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Readings for the week of
March 28, 2010

Sunday: Lk 19: 28-40
Ps 22: 8-9,17-18, 19-20,23-24
Is 50: 4-7
Phil 2: 6-11 Lk 22: 14-23:56

Monday: Is 42:1-7
Ps 27: 1-3, 13-14
Jn 12: 1-11

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6
Ps 71:1-4a, 5ab-6b, 15, 17
Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a
Ps 69: 8-10, 21-22, 31
Mt 26:14-25

Thursday: Ex 12: 1-8, 11-14
Ps 116: 12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18
1 Cor II: 23-26
Jn 13: 1-15

Friday: Is 52: 13-53: 12
Ps 31: 2,6,12-13,15-17,25
Heb 4:14-16;5:7-9
Jn 18:1-19:42

Saturday: Gn 1:1-22
Gn 22:1-18
Ex 14: 15-15:1
Is 54: 5-14
Is 55:1-11
Bar 3:9-15;32-4:4
Ez 36: 16-17a,18-28
Rom 6: 3-11
Lk 24: 1-12

Sunday: Acts 10:34a,37-43
Ps 118: 1-2, 16-17, 22-23
Col 3: 1-4
Jn 20:1-9



THANK YOU to all who helped with our St. Patrick's Day celebration. Many thanks to those who served on the committee: Jeanne Reber, Jane O'Brien, Steve & Chris Boyle, Geri Sleep, Amy Ripley, Ginny Johnson, Chris Levenhagen, Mary Rosolack and Judy Martin. As always, they have done a wonderful job. A special thank you to the head chef Gary Reber, and sous chef, Mary Rosolack. The kitchen help was superb, handling monumental tasks both Saturday and Sunday. Special help to those who helped with set-up and decorations. The hall looked wonderful. Thanks to the many volunteers who helped with kitchen, prep, window service, serving and busing in the dining hall, washing hundreds of dishes, and cleaning the hall afterwards. It takes many hands for such an event to take place. A thousand thanks to the talented singers and musicians for sharing their music with us—our own very talented choir, the Bruce family, the Blue Valley Winds, and Janelle's Irish Dance Studio. The entertainment was delightful. Thanks to all who provided the delicious bars for dessert. A special thanks to David Hayden of Edison Liquor for donating the wine. Other donations were from Steve & Chris Boyle, Jane O'Brien & Brian Grosz, & Gary & Jeanne Reber. Finally, thank you to all who helped in any way, and to those who came to enjoy the day. Erin go bragh!!!

A LETTER OF THANKSGIVING....It is time to acknowledge with heartfelt thanks the many, many parish volunteers that have helped me thru the past 15 years of coordinating our parish's obligation to The Community Table. YOU were there whenever I was in need, some of you from the beginning, others coming on as "first timers" and still others...my veteran faithful. If ever the work "Heavenly Volunteers" was descriptive, it was of YOU. "Holy Bakers"...you were wonderful and always came thru. Many times I had to call and tell someone they could rest this month as we had ample volunteers sign up. What a wonderful predicament for a coordinator to be in!



Youth Ministry is once again having a **Thrift Sale**. This will be held the weekends of May 14-15 & June 25 & 26. We are accepting donated items starting after April 17th. Items can be dropped off in the gym from M-F from 10am—4pm. Please no clothes, computers or TV's.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY is April 11 at St. Patrick's Church. The novena will begin Good Friday and conclude on Divine Mercy Sunday with exposition at 2pm, prayer & reconciliation from 2 to 3pm, recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm and concluding with benediction at 4pm. If you have a booklet, please bring it with you; there will be some booklets available.

PARISH FAITH NIGHT. April 7 is Parish Faith Night. The topic will be Stump the Pastor with Fr. Dhein. Bring your questions. Dinner at 5:30pm: pizza. Talk & break out groups at 6:15pm.

PARISH DIRECTORIES for those who had their picture taken are available for pick up in the Parish Office. If you did not have your picture taken and you would still like one, you can purchase one for \$5.00 in the office; Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm.

Baptism Classes. Parents who will be having a child baptized are required to attend one of the Baptism classes. Scheduled dates: May 21, 2010 and July 16, 2010. Classes will be held at the Parish Center at 6:30pm. Please call the parish office, 832-0925 when you wish to schedule your class date.



to all our guests and visitors. If you have not registered formally with the Parish Office and would like to do so, please stop in at 322 Fulton St., (St. Patrick's school building) or call the parish office at 832-0925.

