

First Sunday of Lent March 1, 2020

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Moving St. Andrew Catholic Community closer to Jesus Christ through growing in Faith, Service and Welcoming.

Parish Mission Statement

On The Lenten Journey

+Today's readings, as we begin the season of Lent, give us two special reminders that will help us on our journey: Who God is, and who we are as human beings.

The reading from Genesis presents our creation story: The Lord formed us out of the clay of the ground, and animated us by breathing life into us. Without God, we simply would not exist.

Yet from the very beginning, it has been hard for us as human beings to remember this basic fact. Like Adam and Eve, it is very easy for us to fall into the trap of wanting to be like God – wanting to be "in charge" of our lives and wanting to know good from evil. We certainly can go through our lives reacting to our problems and challenges as if we're in charge of everything, and forget to rely on the wisdom and guidance of God. Perhaps, however, as we begin our Lenten practices of *prayer*, *fasting* and *almsgiving*, our focus should be to remember to put God first in our lives, and to wrest out of our lives anything we want to put before God.

Jesus gives us a masterful example of how to do just that in the Gospel, as He's confronted with various temptations by the devil. For every temptation that Satan puts before Him, Jesus counters with a reminder that God comes first.

Tempted to make stones into bread after 40 days of fasting, Jesus notes that we live not only on bread, but on the word of God. Tempted to fall down and let God save Him, Jesus reminds the devil that He is not to put God to the test. Finally, tempted with all the riches of the world if He only worships Satan, Jesus counters that God alone should be worshipped. Jesus gives us a clear model: in all temptations to hunger, power and wealth, we are to remember that God, our Creator, comes *first*.

As we begin our own challenging journey of Lent this year, let us be assured by the words of Saint Paul in today's second reading. Although sin abounds in our world, God's grace abounds even more. As we struggle in the weeks ahead to put God first, to remove from our lives the obstacles to our union with God, God gives us graces to help us in our struggle. We are never alone on the journey when we strive to come closer to God – God is always waiting to give us any help we need if only we remember to turn to Him.

My friends, let us face the Lent ahead with the courage and strength of Jesus. May this journey of Lent help us to return to God and put the Lord *first* in our lives and our hearts.

+As we enter Lent here at St. Andrew, I am happy to say that we have tried to expand our offerings to include more opportunities for confession, followed by a Tuesday evening mass (for those who find it difficult to make it to morning mass because of work or other commitments). As before, we will offer Eucharistic (continued on page 3)



First Eucharist Gathering &
Confirmation
Teen Witness Session
This week!

See page 9 for details

JOIN US for Coffee & Donuts after the 10 AM Mass this weekend!



2 St. Andrew Staff Directory, Councils & Commissions

Weekend

Masses: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm, 5:00 pm				Masses:8:15 amRosary:7:45 amChaplet of Divine Mercy:Recited after Mass		
Reconciliation: 3:30 p.m. Saturday				Anointing of the Sick please contact the Parish Office 248.651.7486		
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Weekday

On The Journey (continued from page 1)

adoration after Friday morning mass up to the time of evening Stations of the Cross. Also, we have something different: *The 99 Experience*, with both morning (9 - 10:30 a.m.) and evening (7 - 8:30 p.m.) sessions.

Let me interject here that we are <u>not</u> "getting rid of" our Alpha and NextStep experiences. Instead we are trying to offer a broader range of these types of gatherings. Our plan is to schedule these events across the church calendar each year. In the future, I would also like to see *some* of our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) sessions open to all parishioners for some of the topics. I think it might work as a great renewal for those who are "cradle Catholics" while enlightening the folks seeking entrance into the Church. We are constantly working on new and more ideas to help us all grow in our faith!

+I think our "Name Tag" Sunday experience went very well last weekend! Thanks to all who helped plan and make it happen!! I am sure we will be doing it more frequently in the future – and I hope that more will join us after Saturday mass and Sunday 8 a.m. liturgy. Folks, it takes a little time to get organized and orchestrated with these types of events, but over this coming year – and getting use to the new spaces – I'm sure we'll enjoy the growth in our community of faith for which we are working!

