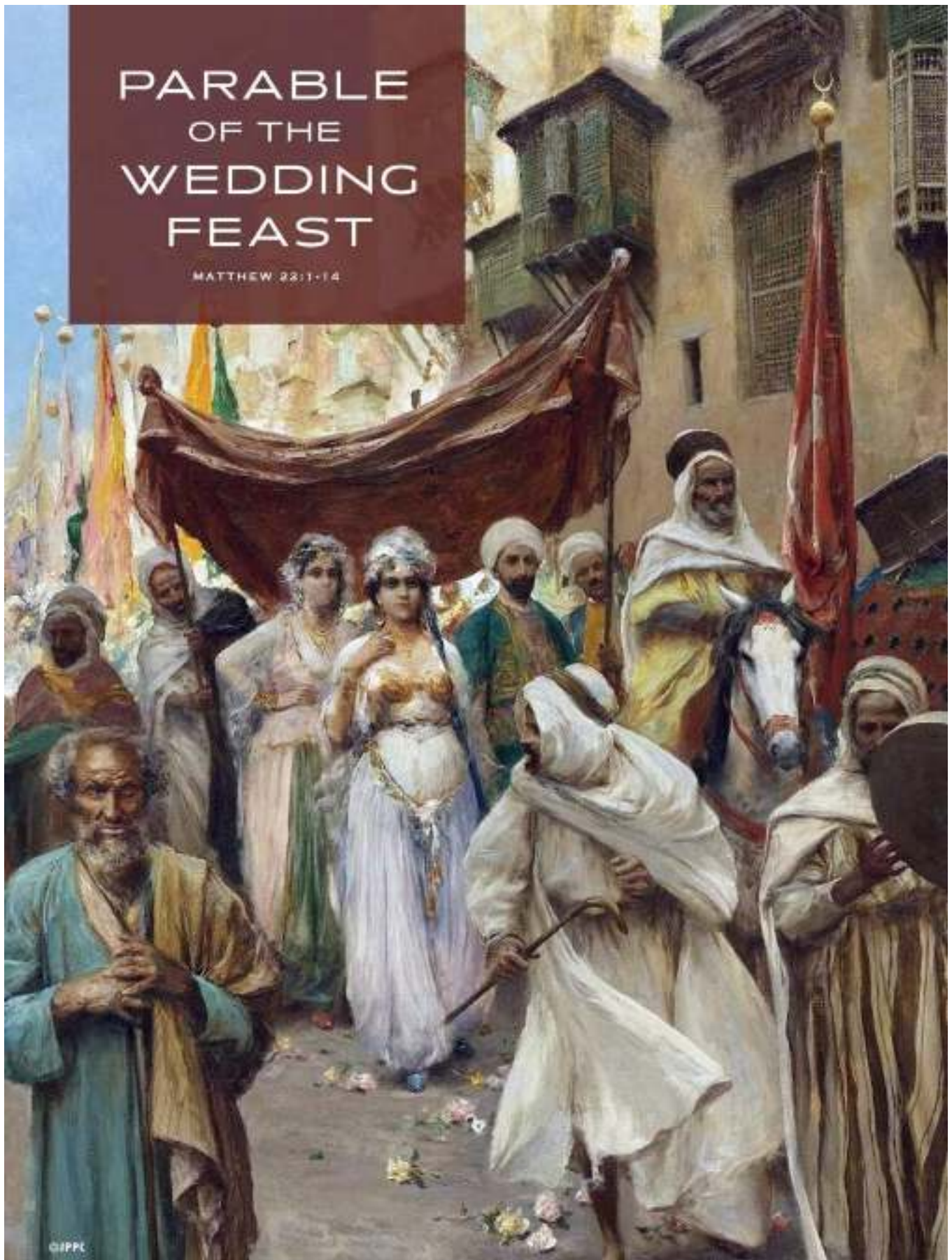


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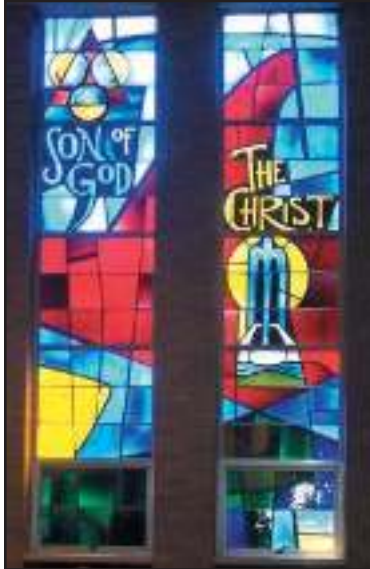
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October 15, 2023