Parish Support

March 20/21, 2010

Envelopes	\$ 7745.00
Plate	769.32
SP Educ. Fd	20.00
Rent	300.00
Lenten Lunch	101.00
Easter Flowers	161.00
SP Dinner	9.00
Pilgrimage	56.00
Fuel	250.00
Candles	14.25
Other	319.00

For March 20/21, 2010	Year to Date	
Env. & Plate Needed:	\$ 11,478.79	\$ 436,194.02
Env. & Plate Received	8,514.32	394,988.04
	-2,964.47	-41,205.98



Are you willing to help a family, individual or the parish at large, to attend a day pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe? Please continue

reading....In May we are offering a parish pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe. We want everyone who would like to attend to be able to do so. Therefore, if you are interested in sponsoring a family, individual, or the bus transportation, please contact Fr. Dhein or Michelle. The following are the approximate costs:

Individual: \$12 transportation + \$14 meal = \$26
 Family of 4: \$48 transportation only/add \$56 for meals
 Bus total: \$545

Thank you for your consideration!!

Religious Education & Youth Ministry

Michelle Bowe, DRE/Youth Minister
835-2693

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL/NURSERY TODAY or Easter Sunday during 9am Mass in St. Patrick's School. We are in need of more volunteers to help out. Please call Shelly @ 874-6353.

NO RELIGIOUS ED CLASSES on Wednesday, March 31 due to Catechist in-service at 6:15pm.

STEUBENVILLE MEETING. A meeting for all those attending the Steubenville youth conferences this summer will be held following Parish Faith Night at 7:30pm on April 7 in the St. Pat's cafeteria.

FIRST COMMUNION RETREAT will be held Saturday, April 10th from 9am till 11:30am in St. Patrick's cafeteria. Rehearsal for First Communion will be part of the retreat. At least one parent should attend with their child.

ELIZABETHAN MINISTRY. Please contact Amy Dreger at 835-8882 if you are expecting a new baby or if you know someone who is expecting a baby in the parish. We have a Play Group that will meet beginning Wednesday, April 28. Come and join us in St. Patrick's school.

BLESSING OF EASTER FOOD will be at St. Patrick's Church at 12 Noon on Saturday, April 3.



PLEASE RETURN YOUR RICE BOWLS to the parish office when you are finished. You may also place them in the offertory baskets.



HELP CLEAN OUR CHURCHES

Sacred Heart Church, Mar.28,@ 1:00pm
 St. Patrick's Church, Mar.31 @ 6:30pm
 (We could really use more help!)

Sunday 3/28	Monday 3/29	Tuesday 3/30	Wednes. 3/31 NO Relig. Ed. Catechist Mtg	Thursday 4/1 Holy Thursday 7pm @ SP	Friday 4/2 Good Friday 2pm @ SP Office Closed	Saturday 4/3 Easter Vigil 8:30pm @ SP
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THE ROSARY FOR RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS is recited every Sunday morning BEGINNING at 10am @ SH

SH = Sacred Heart
 SP = St. Patrick's
 BC = Benedictine Chapel



Daily Mass will be in the Chapel located on the ground floor of St. Patrick's School. Use side door marked Benedictine Chapel. Handicapped accessible.

Palm Sunday

Saturday, March 27

3:15 PM SH: Confessions

4:00 PM SH: †Anna Risler

Lenten Holy Hour follows Mass

Sunday, March 28

7:30 AM SP: †Bea Candell

9:00 AM SP: People of Sacred Heart—St. Patrick's

10:30 AM SH: †Karen Lokken

Monday, March 29

8:00 AM BC Communion Service

Tuesday, March 30

8:00 AM BC: †Betty Mathwig

10:30 AM Syverson: †Cecelia & John Prochowicz

Wednesday, March 31

8:00 AM BC: †Richard Shea

Thursday, April 1 **HOLY THURSDAY (Incense)**

7:00 PM SP: †Mary Fedie

Friday, April 2 **GOOD FRIDAY**

Noon SP: Stations of the Cross

2:00 PM SP: Lord's Passion

8:00 PM SH: Tennebrae

Holy Saturday

Saturday, April 3

12 NOON SP: Blessing of Easter Food

8:30 PM SP: †Lois Chase (Incense)

Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 4

7:30 AM SP: People of Sacred Heart—St. Patrick's

9:00 AM SP: †Anna Pelke

11:00 AM SH: †Bernice Posz (Incense)

MASS AT 11 AM ONLY FOR EASTER

Ministry Schedule

April 4, 2010



Adult Server:

Cantors

4:00 PM:

7:30 AM: **IF YOU ARE**

9:00 AM:

10:30 AM:

Student Servers

4:00 PM:

7:30 AM: **GOING TO BE IN TOWN**

9:00 AM:

10:30 AM:

Ministers of the Word

4:00 PM:

7:30 AM: **FOR EASTER,**

9:00 AM:

10:30 AM:

Petition Readers

4:00 PM:

7:30 AM: **PLEASE CALL LIZ**

9:00 AM:

10:30 AM:

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

Body of Christ

4:00 PM:

7:30 AM: **TO VOLUNTEER**

9:00 AM:

10:30 AM:

Blood of Christ

4:00 PM:

7:30 AM: **832-0925**

9:00 AM:

10:30 AM:

MORNING AND EVENING PRAYER is offered in the Benedictine Chapel in St. Patrick's School every Tuesday through Friday. Morning Prayer is held at 7:00 AM and Evening Prayer is held at 5:00 PM.