+It was good to see many of you at our Ash Wednesday liturgies (remember, that day is not a holy day of obligation). A great time for all of us to think of how we bring to the forefront of activities our call to <u>prayer</u>, <u>fasting</u> and <u>almsgiving</u> in a special way this season. I pray that as we journey together at this time, we all deepen our faith in the Lord!

+It was good to return home last week from 12 days down in Florida. As I mentioned to some, it was about the best weather ever in the 31 years I have gone south at this time of year. While having an attack of gout dampen some of the "running around" part of the trip, it in no way quashed the enjoyment of spending time with good friends. I know that you were all well cared for by the able hands of a very competent staff, for which I commend them for helping me to enjoy my time away.

+Please make an effort this Lenten season to take advantage of the many events and opportunities we have offered. May we be open to the graces – and challenges – that will come our way! See you in church!

-Msgr. Mike (with thoughts from FAITH Catholic Publishing)



Continue the Disciple's Journey through ...

The 99 Experience

Rediscover the simplicity & power of the gospel.

Don't just be part of the 99 ... be the one that God works through to find the one!



St. Andrew Catholic Church

St. Andrew Catholic Church invites you to sign-up to participate in "The 99 Experience" new evangelization program. This program will help you rediscover the power of the gospel through video programs and small group discussion. The 99 Experience is a three session program scheduled for March 3, 17 and 31. You may choose either a morning session (9am-10:30am) or an evening session (7pm-8:30pm). SIGN UP TODAY AT: www.tinyurl.com/stathe99

For more information or to register contact Susan Kowalski at **susank@standrewchurch.org** or **248.651.7486**. (When registering, please advise if you need child care.)

Worship



Lenten Little Black Books

The Lenten prayer books are available on the table in the chapel hallway. Recommended donation is \$1.00.

Lent, "What happened with the Gloria and the Alleluia?"

The season of Lent is a time of reflection, sacrifice, and penance. The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM) is very specific on certain items during Lent. The General Instruction states:

- 53. The *Gloria in excelsis* (*Glory to God in the highest*) . . is sung or said on Sundays **outside Advent and Lent**, and also on Solemnities and Feasts, and at particular celebrations of a more solemn character.
- 62. a) The *Alleluia* is sung in **every time of year other than Lent**. The verses are taken from the Lectionary or the *Graduale*.
- b) During Lent, **instead of the** *Alleluia*, the verse before the Gospel as given in the Lectionary is sung. It is also possible to sing another Psalm or Tract, as found in the *Graduale*.

Reflections on the Three Pillars of Lent

From usccb.org

During Lent, we are asked to devote ourselves to seeking the Lord in **prayer** and reading Scripture, to service by **giving alms**, and to practice self-control through **fasting**. Many know of the tradition of abstaining from meat on Fridays during Lent, but we are also called to practice self-discipline and fast in other ways throughout the season. In addition, the giving of alms is one way to share God's gifts—not only through the distribution of money, but through the sharing of our time and talents. As St. John Chrysostom reminds us: "Not to enable the poor to share in our goods is to steal from them and deprive them of life. The goods we possess are not ours, but theirs." (Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 2446).

Lenten Fast & Abstinence

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal. Two smaller meals may also be taken, but not to equal a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards.

Those that are excused from fast and abstinence outside the age limits include the physically or mentally ill including individuals suffering from chronic illnesses such as diabetes. Also excluded are pregnant or nursing women. In all cases, common sense should prevail, and ill persons should not further jeopardize their health by fasting.

"Fasting makes sense if it questions our security, and if it also leads to some benefits for others, if it helps us to cultivate the style of the Good Samaritan, who bends down to his brother in need and takes care of him." - Pope Francis, Homily 3/5/14



Fridays of Lent

Eucharistic Adoration and Exposition

9:00 AM-7:00 PM in the Chapel

"The importance of Eucharistic Adoration is shown in the fact that the Church has a ritual that regulates it: the Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction. This is an extension of the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament which occurs in every Mass: "Behold the Lamb of God, behold him

who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb." Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament flows from the sacrifice of the Mass and serves to deepen our hunger for Communion with Christ and the rest of the Church. The Rite concludes with the ordained minister blessing the faithful with the Blessed Sacrament."

