



*St. John, St. Joseph,
St. Mary of the Assumption
Churches*
stsjmatholic.org

March 17, 2019
Second Sunday of Lent

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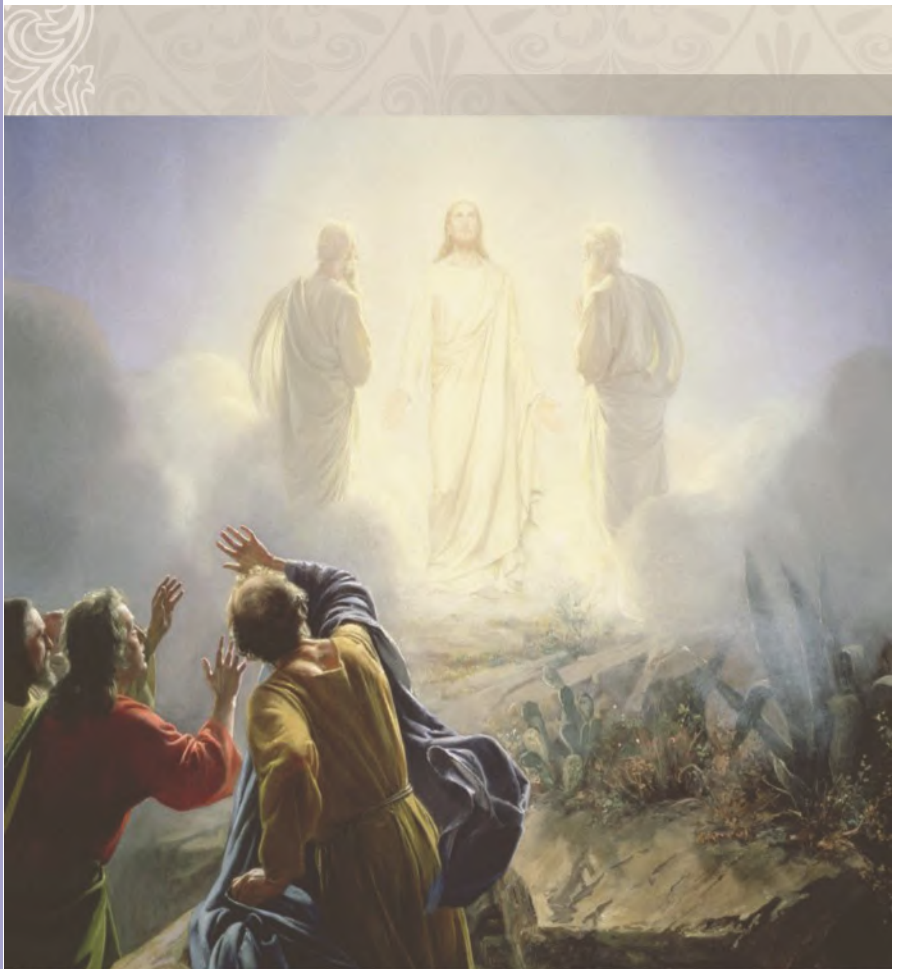
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2nd Sunday
O F L E N T

While he was praying his face changed in appearance
and his clothing became dazzling white. - Lk 9:29

Staff and Contacts

Sacraments:

Baptism

Instruction is required for first-time parents. Please call the Parish Office for arrangements.

Confession Schedule

Offered at the following times and Locations.

St. Mary of the Assumption

Saturday: 11:00AM - 12:00PM and by request/appointment

St. Joseph

Saturday: 12:00PM - 1:00PM and by request/appointment

St. John

By request/appointment

Marriage

Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the wedding date. Please call the Parish Office.

