



Corpus Christi Catholic Community

Building the Body of Christ

April 7, 2019

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Sunday Reflection

*All
Can Be Raised
To New Life*



"I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live." As we draw near to the great feast of Easter, the Church gives us here some food for thought regarding the idea of resurrection and eternal life. Today's Gospel shares the story of a dead man who came to life again by the power of Jesus. Lazarus, who had been lying lifeless in a tomb for four days, "came out" of the tomb, burial cloths draped around his body, in a moment that must have been absolutely astonishing! This miracle could not have been explained by anything other than divine power over life and death.

It's important to consider that this story is not so much about Jesus' own resurrection but rather it is about OURS. Jesus uses the occasion of this restoration of his friend, Lazarus, to teach that we ALL can be raised to new life through the power of the Lord. Jesus tells us that we too can overcome death by believing in him: "everyone who lives and believes in me will never die."

Easter, of course, will confirm for us that death has no power over the God of life. *(cont. on page 3)*

Thank You

Dear Corpus Christi Family,

I want to extend a special thank you to everyone for keeping me and my family in your prayers. I greatly appreciate all the thoughts, prayers, phone calls, cards, gifts, and get-well wishes you have all sent to me during these past few difficult months.

I feel a sense of gratitude and gratefulness, and I realize how loved and appreciated you all made me feel. There are no words to express how I feel, and I thank God for His love and grace in my life. Life is so short, and we must always be grateful and thankful for His mercies. With God's help, I will be returning to church soon.

God bless,

Christine Phanord

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Corpus Christi Directory

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See next column.

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Sacrament of Reconciliation: Each Saturday at 3:30 pm or by appointment. Communal services are held during Advent and Lent.

Sick Calls and Communion Calls: Please notify the parish office when there is serious illness in your household. We are happy to make home visits and to visit hospital and nursing home patients as well. We appreciate being notified so we may keep the sick in prayer and place them on our prayer list.

Baptisms: Call the Parish Office for more information.

Weddings: Call the Parish Office at least 6 months before wedding.

This Week at Corpus Christi

Monday, April 8

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| 8:30 am | MASS |
| 4:30 pm | NWDYC Board Mtg |
| 7:00 pm | Emmaus Group #1 |
| 7:00 pm | Emmaus Group #2 |
| 7:00 pm | Emmaus Group #3 |

Tuesday, April 9

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| 8:30 am | MASS |
| 10:00 am | Pastoral Team Mtg |
| 1:00 pm | Retirement Party Committee Mtg |
| 7:00 pm | Emmaus Group #4 |

Wednesday, April 10

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| 8:30 am | MASS |
| 10:00 am | SVDP ECO Works Class |
| 1:30 pm | Emmaus Group #5 |
| 3:00 pm | MASS @ Regency Heights Nursing Center |
| 6:00 pm | Evangelization Committee Mtg |
| 6:00 pm | OPCA Area Business Committee Mtg |

Thursday, April 11

Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr

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| 8:30 am | MASS |
| 6:30 pm | Stewardship Commission Mtg |
| 6:30 pm | Parish Pastoral Council Mtg |

Friday, April 12 (Day of Abstinence)

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| 6:30 pm | Stations of the Cross |
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Saturday, April 13

Saint Martin I, Pope and Martyr

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| 9:00 am | OPCA Clean Up (U of M Ann Arbor) |
| 9:45 am | Trinity Vicariate RCIA Retreat |
| 10:00 am | SVDP Food Pantry |
| 10:00 am | Emmaus Group #6 |
| 10:30 am | 1 st Eucharist Preparation |
| 11:00 am | PENANCE SERVICE |
| 12:30 pm | Emmaus Group #7 (Teens/Young Adults/Adults) |
| 1:00 pm | Infant Baptism Preparation |
| 2:00 pm | Recovery Group |
| 4:00 pm | MASS |

