

# St. Mary & St. Charles St. Mary & St. John Churches

February 25, 2024

## We Welcome You

We welcome you to Pastorate #1. If you would like to become a member of one of our parishes, please call 608-723-4990. For those who are interested in becoming Catholic or returning to the Catholic faith, please contact the parish office.

## Sacraments:

### Pastorate Daily Mass Times

8:15 a.m.-St. Charles Church (Tues, Wed)  
8:15 a.m.-St. Mary Church, Bloomington (Thurs, Fri)  
8:15 a.m.-St. Clement Church (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri)  
8:15 a.m.-St. Andrew Church (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri)

### Reconciliation

#### Saturdays

8:00-9:00 a.m. at St. Mary Church, Bloomington  
8:00-9:00 a.m. at St. Clement Church, Lancaster  
8:00-9:00 a.m. at St. Andrew Church, Tennyson  
3:45-4:15p.m. at St. Charles Church, Cassville  
4:00-4:45 p.m. at St. Clement Church, Lancaster  
7:15-7:45 p.m. at St. Mary Church, Glen Haven

### Baptism

May God bless our new parents! Please contact the parish office to schedule the baptism of your child and to attend a baptismal preparation session.

### Marriage

Congratulations on your upcoming marriage! Please call the parish office at least six months before the wedding. One of the parties must be a practicing Catholic.

### Anointing of the Sick

If someone is seriously ill, hospitalized, or is dying, please contact the Bloomington parish office immediately. Please call the parish office if there is someone who would like to be included in the Mass prayers.

### Vocations

Please contact a parish office if you or someone you know would like to learn more about becoming a priest, brother, sister, deacon, or lay church minister. Please pray for more vocations to the priesthood and all religious ministries!

### Our Catholic Schools

To register your child, please call Mrs. Kelly Copsey at 608-994-2435 for St. Mary School or Mrs. Cheryl Junk at 608-725-5173 for St. Charles Montessori Education Program. St. Mary and St. Charles admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin.

Bulletin Notices - Please submit bulletin notices to the parish office (sunday7@tds.net) by Monday.

### St. Charles Parish Office Hours (608) 725-5595

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:00 a.m.-noon  
stchas@tds.net (Cheryl Junk)

### St. Mary's Parish Office Hours (608) 994-2526

Monday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.  
sunday7@tds.net (Julie M Jentz)



## 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them. - Mk 9:2-3

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## Catechism of the Catholic Church

568 Christ's Transfiguration aims at strengthening the apostles' faith in anticipation of his Passion: the ascent on to the "high mountain" prepares for the ascent to Calvary. Christ, Head of the Church, manifests what his Body contains and radiates in the sacraments: "the hope of glory" (Col 1:27; cf.: St. Leo the Great, *Sermo* 51, 3: PL 54, 310C).

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**Liturgy Schedule**

Sat.	2/24	8:00-9:00 AM Adoration	(Bloomington)
		4:30 PM Tom Okey	(Cassville)
		8:00 PM Pro Populo	(Glen Haven)
Sun.	2/25	8:00 AM Len & Marcella Mulrooney	(Patch Grove)
		10:00 AM Elva Barr	(Bloomington)
Mon.	2/26	8:15 AM No Mass	
Tues.	2/27	8:15 AM Mary Eckstein	(Cassville)
Wed.	2/28	8:15 AM Carrie Hochhausen	(Cassville)
		8:45 AM Adoration	(Cassville)
Thurs.	2/29	8:15 AM Living and deceased members of the Joe & Rita Stoeffler family	(Bloomington)
Fri.	3/1	8:15 AM Dayle, Jane, Stephen and Joseph Meyer	(Bloomington)
Sat.	3/2	8:00-9:00 AM Adoration	(Bloomington)
		4:30 PM Pro Populo	(Cassville)
		8:00 PM Alphonse & Esther Breuer	(Glen Haven)
Sun.	3/3	8:00 AM Carl, Belva and Betty Laufenberg and Vickie Heiar	(Patch Grove)
		10:00 AM Ruth Mergen	(Bloomington)



**Second Sunday of Lent**

As we continue our Lenten journey today, we hear stories of two significant journeys in the history of our faith. Abraham travels to a distant land with his son, Isaac, where his devotion and obedience to God will be put to their greatest test. Jesus leads his closest disciples up a high mountain where he will be transfigured in glory. May our practice of the Lenten disciplines of fasting, praying, and almsgiving transform us into more loving and devoted disciples.