Sacramental Emergencies

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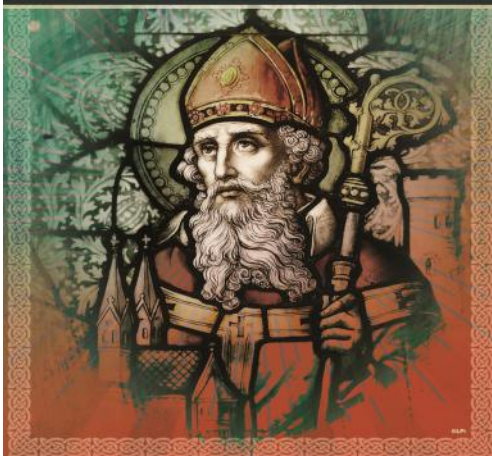
Carol Michel

Music Director

Capuchins in residence at the friary Fr. Albert Alexandrunas, Br. Joe Day,

Fr. Victor Kriley, Fr. James Kurtz, Fr. Gary Stakem,

SAINT PATRICK'S DAY



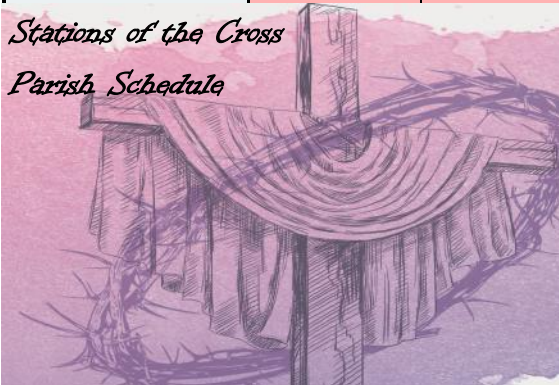
Readings of the Week

- Monday:** Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38
- Tuesday:** 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29 [37]/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
- Wednesday:** Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28
- Thursday:** Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31
- Friday:** Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
- Saturday:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
- Next Sunday:** Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

Mass Intentions

Date	Time	Location	Intention	Offered By
Saturday, March 16	4:00 PM	St. Mary	Jim Miller	Joan & Family
	5:30 PM	St. Joseph	Mia Freyermuth	Family
Sunday, March 17 2nd Sunday of Lent St. Patrick's Day	8:00 AM	St. Joseph	Deceased Pastors of St. Joseph Church	St. Joseph Christian Mothers & Women
	8:30 AM	St. John	Donnie Reott	Family
	9:30 AM	St. Mary	Parishioners of St. John, St. Joseph & St. Mary Parishes	
	11:00 AM	St. Joseph	Dorothy Schnur	John & Linda Dudkowski
Monday, March 18 St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Dr. of the Church	8:00 AM	St. Mary	Linda Michel	Anne Michel
Tuesday, March 19 St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary	8:00 AM	St. John	In Thanksgiving	Gary & Yolanda Cypher
Wednesday, March 20	9:00 AM	St. Joseph	Priest's Intention	
Thursday, March 21	8:00 AM	St. Mary	Living & Deceased of the Alfred & Mary Spohn Family	Mike & Liz Spohn
Friday, March 22 The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle	9:00 AM	St. Joseph	Corace Charney	ChristLife Team
Saturday, March 23 St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop	9:00 AM	St. Joseph	Sick Parishioners	St. Joseph Christian Mothers & Women
	4:00 PM	St. Mary	Janet Macurdy	Gene & Shirley Widenhofer
	5:30 PM	St. Joseph	Anne Klukaszewski	Frank Klukaszewski
Sunday, March 24 3rd Sunday of Lent	8:00 AM	St. Joseph	Parishioners of St. John, St. Joseph & St. Mary Parishes	
	8:30 AM	St. John	Irene McClafferty	Family
	9:30 AM	St. Mary	Rodney Scott	Joan Miller
	11:00 AM	St. Joseph	Olga Kocon	Family

Stations of the Cross
Parish Schedule



Friday March 22, 7PM	St. John's (Meager Meal 4:30)
Wednesday March 27, 7PM	St. Mary's
Friday March 29, 7PM	St. Joseph's
Friday April 5, 7PM	St. John's (Meager Meal 4:30)
Friday April 12, 8PM	St. Joseph's (Youth Shadow Stations)
Wednesday April 17, 7PM	St. Mary's
Good Friday April 19, 8PM	St. Mary's (Living Stations)
Good Friday April 19, 7PM	St. Joseph's (Stations only)

Prayer Intentions

Please remember in your prayers the sick, suffering, and homebound of our parish community.