Source: http://www.usccb.org/prayer-and-worship/devotionals/adoration/

55 PLUS FELLOWSHIP - UPDATE

Your 55 Plus Fellowship Board met last week to discuss and plan the events for the rest of 2020.

- We recently completed a Day of Reflection at the Capuchin Retreat Center in Washington Township which
 was well attended and received rave reviews.
- We have announced a tour of the Leader Dogs for the Blind facility on March 19. Space is still available, call Mary Adesko for reservations.
- An overnight trip to Stratford and Niagara on the Lake in Ontario to see Chicago and Gypsy on July 29 30
 has also been scheduled but there is a waitlist for this trip. Check with Joe Kassmann if you are interested
 to be placed on the waitlist.

Stay tuned, other fun events are being reviewed and will be announced shortly. Please watch the Bulletin.

In the meantime, we would like to encourage everyone to participate in the Lenten program "The 99 Experience" that the Parish is offering this year. This program starts on March 3rd with both a morning and evening session. Please consider attending.



55+ Group Leader Dogs For the Blind Tour and Lunch

Have you ever wondered what happens at the Leader Dogs For The Blind?

We are fortunate to have scheduled a tour of their facility for Thursday, March 19, 2020. You will enjoy a tour, see some of the dogs being trained, and have your questions answered. The tour will start at 1:00 PM at the Leader Dogs facility on the southeast corner of Avon and Rochester Roads. The price for the tour will be \$5 which will be used as a donation to the Leader Dogs for their valuable work in the community.

Prior to the tour, we would like to welcome attendees to an on-your-own lunch at a local restaurant (to be determined based upon interest) at 11:00 AM.

Interested?

Space is limited, so please act as soon as possible by texting Mary Adesko at 248-818-5730 or emailing her at mkadesko@yahoo.com to RSVP for the tour, and the luncheon before the tour. Based on the interest in the luncheon will determine where we will make reservations. You will be notified of the luncheon location after March 5th.

Your \$5 donation, made payable to St. Andrew 55 Plus, needs to be mailed to St. Andrew Church, 1400 Inglewood Avenue, Rochester, MI 48307-1518, Attention: St. Andrew 55 Plus **before March 5th.**(Also, please write St. Andrew 55 Plus in the memo line on the check.)

Christian Service







31st Annual Baby Shower March 8 & 9

Please consider donating any of the following **new or gently used** baby items to support mothers and
their newborns:

Donated items can be brought to the information center in Church. **Checks payable to "Crossroads**

Care Center" will also be accepted. **Thank you!**

- **Diapers:** sizes 3, 4, 5, & 6
- Onesies, sleepers, outfits (all seasons)
- Newborn (0-3 months)
- -12-18 months

(greatest need)

- Baby body wash, lotion, diaper rash cream
- Receiving blankets
- Light weight saddle blankets
- Pack-n-play sheets
- Bottles

- **Formula**-Enfamil (yellow can)
- Baby cereal & food
- Rattles
- Teethers
- Pack-n-plays
- New car seats
- Saucers
- High chairs
- (1 only) **Triple**stroller used or new
 Please contact Sam
 Jennings if you wish to
 donate this item



March 24th Gathering Space 7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. North Conference Room

Interested in Catholic Social Teaching, justice, or pro-life issues?

Join us for our inaugural meeting of the St.

Andrew Parish is reviving its **Life, Justice, & Peace Committee!**

Come prepared to learn about the **consistent** ethic of life & discuss your ideas for this important ministry!

Please RSVP by contacting Sam Jennings at samj@standrewchurch.org or

http://bit.ly/LifeJusticePeace.

Certification of Lay Ecclesial Ministers

Those who devote themselves to a regular professional ministry have an obligation to proper formation and education. Lay Ecclesial Ministers, just like the ordained, need and deserve high standards of formation, effective methods, and comprehensive goals. The Department of Evangelization and Missionary Discipleship, in collaboration with Sacred Heart Major Seminary, offers formation for Christian Service Coordinators, Youth Ministers, Liturgical Musicians, Parish Catechetical Leaders/Directors of Religious Education and RCIA Coordinators.