**Upcoming Lenten Activities**

**Lenten Reflection**  
 by **Bishop Donald Hying**  
**Sunday, February 25**  
**St. Andrew Church, Tennyson, WI**

6:00-7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration  
 7:00-8:00 p.m. Bishop Hying's Reflection  
 8:00 -9:00 p.m. Reception and time for fellowship at Ss. Andrew-Thomas School.

We are excited that Bishop Hying will be visiting our Pastorate on Sunday, February 25. Please plan to attend this wonderful event to draw us closer to Christ during Lent as we prepare for Easter.

**Scripture for the week of February 26, 2024**

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Lk 6:36-38  
 Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mt 23:1-12  
 Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16/Mt 20:17-28  
 Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 16:19-31  
 Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46  
 Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32  
 Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/1 Cor 1:22-25/ Jn 2:13-25 Scrutiny: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-4

**March 2 & 3 Weekend Mass Schedule**

**Fr. Sudhakar** – TBA

**Fr. Mark**—TBA

**Fr. Steve** - TBA

*\*This schedule may change due to weather or illness.*

**TEC Retreat at St. Mary's, Bloomington, WI**  
**March 22-24, 2024**

TEC (Together Encountering Christ) is centered on the Paschal Mystery of Christ and is especially designed to help us grow in our love for Christ and our Holy Catholic Church. It is an amazing experience for anyone 15 years of age or older. Applications can be found at the back of each church and more information about TEC can be found at [www.MadisonDiocese.org/TEC](http://www.MadisonDiocese.org/TEC) or by contacting Marie Lins at the OEC at 608.821.3160.

**THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

This Lent take time to go to confession, even if you can't remember the words; even if you don't know where to start. There's nothing to be embarrassed about because all of us need God's forgiveness. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is one of the Church's Sacraments of Healing. This Lent, open your heart to God's mercy, feel how much He loves you.

**Saturdays:**

**8:00-9:00 a.m. at St. Mary Church, Bloomington**

**3:45-4:15p.m. at St. Charles Church, Cassville**

**7:15-7:45 p.m. at St. Mary Church, Glen Haven**

**Please check the bulletin cover and the Lenten schedule for other places and times for confession.**

**Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 1**



St. Charles Church, Cassville at 5:30 p.m.

St. Clement Church, Lancaster at 5:30 p.m.

St. Andrew Church, Tennyson at 5:30 p.m.

**Fish Fry's**

\*March 8 at St. Mary's, Bloomington from 4:30-7:00 p.m.

\*March 22 at St. Charles School from 5:00-7:30 p.m.

**Into the Deep Update**

Dear Parishioners of Pastorate #1:

The results of the voting process are:

1. All Saints Parish
2. Christ the King Parish
3. St. Joseph the Worker Parish

If things go as planned, we will become All Saints Parish consisting of St. Clement, St. Andrew, St. Thomas, St. Charles, St. Mary Help of Christians, St. John, and St. Mary Churches. These 3 names listed above have been submitted to Bishop Hying. He will look at all of the names for the pastorates to ensure that none are duplicated. We will await the final decision from him.

Our next transition team meeting will be in March at St. Clement Church, and we will continue to discuss how we can make the Into the Deep Initiative a more successful initiative for our parish!

May all of us become saints,

Fr. Steve

"Let us make the very best use of the precious moments and do all in our power for His dear sake and for His greater honor and glory." - St. Marianne Cope



**ST. MARY'S SCHOOL NEWS**

**Faith, Family and Academic Excellence**

The students in grades 5 - 8 are continuing their study of Theology of the Body.

