



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, March 18th

**9:00 am Josephine Patka
Health & Blessings**

11:00 am St. John Nepomucene Parish

Monday, March 19th

6:30 pm PSR Closing Mass

Tuesday, March 20th

No Morning Mass

Wednesday, March 21st

No Morning Mass

Thursday, March 22nd

No Morning Mass

Friday, March 23rd

No Morning Mass

Saturday, March 24th

4:00 pm Allan Selva

Sunday, March 25th Palm Sunday

**9:00 am Living & Deceased Members
of St. John's Mens Club**

11:00 am Richard DeCapite

Sanctuary Guild Volunteers
for March 14th thru March 27th

Barbara Nieszczur & Toni Suchy

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 Wednesday, April 4th at St. Stanislaus Parish at 7 pm. Reservations needed; please call 216-341-9091 to register.

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 on **Sunday, April 8th at 12:45 pm.** 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

Pastor's Paragraphs

Dear Parishioners,

This weekend, March 17th & 18th, we celebrate the tradition of St. Joseph's table. Just as St. Joseph provided for the needs of Mary and Jesus, we are called to provide for the needs of others. Canned goods, non-perishable food items and paper products can be placed on the table by St. Joseph's altar or in the plastic bins at the entrances of our church. Your donations go to the rectory food pantry and through your generosity we are able to feed those who come to the rectory for food.

Monday, March 19th is the Solemnity of St. Joseph, Husband of Mary. Everyone is invited to come to Mass at 6:30 pm on Monday. This is also the closing Mass of our Parish School of Religion. We express our thanks to our PSR Principal, Miss Judy Lasecki and our PSR Teachers – Miss Sue McDonough, Mrs. Sharon Hensel, Mr. Vince Radzilowski, Miss Lois Pupkiewicz and Mrs. Patricia Bednarz. We are grateful for their dedication and efforts in bringing the Gospel message to our students. We express our thanks to our parents, caregivers and students as well.

Bryan Tellez, Joel Metro, Marisa Lucci and Natasha Garcia will be making their Confirmations at Holy Name Parish on Friday, May 18th with candidates from the neighboring parishes. Please keep them in your prayers.

Chris Arnold and his crew will be cleaning our church floors from March 20th thru March 23rd inclusive. Therefore our weekdays Masses are cancelled for March 20th, 22nd and 23rd. Also, Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 23rd will be cancelled. This is so the church floors may be cleaned and waxed for Easter.

We are celebrating our Annual Easter Breakfast on Sunday, March 25th from 9 am to 12:30 pm. The breakfast includes French Toast, Sausage, Scrambled Eggs, Juice, Coffee/Milk. Please come to enjoy a delicious breakfast and fellowship with our parishioners. We will also have an Easter basket raffle. You may still purchase raffle tickets for the drawing. Raffle tickets and information on the breakfast are on the radiators by our church entrance doors. The breakfast flyer is also in this week's bulletin. You may also purchase raffle tickets the day of the breakfast. The proceeds from the breakfast and raffle will be donated to our parish St. Vincent dePaul Society to serve the poor in our midst. Hopefully, many of you will come to our Easter breakfast. Invite your family members and friends to join us for a wonderful time.

Please find the Holy Week booklet of Services enclosed in this weekend's bulletin. Please come to as many services as you can. Make this a Holy Week in your lives.

Prayers & Best Wishes,
Father Jasany

Sunday, March 18th

SJN Altar Society Meeting – 12:30 pm
Doors open at 12 Noon following Mass.
Luncheon will be served. Members, hope to see you there. Please remember to bring a gift for the prize raffle held at our meeting. Any woman interested in joining the Society is invited to the meeting. You do not have to be a member of our parish to join.

Monday, March 19th

PSR Closing Mass – 6:30 pm
Everyone is invited to attend this Mass on the Feast Day of St. Joseph, Husband of Mary

Tuesday, March 20th

Pastoral Council Meeting – 7 pm
Augustine Lecture, “Naming God: St. Augustine’s Rhetoric of Love” presented at 7:30 pm in the Lombardo Student Center at John Carroll University. Free and open to the public

Wednesday, March 21st

Rosary Makers – 10 am
Golden Agers Meeting – 11:30 am at Newburgh Hts. Senior Center
Choir Practice – 7 pm

Thursday, March 22nd

Garden Committee Meeting – 6:30 pm

Friday, March 23rd

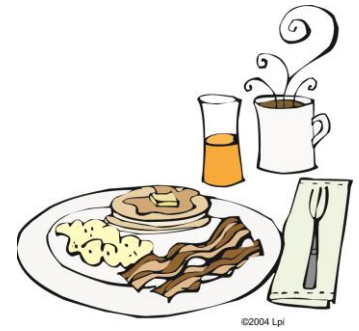
Please note that Stations of the Cross have been cancelled for today
Lenten Fish Fry at Holy Name Parish; 8328 Broadway Ave. serving from 3-7 pm. Fish, Shrimp & Sides. Call 216-271-4242 for more information

Saturday, March 24th

Confessions 3-3:30 pm and 5-6 pm

Sunday, March 25th ***Palm Sunday***

Easter Breakfast & Basket Raffle
Serving from 9 am – 11 am. Join us for French Toast, Sausage, Scrambled Eggs, Juice, Coffee and Milk. Breakfast tickets available at the door. Adults \$7.00 and Children \$3.50. Raffle tickets



available for purchase for the Easter baskets at the breakfast. Tickets are 6 for \$5.00. Proceeds benefit our St. Vincent DePaul Society.

