



Second Sunday of Lent March 8, 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

+ *Bear your share of hardship for the Gospel with the strength that comes from God.*
These words from Saint Paul to Timothy in today's second reading are a wonderfully encouraging summary of the Christian life. First, the Gospel is something we all share. While God calls each one of us to himself, and we each have a responsibility to respond in faith, we are not a group of discrete individuals, alone on our journey. Instead, we are baptized into a community, whose communal presence forms the Church. We celebrate together, worship together, pray together and for one another, and we literally grow the kingdom of heaven here on earth by loving one another as God loves us.

Second, there will be hardship in this life. While that is not news to us, Paul's words remind us that, as we share in the good news of the Gospel, we also share in the inevitable hardship that arises in being faithful to Christ's message and our call to holiness. Whatever the hardship is, we are called to share with one another. Sharing provides strength in numbers, and makes burdens easier to bear. And bearing one another's burdens is another command of the Gospel (cf., Galatians 6:2). This is why we pray for one another, or offer material or financial assistance to one another. It's why we celebrate baptism, but also attend each other's funerals.

It is also why the sacrament of Penance is more than "just" confessing our individual sins, and receiving absolution from God. The sacrament restores our relationship to the greater Catholic community which has (even in unseen ways) been broken. Just as every part of the human body is important and must be in perfect order for the body to function at its best, so every person of Christ's body is important and must be reconciled to the whole with forgiveness and grace in order for his Body, the Church, to be at its best for the world.

Finally, we do all things fortified by the strength of God. God never abandons us, never leaves us to face things on our own. We can choose not to ask Him for help; we can choose to ignore his commands or to cooperate with his grace. But God never withholds that grace when asked; never withholds his strength. If we ever feel far away from God, we can be sure that it is we who have moved, not God.

When Jesus took his disciples – James, John and Peter – up the mountain and was transfigured before them, they had a glimpse of the glorified future that awaits all who are faithful to the Gospel. We who celebrate in our liturgy also have a glimpse of that glorified future, as we literally and metaphysically share in the heavenly banquet with the communion of saints. So as we strive in holiness to join them, in the fullness of time, may we take to heart the good news and encouraging words of Paul, sharing in the promise of God and knowing that the Lord gives us strength for all things.

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**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

Reconciliation: 3:30 p.m. Saturday

Weekday

Masses: 8:15 am **Rosary:** 7:45 am
Chaplet of Divine Mercy: Recited after Mass

Anointing of the Sick

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On The Journey (continued from page 1)

+Next weekend, March 14/15, we welcome Fr. Robert “Mac” McAleer from UNBOUND Ministries coming to St. Andrew to tell us about the good work of this lay Catholic sponsorship ministry that helps children and elderly in 18 developing countries across the globe. You might recall we had them come to visit us about 5 years ago. Fr. Robert will speak at all the masses and offer us opportunities to sponsor individuals abroad in some very poor conditions. I have been sponsoring a young fellow – Walter, from Guatemala – for over 8 years, and have shared in his development over this time; he’s now turning 17 this year. It has been a rewarding experience for me, where I have been in touch as a “pen-pal” over this time. Maybe you too will be moved to sponsor someone in need.....

+We had our first of three “the 99 Experience” this past Tuesday, and I am happy to see the involvement of so many parishioners in our special Lenten program. We also had a good crowd at our Tuesday evening mass, set up for those who find it difficult to attend morning mass because of work or other family commitments. We hope that all the efforts and programs – additional confession times, weekly Eucharistic adoration and benediction - will help us grow closer to the Lord and help us in *unleashing the Gospel!*

+We’ve received some calls from neighbors – specifically residents on Northwood – complaining about cars speeding down the street. This occurred particularly on Ash Wednesday. With the snow and all, it was a day when traffic should have been moving at a much slower pace. With both North Hill Elementary as well as our own Holy Family Regional School located in the area, it is important for all of us to obey the speed limits and be extra cautious with so many students and families coming and going during various times of the day. **THANK YOU FOR HELPING US KEEP OUR AREA SAFE!**