Alex Yonker
Nicholas Miller
Donald Wiefling
Mary and Victor Carbin

Shirley Gallagher
Joyce Steele
Dean Schnur
Art Schnur

Jim Edwards
C.J. Kriley
Loretta Schnur
Janet Biscetlia

Marlene (Michel) Fisher
Fr. Victor Kriley, OFM, Cap.
Bernice Durand

St. Michael, the Archangel, Defend Us In Battle....

Pray for those in the military:

Melanie Whalen
Matthew McCandless
Jimmy Adley

Russell Bauer
Brandon Bauer

Trevor Cottage
Jordan Cottage
Nicholas Cottage

Stephen Konyha
Dustin Michel

Please remember to call Saint Mary Parish Office at 724-285-3285 or email Jenn at stmarybulletin@zoominternet.net to add or remove names from the prayer list and military list.

ON MISSION FOR
THE CHURCH
ALIVE!

It Is Good That We Are Here – As we hear the account of the Transfiguration of Jesus in today’s Gospel, it is hard not to try to imagine what that scene was like. Picture yourself standing with Peter, James and John as Jesus, joined by Moses and Elijah,

suddenly appears in dazzling white and surrounded in glory. The reaction of those Apostles was not one of fear, but of joy. Peter exclaims, “it is good that we are here,” and suggests that they build tents so that they could remain in the presence of such a glorious scene for ever. What the Apostles did not know then, although we have the privilege of realizing now, is that their desire would become the reality of the Church. Each time we come to Mass, Jesus is raised up before our very eyes as he is made present in the Eucharist. As we gaze upon the host we see Christ in the flesh with eyes of faith. And as we receive Him in Holy Communion, he remains with us to strengthen us to be about the work of discipleship. While there are many crosses we currently have to bear as Catholics, the opportunities we have each week to come face to face with our God who gives us life and assists us in carrying our crosses. Visit onmissionchurchalive.org to learn more and to stay informed.

Attention!! All Pastoral Council Members!
Combined Parish Council Meeting!
St Joseph’s, Monday, April 8 @ 7PM



Interim Mass Schedule Survey

Parishioners of St. John, St. Joseph and St. Mary parishes are asked to complete a two-page survey regarding the Interim Mass Schedule for our grouping. You can find the survey on our common website now thru Sunday, March 24.

Website: www.stsjmatholic.org

There is a link on the Home Page clearly defined as **survey**. Once you click on the link, you will view the survey. Simply follow the instructions to complete the form. One survey per parishioner, please. The link will be removed at midnight on March 24.

If you do not have access to the internet or are not especially internet friendly, there will be paper copies available in each church’s entrance and a receptacle in which to deposit your completed form. Your name must appear on the form in order to be accepted. So that we can follow up on your comments, indicate email and/or phone number.

Calendar of Events

Week of March 17

St. John Parish Calendar

- March 17 CGS-Grade 5 CCD, 9:45-11AM
- March 18 Choir Practice for Easter, 6:30PM
- March 19 CCD Grades 6&7, Report directly to your nursing home assignment (last Bingo of the year)
- March 22 Meager Meal, 4:30-6:30PM at Hall
Stations of the Cross, 7:00PM
- March 24 Collection of non-perishables for food basket begins
Parish survey due

- March 22 Fourth Fish Fry 4 - 7 PM,
Take Outs begin 2 PM
- March 24 Interim Mass Schedule Survey Due

St. Joseph Parish Calendar

- March 17 K of C Breakfast 8 AM—1 PM
CFF 9:15-10:45 AM
Edge 6-7:30 PM
- March 18 CFF 6-7:30 PM
- March 19 Prayer Blanket Ministry 10 AM SJH
CM & W Meeting 10 AM Café
RCIA 5-6:30 PM
AFF Pivotal Players 7 PM
- March 20 First Day of Spring
Bible Buddies 10 AM Café
St. Joseph to Host Community Dinner
- March 21 Faithful Friends Bible Study 10 AM
The 60s Show Rehearsal (Admittance by ticket only) 6:30 PM
K of C Meeting 7:30 PM
- March 23 The 60s Show 7 PM (Admittance by ticket only)
- March 24 CFF 9:15-10:45 AM
Edge 6-7:30 PM
- March 25 CFF 6-7:30 PM
- March 26 Prayer Blanket Ministry 10 AM SJH
RCIA 5-6:30 PM
AFF Pivotal Players 7 PM
- March 27 Bible Buddies 10 AM Café