Good Friday Stations of the Cross Practice after 11 am Mass in Church
\$1000 Raffle after our 11 am Mass in the school lobby – Please make sure your tickets have been turned in for today’s drawing.

St. Vincent DePaul Meeting -10 am at the breakfast

Stewardship of Treasure

<i>Sunday, March 11th</i>	<i>\$2564.65</i>
<i>Maintenance</i>	<i>77.00</i>
<i>Memorials</i>	<i>121.00</i>
<i>Capital Improvements</i>	<i>1563.00</i>
<i>Utilities</i>	<i>91.00</i>
<i>Assessments</i>	<i>1.00</i>
<i>St. Vincent DePaul Society</i>	<i>200.00</i>
<i>Easter Flowers</i>	<i>271.00</i>
<i>Catholic Relief Service</i>	<i>94.00</i>

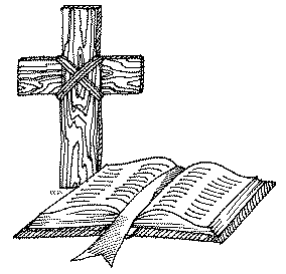
*Thank you for your continued generosity
May Our Lord continue to bless you!*

Mark Your Calendars for the Holy Name Society's "Spring Chicken" Family Dinner; "The Not-Taxing Eight Buck Cluck" which will be held on Sunday, April 15th from 12 Noon until 1:30 pm. Chicken, Sides, Salad, Roll, Desserts & Beverage. \$8.00/Adults (2 chicken quarters); \$6.00 Seniors and Children under 12 (one chicken quarter) Advance reservations accepted and tickets available at the door until the food runs out. Contact Ted Grabowski by email at Ted.Grabowski@sbcglobal.net or phone 216-397-9467

Readings for the Week of March 18th

Sunday: Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 [12a]/Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33
Scrutiny: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [7]/
Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or Jn 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45
Monday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29 [37]/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21 [2]/Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3: 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/Jn 8:31-42
Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/Jn 8:51-59
Friday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7 [cf. 7]/Jn 10:31-42
Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13 [cf. 10d]/Jn 11:45-56
Next Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 [2a]/Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39

Let us remember in our prayers those who are sick. May they and their caregivers receive comfort and strength, remembering



especially Mary Adams, Greg Basco, Mary Ann Betliskey, Tony Betliskey, Pat Colburn, Donna Czyzynski, Corrine Dawe, Joseph Deccola, Carole Dlouhy, Jose Dybzinski, Kristin Hill, Millie Jasany, Suzanne Kilker, Tom Konkoly, Judy Landolph, Bishop Richard Lennon, Barbie Lister, Art Madsen, Rose Meadows, Jeanette Miller, Marguerite Miller, Geri Milton, Donna Murrin, Louis Novac, Art Novotny, John Pocius, Joel Rivera, Bob Schippling, Margaret Slechta, Elaine Stack, Rev. John Tezie, Aaron Thiem, Ed Vitigoj, Carole Walk, Ron Walk, Robert Wagner, and Vicky Yates.

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

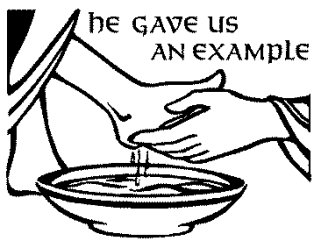
May our Loved Ones who have died rest in eternal peace in heaven, remembering especially Kendra Willis, Patricia Stefancik whose funerals were last week and Rita Petkoff, whose funeral is Monday, March 26th.

A big THANK YOU to everyone who purchased tickets for our QuikCash raffle. The Winners were Ted Grabowski, Pete Gentile, Liz Loszak and George Bican!

**A MESSAGE FROM OUR ST. VINCENT
DEPAUL SOCIETY**

Please continue to save plastic shopping bags and also brown paper shopping bags. You can drop them into the bins in church. Thank you!

**Also, Thanks to the American Legion
Post 627 in Newburgh Hts** for designating our St. Vincent de Paul with their recent food drive. It was very much appreciated. May God Bless you all!



As part of our Holy Thursday liturgy, there will be the traditional washing of feet. This liturgy will be celebrated on

Thursday, March 29th at our 7 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper. If you would like to participate in this part of the liturgy, please call Sue McDonough at 216-271-5347

Church Memorials & Gifts

In Loving Memory of
Joseph & Antoinette Kocab
from their son, Joseph

In Loving Memory of Louis Novak
from Mr. & Mrs. John Limber

In Loving Memory of Ted Kicielinski
from Mr. & Mrs. Richard Kicielinski

In Loving Memory of Mildred Pytel
from her Daughter, Karen

In Loving Memory of Joseph Polacek
from Joseph Kocab

In Loving Memory of Louis Novak
from Brenda

In Loving Memory of Ed Span
from his Wife, Carol

In Loving Memory of Mildred Pytel
from her Husband, Joseph

In Loving Memory of Laura Puchajda
from her Husband, Bernard

In Loving Memory of Robert Schaefer
from his Wife, Marge

A Gift from Tom & Sue Vavrek
Winners of our March \$1000 Raffle

In Loving Memory of Carol Puchajda
from her Father, Bernard

In Loving Memory of
Frank & Alice Kaplank
From Mr. & Mrs. Robert Dawe

In Loving Memory of Rich Sempruch
on his 5th Anniversary
from his Wife, Lynne

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

In Loving Memory of Larry Puchajda
from his Father, Bernard

In Loving Memory of
Eleanor Szczechowski
from Mr. & Mrs. Robert Dawe

In Loving Memory of Matt Garran
from Suzanne Camp