

St. Mary's

Polish National Catholic Church

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The Third Sunday of Lent



March 20th, 2022

9am Mass: Joan Spilka of. by husband John

Readings: Exodus 3:1-8; 1Cor 10:1-6,10-12; Luke 13:1-9

Greeters – Barb Bogzevitz & Martha Repede

Lector – Barb Bogzevitz

Collectors – Bob Samelson & Greg Hodor

- SOCL & Coffee Hour takes place after 9am Mass

- Parish Committee Meets after 9am Holy Mass

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, March 21st

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

6pm – Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY, March 22nd

8pm – Diocesan Word of God Study – Week 4 of Lenten Study

WEDNESDAY, March 23rd

4pm – Weekly Food Ministry provided

6pm – Bible Study – Movie Night

THURSDAY, March 24th

6-8pm – Women's AA meets in Fellowship Hall

FRIDAY, March 25th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day – Annunciation of the BVM

6pm – Sorrowful Lamentations, Week 2

SATURDAY, March 26th

9am – Holy Mass begins parish Women's Retreat

8pm – Saturday AA Meets

SUNDAY, March 27th - The Fourth Sunday of Lent

9am Mass: Rt. Rev. Jan Dawidziuk of. by family

Readings: Joshua 5:9,10-12; 2Cor 5:17-21; Luke 15:1-3,11-32

Greeters – Gail Perz & Claire Hunek

Lector – Bob Samelson

Collectors – John Kasperczyk & Gene Stepanik

- SOCL & Coffee Hour takes place after 9am Mass

- YMSofR Meets shortly after 9am Holy Mass

Announcements

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER – Today, and for all of March, we will use the 5th Eucharistic Prayer on p. 92.

COLLECTION FOR UKRAINE – The Prime Bishop of the PNCC, the Most Rev. Anthony Mikovsky, has advised parishes to have a collection that will support our sister parishes in the PNKK, our sister denomination in Poland. They are ministering directly to Ukrainian refugees and the collection can be submitted to the National Church. Our parish committee will decide today when and how this takes place here.

LENTEN FOOD COLLECTION – We’ve begun a 4-week guided Food Collection. Once again, we will be collecting on behalf of the Parma Hunger Center and our own parish weekly Food Ministry. We are partnering with the Polish National Union of America spring program: People Need Us- Roll away the Stone of Hunger, sponsored by PNU District 5 & 12 and hosted by Branch 112. For next Sunday, March 27, please bring carbs!: pasta, mac and cheese, rice, crackers, etc.

MISSION & EVANGELISM – Takes place April 1-3 at our sister parish, Resurrection Parish Temperance, MI April 1-3. Flyers are posted and packets are available near the church mailboxes. If interested in attending & staying overnight, a \$50 reimbursement is available- see Fr. Jason.

ONLINE WORD OF GOD STUDY – All are invited to a Western Diocese online Word of God Study during Lent. Studies are held Tuesday evening Mar. 23, 30 & April 5 at 8pm via Zoom. There is no cost to attend and the theme is “Witness at the Cross”.

LENTEN SOUP SUPPER – Thank you to all who supported this past Friday night’s dinner, with so many options of soup on a warm March evening. Special appreciation to the Repede family, who led the event.

LENTEN CROSS – The Mission Team is again sponsoring the Lenten Prayer Cross. It was raised on Ash Wednesday and placed in the back, parking lot side corner of the church (Mary’s corner – her statue and window reside there!). Please take on that Lenten discipline of increased prayer and devotion and plan on placing your prayers upon it.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS –Continue each Friday during Lent, alternating between Stations and Sorrowful Lamentations (Mar. 25, Apr 8). They will be accompanied by a short sermon or the Benediction/Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament (on April 8).

KIELBASA – The choir will be making their famous kielbasa on Saturday, April 9. Orders may be placed with Chris Paulus for cased or loose fresh kielbasa at a cost of \$6 per pound.

WOMEN’S RETREAT – On Saturday, March 26, there will be a mini Lenten retreat for all women of the parish. It begins at 9am with Holy Mass and follows with breakfast, 2 short presentations, and time of prayer. Please see Patty Temesi or Fr. Jason if interested.

UPCOMING

- Mar 22- Online Dioc. Word of God Study-see annncmt.
- Mar 23 –Next Bible Study
- Mar 25-Sorrowful Lamentations
- Mar 26 – Women’s Retreat
- Apr 1-3- M & E Worskshop
- Apr 8- Sorrowful Lamentations with Exposition of the Sacrament
- Apr 9 – Kielbasa Making
- May 2-4-Dioc. Clergy Conf.
- May 20-21- Bowling Tourney
- June 15-18- Men’s Retreat
- June 24-25- Diocesan Choir Convention & Concert
- Jul 18-22- Convo 2022
- Sep 3-YMSofR Golf Tourney

EASTER KOLACZKI – You can place your Easter Kolaczki order with the forms near the parish mailboxes, by speaking to Patti Dotson or Susan Boehnlein. Pick up is Holy Saturday.

COLLECTOR WANTED – We want at least one more collector to be included in our Sunday schedule for 9am Mass – no experience needed, or is being a male required for the job! Please see Fr. Jason-

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary’s parishioners, family and friends:

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| Helen Cummings | Patti Dotson | John Spilka |
| Bill Kastak | Marty Bengela | Ralph & June Zaun |
| Johanna Markiewicz | Anna Dawidziuk | Barb & Jim Lukas |
| Bill & Pat Glatzer | Mary Ann Loschelder | Tom Petrie |
| Hilda Grabowski | Polly Gajda | Mike Matis |
| Chester Warzala | Tom Putynski | Mike Pescitelli |
| Nancy Kohut | Millie Dominik | Amy Dreger |
| Jack Spilka | John Wisniewski | Elaine Repede |
| Joseph Bischoff | Steve Wisniewski | David Micka |
| Wanda Clark | Beth Chihill | Keith Reynolds |
| Michelle Ostrowski | Jane Hunter | Jo Orlowski |
| Jay Grabowsky | Pam Chesar | Kenny Mach |
| Jeff Lukas | Emma Freshwater | Jennifer Kmitt |
| Laina Dachtal | Nina Braquet | Paulette Lilli |
| Cherise Pacanovsky | Astrid Wisniewski | Cecelia Hall |
| Jeremy Steinbreck | Chris Minch | Ricky Koehler |
| Richard & Edna Samelson | Cathy Pieciak | Daniel Morgan |
| Wanda Heffner | Bryson Dzurhoff | Sheri Sefcik |
| Rich Dombrowski | Shawna | Diane Black |
| Stephanie Milla | Jim & Valerie Steiner | Renee Lucas |
| Kathleen Sobocinski | Caroline O’Connor | Linda Marks |
| Linda & Rick Duffy | Marilyn Girard | Patrick Kmitt |
| James & Bobbi Moss | Jim Giles | Mary Cawley |
| George & Linda Makovicka | Shannon Alberino | Kim Penney |
| Ron & Jill Joreski | Bob Kaczmarek | Kate Stallbaum |
| Kathy Robertson | Loretta Baldwin | Mark Magda |

ALL WHO ARE IN NURSING HOMES OR ASSISTED LIVING

ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING

ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD

Bless them, O Lord.

Poblogosław im, O Boże