

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT - MARCH 8TH 2020



SATURDAY, March 7th

8:30 A.M. In Honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Req. by Renna Meyer
4:30 P.M. + Ward Russell Cooper
Req. by his Family

SUNDAY, March 8th

8:00 A.M. **Second Sunday of Lent**
+ Alexander Paley
Req. by the Montrose Family
10:30 A.M. + Louis R. Bukvich
Req. by his Family

MONDAY, March 9th

8:00 A.M. People of the Parish

TUESDAY, March 10th

No Mass

WEDNESDAY, March 11th

8:00 A.M. + Archie Reid
Req. by his Family

THURSDAY, March 12th

8:00 A.M. + Dolores Wynn
Req. by Alice Heidecker

FRIDAY, March 13th

8:00 A.M.
7:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross
7:30 P.M. Special Blessings on Frank Dando and Family
Req. by Marguerite Violante

SATURDAY, March 14th

8:30 A.M.
4:30 P.M. Deceased members of the Harcher and
LeRose Families
Req. by Peter & Jean LeRose

SUNDAY, March 15th

8:00 A.M. **Third Sunday of Lent**
People of the Parish and Rosemarie Miller
Req. by her husband
10:30 A.M. + Ann LeFevre Gilchrist
Req. by her Family

IF YOU HAVE ARRANGED FOR A MASS, WE REMIND YOU THAT IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THE GIFTS—PLEASE SEE THE USHERS BEFORE MASS BEGINS. THANK YOU.



PLEASE PRAY FOR AN INCREASE IN VOCATIONS, AND FOR THE SAFETY OF ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL, MILITARY PERSONNEL, AND FIREFIGHTERS.



Rose Compitello, Barbara Valk, Sarah Leavy, Marian Boyle, Brittany Lea Cassisi, Frank Kosteczko, Diane Malloy, Kelly DeStefano, Joe Sabo, Jeanne Ann Dlugolecki, Fran Burgess, Shawn Herzog, Mike Mazzola, Anthony Prestia, Dave Hatfield, Laura Corbett, Emonn, William Honald, Special Intentions, Ronnie Devlin, Ann Babcock, Louise Brooks and David Fitzgerald. If you know of someone in need of prayer, please let us know by calling the rectory.



ST. CHARLES'S ROSARY SOCIETY
ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN THE ROSARY SOCIETY AFTER THE 8 AM MASS EVERY THURSDAY MORNING.

LECTORS

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| 03/07 | 4:30 p.m. | Marguerite Violante |
| 03/08 | 8:00 a.m. | Kathleen Fowler |
| 03/08 | 10:30 a.m. | Need Volunteer |
| 03/14 | 4:30 p.m. | Ann Gulbrandsen |
| 03/15 | 8:00 a.m. | Kathleen Fowler |
| 03/15 | 10:30 a.m. | Lori and Darius Youssefbaik |

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF EUCHARIST

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| 03/07 | 4:30 p.m. | R.Meyer, P. LeRose, A. Gulbrandsen |
| 03/08 | 8:00 a.m. | C. Naclerio, D. Allen, J. Betanzos |
| 03/08 | 10:30 a.m. | M. Regino, A. Heidecker, Need Volunteer |
| 03/14 | 4:30 p.m. | R.Meyer, P. LeRose, Carmel Bells |
| 03/15 | 8:00 a.m. | G. Collins, M. Alonzo, J. Betanzos |
| 03/15 | 10:30 a.m. | C. Donato, V. Stankavage, Need Volunteer |

ALTAR SERVERS

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| 03/07 | 4:30 p.m. | D & J. Reynolds |
| 03/08 | 8:00 a.m. | J. Cook, Need Volunteers |
| 03/08 | 10:30 a.m. | R. Perillo, V. Perry |
| 03/14 | 4:30 p.m. | D. & J. Reynolds |
| 03/15 | 8:00 a.m. | A. DeGroat, Need Volunteers |
| 03/15 | 10:30 a.m. | G. Usewicz, A. Santacroce |

MEMORIALS

This week's Sanctuary Candle was given in loving memory of Dolores Wynn by her Family.

Arrangements for Memorials can be made in the rectory office. You may call or stop in.



ATTENDANCE & COLLECTION –

February 29 & March 1st Attendance 247
(220 Adults and 27 Children)

Regular Collection: \$3457.50

Ash Wednesday \$733.00

Initial Envelope: \$15.00 Parish Support: \$2206.00

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES

If you have not picked up your Contribution envelopes, please do so. They are on the table in the vestibule. Thank you.

NEXT WEEKEND THERE WILL BE A COLLECTION FOR CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES.

2020 SANCTUARY FLOWER CALENDAR

Anyone wishing to have flowers placed in the sanctuary area of our Church is asked to mark the calendar found in the vestibule. Payment for the flowers (\$40) may be brought to the rectory or placed in the collection basket marked Altar Flowers. Thank you.

We are LOOKING for New Ideas for future Fundraisers. If you have an idea please call the rectory or speak with Father Matthew.



First Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a

God calls Abraham to leave his family and people and go to a new land. God promises to make the people of this new nation great and to bless Abraham.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10

Paul, from his place of imprisonment in Rome, writes words of encouragement to Timothy, telling him that Christ is for them everlasting life.

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

Wishing to reveal His glory to Peter, James and John, Jesus takes them to a mountain where he is transfigured before them. When Peter exclaims that he will build three tabernacles here in honor of Jesus, Moses and Elijah, a voice from above proclaims: "This is My beloved Son on whom My favor rests. Listen to him."

**A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS
HIS WORD TODAY** by Rev. William J. Reilly

"Bear your share of hardship for the gospel with the strength that comes from God. He saved us and called us to a holy life, not according to our works but according to his own design and the grace bestowed on us in Christ Jesus before time began, but now made manifest through the appearance of our savior Jesus Christ."