St. Mary Parish Calendar

- Currently Open Enrollment for Preschool
- March 17 Evening Prayer with Benediction 6 PM
- March 18 *The Turning Point* Bible Study
9:15 AM, Marian Hall
Legion of Mary 6:30 PM,
Marian Hall
- March 19 St. Monica's Prayer Group 1 - 2 PM
- March 20 Men's Scripture Study 9 AM,
Marian Hall
Women's Scripture Study 9 AM,
Library
SFO 7 PM, Marian Hall

Ministry Schedule

Date	Time	Location	Servers	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday, March 23	4:00 PM	St. Mary	Tom Cornelius Volunteer Needed	Jeff Cottage	Volunteer Needed Cindy Collins Paul Collins Becca Bauer
Sunday, March 24	8:30 AM	St. John	Jessi Watson Zachary Saeler	Chrissie Mullen	John Geibel* Rose Hinch Sue Leinenbach
	9:30 AM	St. Mary	Alex Collins Noah Collins	Patty Jackman	Chris Kriley Mickey Weiland Rege Convery Rick Hoffman


St. John the Evangelist



Do you know someone who could use a helping hand this Easter season?
 Contact Shirley Snyder (724-285-4992) before March 31 to add them to our food basket list.



The choir will be practicing for upcoming Easter services on Mondays at 6:30pm, in the church. All are welcome to join in, new faces and voices are always welcome!!



St. John's Food Pantry will begin collecting non-perishable food items to fill Easter food baskets for those in need. The collection bin can be found in the entrance way of Church. The collection will run through April 14th.

Collection

March 10, 2019 Collection

Sunday Offertory:	\$2,103.00
Weekly Goal:	\$2,650.00
PSP/EMR:	\$152.00
Ash Wednesday:	\$201.00
Easter Flowers:	\$540.00

Parish Share Pledge Cards will be arriving in the mail soon. If you need one, there are blank cards in the back of the church, feel free to pick one up.

The Marion Guild is busy planning the second Meager meal for March 22, prior to Stations of the Cross here at St. John's. The menu for this meager meal is below. Preorders for takeout are available and due by March 20 (phone to Ted at 724-285-4992 or drop off order form in basket in the back of the church)

7 Sorrows Soup
Potato Soup
Tuna Noodle Casserole
Tuna Salad Sandwiches
Bread, crackers, assorted dessert and beverages

Dine in- Free will donation

Takeout- (MUST BE PREORDERED)
\$6 per quart
\$3 per pint
Sandwiches-\$1

Come and join us for food, fellowship and faith




The Marion Guild would like to thank everyone who attended our first Meager Meal of the season! Preorders and dine-in donations brought in \$261 for the food pantry. Place your preorders for the next Meager Meal now!

Parishioner and Girl Scout, Abby Luppe, is collecting materials for a Resurrection Egg project for our CCD students. Donations can be placed in the basket in back of church or in the CCD center through March 31. Below are items needed.

Solid colored plastic eggs
Nails (2 inch or smaller)
Gauze
Leather twine
Plastic coins
Dice
Egg Cartons



St. Joseph

Lent: A Time to Plant and a Time to Grow Week 3– Planting Seeds of Change . . . To Grow A Mindset of Love

Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around. Many times we don't act because we feel like we have to do big things and have it all figured out, which is like planting *boulders*. But if we just plant small seeds, God will make them grow (1 Corinthians 3:6-8). He knows how to change the world. Every action and every word plants something in every person's life.

So just what are *seeds of change*? Seeds are small but powerful. They are Smiles, Expressions, Encouragement, Donations, Serving. They can be planted generously with love, faith, and hope in our hearts . . . and without worry. We never know what type of hearts we are sowing love into (Mark 4:1-20). We don't know what type of pain, hurts, or heartaches are existing in the hearts and lives of others that we pass by. Remember, someone may have come by before me sowing seeds of God's love, and now I am watering. And perhaps these people we pass by will begin to see, feel, or recognize God's love and presence through these small seeds of kindness.

