



Parish Schedule and Mass Intentions

SATURDAY	March 20	Lenten Weekday
Mass	5:00pm	John Joseph "Terry" Montaquilla
SUNDAY	March 21	Fifth Sunday of Lent
Mass	8:30am	William Herman
PSR	9:40am	School of Religion (Woodridge)
Mass	11:00am	People of the Parish
MONDAY	March 22	Lenten Weekday
Mass	8:30am	Margaret Kassinger
Mtg	7:30pm	Scripture/Prayer Group
TUESDAY	March 23	Lenten Weekday
Mass	8:30am	St. Toribio de Mogrovejo, Bishop Joseph and Anna Harvat
WEDNESDAY	March 24	Lenten Weekday
Mass	7:30pm	Carolyn Heiser
Mtg	8:00pm	AA Meeting (Church Hall)
THURSDAY	March 25	The Annunciation of the Lord
Mass	8:30am	Lucy Elizabeth Marrone
Penance	6:30pm	First Reconciliation
FRIDAY	March 26	Lenten Weekday
Mass	8:30am	Sam Yacovazzi
Stations	7:30pm	Stations of the Cross
SATURDAY	March 27	Lenten Weekday
Penance	4:00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
Mass	5:00pm	People of the Parish
SUNDAY	March 28	Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion
Mass	8:30am	Longina Morgan
PSR	9:40am	Communal Penance (Church)
Blessing	10:45am	Ecumenical Palm Blessing Service
Mass	11:00am	Michael T. Kichurchak

In Your Charity

Please remember **Reverend Louis J. Trivison**, pastor emeritus, **Resurrection of our Lord Parish**, Solon and **Raymond M. Barkey**, cousin of parishioners **Roseann (Andrew) Sanford**. May **Father Trivison** and **Raymond** rest in peace and their families be consoled.

Scriptures For the Week of March 21st

Sunday:	Is 43:16-21 Ps 126:1-6 Phil 3:8-14 Jn 8:1-11
Monday:	Dn 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62 Ps 23:1-6 Jn 8:12-20
Tuesday:	Nm 21:4-9 Ps 102:2-3,16-21 Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday:	Dn 3:14-20,91-92,95 (Ps) Dn 3:52-56 Jn 8:31-42
Thursday:	Is 7:10-14; 8:10 Ps 40:7-11 Heb 10:4-10 Lk 1:26-38
Friday:	Jer 20:10-13 Ps 18:2-7 Jn 10:31-42
Saturday:	Ez 37:21-28 Jer 31:10-13 Jn 11:45-56
Next Sunday:	Lk 19:28-40; Is 50:4-7 Ps 22:8-9,17-18, 19-20,23-24 Phil 2:6-11 Lk 22:14-23:56 or 23:1-49



From the Pastor's Desk

This **Fifth Sunday of Lent**, two weeks before Easter, can be a time to renew our commitment to whatever form our prayer, penance, and acts of charity have taken or if needed, finally committing oneself to praying more, really working at living a better life (eliminating the sinful habits) and doing more for others. It is not too late to begin, start again the journey or renew the efforts you are making to live the new of life grace bestowed by baptism.

On Thursday of this week the Solemnity of the Annunciation is celebrated. At Mass there will be the Gloria and the *creed*. When we pray on that day in the *creed* ("**by the power of the Holy Spirit he was born of the Virgin Mary and became Man**") we are to genuflect as we do on Christmas. We do this special action (ritual) to acknowledge the divinity of Jesus. At other times a profound bow (from the waist, more than nodding the head) is the appropriate way of demonstrating our understanding of this part of the *creed* as we pray it.

This **Thursday, March 25th**, at 6:30pm you are invited to join the First Communicants and their families in celebrating the **Sacrament of Reconciliation**. As the children are introduced to this wonderful sacrament, why not let it also be for you a special time of grace as join with them in meeting Christ the Good Shepherd?!

Fr. John

General Intercessions

That families will make the time and effort to renew one another and feel joy and hope for the future. We pray to the Lord.