Through participation in USCCB-approved coursework in human, spiritual, intellectual and pastoral formation, Lay Ecclesial Ministers acquire the resources needed to more effectively minister to the faithful. To learn more about the process of becoming a Certified Lay Ecclesial Minister, contact the Department of Evangelization and Missionary Discipleship at (313) 596-7306.

For more information on this and other CSA-funded ministries, visit www.aod.org





RESTORE THE CHURCH BUILD THE FUTURE

Around the world, women who face unplanned pregnancies or who have experienced abortion or miscarriage suffer psychological stress. They need material and emotional support to help them to heal. This reality is especially true in Eastern Europe, where for decades, the Soviet system proposed abortion as a method of birth control. Today in this developing region of the world, many pregnant women face difficult financial situations, are abandoned by partners and family members, and confront other hardships that compound their circumstances. In the Lithuanian capital of Vilnius, however, women who previously would have been alone and vulnerable in such times now have access to assistance and support when they face challenging pregnancies or losses.

Since 2014, Krizinio Neštumo Centras (Crisis Pregnancy Center) has provided a wide range of long-term help to hundreds of women: psychological counseling, job search assistance, training in infant care, life skills such as budget management, and group therapy for women who have experienced miscarriages and lost babies. Where few government resources are available to support these kinds of services, local organizations—with the help of the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe (CCEE)—are accompanying the most vulnerable women and helping them to choose life, even in their time of greatest need. Your contributions to the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe help to train staff and further grow this

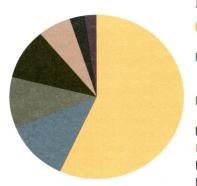
pregnancy center, helping to build a culture of life, solidarity, and support for women and children.

Help these Lithuanian mothers and children by supporting the collection today.

More information about the CCEE and the projects it supports can be found at www.usccb.org/ccee.

2018 DISTRIBUTION OF GRANTS

Total Number of Grants Approved: 339
Total Amount Approved: \$8,147,983



PROGRAM AREA

- Construction and Equipment
- Poverty Outreach and Miscellaneous Programs
- Education, Formation, and Evangelization
- Operational SupportScholarships
- Vehicle Purchase
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- Communications Programs



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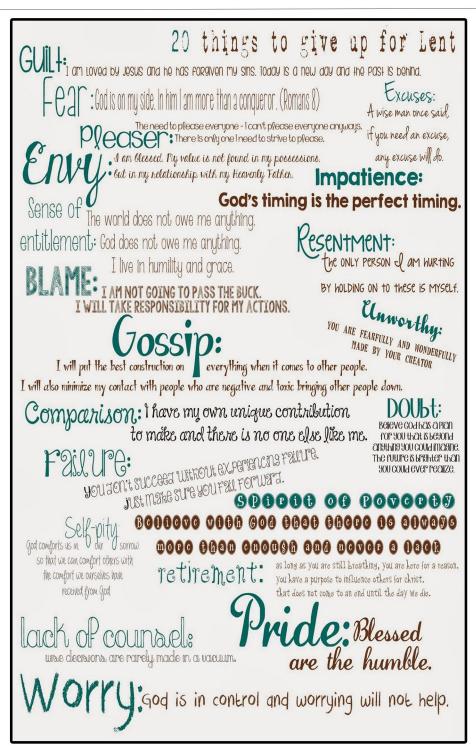
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"YOUTH NIGHT"

6 pm to 8 pm
In the Activities Building
unless otherwise noted
Come join us for
Food, Fellowship and Fun.
Friends are always Welcome!
For more information
please contact me.

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Text this message @stay2020 to number 81010

February & March

1st Lent

8th TBA

15th St Patrick

22nd TBA

29th Service

Events may change or others may be added. Sign up for REMIND to get the most up to date information

APRIL 4TH MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENT

For more information please contact me.

Permission slips and money

Permission slips and money due asap!



2020 Rise Detroit



April 25th, 2020

8:30am-8:30pm

Blessings, Margaret Kozak



It's Lent again, time to think about ways to PRAY, FAST and GIVE.