Seeds of Change can be planted everywhere we go. There are no accidents about where we are and who we are with, who we happen to be sitting next to, walking by, standing in line next to, etc. God does not waste one moment of our lives . . . everything and everyone is significant. He knows who needs love, a kind word, encouragement, and He places us next to them. Therefore, be intentional with every moment and every person. It's all in God's plan to love people everywhere. Make it part of your plan? Start planting now!

(This article is submitted by Karyn Roenigk, Worship Ministry)

Blue Mass- To Honor the Work of All Public Safety Personnel

A little history about the Blue Mass- The first Blue Mass was celebrated on September 29, 1934 at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Washington, DC. On that day, 1,100 police officers and firemen dressed in blue uniforms processed into St. Patrick's to honor the fallen members of their ranks. The Blue Mass began to spread to other cities in the northeastern United States from that day on. Following the events of 9/11, the Blue Mass began to be celebrated in cities from coast to coast to honor the many law enforcement officers, firefighters, and emergency medical personnel who gave their lives so that others might live. It is estimated that 25,000 people were saved on 9/11 as a result of their courage.

The Blue Mass allows us to remember not only the heroes of 9/11 but also the heroes in our own community, the women and men who put themselves in harm's way daily to serve, protect and defend us.

St. Joseph Parish is honored to recognize the extraordinary dedication of the public servants who quietly exemplify the noblest virtues of our faith. If you are or were involved in any facet of public safety as an EMT, Nurse, Doctor, Fireperson, Police Personnel, 911 Responder or in any branch of the military, we invite you to join us for Mass on **Saturday, April 27, at 5:30 p.m.** All attendees will be recognized as a group for the work you perform and the dedication you show to your profession. Please feel free to wear any uniform but that is not a requirement. Light refreshments will follow. This event is sponsored by COCO and the Hospitality Ministry.

If you have had issues reaching the website or opening the weekly bulletin, it is more than likely because you are using "Edge" or "Internet Explorer" as your browser. Try downloading Google Chrome. That should solve your problem. If it does not, please feel free to call our Parish Office at 724-352-2149.

Due to the early submission date of this bulletin, there is no financial report this week.

Lector Ministry

Proclaiming the Word of God is a privilege and an exercise of our talents. We are looking for three confirmed parishioners who feel called to "proclaim the word of God" at Mass. All training will be provided with schedule options available to you. Please give Karyn a call at the Parish Office at 724-352-2149 to find out more or to volunteer. Please pray about your serving the Church in this way.

St. Mary of the Assumption



Preschool Open Enrollment

Call our teacher, Amy Pettinato for information and registration for Preschool. 724-355-6194

Preschool children must be 3 and Prekindergarten children must be 4 by September 1, 2019.



Food Baskets

We are packing baskets for 5 families on March 21, and asking for donations of vegetables, fruit, pasta, spaghetti sauce, and paper products. We are grateful for the many people of St. Mary's who continue to support this ministry. Thanks again, St. Mary's Outreach Committee.

Looking for A Care Giver

One of our parish families is looking for someone to help take care of Dean & Loretta Schnur. If anyone is interested, please call Julia @ 724-822-8614 to work out details. They will work out a schedule that fits both the family and you, and supply information on the kind of help needed.

Location of "Hope for the Homeless" Box

Our donation box for the items being collected by Catholic Charities is in the main entrance vestibule of the Church. As you enter, it is under the tables on your right.

Happy St. Patrick's Day

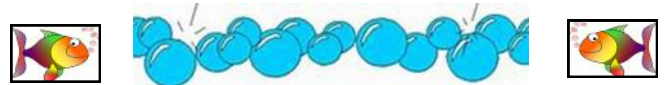
Irish Blessing

"May the best day of your past be the worst day of your future."



Parish Share Appeal

Please pick up your Parish Share Pledge envelope at the main entrance of the church. We are grateful for your help with keeping the cost of mailing down.