Sunday, April 14

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

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| 8:00 am | Knights of Peter Claver Mtg |
| 9:00 am | MASS |
| 9:00 am | RCIA Class |
| 9:00 am | Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Levels 2/3 |
| 10:30 am | Choir Practice |
| 10:45 am | Noah's Ark Nursery |
| 11:00 am | MASS / Liturgy of the Word w/ Children |
| 11:00 am | Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level 1 |
| 1:00 pm | Choir Practice |
| 2:30 pm | Trinity Vicariate Confirmation Class Church Visits |
| 12:45 pm | CHURCH DECORATING |
| 1:00 pm | Choir Practice |
| 4:00 pm | Better Men Outreach |



“Christus Vivit” — Christ Is Alive!

by Vickie Figueroa

When his parents saw him, they were astonished, and his mother said to him, “Son, why have you done this to us? Your father and I have been looking for you with great anxiety.” And he said to them, “Why were you looking for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father’s house?” (Luke 2:48-49).

Pope Francis recently wrote **Christus Vivit**, and apostolic exhortation/letter (often written after a Synod) to young people, urging them to be courageous missionaries, and to adults who accompany them. Signed on March 25, the Feast of the Annunciation, the celebration of the announcement by the angel Gabriel to the Virgin Mary that she would conceive and become the mother of Jesus, as “a reminder that Mary was a teenager when she responded to God’s call and changed human history.”

Pope Francis writes that young people are not the future but today’s Church. “They are its present; even now, they are helping to enrich it. Young people are no longer children. They are at a time of life when they begin to assume a number of responsibilities, sharing alongside adults in the growth of the family, society and the Church.” (CV 64) The Pope urges the Church and its leadership to listen to young people, whose contributions to the community are important and may raise additional questions to consider.

Pope Francis also spoke of the Church’s crisis: “Abuse exists in various forms: the abuse of power, the abuse of conscience, sexual and financial abuse. Clearly, the ways of exercising authority that make all this possible have to be eradicated, and the irresponsibility and lack of transparency with which so many cases have been handled have to be challenged. (CV 98)

Pope speaks of three great truths to all young people: “God is Love and He loves you; Christ saves you; Christ is alive, “the one who fills us with his grace, the one who liberates us, transforms us, heals and consoles us” (CV 124)

Though **Christus Vivit** speaks of a Church of young promise, some readers of CV wish the Pope would say more. Nora Bolcon wrote on AMERICA online: “Pope Francis allows no woman to vote at the Synod (on Young People) but allows 3 men to vote...(he) pretends to be wanting to give women more authority – maybe he should

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But today, during these closing days of Lent, we are reminded that we can share in this source of life by believing in Jesus. So now is a perfect time to double-check our faith in him. Is it authentic? Do we really accept the supernatural reality of who Jesus is? Do we believe that he can conquer even the most frightening moment of human existence: death itself?

If we find ourselves falling short of faith in these things, let us turn to the Lord and ask that he will increase our faith so that, with Martha, we can truly say, “Yes, Lord. I have come to believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God.”

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Young Adult News

THEOLOGY ON TAP

Is This The Face of God?

The Science Behind The Burial Cloth of Jesus

Monday, April 8, 7 - 8:30 pm

@ Royal Oak Taphouse

714 S Washington Avenue, Royal Oak

Catholic young adults 18 - 35 are invited to come learn what modern science, medicine, and history have revealed about the Shroud of Turin at Theology on Tap with speaker Fr. Terry Donahue, CC (chaplain at Wayne State University). Enjoy a fascinating talk, great food, drinks, and friends. Check out “Detroit Catholic Young Adults” on Facebook.

try giving them equal votes at bishops’ Synods...(and) use his God given authority to rid us, as a church, of all hate and bias rules against women and LGBT, or get used to seeing only white haired men and women (AMERICA online 4/2/2019).