Our Faith Formation project for Lent will support Buckets of Water, a small non-profit organization founded by James Green, a Rochester resident and former Marine. He spoke to our classes this past week about the need for clean water in Africa. While deployed with the Marines to Uganda in 2012, he implemented a simple water filtration system to provide clean drinking water to villages there. James worked with Ugandan soldiers on constructing the filters. He funds this non-profit by selling the work of Ugandan artists.

Faith Formation students will have a chance to GIVE by choosing between two art pieces as they "vote" with their donations, Penny Wars style. They will be encouraged to PRAY for those without water whenever they take a nice, cool drink, and FAST from using more water than they need. The winning art piece will be displayed for all to see.

May your Lent be full of possibilities to grow closer to Jesus.

Blessings, Maureen Schreffler Director of Faith Formation

"During this Lent, let us all ask the Lord: Make our hearts like yours."



-Pope Francis

Religious Education Schedule
Mar. 1,2,3; 8,9,10; 15,16,17; 22,23,24
Apr. 13, 14; 19, 20, 21; 26, 27, 28; May 3
Sunday evening
Middle School Sessions: Mar. 8, 22
Apr. 26; May 3



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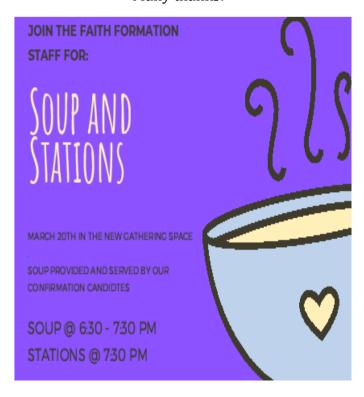
First Eucharist Family Gatherings

is Wednesday, March 4
6:30pm in the church
We look forward to sharing the hour with you.

CONFIRMATION PREP NEWS

MARCH TEEN WITNESS SESSION

Teens must attend ONE of the following sessions:
 Sunday, March 1, 3-5pm
 Thurs., March 5, 7-9pm
 Sat., March 7, 10am-12noon
 in the Activities Building
 Confirmation journals will be given out at this
 meeting. Parents, please visit Sign-Up Genius at
 https://tinyurl.com/qvu4gel
 to volunteer as a table discussion leader.
 Many thanks!



We are called to Evangelize JESU



Sunday, March 8, 2020 • 7:00 pm

Jesus And Me (JAM) is an evening of Praise and Worship, Adoration, and spiritual message.

It is a time for families and friends to join in contemporary song and adoration of

Jesus in the Real Presence of the Eucharist. Music by "Reflections of Grace"

with Music Minister Jim Balistreri. Fellowship & Hospitality following the event.

Special Guest Speaker Danielle Center

Co-host of Open Door Policy podcast with Fr. Stephen Pullis and former Program Director at Sainte Anne Parish de Detroit





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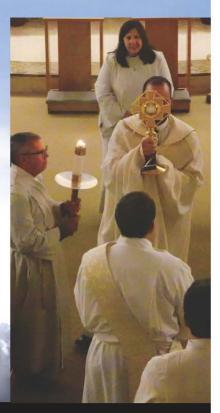
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SECOND GRADE SCIENCE

Students in second grade are learning about animals and their habitats. The children created a tool with different materials (tape, popsicle sticks, toothpicks) to pick up sunflower and pumpkin seeds. They had to work together to design and see how many seeds of each the tool could pick up. Then, they graphed their results. Learning is fun at Holy Family Regional School! If you are interested in learning more about Catholic education for your children, please contact our Enrollment Department at (248) 218-4554. We are currently enrolling students for the 2020-2021 school year. Jesus Christ is the reason for our school! Discover everything Holy Family has to offer your child. Visit our Ice Cream Social at the South Campus on Thursday, March 19th from 5-7pm.



The Magical Land of Oz

Join us for an evening (or afternoon) of family-friendly theater! Our entire eighth grade class will participate in this slight twist on the story you know and love! Tickets are available at the door.

Friday, March 27, 7:30 PM Saturday, March 28, 7:30 PM Sunday, March 29th, 2:30 P.M.