+In light of the coronavirus and wide-spread flu/serious cold season this year, it was a precautionary move that we – along with other churches in the AoD – took in suspending use of the cup during communion, and the additional contact that may come about at the initial greeting, sign of peace and recitation of the Our Father. This doesn’t mean that we still can’t be friendly in welcoming/greeting those around us. A big smile, a little nod of the head, a gentle wave – all show that we recognize each other in our celebration of the Eucharistic Liturgy. Please use common sense. And maybe I might add/ point out that instead of receiving the host on the tongue, it might also be helpful to receive in the hand, at least during this time of concern.

+This weekend is our change-over to daylight saving time. Don’t forget to change the clocks around the house and in the cars!

+PLEASE NOTE: a new scam has been going around this past week with some parishioners receiving a phone text – supposedly from me – requesting help, send Visa or Amazon cards and whatever. Know that I would never approach you in this manner, so please IGNORE the requests. Do not fall prey to such tactics by these thieves. (You know, that if I want your money, I’m just gonna come out and ask you for it, like CSA, etc.)! Don’t get fooled!!

+I look forward to seeing you in church and at some of our wonderful offerings this Lent. May it be a time of growth in faith for each of us! God bless!

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

The time of my departure is coming!

It was June 20, 2017 when still at St. Clare of Montefalco, Grosse Pointe Park, I was writing an article for the St. Andrew bulletin for the first day of my new assignment as an Associate Pastor. I still remember these mixed emotions running through my mind and heart at that time: from sadness to joy, from unhappiness to excitement, from gratitude to uncertainty.

And today, almost three years later I feel exactly the same. With the decision of Archbishop Vigneron I was appointed as Administrator of St. Genevieve and St. Maurice, Livonia, effective July 1, 2020. I accept that decision obediently and respectfully, and I’m grateful for this act of trust towards me.

It won’t be easy for me to leave this St. Andrew Parish at the end of June this year. During the last 32 months this Church, this City and this Community have become my home. We’ve been praying, laughing, crying, spending time together and living and sharing our faith together. I’ll always treasure this blessing in my heart. But we all need new challenges in life, if not, we do not live fully, we do not develop ourselves, we are not true disciples of Jesus who was always on a mission.

This is not my farewell letter, we still have a few more months to enjoy our faith journey together! Hopefully I’ll have an opportunity to write a thankful note before I leave. I truly believe that the Archbishop’s decision was inspired by the Holy Spirit. Please pray for me that I’ll be able to fulfill God’s will in my life. You are always in my heart.

Fr. Tom

4 Worship

Lenten Plenary Indulgence

Every sin has consequences. It disrupts our communion with God and the Church, weakens our ability to resist temptation, and hurts others. The necessity of healing these consequences, once the sin has been forgiven, is called temporal punishment. Prayer, fasting, almsgiving and other works of charity can diminish this temporal punishment. Because of the fullness of redemption obtained for us by Christ, the Church attaches to certain prayers and actions an indulgence or pardon for the remission of temporal punishment due to sin. Christ, acting through the Church, brings about the healing of the consequences of sin when an individual uses such a prayer or engages in such an action.

During the Fridays in Lent, the Church grants a Plenary Indulgence (a full remission of temporal punishment) to the faithful who fulfill the conditions of receiving the indulgence.

The conditions of receiving a Plenary Indulgence on a Friday in Lent are:

- Being in the state of grace
- Recent reception of the sacrament of Penance (usually understood to be within the last 3 weeks)
- Reception of Holy Communion
- Prayers for the intentions of the Holy Father (an Our Father and a Hail Mary suffice)
- Then praying the prayer "*En ego, O bone et dulcissime Iesu*" (Behold, O good and loving Jesus) before a crucifix after receiving Holy Communion on a Friday in Lent

En ego, O bone et dulcissime Iesu

Behold, O good and loving Jesus,
that I cast myself on my knees before you,
and, with the greatest fervor of spirit,
I pray and beseech you to instill into my heart
ardent sentiments of faith, hope and charity,
with true repentance for my sins
and a most firm purpose of amendment.
With deep affection and sorrow
I ponder intimately
and contemplate in my mind your five wounds,
having before my eyes what the prophet David
had already put in your mouth about yourself, O good Jesus:
"They have pierced my hands and my feet,
they have numbered all my bones." (Ps 21: 17-18)



Lenten Little Black Books

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



ATTENTION LECTORS

Sign up sheets for the Triduum and Easter are in the lector sign up book in the Sacristy. THANK YOU!