*The most important thing we can do for our priests is to pray for them. Please take five minutes a day and pray for the priests listed each week.
 March 21 through March 27, 2010*

Sunday—Pray for our Pastor

Monday—Rev. Joseph Raja, St. Joseph Parish

Tuesday—Rev Anandan Rajendran, Immaculate Conception

Wednesday—Rev. Bernard Raschke, Retired

Thursday—Rev. Thomas Reardon, Deceased

Friday—Rev. Jerzy Rebacz, St. Florian Parish

Saturday—Pray for our Pastor



NON PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS are collected for St. Francis Food Pantry each week at Sacred Heart Church. St. Patrick Church collects food items for the pantry every second Sunday of the month.

Community Events

PRAYER CHAIN. If you (or someone you know) are seriously ill or facing surgery, and would like prayers, please call Dee, 835-8347 or Norma, 839-0662.

THE REGIS FOUNDATION 25th NON SIBI EVENT award recipients this year are Bill and Vicki Hawn, who are being recognized for their contributions of time, treasure and talent to Regis High School over the years. They have provided many hours of service to Catholic education. Please join us on April 10 at the Eau Claire Golf & Country Club. Cocktails at 6:30pm and dinner at 7:15pm. Tickets are available by contacting the Development Office at 830-2273. Tickets are \$65/person & Corporate & Friend tables are available.

JOY DAY. Our parish, along with Lake Street Methodist Church, will again host Joy Day at Sacred Heart Hospital on Thursday, April 1. This is an opportunity for seniors & others with disabilities to have a fun afternoon. Everyone is welcome. We need several people to help that day from 12:45 to 3pm. We also need cookies, bars, sweet breads or cash to defray the cost of the sandwiches. Anyway you can help is appreciated. Call or email Pat Reinardy at 834-1080 or preinardy@yahoo.com. Thanks in advance!!!

THE PARTNERS OF ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL will be offering six \$1,000 scholarships to area students pursuing health-related careers. To be eligible, students must complete an application form and submit a transcript, personal statement & 2 letters of recommendation. Permanent address must be within Chippewa County or employees, children or spouses of employees of St. Joseph Hospital. For more information contact the Volunteer Office at 726-3439.

BABY SITTING CLASSES will be sponsored by St. Joseph's Hospital for adolescents ages 11 and older. Sally Hofkes will teach participants about safety, caring for children and activities to do with various age groups. Classes will be held from 9m to 1:30pm on Saturday, April 17 and Saturday, April 24 in the hospital's McDonald Hall. Classes are not a series. Those interested may attend either session. Cost of the class is \$10, which covers materials and lunch. To register call 726-3439.



Every Saturday Night in Sacred Heart Church Hall. Early birds at 7pm. Regular bingo at 7:30pm.

NO SMOKING in bingo hall.

Mar 27 Caller Ken Novak KIT GRP B Sandi & Kateri Miller

April 3 NO BINGO

April 10 KIT GRP C J. Webb, E. Goebel

Popcorn Poppers:

1st Week, Rose Ann Hartung 2nd week, Ken Novak

3rd Week, Gina Bradley 4th week, Barb Amundson

5th Week, Jim Gladwell

CANDLES. If you would like to remember someone by having a candle lit, you can do so at \$5 for one 7 day candle. Contact the Parish Office at 832-0925.

SH: St. Joseph: Memory of MZB (1)

SH: Virgin Mary: Memory of JAS (1)

ST. JAMES PARISH will be taking a bus to see the Dead Sea Scrolls and St. Paul Cathedral in St. Paul, MN, on Thursday, April 29th. The bus will be leaving St. James at 8am and returning about 5:30pm. Cost for museum and bus is \$40. We will be stopping for lunch but it is NOT included in the price. For reservations call Jacky Miller at 715-835-5887, option 6. Deadline is April 1st. **If you previously signed up but haven't turned in your money, please get it to Jacky ASAP to hold your spot. We have started a waiting list for this trip to see if there are enough people for a second bus.**



ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY

At Sacred Heart in Jim Falls on April 9 from 4:30pm to 7:30pm. Carry outs are available, Senior early bird special from 4:30 to 5:30 (dine in only) \$7.50. Adults \$9; 12 to 5 years old \$3.50.

ST. JAMES IITH ANNUAL GET AWAY will be held at St. Bede Center on Friday evening, April 23 and Saturday, April 24. The topic will be "Resilience in Relationships." Jean Jirovec will be our presenter. This will be an interactive presentation. She is a family and marriage therapist with a great sense of humor and a member of St. John's Lutheran Church. Come treat yourself to a time away to laugh and spend time with other women. Call Jacky for questions at 835-5887, option 6.



IF YOU WISH TO REMEMBER A LOVED ONE or honor someone special this Easter, please fill out this section and place it in an envelope along with your donation for Easter flowers.

IN MEMORY: _____

TO HONOR: _____

Donated by: _____