STUDENTS MINISTER TO THOSE IN NEED

National Junior Honor Society members made fleece blankets and coloring packets for children in the hospital, wrote to men and women in the military, and created care packages for young ladies receiving assistance through Gianna House.



FOOD DRIVE

Our annual Gleaners Food Drive will be March 9th - 13th. Donations will help feed many hungry people in southeastern Michigan. Students are encouraged to purchase food with their own money to participate in Corporal Works of Mercy. Feel free to drop off your donations at either campus. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

LENTEN FISH FRY



Father Baumgartner Rochester Council #5452

816 Ludlow, Rochester MI.

Every Friday During Lent

February 28, To April 10, 2020

From 5 pm - 7:30 pm

MENU

Baked and Fried Fish, Mac and Cheese, French Fries, Coleslaw, Roll & Butter, Coffee, Tea, Fruit Punch.

Adults \$10.00 Kids ages 6-12 \$6.00 5 and Under Free

Pop, Hot Chocolate, Baked Potatoes \$1.00

Desserts \$1.00

Carry-Out Available

Readings for the Week of March 2

March 2

Leviticus 19:1-2, 11-18 Mark 25:31-46

March 3

St Katharine Drexel Isaiah 55:10-11 Matthew 6:7-15

March 4

St Casimir Jonah 3:1-10 Luke 11:29-32

March 5

Ester C:12, 14-16, 23-25 Matthew 7:7-12

March 6

Ezekiel 18:21-28 Matthew 5:20-26

March 7

SS Perpetua and Felicity Deuteronomy 26:16-19 Matthew 5:43-48

March 8

2nd Sunday of Lent Genesis 12:1-4a Psalm 33 2 Timothy 1:8b-10 Matthew 17:1-9



7:00 pm

JAM

	SUNDAY	March 1, 2020	Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 12:00 noon
	8:00 am	Mass	Church
	10:00 am	Mass	Church
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	10:00 am	Pre K / K Religious Ed	
	12:00 pm	Mass	Church
	3:00 pm	Confirmation Meeting	Activities Building
	5:00 pm	NOAK Mass	Church
	6:00 pm	St Andrew Youth Night	Activity Building
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	MONDAY	March 2, 2020	Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm
	7:45 am	Rosary	Chapel
	8:15 am	Mass	Chapel
	4:30 pm	Religious Education	
	6:00 pm	Religious Education	
	7:30 pm	Religious Education	
	TUESDAY	March 3, 2020	Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm
	7:45 am	Rosary	Chapel
	8:15 am	Mass	Chapel
			Gathering Space
	9:00 am	99 Experience	Gathering Space
	4:30 pm	Religious Education	Church
	5:30 pm	Reconciliation	Church
	6:00 pm	Religious Education	
	6:15 pm	Mass	Chapel
	7:00 pm	99 Experience	Gathering Space
	WEDNESDAY	March 4, 2020	Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm
	7:45 am	Rosary	Church
	8:15 am	Mass	Church
١	9:00 am	Stations of the Cross	Chapel
١	6:30 pm	First Eucharist Meeting	Church
١	6:30 pm	NextStep	Multi-Purpose Room
١	7:00 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Chapel
	THURSDAY	March 5, 2020	Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm
	7:45 am	Rosary	Chapel
ı	8:15 am	Mass	Chapel
۱	7:00 pm	Bible Study	Parish Center Lower Level
	7:00 pm	Confirmation Meeting	Activities Building
	7:30 pm	RCIA	Multi-Purpose Room
١	FRIDAY	March 6, 2020	Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
ı	7:45 am	Rosary	Chapel
ı	8:15 am	Mass	Chapel
ı	9:00 am	Exposition	Chapel
	7:30 pm	Stations of the Cross	Church
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	SATURDAY	March 7, 2020	Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
ı	10:00 am	Needlework Ministry	Parish Center Lower Level
ı	10:00 am	Confirmation Meeting	Activities Building
ı	3:30 pm	Reconciliation	Church
ı	5:00 pm	Mass	Church
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	SUNDAY	March 8, 2020	Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 12:00 noon
ı	8:00 am	Mass	Church
	10:00 am	Mass	Church
	10:00 am	Pre K / K Religious Ed	
ĺ	12:00 pm	Mass	Church
	5:00 pm	NOAK Mass	Church
	6:00 pm	Religious Education	
1	6:00 pm	St Andrew Youth Night	Activity Building
1	7.00 nm	1 / 1 / 1	Church

Church



Prayer Corner—Prayer 101

Ways to Pray with Kids, continued...