We are making a timeline that talks about Creation and the Fall. We are making connections between how God sees us as good and how we should use "Christ's eyes" to see the goodness in others and ourselves.

During Lent they are also reading the daily Gospel and talking about what sticks out to us - this is a great practice for anyone during Lent.

The next Stations of the Cross will be Friday, March 1, at 1:50 p.m.

**SCRIP:** Scrip is available at school and also at Economy Feed Mill or if you have a special order you may call Molly Breuer, the Scrip Coordinator, at 563-608-5734 .

**Catholic Question & Answer**

**Question:** How many times a day can a person receive communion?

**Answer:** To answer to this question, we need to turn to the Church's Code of Canon Law. Here we read, "One who has received the blessed Eucharist may receive it again on the same day only within a Eucharistic celebration in which that person participates ..." (no. 917). This tells us that we can receive communion twice in a day.

Having said that, we also want to be sure that we pay attention to the entire instruction. The phrase "within a Eucharistic celebration in which that person participates" is important. It means a) that we always have to think of receiving communion as being within a celebration of the Mass and b) we have to be participants in that celebration – we can't simply show up "in time" for communion.

So, when would this rule apply?

For example, if you attend Mass on a Saturday morning and then take part in the Sunday Vigil Mass on Saturday evening, you could licitly receive communion at both celebrations. Or, another example, if you receive communion at a wedding or funeral Mass, you could also receive communion at a daily Mass or Sunday Vigil celebrated on the same day.

We always want to be sure that we observe the rules for fasting from food and drink before receiving the Eucharist (see Code of Canon Law, no. 919).



**2023 HARVEST FUND**

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to St. Mary's Harvest Fund! We are very gratefully to the families who have given donations totaling \$26,175.00 so far. We hope all of our parish members will be able to share their bounty and blessings to help with fall and winter expenses for the parish. We thank the many generous parishioners for their continued support.

Goal:  
\$50,000  
\$45,000  
\$40,000  
\$35,000  
\$30,000  
\$25,000  
\$20,000  
\$15,000  
\$10,000  
\$5,000  
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**St. Mary Parish Council**

President: Melanie Mergen  
Members: Rose Bierman, Janet Patterson, RJ Osterhaus, Len Pritchett, Bill Mezera, Gary Mumm, Paul Wegmann

**St. John Parish Council**

President: Ray Breuer  
Members: Cindy Morgan, Leo Breuer, McKenzie Stagman, Kayla Needham

**St. John's Doughnut Sunday/ CCW News**

All are welcome to join us at St. John's for food and fellowship (Doughnut Sunday) on February 25 after Mass.

All St. John's ladies, please attend the St. John's CCW meeting on February 25 after Mass. We will be preparing our annual work group letters to be sent out.




**Lenten Program Every Monday**

All in our parishes are welcome to attend a Lenten Program at 4:00 p.m. at St. Mary's School. The group will meet each Monday of Lent and use *Restore*, a guided journal for prayer and meditation, by Sr. Miriam James Heidland to experience the tenderness of God's mercy and love. For more information please contact Andrea Mezera or Barb Bernhardt.

**Family Faith Formation Classes**

The next class will be held at St. Charles School, Cassville on Wednesday, March 13 at 6:45 p.m.



**ST. MARY'S FISH FRY**  
Everyone is invited to attend St. Mary's Fish Fry on Friday, March 8 from 4:30-7:00 p.m. in the church basement with carry-out at the school. There will also be a CASH raffle in conjunction with Catholic Financial Life Branch #34. Donations toward the Raffle prizes would be greatly appreciated. St. Mary's Parish members please pick up your Fish Fry envelope and check to see if you are on the work list.