HOLY NAME PARISH

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SACRAMENTS AT HOLY NAME

Sunday Masses

Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 8:30 am
10:30 am (Family Mass)
12:30 pm (Spanish Mass)

Daily Mass: 8:15 am
Saturday 8:15 am Miraculous Medal
Novena Mass

Holy Day Masses: 8:15 am & 6:00 pm
on Holy Day

Anyone age 7 or older who has not received First Holy Communion is asked to register for preparation by calling the Religious Education Office at 413-733-5823

Sacrament of Baptism

Please call 733-5823 for contact name and phone number.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesdays, 1:00-5:00 pm

Sacrament of Confirmation

Celebrated in 9th grade as part of our Religious Education program. Adult classes are also available. Contact Religious Education office at 413-733-5823

Confession

Saturdays 3:30pm - 4:15 pm and by appointment

Sacrament of the Sick

Please contact the Parish Office for those who may need to be anointed.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please make arrangements at least 6 months in advance.

Vocations to the Priesthood

If you are exploring a vocation to priesthood or religious life you are invited to contact Fr. Jonathan Reardon 413-248-7034.

We Welcome New Parishioners!!

Interested in joining our parish community?
New parishioners are most welcome. There are welcome cards by the parking lot exit door or obtain one from the priest. Just fill one out and a new parishioner packet will be sent to you. For more information call 733-5823.

Parish Mission Statement:

"We at Holy Name Parish, through the empowering spirit of Jesus Christ, strive to build a faith-filled community through prayer, action, and outreach to all."

**Staff and Volunteers of
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733-5823

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**Twenty-eighth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**



Saturday, October 14

4:30 Beatrice St. John
By her Mother

Sunday, October 15

8:30 Ersilia Truoilo
By the Family

10:30 Troy Gebo (Birthday Remembrance)
By his Mom and Family

12:30 Albina Crisostomo (4th Anniversary)
By daughter Yesenia Escalante

Monday, October 16

8:15 Nhan Nguyen
By the Family

Tuesday, October 17

8:15 Chiet Vu and Dac Nguyen
By the Nguyen Family

Wednesday, October 18

8:15 No Mass - Convocation

Thursday, October 19

8:15 No Mass - Convocation

Friday, October 20

8:15 No Mass - Convocation

Saturday, October 21

8:15 Betty and Bob O'Herron
By the Family

4:30 Daniel M. Walsh, III
By the Family

Sunday, October 22

8:30 Stephie Bujak
By Tom Burke

10:30 Maria Que Dinh
By Friends

12:30 Celebrant's Intention



WORSHIP



From Your Parish Administrator

In the First Reading from Prophet Isaiah, we hear a foretelling of the times of the coming Messiah. This section has to do with a kind of banquet with fine wine. In the Chapter before this Reading the Prophet speaks of the destructive age and a devastated City. The Prophet writes that even the wine and the vines are in mourning.

So what we hear is: Jerusalem will be the great and blessed place. With that in mind, there is a spirit of coming joy, clarity of vision as well as a recognition that the hand of God is a blessing and renewing hand. All peoples, all nations, have suffered from a dim of God's presence and actions but on that day and on that mountain, a new way, a new revelation will enlighten and inspire.

The Gospel continues the theme of last few weeks parables. These were invitations extended to a people who were to God his choicest. Their leaders did not tend them well. Instead of Vineyard Parables, Matthew has Jesus place before his listeners one more traditional and well known image that of a banquet.

The Diocese of Springfield will be hosting the **CONVOCATION** for our Diocesan Priests
Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, October 18th – 20th, 2023.
No Masses or Funerals will take place on these days.