Christus Vivit is over 200 pages and filled with many teachings and inspirations. It will take a few years to reflect upon and put its hopes into action. Despite this, the Pope urges young people to keep running, “attracted by the face of Christ, whom we love so much, whom we adore in the Holy Eucharist and acknowledge in the flesh of our suffering brothers and sisters. May the Holy Spirit urge you on as you run this race. The Church needs your momentum, your intuitions, your faith.” (CV 299)



Church of the Home

▣ Stations of the Cross

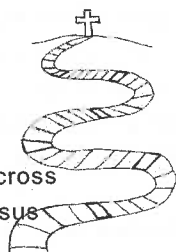
The first Stations of the Cross were walked by Jesus himself on the way to Calvary. The early Christians in Jerusalem would walk the same pathway that Jesus walked, pausing for reflection and prayer. Later, when Christians could not travel

to the Holy Land, artistic depictions of "The Way of the Cross" were set up in churches, or outside, and Christians would walk from station to station, reading the Gospel account of the Passion or simply praying and reflecting on each event. This devotion became better known in the Middle Ages, and the Franciscans are credited with its spread.

Lent is a time when many people make the Stations, and some churches present Passion plays or Living Stations. But anyone can pray the Stations at any time. It is a simple and personal reflection on the passion of Jesus and what it means to us. Stations of the Cross are held at Corpus Christi every Friday during Lent at 6:30 pm in the church. You can also pray the stations in the church as a family anytime between 9:30 am and 7 pm, Monday - Thursday. If you and your family cannot come to the church, you may want to create your own Stations of the Cross. As a family activity, make 14 crosses (perhaps with small twigs or branches) and place them in a line in your backyard or family room. Walk together as a family, remembering the events of the Passion. At each cross, bow or kneel and say, "Because of your holy Cross, you have redeemed the world." — excerpted from *Family Faith On The Go, February 2018 — Take Out, Our Sunday Visitor Publishing*

Traditional Stations of the Cross

1. Jesus is condemned to death
2. Jesus accepts His cross
3. Jesus falls the first time
4. Jesus meets His mother
5. Simon helps Jesus carry His cross
6. Veronica wipes the face of Jesus
7. Jesus falls the second time
8. Jesus meets the women of Jerusalem
9. Jesus falls the third time
10. Jesus is stripped of his garments
11. Jesus is nailed to the cross
12. Jesus dies on the cross
13. Jesus is taken down from the cross
14. Jesus is placed in the tomb



**Lenten
Emmaus Group
April 13**

Corpus Christi teens are invited to join "The Journey," a small faithsharing group experience. The group will meet in the Activities Center.

**Corpus Christi
Youth Mission Trip
June 23 - 29, 2019**

All 8th - 12th grade students are invited to consider participating in Corpus Christi's 4th Annual Youth Mission trip. Registration is now open! For more information, contact Jenny Long, Youth Mission Trip Coordinator, at 248-231-7850.

▣ "Like" Documentary

The Academy of the Sacred Heart will present the documentary "Like" on Tuesday, April 9 at 7:00 pm as part of its Heart of the Matter speaker series. "Like" explores the impact of social media on our lives and the effects of technology on our brains. It provides viewers with strategies to self-regulate their technology use and is recommended for ages 10 and up. The movie will be followed by an expert panel discussion. There is no charge to attend this event, which is open to the public and generously underwritten by The Huntington Company. Registration is encouraged for planning purposes, but walk-ins are welcome. RSVP at www.ashmi.org/likefilm to receive the film's tip sheet on managing social media use. The school is located at 1250 Kensington Road, Bloomfield Hills MI 48304-3029.

▣ Everyday Stewardship

Some celebrities do a lot to help out various causes that are meaningful to them. Sometimes they give of their time, talent, or treasure, while other times they create giving opportunities for the rest of us to be generous. The celebrity then does much to highlight the cause, and the hope is that enough people will give to make a difference.

I never judge another's motive when they choose to give to or support a cause. However, I hear many times a criticism levied against seemingly rich people who *(continued on page 7)*



BULLETIN BOARD

FIAT CHRYSLER HIRING: Anyone at least 18 years old with a high school diploma or high school equivalency can apply on FCA careers website: <https://careers.fcagroup.com/where-we-are/nafta-careers-home/>. Jobs are posted as they become available (skilled trade positions are currently posted). Openings will also be communicated through Twitter, LinkedIn, Facebook, and Instagram.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: Guest House, a health care provider specializing in addiction treatment for Roman Catholic clergy and religious, located in Lake Orion, Michigan, is seeking an Executive Director. Extensive experience and knowledge of addiction treatment and 12-step recovery is required. For more details, please visit GuestHouse.org (click on "Careers").