Pray Using Your Body

Prayer through Movement: There are several ways to pray with kids that teach how their minds *and* bodies communicate with God. So, try this simple prayer below, especially useful for the kinesthetic learner. Additionally, yoga and dance are great options that can be done with children of all ages.

(3 deep breaths)

God, you are above (reach toward the sky), below (touch your toes), inside (hands to heart) and all around (big arm circles).

I worship you (reach toward the sky), and give my life to you (touch your toes).

And I love you (hands to heart) with all that I am (big arm circles).

(3 deep breaths)

Five-Finger Prayer: Developed by Pope Francis, this prayer practice assigns each finger something to pray for. The thumb is for those closest to us. The index finger for those who teach, instruct and heal us. The middle finger, our tallest, is for our leaders. The ring finger, our weakest, for those who are weak. The pinky is for ourselves. Click here to download your free printable bookmark version of this prayer..

Prayer Journal: Invite your children to begin drawing and writing their prayers to God. Even little ones can draw their prayers. For those who are older, they may want to write letters to God. Additionally, giving children a prompt can offer needed structure. Perhaps, encourage them to write God about their hopes for the coming school year.

Pray Through Conversation

Fill in the Blank Prayer: Take turns going back and forth or from person to person, if you're in a group, saying, "God is great, God is good, thank you God for ______." See how long you can keep it going. It's fun (and sometimes breathtaking) to hear what your children say. Discussing what is inside our hearts and minds with each other is a crucial way to build relationships. Consequently, this practice builds both relationships with God and with each other.

Prayer Walk: Go for a walk together in search for the things you're thankful to God for. Sidewalks, trees, bird songs, smiles from other pedestrians, flowers in bloom, passing cars and buses that make travel possible. So much to appreciate! Additionally, this is an excellent way to get outside, slow down the mind and get active together.

Prayer Happenings at St. Andrew Church

Mon—Fri 7:45AM Rosary in the chapel before daily Mass 9:00AM Divine Mercy Chaplet in the cry room following daily Mass Fridays Eucharistic Adoration in the chapel after daily Mass (8:45 AM until Benediction at 7:00PM)

Stations of the Cross Wed. Mornings following Mass, Friday Evenings 7:30 pm

Do you have a prayer group you are involved with at St. Andrew?

Do you have an idea to start one?

Contact Mike Carr (MikeC@oexusa.com) or

Susan Kowalski (susank@standrewchurch.org)

so St. Andrew Church can be known as a church that prays!



Died on
February 20, 2020
Buried from St. Andrew on
February 27, 2020





Patricia Lippert, 78

Died on
February 18, 2020
Buried from St. Andrew on
February 29, 2020



Prayer Requests

All men & women in the military & family members David Dehn Caterina Basile Diane Fayle Norman Rosinski