Eucharistic Adoration: *Tuesdays, 1-5p.m., Chaplet prayed at 3p.m.,
Rosary at 4:30p.m. followed by Benediction*
On Tuesday, September 24th, Adoration will be for the success of 40 Days for Life

JUNIOR LEGION OF MARY

"The Junior Legion of Mary youth group will be holding its first meeting for kids and parents on Saturday, October 28th at 9:00 AM in the Social Center. Contact Matt Hegarty (mhegarty@popefrancisprep.org) for more information. La Legion de Maria para los jovenes va a empezar en sabado, Octubre 28 a las 9:00 AM, en el Social Center. Ninos y padres son invitados."



AT HOLY NAME CHURCH!!

Are you registered as a parishioner? If not, just call or email the secretary, and she will mail or email the form to you. Yes, it's that easy! And, if you are asked to be a Godparent for a Baptism or a Confirmation sponsor, you will be asked which church you attend, and if we are asked to verify it, we can only do so if you have registered with us.

An FYI, when trying to reach a priest in an emergency situation to administer the Sacrament of the Sick for someone in the hospital – if a parish priest isn't immediately available and time is critical, there should be a Chaplain available 24/7 at each of the area hospitals.

STEWARDSHIP



Collections and Mail-ins for September 30 & October 1, 2023 = \$4,999.57
Many thanks for your continuing support!

We thank everyone for their generous donations last weekend to the **Rwanda Mission COOP, Diocese of Kabgayi.**

We are happy to report that \$1991.72 was donated, and they are very grateful for this outpouring of kindness and support!



We are collecting food items for our **Thanksgiving Dinner ministry**. Your donations help to provide Thanksgiving dinners for parishioners and also many families within our zip code area who are financially challenged. This year we are doing a "combination" request for food items, and also for monetary donations towards the purchase of gift cards for families to purchase their turkey. Food donations can be left in the sacristy by the exit doors. The items needed are: **Stuffing, Cranberry sauce, Boxed potatoes, Canned vegetables, Turkey gravy, Boxed Macaroni & Cheese, Brownie mix, Boxed cookies.** **Note:** Monetary donations can be cash or checks made out to Holy Name. For your convenience, put into the collection basket in a plain envelope marked "Turkey Donation". We'll resume collecting for the Open Pantry after Thanksgiving.

BABY GIRLS CLOTHING NEEDED

The **Springfield Pregnancy Care Center**, located at 704 Sumner Avenue (next to the Bing), is in need of new or gently used girls tops, pants, sweaters, dresses, and one piece sleepers sizes 3 – 24 months and outerwear for fall and winter. You can drop your donation off at the center Mon., Wed. or Fri. between 1 & 4p.m. Thank you!

2023 Annual Catholic Appeal Update

As of last week they have \$2,622,939.72 in donations and pledges from 12,533 donors. They are at 87.4% of the \$3,000,000 goal. The average donation is: \$209.28. Compared to this time in 2022: The campaign is down \$5,117.95 and down 1,615 donors. To reach our goal they still need: \$377,060.28 in donations. 153 Holy Name parishioners have donated \$46,405.00. \$50,875.00 was donated by our parishioners last year.

SERVICE

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR HOLY NAME

Parish Council results – We are happy to report that there are a total of 15 volunteers and nominees together, and we are reaching out to those who were nominated to see if they would like to accept. We will keep you posted. We are still seeking:

Altar Servers, especially for the 4:30 Saturday Mass. Adults welcome! We will train you!!

Men and women to pass the basket at Masses for weekly donations

Volunteer Committee Members for special programs and events

Greeters at Masses to hand out the bulletins and offer a friendly "hello"

MINISTRIES FOR OCTOBER

Lector Schedule

Weekend of:

14 & 15
21 & 22
28 & 29

4:30

Mary Ann Maloney
Edie Ferrero
Mary Lu Irvine

8:30

Bob McCormick
Christina LeMaire
John Wynne

10:30 - Junior Lectors

Andrew
Grace
Grace

Altar Server Schedule

Weekend of:

14 & 15
21 & 22
28 & 29

4:30

Anna
Gabriel & Joel
Anna

8:30

Matteo
Irakunda
Matteo

10:30

Ryan & Bridget
Matt & Christal
Gabe & Jayden

EDUCATION



CLASSES STARTING THIS MONTH (October)

Classes for 1st through 8th grade begin this Sunday, October 15th, 11:20-12:20 at the Social Center. Proof of Baptism from the church of Baptism (if not at Holy Name) will be required.