Have you borrowed a Pyx?

If you have borrowed a Pyx and are no longer in need of it, please make sure to return it to the Church so that others who need them may borrow them.



Low Gluten Hosts

St. Andrew Parish has low gluten hosts available for those with gluten intolerance or celiac disease. If you have need of these hosts, please see a mass coordinator before mass.

The Mass and Viruses: A health Advisory

As Church, we are called to look after the health and safety of the community, our St. Andrew Parish family, especially at times when we gather for worship and prayer in our parishes. Part of that duty is to help prevent and respond to infectious diseases that may be in the community. In light of growing concerns about the coronavirus, and also the effects of a bad flu and cold season, the Archbishop and Diocesan leadership have asked each parish to implement the following precautionary measures to help prevent the transmission of illnesses or virus

If you are experiencing signs of illness, please stay home. With this season of flu/colds and concern about the coronavirus, an individual does not commit any sin by avoiding Mass to protect others from the potential spread of illness.

For those attending Mass, the congregations are asked to suspend the practice of shaking hands at the beginning of Mass or at the Sign of Peace, or holding of hands during the Our Father.

The holy water fonts will be emptied and cleaned thoroughly. They will be kept dry during this season.

The parish will suspend offering the cup of the Most Precious Blood during communion at Mass, out of an abundance of caution. We are reminded that the Consecrated Host is the full Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Christ, meaning an individual does not need to receive from the Cup in order to achieve full Communion with Christ.

Know that the Church and the Archdiocese are closely monitoring and working with health officials concerning impacts and further steps that may be directed by our public health officials.

Ministry Weekend March 21-22

in the Gathering Space after Mass

WORSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

Find out more about these and many more opportunities to get involved

Representatives from the different ministries will be on hand to answer questions.

Ushers

Choir

Lectors

Greeters

Altar Servers

Eucharistic Ministers

Bereavement Ministry

Funeral Ministry

Adult Acolyte

Mass Coordinator

Second

*Sunday of
Lent*

Mt. 17:1-9



HOPE Adult Shelter



March 29, 2020

Volunteers & Donations Needed

Volunteers and donations needed to serve and prepare dinner for the guests at HOPE in Pontiac. Contact Lori by phone at (586) 292- 0172 or email at

mejalyl@yahoo.com. Please drop off donations in the Kitchenette in the new Gathering Space in the Church.

The following items can be purchased at Gordon Foods:

Hamburger Noodle Bake

- 12 lbs Ground hamburger - Browned and Bagged
- 10 lbs penne noodles - Pre cooked and Bagged
- 4-6 med onions
- 1 large bunch celery
- 1 gallon can whole tomatoes or tomato sauce
- 6 cans cream of mushroom soup
- 3 large (#10 size) cans vegetables (any type)
- 1 large (#10 size) can mixed vegetables
- 3 cans Mandarin oranges GFS #1178971
- 3 trays cornbread GFS#5797851 \$9.99
- dessert for 100
- 100 (7-10 oz) plastic cups
- small bowls for oranges
- 100 dinner plates
- 10 gal drink mix
- 100 napkins
- 2 bottles (23 oz) Franks red Hot Sauce GFS #5576091



March 24th- 7 p.m. Gathering Space North Conference Room

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>



Sun. March 22- 1 p.m.

Activities Building

Lent is a season of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Please join The Christian Service Commission for annual Lenten Soup Supper, for a simple meal of homemade soup and bread from On the Rise Bakery in Detroit.

