

Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

February 23, 2020

Calendar of the Week

Saturday, February 22

8:00 am - Traditional Latin Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul

4:30 pm - Vigil Mass - Pro Populo

6:00 pm - Vigil Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul

Sunday, February 23

8:45 am - Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul

10:30 am - Mass - JoHelen Schobel ✕

12:30pm - Traditional Latin Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul

Monday, February 24

Tuesday, February 25

6:00pm - Mass- Sts. Peter & Paul

Wednesday, February 26

8:00 am - Mass- Sts. Peter & Paul

Thursday, February 27

5:30 pm - Mass - Coulter Hnatt ✕

6:30 pm - KC Meeting - Parish Hall

Friday, February 28

8:00 am - Mass - Altar Society ~ Living and Deceased

Saturday, February 29

4:30pm - Vigil Mass - Pro Populo

Lector - Janet Hollmann

Ushers - Travis Nelson and Brent Nelson

Altar Servers - Avery Glueck, Aiden Glueck, Sophie Cantu & Madi Glueck

Communion Minister - Andy Nunmaker

Sunday, March 1

8:45 am - Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul

10:00 am - Rosary for Vocations, Life, & Rain Rosary Leader - Nancy Koehl

10:30 am - Mass - Ray Braden ✕

Lector - Brie Orange

Ushers - Scott Orange & David Wilde

Altar Servers - Alley Fitzgerald, Will Fitzgerald & Mary Fitzgerald

Communion Minister - Brian Fitzgerald

Homebound - Deacon Doug and Mary Beth Tromblee

12:30pm - Traditional Latin Mass - Sts. Peter & Paul

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St. Roch Catholic Church



PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 8:30am-3:00pm

Tuesday: Closed

Wednesday: Closed

Thursday: 8:30am-3:00pm

Friday: Closed

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK



Weekly Readings

Mon: Jas 3:13-18; Ps 19:8-15; Mk 9:14-29

Tues: Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-23; Mk 9:30-37

Wed: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-17;
2 Cor 5:20 - 6:2; Mt 6:1-18

Thurs: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-6; Lk 9:22-25

Fri: Is 58:1-9; Ps 51:3-19; Mt 9:14-15

Sat: Is 58:9-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

Sun: Gn 2:7-9; 3-7; Ps 51:3-17;
Rom 5:12-19; Mt 4:1-11

CONFESSIONS:

Thursday evening 5:00 - 5:15 pm and 4:00 - 4:15pm on Saturday

BAPTISM:

Baptismal instructions are required; please contact Sts. Peter & Paul - (979)732-3430.

MARRIAGE:

Parties should notify the pastor before setting a wedding date to allow time for the required Engagement Encounter weekend. No weddings during Lent or Advent.

REGISTRATION:

We welcome with joy all new members of the community and invite you to register at the parish office, either by phone or by mailing one of the forms provided at the church entrance.

Pray for Vocations



Dear Lord,
We pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around Your priests and through her intercession

strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide Your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you" (Jn 2:5). May Your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse. May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross. May Your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love, seeking nothing but Your greater glory and the salvation of souls. Amen.

Please pray for:

Luke Prihoda

St. Mary's Seminary

O Mary Queen of Priests, pray for us!

February 16, 2020

\$2,509.00

May God Bless you through your generosity!



Stations of the Cross

Beginning March 5, following the 5:30pm Masses on Thursdays during Lent, will be Stations of the Cross.

Expect for the second Thursdays of the month (March 12 and April 9) Stations will begin at 7pm after Adoration.

Lent is a wonderful time for us to grow closer to God and to understand Christ's love for each of us.

The Stations of the cross is a chance to fully understand Christ's love and the suffering he endured to give us eternal life with Him in Heaven. There are several opportunities to take part of the stations...please join us.



QUINQUAGESIMA SUNDAY

This Sunday provides the third of three "speed bumps" that encourage Christians to slow down before the beginning of Lent. The season of Quadragesima ("fortieth day") begins this Wednesday, Ash Wednesday. What will you do in prayer, fasting, and almsgiving this Lent that opens you up more to God's grace and God's desire for your salvation in Jesus Christ?

Two weeks ago, on Septuagesima Sunday (Septuagesima means "seventieth day") in the Traditional liturgy, the purple vestments were introduced and the Sunday Gloria and the Alleluia went away until Easter. The Church reflected particularly on the need to claim, by self-denial, the great gift of forgiveness and eternal salvation in Christ.

Last week, Sexagesima ("sixtieth day") called the Church to trust that Jesus is our Redeemer and that by His saving doctrine, He gives life to souls. Our task during Lent is to clear the environment, the soil, for our souls to receive the grace of Christ more abundantly, so that we may thrive as saints in His Kingdom.

Today on Quinquagesima Sunday (Quinquagesima means "fiftieth day"), we are reminded in the Gospel of the Traditional Mass, Luke 18:31-43, that it is through the merits of His passion that the Lord Jesus redeems the world. In the Gospel passage, our Lord instructs His Apostles about His upcoming trial and crucifixion, which they didn't understand, and then He gives sight to a blind beggar. Even then, His passion makes the difference. His passionate love makes the difference, so that St. Paul can say in the Epistle, 1st Corinthians 13:1-13, that the greatest of all virtues is charity. Christ answered the Father's call to redeem the world with His Passion because God so loved the world.

Quadragesima (the season of Lent) is a few days away. On Quinquagesima Sunday, are we sharpening our focus in charity for this holy season of grace?

**In Christ,
Fr. Michael**

Mark your Calendars:

Every Monday - Quilting - @ 1pm - parish hall

February 28 - Bingo - @ The Oaks 3:00pm.

March 7 - Annual Stew Supper - ask a KC member to buy tickets.

March 18 - Young at Heart - @ 1pm in the parish hall.

March 18 - St. Roch Blood Drive - 3pm-7pm in Parish Hall. Contact Linda Venghaus to schedule a time slot.

March 20 - We will help at Columbus Food Bank - more info to come.

April 9 - Holy Thursday - Mass at 7pm

April 10 - Good Friday - Liturgy at 3pm

April 11 - Holy Saturday - Mass at 9pm

April 12 - Easter Sunday - Mass at 10:30am

Church Cleaners for March

Melissa Brod (Captain),
Bobbie Brod, Yvonne Poenitzsch,
Lucy Keller

May you all be blessed for your service to God!

Attention KC Members:

The next KC meeting will be on Thursday, February 27 at 6:30pm

~ Quilting ~

Mondays at 1pm in the parish hall. All are invited to help make the next Altar Society raffle quilt.

{Youth group}

Wednesday, February 26
Ash Wednesday Mass at 6:00pm
Living Stations will be on Good Friday at St. Anthony @ 7:00pm

Bernardo Vol. Fire Department Chicken Fried Steak Dinner

March 29

Drive thru or Dine in
Serving 11:00am - 1:00pm
Plates \$10

Advanced tickets available from any fireman,
Bernardo Farm & Ranch Supply, Pilsner's Place
or Farm Bureau Insurance (Columbus)