LAUNDRY SERVICE: Parish member will do washing and/or ironing for you. Reasonable rates. Call Marilyn at 586-995-3677 for more information.

MACKINAC ISLAND TRIP: St. Augustine & St. Monica Parish Travel Club invites you to join them on a visit to Mackinac Island, Mon - Fri, September 9 - 13, 2019. Cost is \$510/person, double occupancy (\$659, single occupancy, \$490, triple occupancy). A deposit of \$75 is due by April 26 (payment in full by June 20). For more information, contact LaVerne Embry at 313-372-1497 or 313-477-3520.

RIDE HOME FROM MASS NEEDED: Parishioner living in the 14 Mile Road/Main Street area of Clawson needs ride home after the 11:00 Mass; needs some help with wheelchair; call Beverly at 313-819-8060.

CAR NEEDED: A single woman needs a running car in good condition; has \$1000 cash and can do installments for any other price up to \$500 more. Call Tamu at 313-482-5971 or Denise at 313-646-1259.

HUSTLE EXERCISE CLASSES: Mondays at 7 pm at Franklin Athletic Club, 29350 Northwestern Hwy, Southfield; cost is \$5/class; no membership required. Contact parishioner Kim Summers at 313-205-2883 for more information.



SandCastles Volunteer

Sandcastles is a grief support program for children, teens and their families. You are invited to attend a volunteer orientation on Wednesday, April 3 from 6 to 7 pm at Henry Ford Optimeyes, 29350 Southfield Road, Southfield to learn more about SandCastles and how you can help grieving children. Volunteer opportunities include facilitating in the children/teen groups, program aide, speaker bureau, camp volunteers, fundraising, and office support. RSVP by calling 313-874-6881.

Funeral Minister of Hospitality

Volunteers are needed to serve as hospitality ministers for funeral liturgies at Corpus Christi. We currently have only 2 ministers of hospitality for funerals. Hospitality ministers are needed to help prepare the church, welcome family and guests at the church entrance, and provide assistance to family and guests as needed. For more information or questions, contact Miriam Hudson at 313-537-5770.

Nursery Caregiver

Adult caregivers are needed to provide a loving, safe environment for infants and toddlers while their parents are at the Sunday 11:00 Mass. The nursery is located in the Activities Center (convent building). Commitment is 1 ½ hrs (10:45 am - 12:15 pm) every 6 weeks. On-call caregivers are needed for other parish events (Infant baptism classes, young married couple events, etc.) Parish registration and background check required. Please call Miriam at 313-537-5770 to volunteer.

Coffee/Donuts Volunteer

Volunteers are needed to help with the Coffee/Donut Fundraiser after our 11:00 Mass by serving on one of our teams or serving as a substitute. Tasks include serving donuts, collecting funds, and clean up. We are also in need of volunteers to pick up our donut order once every 5 weeks. Please call 313-537-5770 to sign up or for more information.

COMING EVENTS:

Apr 9 Aliento

"Aliento" means both "breath" and "encouragement" in Spanish. Ste. Anne de Detroit Parish hosts a bi-lingual holy hour on the second Tuesday of each month at 7 pm. All are welcome for prayer and worship.

Apr 9 - 10 Grief Support

4/9 Tue 10:30 am - 12 n Novi
Reverence Hospice *Healing The Heart* 586-464-4841

4/9 Tue 2 pm & 6 pm Livonia
Angela Hospice *Living With Grief* 866-464-7810

4/10 Wed 2 pm & 6 pm Livonia
Angela Hospice *Beginning The Journey* 866-464-7810
- 8 week series for anyone experiencing a recent loss

Apr 10 Parish Engagement/CCSEM

Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan invites everyone to attend their next Parish Engagement event on Wednesday, April 10 from 9:30 am to 1:30 pm at Sacred Heart Major Seminary, 2701 Chicago Boulevard, Detroit. Presentations will be "Understanding Foster Care" and "Let's Talk Mental Health." Cost is \$10 for members of the Christian Service Coordinators Association; \$15 for non-members; lunch is included. Call 313-237-5934 or register at <https://Parishengagementccsem213190.eventbrite.com>.