Our speaker this year is Fr. David Buersmeyer, Pastor of St. Regis in Bloomfield Hills who will be discussing **Catholic Social Teaching and migration.**

This “breaking of the bread” is a wonderful way to meet others & build community in the parish!

Hope to see you there!

Easter Basket Outreach

Each year, St. Andrew parishioners spend the Lenten season preparing over 320 Easter baskets for our brothers & sisters in need.

Practice **Almsgiving** this **Lent** by volunteering to help:

- **Cut Egg Requests-** Wed., Mar. 18 @ 7 p.m.- Parish Center, lower level (**Bring scissors**)
- **Hang Eggs-** Sat., Mar. 21 @ 11 am on the walls of the church
- **Shop for Requests-** Sat., Mar. 21- Palm Sunday, April 5
- **Drop Off Purchased Items-** Sat. April 4- Sun., April 5- Activities Building
- **Sort Donations-** Sun., April 5@ 1 pm- Activities Building
- **Assemble Easter Baskets-** Mon., April 15 @ 9 am- Activities Building.

For more information, please contact Rita Miller by phone at (248) 563-5856 or email at ritapitacpa@gmail.com.

Children under 13 must be accompanied by a parent

Dear Families,

During Lent our community will participate in **CRS Rice Bowl**, a faith-in-action program that invites us to reflect on the challenges of global hunger—and our responsibility to respond to the needs of our global human family.

This program is specifically designed for families and is a great way to teach your children about the importance of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.

Please consider these suggestions in your family's Lenten plan:

- Use your CRS Rice Bowl and Lenten Calendar daily to guide your prayer, fasting and almsgiving.
- Read the Stories of Hope and daily reflections to inspire your Lenten journey—and guide your Lenten almsgiving.
- Prepare simple, meatless meals on the Fridays of Lent to eat in solidarity with our brothers and sisters around the world.
- **Stop by the tables by the exits to the Church to pick up your rice bowl and Family Lenten Calendar**
- Visit crsricebowl.org/families for additional resources for your family watch videos of the people and communities you support through your Lenten gifts to CRS Rice Bowl.

We will collect your CRS Rice Bowls at the end of Lent, so stay tuned to learn more.

Thank you for participating in CRS Rice Bowl with your family.

Sincerely,



Samuel Jennings

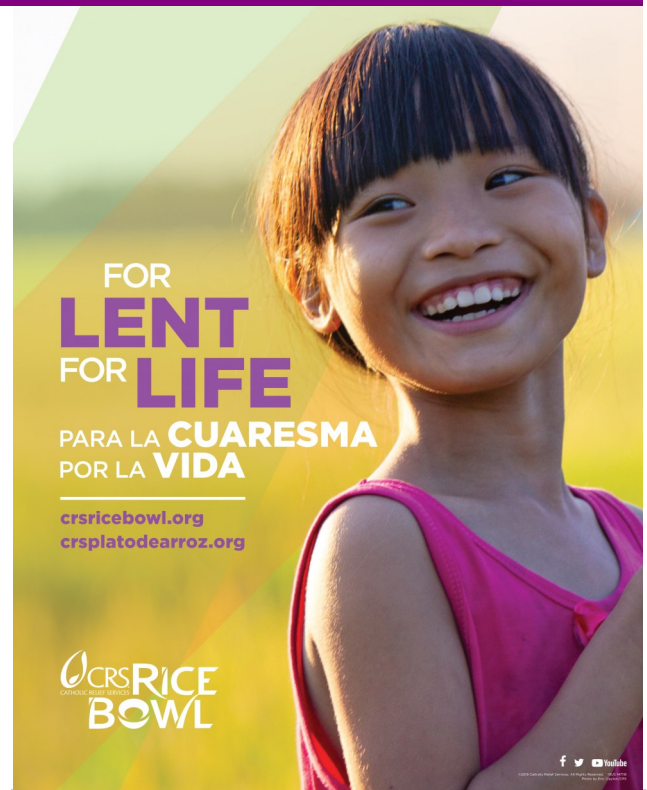
Coordinator of Christian Service

This Lent, Commit to our Global Human Family through:

- **Daily Prayer**
- **Weekly Fasting**
- **Almsgiving that changes lives!**

Jesus Asks that we share what we have with those in need. With CRS Rice Bowl as our guide, we can respond to that Gospel call.