**Parish Financial Updates**

**PLEASE HELP US PAY OUR EXPENSES**

**St. Mary's Collections for the period ending February 16, 2024**

Church Support.....	\$3,355.00
Offertory.....	\$152.00
Harvest Fund.....	\$300.00
DST.....	\$80.00
School Tuition.....	\$56.67
Rent of Parish Facilities.....	\$200.00
Respect Life Collection.....	\$25.00

St. Mary's families are asked to generously contribute toward the support of parish expenses. Single members are asked to contribute \$500.00 and family are asked to contribute 1,000.00.

**St. John's Collections for the week ending on February 16, 2024**

Church Support.....	\$110.00
Offertory.....	\$128.00

St. John's families are asked to generously contribution toward the support of parish expenses.

**St. John's Ministry Schedule for March 3, 2024**

8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass  
Lector: Barb Stagman  
Communion: Roger McKinney  
Ushers: Gene Harris, Ray Breuer  
Servers: Ty & Matthew Tolle

**St. Mary Ministry Schedule for March 3, 2024**

10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass  
Lector: Mary Sue White  
Communion: Sue Gotto  
Sacristan: Greg & Jane Patterson  
Gifts: Matt & Kim Vogt  
Ushers: Dan Bierman, Jeff Myhre  
Servers: Libby & Tessa Vogt



**ST. CHARLES FISH FRY**

Mark your calendar and plan to attend St. Charles Fish Fry on Friday, March 22, from 5:00-7:30 p.m. Parishioners are asked to donate a dessert or \$10.00 towards the food for the Fish Fry.



**Reflection**

“You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything...” - Exodus 20:4  
How many “gods” do you put before God? “Idols” do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot like pride, power, ego, time, comfort or health. Pray for God’s help to prune our vices and to grow in virtue.



**Glen Haven Fire Department Breakfast**

Everyone is invited to attend the Glen Haven Fire Department Pancake & Sausage Breakfast on Sunday, March 24, 2024 from 8:00 a.m.–noon. The All You Can Eat Breakfast will include: pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, milk, orange juice or coffee. The cost is \$10.00 /meal dine-in or carry-out. And children 6 years old and younger eat for FREE. The proceeds will benefit the Glen Haven Fire Department’s Training and Equipment Fund.



**St. Charles Catholic Montessori Early Education Program**

If you have questions or if you would like to register your child, please contact Cassie Okey at [cassie.okey@stcharlescassville.org](mailto:cassie.okey@stcharlescassville.org).

**Catholic HEART Work Camp 2024 Nashville, TN on June 23-29th**

Any high school students interested in attending, please call Cheryl at 608-725-5595 or Angela 608-794-2107.

**Family Faith Formation Classes**

The next class will be held at St. Charles School, Cassville on Wednesday, March 13 at 6:45 p.m.



**CCW Bake Sale—March 22**

Dear Ladies of the Parish,  
Mark your calendar for the St. Charles CCW Bake Sale in conjunction with the St. Charles Fish Fry on Friday, March 22. More details will be forthcoming.  
Blessings to All!



**Blessed Carlo Acutis**

Blessed Carlo Acutis (1991–2006) was born in London, England and raised in Milan, Italy. From an early age, he displayed a remarkable talent for computer programming and a deep love for the Christ in the Eucharist. He loved sports, particularly soccer, playing video games, graphic novels, and volunteering with those in need outside of his school hours.

Carlo’s particular devotion to the Eucharist was inspired by St. Francis of Assisi and evident in that he spent time in prayer before his parish’s tabernacle either before or after every Mass he attended. He tried to go to Mass daily and he saw the Eucharist as a tangible manifestation of God’s love.

With his tech-savvy skills, young Carlo spent four years creating a website that catalogued Eucharistic miracles from around the world. The purpose of his site was to increase awareness and appreciation for the Eucharist while also celebrating the worldwide Church. His hope for this project was to inspire those who visited the site to deepen their faith and develop a stronger relationship with Jesus.

Tragically, in 2006 when Carlo was just 15, his life was cut short when he succumbed to leukemia. Despite this, his story, and website, live on as a shining example of youthful holiness. Recognizing his extraordinary sanctity, the Church beatified Carlo on October 10, 2020, making him the first millennial to be beatified.