Apr 10 Diabetes Workshop

Ascension Michigan is offering Diabetes PATH (Personal Action Toward Health), a six-week workshop that provides strategies to help manage diabetes on Wednesdays, April 10 through May 15 at 12:30 pm at their Southfield Wellness Center, 15990 West 9 Mile Road, Southfield. RSVP to 248-849-5724. The workshops are FREE and open to family members and caregivers, but you must pre-register.

Apr 13 Paul The Theologian

The Apostle Paul is the first Christian theologian. No other person has contributed more to the New Testament and his letters to various churches show us how theology is done in real life. Annemarie S. Kidder, PhD will facilitate *Paul The Theologian* on Saturday, April 13 from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm at Visitation North Spirituality Center, 7227 Lahser Rd. Suggested offering is \$25. To RSVP, call 248-433-0950. or visit www.visitationnorth.org.

Retreat Schedule

• Fri - Sun, Apr 12 - 14

Palm Sunday Men's Retreat

@ Manresa Jesuit Retreat House

1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills

— All men are welcome to this retreat. No deposit required. Call 248-644-4933 or visit www.manresa-sj.org.

• Fri - Sun, Apr 12 - 14

Wisdom From The East: Praying With Icons

@ St Mary's Retreat House

775 W Drahn Rd, Oxford

— The Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius will be presented by Fr. Peter Fennessey, SJ through the special theological insights of Eastern Church icons. Contact Ann Weingartz at 586-322-1925 for more information.

• Sun, Apr 14 - Mon, Apr 15

Palm Sunday Overnight Retreat for Women

@ Manresa Jesuit Retreat House

1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills

— What better way to prayerfully and reflectively begin Holy Week than in the company of other women? The retreat will begin at 3 pm on the afternoon of Palm Sunday and end after lunch at 1 pm on Monday. There will be Sunday liturgy and time for sharing as well as silent reflection and prayer. Cost is \$85 due at time of registration and includes three meals and a private room. Call 248-644-4933 or visit www.manresa-sj.org to register by April 10.

• Mon, Apr 15, 9:30 am - 11:30 am

Women-to-Women

@ Manresa Jesuit Retreat House

1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills

— The group meets in the Manresa library for coffee and socializing, and then gathers for lectio divina (reading, reflecting, and praying with Scripture). Come away refreshed, renewed, heard, affirmed, supported, and spiritually nourished. No registration is necessary. Facilitated by Anne Smith. Donations accepted.

Save The Date: May 17 - 19

Corpus Christi Women's Retreat Weekend
See Brenda Martin or Miriam Hudson for details



Stewardship UPDATE



Collection Report

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| Weekly Budget | \$ | 7762.00 |
| Sunday Offerings 3-31-2019 | \$ | 7971.35 |
| CRS Collection 3-31-2019 | \$ | 687.00 |
| Shortfall for the Budget Year | \$ | 0.00 |

Everyday Stewardship *(continued from page 4)*

start a fundraiser and ask the rest of us to give: "Since they have so much money, they could simply give all the money needed themselves!" This exclamation often comes with disdain and a tone of superiority. This sentiment also comes frequently from those who have chosen to give little to nothing to the cause themselves.

Stewardship begins with the person in the mirror. You and I are accountable to each other, but at the end of the day, the only one who knows the true level of our generosity is God. As this Lent draws to a close, it is time to take a good long look in the mirror. You probably aren't famous, so there probably won't be a crowd of people to question the level of your sacrifice, devotion, and generosity this Lent. Of course, God knows and so does that person looking back at you in the mirror.