Please contact Sam Jennings at samj@standrewchurch.org with any questions.



Blessing for your Family's Rice Bowl

This blessing will help your Family begin your Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl.

God of abundance, You are the source of every blessing.

May we be mindful of your presence now and as we use these CRS Rice Bowls in prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

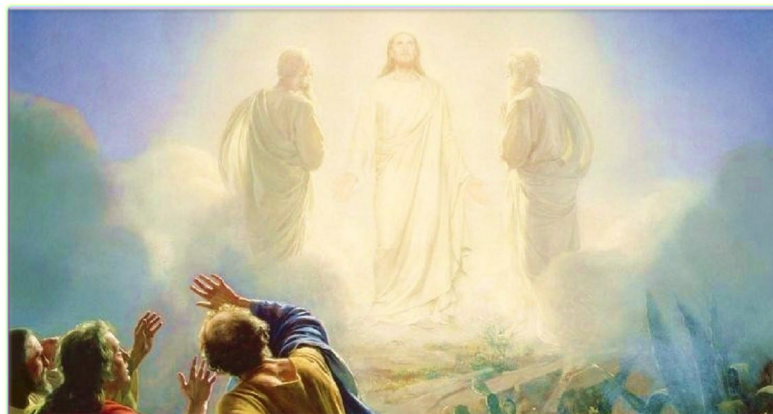
May they be instruments of encounter, bringing us closer to you, our God, and to our neighbors both near and far.

May our Lenten journey inspire us to bring hope to the most vulnerable— particularly those experiencing hunger, and a lack of economic opportunity.

Through these 40 days, may we deepen our faith in you and our love for one another, as we prepare for the great celebration of Easter.

Amen

ST ANDREW YOUTH



Trans·fig·u·ra·tion

Transfiguration is a complete change of form or appearance into a more beautiful or spiritual state.

As we listen to today's gospel of the Transfiguration, we are asked to look at our own Lenten Journey. How are these 40 days going to transform our lives? How do we let go of the sin and entanglements that hold us back? How will you reclaim the freedom the Lord desires for you?

During this Lenten journey we will notice that Jesus is teaching us how to overcome the world, the flesh and the devil so we can grow in faith, hope and charity. He teaches us how to be better versions of ourselves, but he also provides many helpers to keep us on the right path. We are being re-created and transfigured in Him.

How has the start of your Lenten journey been going? Have you been transformed or are you still a work in progress?

Blessings, Margaret Kozak

"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.

MARGARETK@STANDREWCHURCH.ORG

OR

Text this message @stay2020
to number 81010

March

8th Transformed...

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
due asap!



2020 Rise Detroit



April 25th, 2020

8:30am-8:30pm



Soup and Stations

The tradition of praying the Stations of the Cross has been around for centuries. Some say it began with Mary, the Mother of Jesus. In the 3rd century, pilgrimages were made to Jerusalem to walk the path Jesus walked on Good Friday. When the trips became too dangerous or difficult, churches and retreat houses installed their own stations so people could pray in this way.

The parish where I grew up had stations along the paths of the cemetery behind the church. Walking the stations was a meaningful way to remember Jesus during Lent, especially between noon and 3 o'clock on Good Friday.

Our parish upholds this important tradition during Lent. A family-friendly version will be presented on Friday, March 20 by the Faith Formation Staff. It will begin with a light soup supper in our new gathering space, followed by Stations in the church. (See flyer at right.) Kids, bring your parents, grandparents and friends. Thoughtful reflections using art and music will guide us along Jesus' journey. All are welcome!