Confirmation began last Sunday, and will take place 5-6p.m. in the church on specific dates. Please contact the rectory this week if you are not already registered.

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

La Diócesis de Springfield ofrecerá una CONVOCACIÓN para nuestros Sacerdotes Diocesanos el Miércoles 18, Jueves 19 y Viernes 20 de octubre del 2023. No habrá Misas ni Funerales en estos días en Holy Name.

Si usted o alguna persona que conoce necesita que le administren la Santa Eucaristía en su hogar o desea ofrecer un Rosario en su hogar favor de llamar a la Parroquia y dejar un mensaje con su información de contacto a la extensión #132. Nos comunicaremos con usted lo mas pronto posible.

"El grupo juvenil Junior Legion de Maria llegó a Holy Name y tendrá su primera reunión para jóvenes menores de 18 años y padres el Sábado 28 de Octubre a las 9:00am en el Centro Social. Para mas información puede comunicarse con Matt Hegarty a su correo electronico:

(mhegarty@popefrancisprep.org)

Estamos recogiendo alimentos para nuestro **Ministerio de Cena de Acción de Gracias**. Sus donaciones ayudan a proporcionar cenas de Acción de Gracias para los feligreses y también muchas familias dentro de nuestra área de código postal que están en dificultades financieras. Este año estamos solicitando una combinación de alimentos, y también donaciones monetarias para la compra de tarjetas de regalo para que las familias puedan comprar su pavo. Las donaciones de alimentos se pueden dejar en la Sacristía, junto a las puertas de salida. Los articulos que se necesitan son: **Relleno en caja, salsa de cranberry, papas en caja, vegetales enlatados, salsa de pavo (gravy), macarrones con queso en caja, caja de brownies y galletas dulces en caja.**

Nota: Las donaciones monetarias pueden ser en efectivo o en cheque a nombre de Holy Name. Para su comodidad, puede colocarlo en la canasta de ofrendas en un sobre y escríbale: Donación para el Pavo.

Comenzaremos a recolectar alimentos para el Pantry abierto despues del día de Acción de gracias.

Gracias por su continua generosidad.

Para Bautizmos: Favor de verse con el Diacono Adalberto Santiago después

de la Santa Misa, o puede llamar a la Parroquia y dejar su información en la

extensión #132. Las clases se están llevando a cabo los segundos Viernes

del mes a las 6:pm, seguido por el Bautismo el día siguiente Sabado 11:am. Por el mes de Octubre la clase será el 20 de Octubre, a las 6:30pm en la Iglesia, seguido por el Bautismo el Sabado 21 a las 11:00am.

Esta usted registrado como feligres en nuestra Parroquia? Si no lo está, favor de llamar a Marta Piñero al 733-5823 a la extensión #132 y deje un mensaje con su información de contacto, o envíarle un correo electrónico a: marta.pinero23@gmail.com asi poder enviarle el formulario de inscripción para que usted lo llene y devuelva.

Contáctanos en Español

Marta Piñero 413-733-5823 Ext. 132



Saturday, October 28 all are invited to a **Retreat** with EWTN television Host, international speaker and award winning author **Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle**, who will present rich Eucharistic history and teaching, and shares secrets from many devoted saints, as well as offers practical ways for us to grow in holiness and to please our dear Lord. Join us from 9a.m. – 12:30p.m. for a transforming presentation and workshop. Donna-Marie will have her books and DVD's available for purchase and autographing. Registration: \$45 per person, and includes Continental Breakfast. Checks can be made payable to: St. John the Evangelist Church. You can also register online, StJohnAgawam.com. or at the office. Questions? Call 786-8105.