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**The purpose
of tithing is
to teach you
always to put
God first in
your lives.**
Deut 14:23^{na}



Scriptures for the Week

Readings for the Week of April 7, 2019

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| Sunday: | Ez 37:12-14//Rom 8:8-11 Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45 |
| Monday: | Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Jn 8:12-20 |
| Tuesday: | Nm 21:4-9/Jn 8:21-30 |
| Wednesday: | Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Jn 8:31-42 |
| Thursday: | Gn 17:3-9/Jn 8:51-59 |
| Friday: | Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42 |
| Saturday: | Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56 |

5th Sunday of Lent (Cycle A)

Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11



Questions of the Week

First Reading

Ezekiel was a sixth century BC prophet during Israel's exile in Babylon. How do you imagine the captive Israelites reacted to his vision of the dry bones?

Second Reading

Paul challenged the Christians in Rome to see their faith in the resurrected Christ in new ways. What is Paul's point here in asserting believers are now living "in the spirit"?

Gospel Reading

Jesus shows a range of emotions (from weeping to anger) in the story of the raising of Lazarus. What does this teach us about Jesus' humanity?



Born Into Eternal Life

Edward Hill Jr (3/21)

spouse of Rosa Hill

Rosemary O'Neill-Daley (3/22)

sister in law of Elaine O'Neill

Odessa Ford (3/21)

sister in law of Roy and Gilda Ford



Please Pray For Those In The Military:

Jared Brooks (Marines), Caija Campbell (Army), Anthony Carson (Army), Anthony Ford (Army), Jon LaTour, Jon LaTour, John Maurer (Air Force), Robbie Mayes (Marines), Christopher Moniere (National Guard), Corey Sullivan (Army), and Lance Walker II (Army).



Mass Intentions April 8 - 14

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| Monday | 8:30 am | + Rosemary O'Neill-Daley (req by Corpus Christi Parish) |
| Tuesday | 8:30 am | + Odessa Ford (req by Corpus Christi Parish) |
| Wednesday | 8:30 am | + William Reboloso Jr (req by Corpus Christi Parish) |
| Thursday | 8:30 am | For the Children and Youth of our Parish |
| Friday | | <i>No Mass or Communion Service</i> |
| Saturday | 4:00 pm | + Phyllis Clyburn-Walker (req by Corpus Christi Parish) |
| Sunday | 9:00 am | + John Clarence Kates (req by Gwen McNeal) |
| | 11:00 pm | + Irene Unsleber (req by Corpus Christi Seniors) |

Please call the parish office (313-537-5770) to add or remove a name from our prayer lists.

Please Pray For Our Sick Members:

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| Tony Baines | Rosemary Givens | Sharon Lewis | Vernard Plain | Homebound: | Marie Leonard |
| Ken Banka | Ella Goldsmith | Bob Lindsay | Phyllis Raines | Synia Benjamin | Beverly Miller |
| Doris Billion | Gary Greening | Nancy Loper | Sally Rimbart | Jackie Bodenhorn | Margaret Nielsen |
| Paul Billion | Sr Rachele Harper | Valerie McDonald | Joy Robinson | Evelyn Brantley | John Onwudinjo |
| Marcelle Blackmon | Clint Harris | Kathy Montgomery | Juanita Robinson | Beverley B-Johnson | Evangeline Pruett |
| Wanda Bradley | Irma Horton | Paul Mueller | Leatrice Robinson | Angeline Butler | Hulda Reed |
| Alelia Busby | Mary C. Hustoles | Yve Nemeth | Elyse Ryder | Michelle Cagle | Isiah Searls |
| Jefferie Cook Sr | Edward Hustoles | Gina Nunnally | Pauline Simpson | Joseph Cagle Sr | Joseph Shelton |
| Terrie C-Henderson | Gloria James | Shirley Oldenburg | Bernice Slaughter | Clairmina Danjou | Mary Pat Shelton |
| Sheri Dargin | John Johnson | Ernestine O'Neil | Donna Storie | Felisa Deluna | |
| Cid Davis | Roswitha Jordan | Elaine O'Neill | Colletta Sykes | Judories Fort | |
| Mary Davis | Richard Kohler | Sharon Ortman | Brendia Thomas | Margaret Gassoway | |
| Kevin DeMatas | Fannie Larkins | Sue Padalino | Charlotte Turner | Martha Harris | |
| Renita Fletcher | Myrna Leonard | Helen Parkman | Adele Waddell | Ruth Hill | |
| Roy Ford | Marilyn Lewandowski | Christine Phanord | Kathy Wilson | Ronald Hills | |