Family Perspective

Before Jesus faced the attacks of the scribes and Pharisees, he spent the night in the quiet of the Mount of Olives. Technology increases the demands on us and we all need a quiet place to refuel our spirit, otherwise all we share in our homes are fatigue and bitterness. Where can you find a few minutes each day to refresh your spirit?



In your prayers...

Emma Aguilar and Family, Richard Bennett, Celia Bican, George and Dee Blower, Dolores Bryan, Johannah Conner, Robert Haas, Maureen Hurtle, Kathy James, Margaret, Melissa, Jolene Maurer, Dice Moledor, Marilyn M., Mary Moran, Ashley Munoz, George Novak, Walter Przybojewski, Joy Rogers, Joseph Rogus, Betty Sabino, Andrew Sanford, Patricia Sayer, John Stewart, Bruce Styles, Sylvia Trecaso, Marilyn Wotowiec, and all in need of our prayers and support.



March 21, 2010
5th Sunday of Lent

“Let the one among you without sin cast the first stone.” John

Lenten Practices

Consider going to daily Mass during Lent. Masses are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday at 8:30 am. Mass on Wednesday is at 7:30 pm. Visit our parish website at motherofsorrowspeninsula.org for links to our cluster parish partners for their daily Mass schedules and Lenten programs. On Fridays of Lent at 7:30pm try to attend Stations of the Cross here or at the other parishes. Consider celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation (confession) as part of your journey to Easter.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER. Turn a good marriage into a great marriage through a Marriage Encounter Weekend! Recharge your marriage; give your spouse the gift of yourself and your time. *The next weekends are scheduled for April 16th-18th.* All weekends will be at the Homewood Suites, Beachwood. For more information and reservations call Ken & Rose Breen at 440-899-9002 or register online at: www.wwme.org/new.html.

4th Annual Monte Carlo Night by J.W. Didado Electric to benefit Catholic Services on *March 27th at Todaro's Party Center.* Tickets are \$75 per person and include food, cocktails, Vegas style games, live entertainment, and prizes. For tickets or information, contact Louise at 330.762.2961 ext. 220 or visit www.csssc.org.

CATHOLIC RADIO IS HERE—Radio station WILB AM 1060 – Living Bread Radio, is now available to be heard in most parts of the Diocese. Broadcasting each day from sunrise to sunset...AM 1060 broadcasts the best in Catholic teaching and preaching along with the Mass and many devotions. Tune into AM 1060...WILB...Catholic Radio.

Marriage Enrichment Weekend Opportunity

This Lent do something positive for God and for your relationship. Attend a Marriage Encounter Weekend and let God enrich your sacrament. Develop the communication skills and romance so necessary today. What has been working in 80 Countries and for over 40 years can work for you! Attend the April 16-18 weekend at the Cambria Suites in Green, OH. For information or reservations call 330-305-9963 or email WorldwideME@sbcglobal.net Don't wait. Weekends fill up fast. Or check our website at WWME.org

Pierogie and Fish Fry

Where: Peninsula United Methodist Church
1575 Main St., Peninsula, OH
When: Every Friday from February 19th thru March 26th
What: Lunches 11:00 to 1:00p.m.
Dinners 5:00pm to 7:00p.m.

Take-outs are welcome! **Call 330-657-2567** for questions or to place a take out order. Come, and enjoy these delicious meals with family, friends or meet new friends!

Catholic Relief Services

Thank you for generosity in the Catholic Relief Services Collection. Because of you, millions of people all over the world will receive vital assistance. You have truly **given hope to Jesus in disguise.** Please visit www.usccb/nationalcollections to learn more about the programs and projects supported by The Catholic Relief Services Collection.

Church in Central and Eastern Europe

On March 27 – 28 weekend (Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord) will be the collection for the **Church in Central and Eastern Europe.** The Church in this region continues to have great needs for its essential pastoral work. Your donations invest in future generations of Catholics: **a gift of faith for the future.** Please do be generous as this collection **supports our sisters and brothers throughout Central and Eastern Europe,** and gives faith to future generations. *Thank you and God bless you!*

Sunday, March 14, 2010

Sunday Offering	\$2,202.96
Catholic Relief Services	370.00
SVDP	5.00

Thank you for your generosity!