Carlo’s beatification has gone on to spark a renewed interest in the Eucharist among some young people today. His story also serves as a reminder that holiness is attainable even amid modern challenges and that today’s tools, like computers and the internet, can also be an avenue through which someone can serve the Kingdom of God. Blessed Carlo, pray for us!

**PARISH FINANCIAL UPDATES**

**PLEASE HELP US PAY OUR EXPENSES**

**St. Charles, Cassville for February 17, 2024**

Church Support.....\$1,590.00

Offertory.....\$100.00

**St. Charles, Cassville for February 10, 2024**

Church Support.....\$2,965.00

Offertory.....\$180.00

Fuel Fund.....\$250.00

**St. Charles, Cassville for February 3, 2024**

Church Support.....\$1,140.00

Offertory.....\$196.90

DST.....\$160.00

School Support.....\$1,600.00

*St. Charles suggested giving is \$1,400.00 a year for a married couple and \$700.00 a year for a single household.*

**St. Mary’s, Glen Haven for February 17, 2024**

Church Support.....\$220.00

Offertory.....\$59.00

**St. Charles’ Ministry Schedule**

**4:30 p.m. Mass on March 2, 2024**

Lector: Judy Adrian  
Sacristan: Judy Adrian  
Communion: Kris Mumm  
Servers: Easton & Beckett Uppena  
Ushers: Marge Tennesen, Joe Ploessl, Tom Vondrum

**St. Mary’s, Glen Haven**

**8:00 p.m. Mass on March 2, 2024**

Lector: Ed Breuer  
Communion: Tracy Walz  
Servers: Leah & Rachel Patterson  
Ushers: Tim Walz, Ken Breuer

**St. Charles Parish Council**

President: Denny Uppena  
Members: Judy Adrian, Suzanne Brinkman, Agnes Hughes, Isaac Okey, Gina Kartman, Cliff Tennesen, Joe Uppena

**St. Mary Help of Christians Parish Council**

President: Joe Breuer  
Members: Ed Breuer, Sue Kuenster, Tracy Walz, John Smith, Doug White



## Celebrate Life

The traditional practice of “giving something up for Lent” is a practice of self-denial; our Lord said that to follow him, we must deny our very selves. It means we say No to ourselves and Yes to God and others. This reverses the pattern of sin, which says Yes to ourselves and No to God and others. In our culture, the most violent No to God and others is abortion. Over three thousand times every day in our nation, people say No to a little child so that they may say Yes to their fears or their plans. This Lent, as we practice self-denial, let’s think of these children. Let’s offer our sacrifices for them. May all say Yes to God and Yes to the unborn. For more ideas about how to foster respect for the unborn this Lent, visit our Priests for Life website at [www.EndAbortion.US](http://www.EndAbortion.US).

## Life Begins at Conception!

At 18 days a baby’s heart begins to beat and by the 43rd day after conception a baby’s brain is coordinating movements. All of a baby’s organs are functioning at 8 weeks and a baby can smile, suck his/her thumb and make a fist by 12 weeks.

## Help is Available

If you need support for an unplanned pregnancy, please contact the **Clarity Clinic of SW Wisconsin** at 608-348-5787 or email at [clientservices@claritywi.com](mailto:clientservices@claritywi.com) or the **Women’s Care Center in Madison, WI** at 608-241-8100. For more information on pro-life issues, visit [www.WisconsinRightToLife.org](http://www.WisconsinRightToLife.org).

## St. Catherine Ministry: We are here to support families through miscarriage

St. Catherine Ministry is here to accompany anyone who has received the sad news of a miscarriage. From providing miscarriage kits to referring for burial sites to crying with you, we want to help because we have been there, too. It’s as simple as contacting St. Catherine Ministry director Laura Karlen at [ljkarlen@hotmail.com](mailto:ljkarlen@hotmail.com) or 608-445-2064.