Please Pray For Our Relatives and Friends:

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| Susan Absher | Chris Downing | Sullivan Horton | Anthony McNeal | Cyndi Pask | Donald Sims Sr |
| Kelley Adams | Elizabeth Downing | Jean Houck | Michael McNeece | James Pefley | Emily Smale |
| Duncan Alfes | Lloyd Earl | Tom Hustoles | Jerry Mercier Jr | Alicia Penman | Kathy Smith |
| Mona Anderson | Virginia Etherly | Willie Jean Irvin | Jim Messink | Ethel Person | Willie Smith |
| Cynthia Archer-Gift | Phillip Faucher | Robert Jarey | Robert Miller Jr | Marquon Perry | Beverly Sneed |
| Jim Agnello | Ronald Fletcher | Aliyaa John | Darwin Mills | Matt Phillips | Sam Sombom |
| Brian Bates | Barbara Ford | Arnim Johnson | Florence Mills | Reginald Phillips | Evelyn Spittle |
| Sue Bates | Kyle Foster | Fred Johnson | Willard Mitchell | Robert Pierce | Nicholas Stephens |
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| | LECTORS | EMES | SERVERS | GREETERS | LITURGY OF WORD W/ CHILDREN | LITURGICAL ASSISTANT |
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| Sat 4:00 | Colleen Flaherty Denise Bryson | Barbara Robinson Catherine Di Pierro | Chidi Dike Chioma Dike | Gloria James | ----- | Sandy Kalman |
| Sun 9:00 | Althea Graham James Hines | Hayden Archer Destiny Webb | Tara Lewiis Marvis Njoku | Ernie Buckner Lynn James | ----- | Renee Walker |
| Sun 11:00 | Richard Kohler Peter Mueller | Team 1 - Shirley Myles | Valerie Abulu Ijeoma Osuoha Udoka Osuoha Ugonna Osuoha | Cynthia Health Cherry Smith | Denise Glinz Tanya Robinson TBD | Glennys Merritt |
| | SUNDAY BUS DRIVER | NOAH'S ARK NURSERY | COFFEE/DONUTS 9:00 | COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00 | COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00 | COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00 |
| | Christine Woloszyk | Lauren Rhyne Sylvia Onyegbule | Women's Society - Katrina Smith | Cynthia Adams Denise Bryson | Cheryl Hill Briana Kalu | Michael Kalu Nkechi Njoku |
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Q Lent always seems to help me renew my relationship with God and strengthen my religious practice. Do you have any suggestions as to what I could do to achieve that the rest of the year?

A The obvious answer may seem to be to do whatever you do during Lent all year-round. But part of the power of Lent is that we focus as a community on renewing our faith and preparing for Easter. Our Lenten practices have a purpose and a goal. Therein lies the secret. When we focus our efforts on one virtue, try to change one bad habit, or seek to deepen our understanding of one aspect of faith, we focus our efforts and give our full attention to what we are trying to accomplish. We tend to be more successful achieving our goals. More importantly, it has a ripple effect in our lives: one thing changes or is added to the spiritual mix of our lives and many aspects are changed.

All too often, we leave our spiritual growth to chance and the practice of faith to habit, and then wonder why we have no sense of growth or progress. Think of it in terms of exercise. We walk, lift weights, and bend and stretch to attain the maximum benefit from what we do. In addition, to keep those benefits, we eat healthful food and get enough vitamins and rest. Spirituality requires the same kind of attention: we pray, fast, read the Bible, receive sacraments, and do charitable work to maximize the benefits of practicing faith. Keeping Lent year-round keeps us in spiritual shape!



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