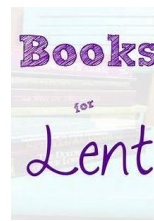
The world of advertising and consumerism tells us what we need and cannot do without. How many things do I buy or work for are only for my convenience and or satisfaction.

Lent is a time for our own buying spree. Salvation in Jesus Christ is something that I cannot do without. I speak of my need, our needs, today, and Jesus continues to support us. I want to make the same effort seeking His grace and the gift of salvation, as others do for some material thing.

This Lent is my Lent to seek, ask and find. May this second seek bring me what I need the most – His saving grace.



During Lent, the Service Music will be sung in Latin. It can be found starting on page 50 in your missals. Remember that when you sing a prayer you receive a double blessing.



In this is love: not that we have loved God, but that He loved us and sent His son as expiation for our sins. (1 Jn 4:10) Find that perfect book in our library to prepare your observance of Lent, a preparation for the crucifixion and our redemption by the Son of God. **READ, RETURN OR PASS IT ON**



Our traditional Lenten disciplines of fasting, penance, abstinence and almsgiving unite us with Christ's sacrifice and prepare us for the events of Holy Week and the joy of Easter Resurrection.

LENTEN RULES: ABSTINENCE, FASTING, PRAYER, ALMSGIVING

ABSTINENCE from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years old and older on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all the Fridays of Lent.

FASTING is observed by all Catholics on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday who are 18 years old but not required by those who have reached 59 years of age or have a medical condition. Those who are bound to fast take only one full meal a day, but may take two smaller meals if necessary.

GIVING ALMS Another rule of Lent requires Catholics to show generosity to needy people, whether they are poor, aged, sick or suffering in some other way. They are encouraged to give alms to charities as well.

PRAYING the fourth main rule involves prayer. We are encouraged to grow spiritually by devoting more time to individual and family prayer, reciting the rosary, reading the Scriptures, receiving the sacrament of Reconciliation and attending Mass during the week if possible.

Fridays during Lent Mass will be held at 8 am, Stations of the Cross at 7PM, followed by Mass at 7:30PM.

May this Lenten Season be a source of grace and holiness for you and your families.





We are building a Safety Team for our parish....And we need YOU

We would like to thank those who have come forward in joining our Parish Safety Team. We are looking for assistance from: Current or retired Law Enforcement, Doctors, Nurses, Military, EMT and anyone trained in First Aid. However, any adult interested is welcome to become part of the Safety Team! If you are willing to share your experience and expertise as a member of this Safety Team, or for more information, please contact Christina Wynn, CRE (st.charlesborromeo.CRE@gmail.com) or call the Rectory at: 255-1374

CHRIST IN THE CITY

Hello to St. Charles parishioners from Christ in the City in Denver, CO! My name is Emily Flaherty, and it has been quite some time since August when you graciously welcomed me into your parish to invite you on mission with me in funding my missionary year with Christ in the City, a Catholic non-profit which serves those experiencing homelessness in Denver, CO. Sometimes our experience of giving can be without seeing the fruits of our yes to God's invitation to generosity or we can feel removed from the mission work itself and feel as though we have not had much to do with it. I hope your experience can be different through my newsletters. **What is special about being a donor is that you are on this mission with me.** Our outreach to those suffering from homelessness, as well as the personal formation of the missionaries, is not possible without you. May you remember that your role in this mission is continual even when not physically visible. The fruitfulness of your generosity and most especially your ongoing prayers for our homeless friends is just as much missionary as our encounters on the streets and just as much necessary! I invite you to continue being on mission with me to the homeless through your prayers and receiving updates through my newsletters, which can be found at the following websites:

<https://tinyurl.com/rt65hxq>
<https://tinyurl.com/y27elvuc>

I would love to hear from you with any questions or any prayer intentions you may have! Feel free to reach out at any time to (845) 337-1508 and emilyf09@christinthecity.org

God bless you,
Emily



Many Hands Make LIGHT Work WANT TO HAVE FUN WHILE HELPING OUR CHURCH?

We are LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS Palm and Spring Gift Fundraiser.

. For more information, please call Donna Vertullo at 883-5823 TODAY!

Annual Rummage Sale. April 25th

If you would like to help with this fundraiser, please leave your name at the rectory 255-1374. If we do not have enough volunteers we might need to cancel this fundraiser.



KNIGHTS CORNER

New members are always welcome. Call Bill Freymann at 883-0138.

All are invited! Bring the family!

Pancake Breakfast



*Bacon
Sausage
French toast*

*Juice
Coffee
Milk*

**Sunday March 15, 2020
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM**

Location: St. Charles Borromeo Parish Hall

**Adults \$6.00
Children 6-10 \$3.00 and under 5 Free**

Hosted by St. Charles Borromeo Knights of Columbus Council #16415
Proceeds fund our local charity efforts



PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER YOUR GIFT



| <i>Suggested</i> | <i>5 Monthly</i> | <i>Daily</i> |
|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| <i>Total Pledge</i> | <i>Payments of</i> | <i>Sacrifice of</i> |
| \$150 | \$30 | \$0.90 |
| \$200 | \$50 | \$1.50 |
| \$500 | \$100 | \$3 |
| \$750 | \$150 | \$4.50 |
| \$1,000 | \$200 | \$6 |

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◆◆◆◆◆ \$30 - \$50 - \$100 -

◆◆◆◆◆ TO MAKE YOUR GIFT ONLINE, VISIT cardinalsappeal.org

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YOUR GIFT HELPS SUPPORT:

- 36,000***
- 74,635***
- 63***
- 27***
- 31*** parishes