You won't want to miss our Annual Fish Fry

Every Friday through April 12

March 8 - 2nd Fish Fry

1,350 Dinners Served

50 - 50 Raffle Winner

Steve Mennor (\$131.50)



Be able to say, I ate fish the St. Mary's way . . .

PAN fried!

Baked fish is also available

Stay Awake With Me

Have dinner then come spend an hour with the Lord, Sunday evening, March 17th, at 6:00 PM. We'll pray the evening prayer together and spend some time in adoration, ending the hour with Benediction. All are welcome.

Financials - March 10, 2019

Offertory	\$ 3,058.00
Candle Money	\$ 50.80
Parish Share	\$ 350.00
Utilities	\$ 297.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 50.00
Parish Share Goal	\$ 52,381.00
Donations Collected	\$ 2,450.00
Balance Due	\$ 49,931.00

Collection Counters

March 18 Joann Lindstrom, Josi Nebel, Pam Schnur, Cheryl Weiland

March 25 John Lorenz, Carole & Dennis Oresick

Parish News

“It Takes a Village”

Having a personal relationship with Jesus is of great significance to living a truly moral and gratifying life. Faith Formation is an essential part of helping a child develop this fruitful relationship with Jesus. **As the family of Christ, we are called to assist and support parents as they live out their role as “first teachers of faith”.** As a parish community, we have a great opportunity to make sure our youngest parishioners are well equipped to live virtuous lives filled with love of the Father and each other. The Children’s Faith Formation Program is significant in this venture. God has bestowed in each of us unique talents and has given us all the ability to communicate His love and message. Children learn by example and instruction from people in all stages of their own lives.


[Are you being called to assist in the growth of the Lord’s vineyard?](#)

We invite you to prayerfully consider sharing your time and talents in the Children’s Faith Formation ministry for the 2019-20 formation year. **Please contact Debi Gross** in the CFF office at **724-352-3030** or email sjreled@zoominternet.net for more information on volunteering.



Looking for a ministry that makes you feel good? Come join us for St. Joseph’s next Community Dinner on Wednesday, **March 20th**. Help with preparation at St. Joseph’s kitchen starting at 8:30 am, or come to help serve or clean up at the Cabot United Methodist Church from 4-6pm. This is an excellent opportunity for youth community service! Contact Darlene Geibel at 724-352-3216 or Kathy Weleski at 724-352-3031 with any questions.

The 60s Show



The Decade That Changed Everything!

Due to an overwhelming response to the “60s Show” we are opening the Thursday, March 21, rehearsal for your viewing. There are 40 tickets available to each parish. Admittance is by ticket only. Tickets are available after Masses this weekend. All reservations must be made by **Sunday, March 17, at 1 PM**. The rehearsal performance will begin at **6:30 PM**. This is **BYOB** and **BYOSnack** event. There is no cost for the tickets. A free-will offering will be taken. Come and enjoy the show!

Catholic Charities - Butler County Outreach “Restoring hope to the homeless and others in need”

As Lent approaches, the *Respect Life Ministry* would like to offer the parishioners in our grouping, an opportunity for some works of mercy and alms giving. We are asking for donations of much needed items for Catholic Charities to distribute to the homeless and needy in our county, via the Butler County Outreach program,

“Hope for the Homeless”

Boxes marked “*Hope for the Homeless*” will be placed in each church during Lent from **March 6 through April 13**.

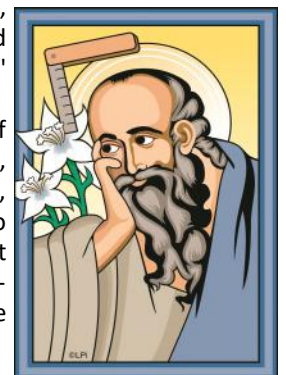
Here are some suggestions of items needed:

Soap	Toothpaste	Paper towels
Shampoo	Mouthwash	Baby diapers
Body wash	Razors	Diaper cream
Lotion	Shaving cream	Baby wash
Brush/Comb	Band-Aids	Baby shampoo
Deodorant	Toilet paper	Baby brush/comb
Toothbrushes	Tissues	

Happy Feast Day to all St. Joseph Parishioners

A few facts about St. Joseph . . . Pope Pius IX proclaimed **Saint Joseph the patron** of the Universal Church in 1870. Having died in the “arms of Jesus and Mary” according to Catholic tradition, he is considered the model of the pious believer who receives grace at the moment of death, in other words, the **patron** of a happy death. His feast day is March 19.