Blessings, Maureen Schreffler
Director of Faith Formation

Lenten Bible Study No Greater Love



Filmed on location in the Holy Land, *No Greater Love* is a **five-part video series and full-length book** that reveals Christ's amazing love for us. Best-selling author Edward Sri guides you through the last hours of Christ's life in this biblical pilgrimage. The study will begin on Thursday evening, March 19 and meet thru April 23. If you are interested in joining this study please call Linda Martens 248-651-6571 to reserve study materials. Cost of the study is \$25.

JOIN THE FAITH FORMATION
STAFF FOR:

SOUP AND
STATIONS

MARCH 20TH IN THE NEW GATHERING SPACE.
SOUP PROVIDED AND SERVED BY OUR
CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

SOUP @ 6:30 - 7:30 PM

STATIONS @ 7:30 PM



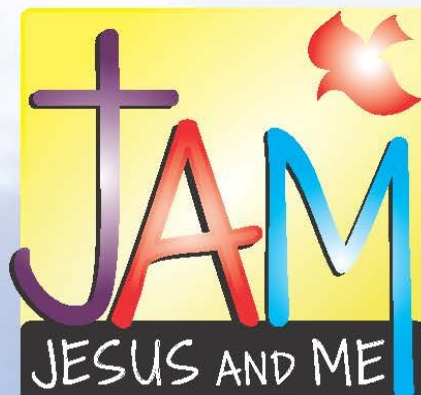
VBS 2020 is on Track!
June 22-25
Rocky Railway
Where Jesus' Power
Pulls Us Through!

Adults and older teen are needed for lead roles in crafts, snacks, games, music, drama and more! Please contact Maureen Schreffler at 248-651-6571 or maureens@standrewchurch.org for more information. Climb aboard and join the adventure!

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

We are called to Evangelize



Sunday, March 8, 2020 • 7:00pm

*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

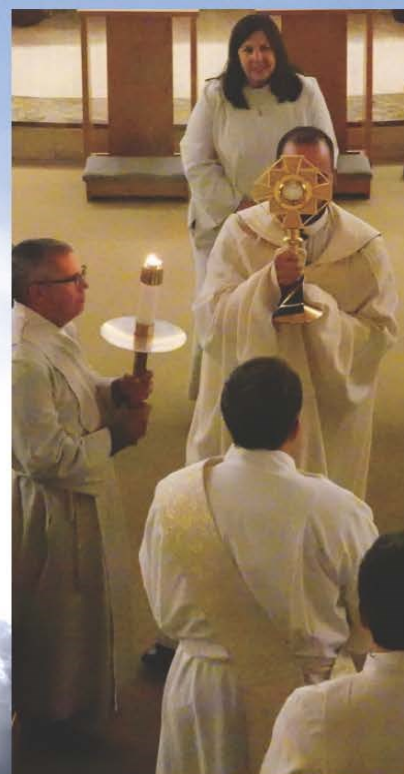
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CELEBRATING FAT TUESDAY

Mrs. Polansky held her annual "Paczki Day" spelling contest. She treated her third grade class to authentic paczki from Hamtramck.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY DR. SEUSS

Students celebrated Dr Seuss' Birthday. There were special hats, cupcakes, green eggs and ham and a whole lot of fun!



ASH WEDNESDAY

A snow day kept us from celebrating Ash Wednesday Mass together but many of our staff members sent in photos of their ashes. Our Principal, Mr. Myers and his wife, are on a trip to the Holy Land. They received their ashes at a special Mass on the Mount of Beatitudes in Galilee! Lent is off to a great start at HFRS.



Ice Cream Social

Please join us!