## Rachel’s Vineyard

Whether recent or many years ago... Rachel’s Vineyard retreats offer hope and peace for anyone, women or men who have struggled with the emotional or spiritual pain after abortion. Upcoming retreat: March 15-17. Confidential. Contact Mary: [rachel@madisondiocese.org](mailto:rachel@madisondiocese.org) or 608-821-3177. Visit: [www.madisondiocese.org/rachel](http://www.madisondiocese.org/rachel)

## Cassville AA and Al-Anon Meetings

The AA meetings are every Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. at the Municipal Building in Cassville.



## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

“This is my beloved Son. Listen to him.” Let us learn to listen better to each other and God on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on March 9-10 in Wisconsin; April 27-28 in Mundelein, IL or May 4-5 in Muskego, WI. Visit our website at: [alifetimeoflove.org](http://alifetimeoflove.org) or call (888) 574-5653.

*Love God, serve God; everything is in that.*  
- St. Clare of Assisi

## MEETINGS

- \*February 25-St. John’s CCW meeting after Mass
- \*March 5 - St. John’s Parish Council meeting at 6:30 p.m.

## EVENTS

- \*February 25-Doughnut Sunday at St. John Church after Mass
- \*February 25-Lenten Reflection by Bishop Hying at St. Andrew Church, Tennyson with adoration at 6:00 p.m., reflection at 7:00 p.m. and social at Ss. Andrew-Thomas School at 8:00 p.m.
- \*March 8-St. Mary’s Fish Fry in Bloomington
- \*March 12-St. John’s Food Pantry 12:00-1:00 p.m.
- \*March 22- St. Charles Fish Fry
- \*March 22-24-TEC Retreat at St. Mary Church, Bloomington
- \*March 31-Easter
- \*April 9- St. John’s Food Pantry 12:00-1:00 p.m.
- \*April 21-St. Charles First Communion
- \*April 28-St. Mary’s First Communion

## CASSVILLE FFA ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP BREAKFAST

The Cassville FFA Alumni will be holding a pancake breakfast on Sunday, February 25 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the Cassville High School cafeteria. Price is \$10 per adults, \$5.00 for ages 5 to 11, and children under 4 eat free. Meal includes: pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, applesauce, cheese curds, milk, coffee, and orange juice. Dine-in or Carry-out.

## Men of Christ Conference

On March 9, Corpus Christi Parish in Boscobel. WI will again be a host site for the 18th annual 2024 Men of Christ Conference. This years topic is "Mastering What Matters."

This years nationally recognized speakers will be Kevin O'Brien, CEO of Best Version Media and co-founder of Men of Christ. Sam Blair, former Navy Seal, Fr. Mark Bernhard, founder of "Fit Shepherds", and Dave Durrand, father of 6, best selling author and Catholic radio host.

The conference will be live streamed with over 5,000 Christian men statewide participating. The day will begin with optional mass at 8:00 at Immaculate Conception Church and the conference beginning at 8:45 am in the Immaculate Conception Fellowship Hall located at 405 East Legrand street in Boscobel. Breakfast items will be provided with lunch following the conference end at around 12:30. The conference is "Free" to all men 16 and over. You can register at [menofchrist.net](http://menofchrist.net) or contact Joe (608-729-8891) or Tom (608-553-1374).



## National Eucharistic Congress

The National Eucharistic Congress, an event expected to draw tens of thousands of Catholic lay-people, priests and religious, will be held in Indianapolis July 17-21, 2024. JESUS WILL BE THERE. WILL YOU? For more information, check out the National Eucharistic Congress website, or contact Bernadette Schaefer at [bschaefer2020@outlook.com](mailto:bschaefer2020@outlook.com) or 608-723-7475.



## The National Suicide & Crisis

Lifeline-Call, text or chat 988 to reach a trained counselor. These trained counselors will listen, understand how problems are affecting a person, provide support, and connect them to resources if necessary. **There is help specifically for farmers.**