You are invited to **The Sons & Daughters of Italy St. Padre Pio Society** of Springfield's **1st Annual Italian Gala** on Saturday, THE 28TH of October at 6PM at the Sheraton Grand Ballroom in Springfield. The Gala will include a multi-course Italian dinner, live music, awards, and dancing. Tickets are \$125 each and can be purchased online at www.springfielditalians.com by emailing us at OSDIAspringfield@gmail.com or calling 413-455-0260. Black tie optional. RSVP by 10/16. Grazie!

The **Saint Cecilia Parish** Women's Club is holding its annual **RUMMAGE SALE** in the Parish Center, 42 Main St., Wilbraham, on Friday, November 3, 9:00 am to 2:00 pm and Saturday, November 4, 8:30 to noon. (Saturday is Bag Day.) Gently used clothing for men, women, and children, toys, puzzles, household items, curtains, towels, sheets, and other linens, jewelry, scarves, small purses, and more will be sold at very reasonable prices.

The **Immaculate Heart of Mary** will be hosting their **Craft Fair** on Saturday, November 4th from 9a.m. – 5p.m. at 256 State Street, Granby, MA. This is sponsored by IHM Men and Women Club.

The St. Francis of Assisi Annual Christmas Fair will be held Saturday, November 4 from 8:30 AM to 3 PM, at the St. Francis Social Center at 10 Park Street in Belchertown. Our traditional Giant Basket Raffle, holiday crafts & gift bazaar, and the children's holiday shopping area, complete with Santa's helpers & gift wrapping will be available. The Bakery will offer homemade goodies and gourmet coffee in take-home holiday mugs. Enjoy lunch in our Café from 11 AM-2 PM where you can choose from homemade soups, sandwiches, grilled cheese, hot dogs, chips, and beverages. Bring the kids, make a day of it!

Please consider helping the **Springfield Rescue Mission** by collecting NEW underwear, t-shirts and socks for men, women and children by sharing this information with your church body. Your collection efforts can be for any church member, youth or church group. SRM's **Undie Sunday Undie Monday** collection efforts begin October 1st and will run through the whole month of October. Donations can be brought to the Mission at 10 Mill Street by November 10th. SRM serves hundreds of men, women and children in our Emergency Shelter, Rehabilitation Program, Operation SONshine and GiveAway Center each year. ALL SERVICES FREE OF CHARGE thanks to the generosity of our churches, businesses and supporters! Together we will make sure no child or adult faces the humiliation of going without clean underwear or socks. Undie Sunday/Undie Monday allows you to make a meaningful difference in the life of someone who is going without basic needs. Donations can also be purchased online and sent directly to the Rescue Mission at your convenience. For suggestions, please visit [SRM's Amazon Wish List](#) here. For more information contact Robin Gobeille 413-732-0808 Ext. 237 or email rgobeille@springfieldrescuemission.org. Thank you for your continued support and prayers.

St. Joseph Parish in Shelburne Falls will hold a "**Country Christmas Fair**" on Saturday, November 11 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and Sunday, November 12 from 9:00 a.m. to noon at the Shelburne-Buckland Community Center on 53 Main Street. The fair will offer unique Country Crafts, Sewn, Crocheted, and Knitted items, Hand-painted Christmas Ornaments and Home Décor, Homemade Baked Goods and Candy, Dolly Churchill Crafts, Attic Treasures, Themed Gift Baskets, Straw Draw, Tea Cup Auction, Gorgeous Handmade Quilt Raffle, Great Food, and More. A Big Raffle featuring a \$300 Cash Prize will round out the offerings. Health safety protocols will be followed. Get your christmas shopping done early! For more information call (413) 625-6405.

Eucharistic Adorers Urgently Needed. Spend time with Our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration at the 24-hr Blessed Trinity Parish Perpetual Adoration Chapel in Greenfield. If you are interested in spending one hour with our Lord, by yourself or share with a loved one, spouse, son/daughter, or close friend, **please contact** the Parish Office at 413.773.3311 to schedule your time of weekly adoration.

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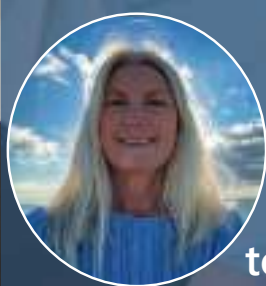
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