Tour the school & meet our teachers

South Campus

March 19th 5-7pm

North Campus

March 26th 5-7pm



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 9

March 9

St Frances of Rome

Daniel 9:4b-10

Luke 6:36-38

March 10

Isaiah 1:10, 16-20

Matthew 23:1-12

March 11

Jeremiah 18:18-20

Matthew 20:17-28

March 12

Jeremiah 17:5-10

Luke 16:19-31

March 13

Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a

Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46

March 14

Micah 7:14-15, 18-20

Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

March 15

3rd Sunday of Lent

Exodus 17:3-7

Psalms 95

Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

John 4:5-42



SUNDAY

8:00 am

10:00 am

10:00 am

12:00 pm

5:00 pm

6:00 pm

6:00 pm

7:30 pm

March 8, 2020

Mass

Mass

Pre K / K Religious Ed

Mass

NOAK Mass

Religious Education

St Andrew Youth Night

JAM

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 12:00 noon

Church

Church

Church

Church

Activity Building

Church

MONDAY

7:45 am

8:15 am

4:30 pm

6:00 pm

7:30 pm

March 9, 2020

Rosary

Mass

Religious Education

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Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm

Chapel

Chapel

TUESDAY

7:45 am

8:15 am

9:00 am

4:30 pm

5:30 pm

6:00 pm

6:00 pm

6:15 pm

7:30 pm

March 10, 2020

Rosary

Mass

99 Experience

Religious Education

Reconciliation

Religious Education

Tithing Meeting

Mass

Commission Meetings

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm

Chapel

Chapel

Gathering Space

Church

Gathering Space

Chapel

Gathering Space

WEDNESDAY

7:45 am

8:15 am

9:00 am

March 11, 2020

Rosary

Mass

Stations of the Cross

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm

Church

Church

Chapel

THURSDAY

7:45 am

8:15 am

9:15 am

1:00 pm

7:00 pm

7:30 pm

March 12, 2020

Rosary

Mass

Bible Study

St Vincent de Paul

Bible Study

RCIA

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm

Chapel

Chapel

Multi-Purpose Room

Parish Center Lower Level

Parish Center Lower Level

Multi-Purpose Room

FRIDAY

7:45 am

8:15 am

9:00 am

7:30 pm

March 13, 2020

Rosary

Mass

Exposition

Stations of the Cross

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Chapel

Chapel

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Church

SATURDAY

7:00 am

10:00 am

3:30 pm

5:00 pm

March 14, 2020

St Joseph Covenant

Needlework Ministry

Reconciliation

Mass

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Parish Center Lower Level

Parish Center Lower Level

Church

Church

SUNDAY

8:00 am

10:00 am

10:00 am

12:00 pm

5:00 pm

6:00 pm

6:00 pm

7:00 pm

March 8, 2020

Mass

Mass

Pre K / K Religious Ed

Mass

NOAK Mass

Religious Education

St Andrew Youth Night

JAM

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 12:00 noon

Church

Church

Church

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Activity Building

Church



Rite of Christian Initiation A Time For Reflection and Conversion

Lent is a unique time for those involved in the RCIA process. Beginning with Rite of Election at the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral on March 1st, our Catechumen (Ryan) and Candidates (Jacqueline, Charlie, and Adam) became immersed into a spiritual journey of prayer, preparation, and purification leading to full initiation at the Easter Vigil.

Please hold them in prayer over these coming weeks so that at the Easter Vigil they will celebrate the rituals of initiation within a community that truly encounters the living Christ.



Prayer for the Next Phase of Unleash the Gospel

Heavenly Father, Thank you for the abundant graces of Synod 16: for awakening in us the vision and resolve to become again your Church on mission, eagerly working together to “make disciples of all nations,” according to our commission from the Lord Jesus.

Pour out upon us your Holy Spirit, as a new Pentecost, to guide us in our next phase in our movement to Unleash the Gospel. By his power at work in us, transform our parishes into bands of joyful missionary disciples.

Come Holy Spirit: Set our hearts on fire to share the Good News of Jesus with all those who stumble in darkness, who hunger for hope, who thirst for eternal life. Above all, grant us the boldness and courage of the apostles to put the mission above all else, so that our community becomes the spark to ignite the fire of divine love that transforms this time and place into the Kingdom of Heaven.

