



Sunday, March 1st

**9:00 am Gloria Lasecki
9th Anniversary**

11:00 am Cecelia Januszewski

Monday, March 2nd

No Morning Mass

Tuesday, March 3rd

**8:30 am Living & Deceased Members
of Ceska Sin Karlin**

Wednesday, March 4th

No Morning Mass

Thursday, March 5th

8:30 am Richard Sempruch

Friday, March 6th

8:30 am All Souls

Saturday, March 7th

4:00 pm St. John Nepomucene Parish

Sunday, March 8th

9:00 am Dee Leuck

11:00 am Alan Veccia - Birthday

Stewardship of Treasure

Sunday, February 22 nd	\$2615.10
Ash Wednesday for our St. Vincent DePaul Society	936.00
Improvement Fund	67.00
Memorials	90.00

*Thank You and God bless you for your
continued generosity & support*

Sick Calls – Please call the rectory to arrange for Father Jasany to bring the Sacraments when a member of your family is hospitalized.

Weddings – Parishioners are asked to call the rectory office at least 6 months in advance of the wedding to schedule an appointment with Father Jasany

Baptisms – The 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 12:00 pm. Parents are required to attend Pre-Baptism Class.

Arrangements must be made a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the date of baptism. Before parents baptize their child, Diocesan and parish policy requires you to complete a Baptism Preparation Class.

The next class will be on Sunday, April 12th at Holy Name Parish at 1:00 pm. Reservations needed; please call 216-4242 to make your reservation.

Godparent and Sponsor Certificate –

Sponsors for Baptism or Confirmation must be registered and practicing members of the Church, attending weekly and Holy Day Masses for a minimum of 3 months prior to the celebration of the Sacraments for which they have requested the certificate. Please note individuals 18 years of age and older, no longer in school, need to register.

Pre-Cana Program for couples preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage at the Jesuit Retreat House- **Sunday, March 8th.**

This program satisfies the requirement for marriage preparation as stipulated by the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland.

Register at 440-884-9300 or

www.jrhcleve@att.net



Dear Parishioners,

Lent calls us to make a journey from Ashes to Easter. The ashes remind us of what we are called to die to. Easter calls us to rise to New Life. We are called to join the Universal Church

in going on a forty day retreat during the Holy Season of Lent.

Part of a traditional retreat is to examine one's life. The word, "Repentance" is from the Old English word meaning "to think again". We turn to a Merciful God to be recreated anew. In this self examination, we can ask, "What am I called to die to?" "What am I called to rise to?" For example, maybe I am being called to die to impatience and perhaps I am being called to rise to patience.

All of us are called to receive the Sacrament of Penance, that is to go to confession. Confessions will be heard in our parish church from 5 to 8 pm on Wednesday, March 4th. This is part of the Diocesan-wide celebration to have confessions heard in every Catholic Church in the Diocese of Cleveland on the same day and at the same time. In addition to going to confession yourself, extend an invitation to someone whom you know, who has fallen away from the active practice of the Catholic Faith.

This is what Pope Francis is calling you to do. It is part of the New Evangelization, proclaiming the Gospel in your ordinary conversations with others.

Extend the invitation for others to come to Our Lord. Invite them to go to confession with you.

Another opportunity for receiving the Sacrament of Penance will be on Monday, March 9th at 7 pm. We will have our Communal Penance Service with additional confessors. The Church recommends that the entire Parish Community assemble together to receive the Sacrament of Penance together.

Pray to the Holy Spirit. Is there someone in your family circle – a friend, a co-worker, a neighbor or an acquaintance who has fallen away from the active practice of the Catholic Faith? Invite that person to come to these opportunities. As a disciple of the Risen Lord, you are called to invite people to come to Jesus. Ask the Holy Spirit whom you are called to invite and to help in extending this invitation. The best gift that you can give someone is a relationship with Jesus Christ. Invite people to come to confession and Mass. If possible, accompany them on the journey.

Together may we come to Our Lord and bring others with us.

Prayers & Best Wishes,
Father Jasany

Sunday, March 1st

Today is the Collection for Support to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your support funds grants that strengthen the Church in this region and promotes ministries for children and families, creates affordable housing and provides cultural and spiritual education. Envelopes are provided in your packet.
Baptism Preparation Class at Immaculate Heart Parish at 1:30 pm

Readings for the Week of March 1st

Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/
Rom 8:31b-34/Mk 9:2-10
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/
Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Lk 15:1-3,
11-32
Next Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8,
12-17/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25

Monday, March 2nd

PSR Classes 6:30 – 8 pm

Tuesday, March 3rd

Rosary at 8 am before Mass

Finance Council Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday, March 4th

**A Evening of Confession
from 5-8 pm**

**Everyone is invited to take
this opportunity to seek
the healing Sacrament of
Reconciliation.**

Rosary Makers 10 am – Noon

Liga Morska Meeting – 11 am at

Cuyahoga Hts Village Hall

Adult Education – 6:30 pm Rectory

Seven Deadly Sins

Choir – 7 pm

Zumba – 7 pm School Hall

Thursday, March 5th

Rosary at 8 am before Mass

Fundraising Meeting 7 pm

at the rectory

Friday, March 6th First Friday
**Due to our cold weather conditions the
Avilas will not have the Holy Hour for
Vocations in church today.** Please pray
as usual but in your own home. The Avila
Meditations are in church on the radiator
nearest the door where Father enters
church for Mass. Please pick one up and
pray at home.