Rebecca Nowakowski Mary Abraham

The unborn child of Antonio

Walter Gieselman Paul Yezback

Sharon Nowakowski

Jordan Baker

Jack Waters

Gary J. Rogers

Aaron Edward Kurmas Phyllis Mannina

> , Pat Fiorini

Alexander Fabian

Lucas Fabian

William J.H. Smith

Paul Maxwell

Russ LaBruzzy

Mary Pearsall

Mary Ann Ranger

Mike Helms

Ryan Mele

Mary Ziaja

Janet McGarry

Thomas Whitlow

Mary Louise Kaufeld

Therese Tyll

Norine Brum

Patty Miller

Paul & Tracy Jacque

Elizabeth Jary

Barbara Gunn

Gerrie Raymo

Jimmy Kaufeld

Cap Steyer

Louise Carlson

Mary Kralik

Carla Robinson

Jack Hretz

Nicholas Gauthier

Scott Holland

Matthew Payne

Victor Zanolli

Patricik Beattie

Donna Christie

Joe Bosca

Mass Intentions for the Week of March 1

SUNDAY March 1, 2020 8:00 am Nina Tringale Fan

Nina Tringale Family
Delores Lumsten Rosemary Schwager

Vince Ceritano
 Loeschner Family

10:00 am → Jim Stevenson Family

★ Kevin Seagraves★ Richard StysConnie ShankinDave & Sue Schaefer

12:00 pm For the People of St. Andrew

5:00 pm → For All Those Buried at Guardian Angel Cemtery During the

Last Month

MONDAY March 2, 2020

8:15 am ♦ Walter Hrydziuszko Family

TUESDAY March 3, 2020

8:15 am For the People of St Andrew

WEDNESDAY March 4, 2020

8:15 am

→ Mary Margaret Yeagley Patricia Tay

→ Deb McMillan Patricia Tay

THURSDAY March 5, 2020

8:15 am ◆ All Holy Souls & Ancestors Amy Nguyen

FRIDAY March 6, 2020

8:15 am ♦ Fran Lavery Barb Plante

SATURDAY March 7, 2020

5:00 pm → Helen Martin Jim & Betty Nolan

David Steines Family

→ Mary Margaret Yeagley Janet Bommarito

SUNDAY March 8, 2020

8:00 am For the People of St Andrew

10:00 am Eileen Trout Ray & Madeline Ormachea

→ Douglas Reaume Reaume Family

→ James Malatesta Family

12:00 pm Smith Family Shankin Family

Jerry O'Sullivan Ray & Madeline Ormachea

Richard Stys Ray & Madeline Ormachea

5:00 pm For the People of the Pontiac Area Vicariate



16 Liturgical Schedule

Saturday 5:00 PM Mass March 7, 2020	Sunday 8:00 AM Mass March 8, 2020	Sunday 10:00 AM Mass March 8, 2020 Priest: Fr. Tom Wilisowski Deacon: Lectors: T. Fazio A. Bonardelli Reader: C. Sidor	
Priest: Msgr. Michael Hrydziuszko Deacon:	Priest: Msgr. Michael Hrydziuszko Deacon:		
Lectors: M. Mowle C. Brigulio Reader: R. Plichta	Lectors: K. Costa G. Birg Reader: K. Costa		
Altar Servers: Servers Needed	Altar Servers: Servers Needed	Altar Servers: Servers Needed	
Musician: Stephan Pawl Cantor:	Musician: Stephan Pawl Cantor: V. Fournier	Musician: Stephan Pawl Cantor: Adult Choir	
Greeters to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet	Greeters to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet	Greeters to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet	
Mass Coordinator: B. Chundrlik L. Chundrlik	Mass Coordinator: D. Dear L. Szydlowski	Mass Coordinator: V. Serio T. Wojcik	
Ushers D. Koss, Capt. C. Oskoian D. Modryck, Co-Capt J. Nolan V. Adragna S. Pinelli	Ushers D. Courtright, Capt. D. Gimbutis R. Begeny, Co-Capt. M. Lovell R. Goralewski J. Bolewitz	Ushers F. Fayle, Capt A. DiMercurio T. Lafata R. Kaschalk T. Serio	
Sunday 12:00 PM Mass March 8, 2020		Sunday 5:00 PM Mass March 8, 2020	
Priest: Fr. Tom Wilisowski Deacon:		Priest: Fr. Brian Chabala	
Lectors: M. Coppola L. Lusk Reader: L. Maccarone		Lectors: M. Battah C. MacLean Reader: P. Ruzinsky	
Altar Servers: Servers Needed		Altar Servers: Servers Needed	
Musician: Jim Balistreri Reflections of Grace		Musician: Cat Menzies	
Greeters to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet		Greeters to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet	
Mass Coordinator: C. Hornung M. Sturdavent		Mass Coordinator:	
Ushers D. Dehn M. Estrellado D. Iudiciani, Capt. M. Zahm G. Stefani A. Reynolds		Ushers	