We pray through the intercession of Our Lady, Star of the New Evangelization, and her mother, our Patron, St. Anne; and in the spirit of Blessed Solanus we thank you ahead of time for “accomplishing in us far more than all we ask or imagine.”

We ask all of this in the all-powerful name of the Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns forever.

Amen.



Prayer Requests

All men & women in the military
& family members
Joanne Landry
Mary Ellen O'Connor
Cameron Kostiz
Tina Denison
David Dehn
Diane Fayle
Caterina Basile
Norman Rosinski
Rebecca Nowakowski
Mary Abraham
The unborn child of Antonio
Walter Gieselmann
Paul Yezback
Sharon Nowakowski
Jordan Baker
Jack Waters
Gary J. Rogers
Aaron Edward Kurmas
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

Mass Intentions for the Week of March 8**SUNDAY**

8:00 am

March 8, 2020

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

MONDAY

8:15 am

March 9, 2020

For the People of St Andrew

TUESDAY

8:15 am

**March 10, 2020**

Sylvia Marchenia

Patricia Cummins

Anthony Szankin

Betty Szankin

WEDNESDAY

8:15 am

March 11, 2020

Catherine Basile

Piero & Maureen Basile

THURSDAY

8:15 am

**March 12, 2020**

All Holy Souls & Ancestors

Amy Nguyen



Edward Herman

Elaine Herman

Adline Sirkissian

Mary Abela

FRIDAY

8:15 am

**March 13, 2020**

Mark Wagner

Wagner Family

Elizabeth Goliber

Coleman Family

SATURDAY

5:00 pm

**March 14, 2020**

Stev Roach

Marion Thomas



Mary Anna Dyer

Family



James Virga

Kranker & Polulak Families

SUNDAY

8:00 am

**March 15, 2020**

Abina Collins

Maureen McKinney

Terrance J'Connor

Debora Groth

10:00 am

For the People of St Andrew

12:00 pm

For All Those Pursuing Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life

5:00 pm

For the People of the Pontiac Area Vicariate



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*Pray for*

16 Liturgical Schedule

Saturday 5:00 PM Mass March 14, 2020	Sunday 8:00 AM Mass March 15, 2020	Sunday 10:00 AM Mass March 15, 2020
Priest: Fr. Robert McAleer Deacon:	Priest: Fr. Robert McAleer Deacon:	Priest: Fr. Robert McAleer Deacon:
Lectors: P. Tank R. Knaus Reader: M. Belej	Lectors: J. Bourgoin M. Thallman Reader: J. May	Lectors: P. Borchard J. Brinser Reader: B. Paurazas
Altar Servers: C. Grems A. Nageotte J. Nowicki J. Nowicki	Altar Servers: N. Godfrey M. May J. Scollin	Altar Servers: I. Pipas M. Smolenski N. Smolenski
Musician: Lisa Paradowski Cantor: Mark Tisdell	Musician: Lisa Paradowski Cantor: R. Wyrembelski	Musician: Lisa Paradowski Cantor:
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: C. Thomas S. Thomas	Mass Coordinator: L. Mejaly M. Wissa
Ushers E. Reynolds, Capt. A. Gladden K. Faragher B. Zandi N. Rosinski K. Dyar	Ushers K. Snook, Co-Capt. T. Olechowski C. Slusser, Co-Capt. J. Birg B. Riehl D. Gac L. Olechowski K. Mansell	Ushers E. Grace, Co-Capt. M. Juriga V. Gustafson M. Mullen F. Doyle G. Putz, Co-Capt J. Juriga P. Mullen
Sunday 12:00 PM Mass March 15, 2020		Sunday 5:00 PM Mass March 15, 2020
Priest: Fr. Robert McAleer Deacon:		Priest: Fr. Robert McAleer
Lectors: C. Machak A. DiMercurio Reader: T. Atkinson		Lectors: R. Fermin M. Mozal Reader: N. Cerame
Altar Servers: D. Atkinson A. Grembi N. Grembi L. Machak		Altar Servers: T. Keehn
Musician: Jim Balistreri Cantor: 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		