ALSO – In April, First Friday is on
April 3rd. This is also Good Friday. So, the
Avila Holy Hour will not be held in church
until the First Friday in May, May 1st.

Rosary at 8 am before Mass

Stations of the Cross after 8:30 am Mass

Saturday, March 7th

Market Day Pick Up 10:30 – 11:30 am

First Reconciliation 1:30 pm

First Saturday Devotions – 3:15 pm

Sunday, March 8th

**Holy Name Society Meeting at 10 am
followed by 11 am Mass**

World Apostolate of Fatima Holy Hour
at 12:30 pm – The Holy Hour involves
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament,
Rosary, Reflection, Benediction and the
Chaplet of Divine Mercy. Plan on
attending this Holy Hour during Lent.

**Congratulations to the Winners of our
February \$1000 Raffle**

\$1000 Winner – Brenda Wells

\$100 Seller Prize – Paulette Laquatra

\$10 Consolation Winners

**Dolores Minko, B. Wells, Joseph Plut,
Karen Pytel & Kathy Jackson**

**Our March Drawing will be held on
Sunday, March 22nd**



Please remember in your prayers these individuals, who have been called to the priesthood in your daily prayers.

Sunday, March 1st – Bishop Anthony Pilla
Monday, March 2nd – Dominic Ravanelli
Borromeo Seminary
Tuesday, March 3rd – Ben Schweigert
Borromeo Seminary
Wednesday, March 4th – Joshua Soldat
Borromeo Seminary
Thursday, March 5th – Alexander Spenek
Borromeo Seminary
Friday, March 6th – Christopher Stein
Borromeo Seminary
Saturday, March 7th – Scott Swineton
Borromeo Seminary
Sunday, March 8th – Bishop Roger
Gries, osb

Also, please remember the Sisters of Mercy of the Americas (North Carolina) (RSM)

2015 Mass Intentions – We still have masses available for this year that may be booked for your special intentions. If you did not have the opportunity to book masses or you have already booked masses but would like several more, or you have questions concerning booking a mass, please call the rectory office weekdays from 8 am – 3:30 pm. We have weekday and Sunday Masses still available. The stipend for a mass is \$10.00.

Sanctuary Guild Volunteers
March 4th thru March 17th
Jackie Hejl & Elaine Smith

May our prayers bring healing, comfort and strength to the sick and their caregivers, remembering especially Agnes Bartoszek, John Balciar,



Pat Bednarz, Carol Bellomy, Gwen Beres, Mary Ann Betliskey, Bill Bican, Millie Bloedorn, Bonnie Branche, Bill Connors, Corrine Dawe, Robert Dunning, Jose Dybzinski, Kristin Hill, Frances Holecek, Rose Holecek, Rich Krzynowek, Cindi Magyar, Dorothy Mangan, Marilyn O'Meara, John Pacanovsky, Rita Petkoff, Nancy Recko, Brianna Rhine, Laura Schram, Elaine Stack, Andrew Turowski, Virginia Turowski and Joe Zelenka.

May our Loved Ones who have died, rest in eternal happiness in heaven.

For the safety of the Men and Women serving in the military, especially those from our parish and their families.



Members are reminded that our next meeting will be held on Sunday, March 15th. The 11 am Mass intention is for our Living & Deceased Members. So, please plan on attending the mass, if possible. Meeting will begin at 12:30 pm with a light luncheon. If you are interested in joining the Altar Society, you are invited to attend the meeting. Call Joanne Ciesla at 216-429-0518 if you have questions.

Church Memorials & Gifts

In Loving Memory of James Delmore
from Michael Delmore

In Memory of our St. John School
Deceased Classmates
from the Betliskey Brothers

In Loving Memory of Robert Schaefer
from his wife, Marge and his Family

In Loving Memory of David Delagarza
from Mary Ann & Jan Vitt

In Loving Memory of Louis York
from Leona York

In Loving Memory of Eleanor Bednarz
from Chris & Helen Lindsay

In Loving Memory of the Adaska Family
from Leona York

In Loving Memory of Theresa Nowak
from Ray Obojski

In Loving Memory of Lillian Vanek
from James Geller

In Loving Memory of Dorothy Hensel
from Tom & Sue Vavrek

In Loving Memory of
Timothy Bartoszek Jr.
from his parents, Tim & Kathy & Family

In Loving Memory of Paulette Krockner
from Allan and Judy Selva

In Loving Memory of Edward Svec
from Mr. & Mrs. Robert Dawe

In Loving Memory of Cindie Turner
Love & Prayers
Mom & Dad Bellomy

A Gift from Carolyn Mozny

In Loving Memory of Cecelia Filicko
from Joe Kocab

A Gift from Nick & Kathy Kaurich

Next weekend begins
Daylight Saving Time.
Remember to set your
clock one hour ahead
on Saturday, March
7th before you go to
sleep.



Everyday Stewardship

As a good steward, not only are we called to cherish the gift of our family and work hard so those in it may flourish, We am also called to see them in the context of our larger family of faith. There are times we must come together as a smaller family unit, but we also must participate fully in our larger family, both in our parish and in our global Church. Our identity comes from both community experiences.

We never stand alone in this world. Even if we have no one left in our immediate family, there is a family that calls to us for engagement. During the season of Lent, our families of faith are gathering more frequently and inviting us inside. The more we participate in our these events, the more grounded we become. The more we share with our family, the more we are sure of our identity. We belong.