Sunday, March 17th – The Second Sunday in Lent

9am Mass: Joan Spilka of. by husband John

11am Polish Mass: Open Intention

Readings: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18, Philippians 3:17-4:1, Luke 9:28-36

Lector - Bob Samelson

Greeters – Gail Perz & Claire Hunek Collectors – Pete Moritz & Greg Hodor

- Coffee Hour & SOCL take place after 9am Mass
- Parish Committee Meets after 11am Holy Mass

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, March 18th

9am: Holy Mass of the Day 9:30-Noon: Office Hours 7pm: Polish Language Class

TUESDAY, March 19th

9am: Holy Mass of the Day – St. Joseph, spouse of Mary

WEDNESDAY, March 20th

THURSDAY, March 21st

Noon: Holy Mass of the Day 7pm – Women's AA Meets

FRIDAY, March 22nd

5-7pm: Pasta Dinner – see flyers and announcement: volunteers, please

once again wear any red St. Mary's T-shirt

6pm: Stations of the Cross 6pm: Polish School begins

SATURDAY, March 23rd

10am: Lenten Retreat begins in Temperance, MI- see announcement

8pm – Parma Saturday meets

SUNDAY, March 24th - The Third Sunday in Lent

9am Mass: Hanna Pryer of. by husband Len & family

11am Polish Mass: Open Intention

Readings: Exodus 3:1-8,13-15, 1Corinthians 10:1-6,10-12, Luke 13:1-9

Lector – Natalie Soltysiak

Greeters – John Kobalka & Katie Repede Collectors – Bob Samelson & Gene Stepanik

- Coffee Hour, SOCL & Sodality meeting take place after 9am Mass
- 3pm Bowling at Red Circle Lanes

Announcements

<u>LENTEN DEVOTIONS</u> – Take place Friday evenings at 6:00pm. They are rotated between Stations of the Cross and the Sorrowful (Bitter) Lamentations. Please consider joining us for these short devotions.

<u>1st COMMUNION</u> – Last week, Miss Bella receives her 1st Holy Communion. It was a beautiful morning with a beautiful and bright girlshe answered all her questions correctly...and she made us all want to brush up on our catechism and knowledge of the church!

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER- Today, and for the entire month of March, we will use the 4th Eucharistic Prayer found on page 88.

<u>PICK A NUMBER!</u> – St. Mary's is running a "Pick a Number" Fundraiser once again, featured in the foyer as it was last year. The fundraiser has begun, and numbers are disappearing fast! Not only is each number a donation; each number gives you the chance to win something. Prizes range from hefty gift cards to lottery scratch-offs.

PHC FOOD COLLECTION – St. Mary's is offering the chance at "directed Lenten denial", honoring the Lenten tradition of almsgiving by asking parishioners to offer goods that will be given to the Parma Hunger Center and distributed locally. We will do 3weeks of collecting: March 24, 31, and April 7. For next Sunday, March 24, please bring goods for infant and young child care: diapers, baby food, baby & kid's snacks, etc. & bring them to the table in the Wexford Ave. back corner of church.

<u>LENTEN CROSS</u> – The Mission Team is sponsoring the Lenten Prayer Cross. It has been placed in the back, parking lot side corner of the church. Please take on this Lenten discipline of devotion and increased prayer and plan on placing your prayers upon it.

<u>OLD PALMS</u> – You may bring your old palms to church so that they may be disposed of properly. Palms are blessed and should not be

UPCOMING

Mar 22 – Lenten Pasta Dinner

Mar 23 – Seniorate Retreat

Mar 24 – Next bowling day

Mar 29-31- Mission & Evangelism

workshop in CT

Apr 13 – Kielbasa Making

Apr 14-Palm Sunday Bake Sale

Apr 21 – Easter Sunday

Apr 23-Baker's Square fundraiser

Apr 28 – Easter Potluck

May 16-18 – Men's Retreat

June 7-9 – Bowling Tourney

simply thrown away. There are collection boxes in the vestibule of the church and under the crucifix going upstairs to church.

LENTEN RETREAT – Our Seniorate
Lenten Retreat takes place Saturday, March
23 at Resurrection PNCC in Temperance,
MI- right outside of Toledo. Transportation
may be provided, leaving the church around
7:50am and returning around 4pm. There is
no cost- Please sign the sign-up sheet if
interested in attending. The event will

include an "Explanation & Interrupt Mass", as well as discussion & delicious food. – See the posted flyers & sign-up sheet.

<u>KIELBASA</u> – A kind reminder that Kielbasa making takes place on April 13th. Please get your orders into Chris Paulus.

<u>PASTA DINNER</u> – This Friday, March 22 from 5-7pm, we will hold our Lenten Pasta Dinner as part of our Lenten Dinner series. Meals will be \$7 for adults and \$3 for children. Pasta, sauce, garlic bread, and salad will be available. Please grab a flyer and pass the information along!

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners:

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Barbara Baranowski	Patti Dotson	John Spilka	
Bill & Joan Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun	
Johanna Markiewicz	Anna Dawidziuk	Barb Bogzevitz	
Bill & Pat Glatzer	Mary Ann Loschel	der Tom Petrie	
Helen Budney	Polly Gajda	Len Pryer	
Chester & Ann Warzala	Tom Putynski	Louise Cygan	
Craig Atherton	Millie Dominik	Amy Dreger	
Jack Spilka	Halina Dreger	Elizabeth Starnawski	

Please pray for family and friends of St. Mary's:

Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Keith Reynolds
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Paul Kazinetz Jr.
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	Rose Petrosky
Donna Kidd	Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysia	k Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Anthony Soltysiak	Paulette Lilli
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Charlotte Williamson	Fr. Gus Sicard	Chris Minch
Bob Phipps	Edna Samelson	Daniel Morgan
Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzuroff	Ricky Koehler
Jeremy Steinbrick	Rich Dombrowski	Linda Duffy
Sylvia Kowalski	John Michalczyk	Courtney Austin
Sharon Seitz	Caroline O'Connor	Barbara Thome
Jeannie Bartko Muran	Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Marilyn Girard
Stephanie Milla	John Clark Sr.	Mary Cawley
George & Linda Makovicka	Shannon Alberino	Bill Hinton
Loretta Baldwin	Julia Badarzynski	Kate Stallbaum
Fr. Sr. Greg Młudzik	Paul S.	Michael McGivern
Diane Black	Emma Freshwater	Jennifer Kless

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

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<u>TO OUR VISITORS</u> — We welcome you to St. Mary's today. Please consider joining us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments. We hope you enjoyed your time with us and plan on worshipping with us again.