Venerated as a **saint** in many Christian sects, **St. Joseph** is a biblical figure who is believed to have been the corporeal father of Jesus Christ. According to the Bible, **Joseph** was born circa 100 B.C.E. and later wed the Virgin Mary, Jesus’ mother. He died in Israel circa 1 A.D. According to cookbook author and chef Lidia Bastianich, on St. Joseph’s Day, Italian tables are filled with fig dishes, including fig cookies. (St. Joseph also happens to be the patron saint of **pastry chefs**.) **Zeppole** or **Sfinge** — dough fritters covered in **sugar** — are also traditionally eaten on this day.



Parish News



Our Parish has "adopted" four time slots at the **40 Days for Life** peaceful prayer vigil, in front of Planned Parenthood, 933 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh.

St Mary- Sunday March 31, 11am-1pm
 & Sunday, April 7, 11am-1pm
 St. Joseph-Wednesday March 20, 11am-1pm
 & Wednesday, March 27, 11am-1pm
 All are welcome and encouraged to join us!
 For more info, visit:
www.40daysforlifepittsburgh.com or
 contact Joyce Davanzati 724-841-3172
 or Margie Kladny 724-283-5215



Christian Mothers & Women Group will be holding their next meeting on Tuesday, March 19th at 10am in St. Joseph Café. This will be an abbreviated meeting followed by fellowship with the Prayer Blanket Ministry. All ladies welcome to join us!

KNOW SOMEONE STRUGGLING WITH ADDICTION?
 HOPE & HEALING ARE POSSIBLE!!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR ROSARY AND SPECIAL INTERCESSIONS
TUESDAYS: March 19th, 3-4pm
 March 26th, 7-8pm

WHERE: ABBA'S HOUSE, 320 W. MAIN ST.,
 SAXONBURG, 16056

"...I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand."

-Isaiah 41:10



Building & Grounds Committee For Our Grouping

We know you are out there! We know you have skills in carpentry, plumbing, construction, architecture, all phases of engineering, etc. We know that you can help us. Any parishioner of St. John, St. Joseph or St. Mary is invited to attend a think-tank meeting on **Thursday, March 28, at 6:30 PM at St. Joseph Hall in Cabot**, in an effort to pull our skills together for the needs of our grouping. We are interested in your thoughts and ideas. If you have any of the above skills as well as any others and would like to help but cannot attend the meeting or if you have any questions, please call Todd Trettel at 724-822-3966. Thanks.

Christian Leadership Network Lenten Ecumenical Services 12 & 7 PM

March 13	12pm-	Clinton Presbyterian, Jefferson Center, Fr. Jim Kurtz
	7 pm-	St. Luke, Saxonburg, Fr. Jim Kurtz
March 20	12 & 7pm-	Zion United Methodist, Sarver, Rev. Roger Keller
March 27	12 & 7pm-	St. Joseph, Cabot, Rev. Shawn Smith
April 3	12 & 7pm-	St. Luke, Saxonburg, Rev. Rob Wilson



All parishioners are invited to offer the spirit of St. Joseph hospitality on Wednesday, March 27, at noon and 7 p.m. When we host the ecumenical service. Your help is needed at 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to prepare for the socials which will follow each service. Donations of cookies are needed by 10 a.m. on Wednesday, the 27th. Please bring to the hall kitchen. Thank you.

The Respect Life Group Easter Flower Fundraiser

Orders will be accepted from **March 6-March 31**. Order your **Easter Lily, Tulips, Daffodils and Hyacinths** and support Respect Life's mission.
 Cost is **\$9** per pot (6-7" pot)
 Forms will be available at **St. Joseph's Church** or can be called to **Cil Love at 724-822-0614**.
 Pickup will be **April 13 & 14**, following Palm Sunday Masses, at St. Joseph's Hall.

