

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Saturday, February 10, St. Scholastica, Virgin

8.30AM No Mass

4.00PM Catherine Lang by Joseph A. Lang

Sunday, February 11, Sixth Sunday in ordinary time

9.00AM J.J. Hanson by Mr & Mrs Brad Wenstrup

11.15AM Elaine Blaut by Blaut Family

Monday, February 12

8.30AM Valenti Family (L) by Margie Granese

Tuesday, February 13

8.30AM Justice Antonin Scalia by Mike & Elaine Foote

Wednesday, February 14, Ash Wednesday

8.30AM Caroline Mahnkopf by Philomena Mahnkopf

12.00 NOON Barbara & Jon Todd (Wedding Anniversary)

Thursday, February 15

7.00PM Leila Niessen by Anna & Ron Meyer

Friday, February 16

8.30AM Donnadio Family (L) by Margie Granese

Saturday, February 17, The Seven Founders of the Servite Order

8.30AM No Mass

4.00PM Moina Hankins by Kathleen & Ben Johnson

Sunday, February 18, First Sunday of Lent

9.00AM Elaine Blaut by Blaut Family

11.15AM J.J. Hanson by Nilda Domehch Kenny Simonette

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collection \$ 1135.00

Fuel Collection \$ 50.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity

MASS BOOK 2018 IS OPEN

Mass Book for 2018 is open. If anyone is willing to offer mass for your loved ones, both living and deceased, please fill the form kept at the back of the Church and return it to the Rectory either by Mail or in person or put it in the collection basket.

We have an obligation and duty to pray for our loved ones by offering mass for them.

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Please Pray for Don Tedesco, Marilyn Pizzonia, Michael Dean, Kyle Graham, Michele Griesbaum, Lisa Donohue, James Valenti, , Kathleen Quinn, Vincent Russo, Aliya Rachlin, Tara Byrne, Anthony Giordano, Bob Einterz, Andrea Fedoruk, Nicky Castagna, Jane Schneider, Michael and Matthew Mclean, and Samantha. For Our Military Personnel: Michael Donnelly, Vaughn Schlott, Ana Lucia Teran-Stasilli, Arianar Severf, Larry Weiss, Martin Kamen, Gale Kaufman, Peggy Connolly, Mary Ann, Kimberly Chatfield, Isabella Marchese, Ira Glickler, Rose Infantino, Cathy Gerrard and Lorraine Wells.

NOTIFY US OF CHANGES AND ADDITIONS

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46

The Lord tells Moses and Aaron that anyone bearing the sore of leprosy must first be seen by Aaron or one of the other priests, and that as long as the sore is upon him, "He shall dwell apart, making his abode outside the camp."

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1

Paul instructs the Corinthians to do everything for the glory of God, to avoid offending others, and to be imitators of Christ.

Gospel: Mark 1:40-45

Jesus takes pity on a leper and cures him of his disease with a warning not to say but to show himself to the priest and make an offering. Instead of remaining silent, the leper greatly publicized the healing, making it impossible for Jesus to enter the town openly.

A LENTEN PRAYER

Gracious, merciful Lord, Be my guide this Lent and always. Draw me closer to You. Help me to suffer as I ought. You are the Great Comforter. Be with me, Lord, as I pray and fast. Teach me to pray and fast to join You and all the saints. Teach me to offer up my suffering to help those most in need. Guide me to be ever mindful of You and the greater purpose You have in mind for me. Amen.

FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry is always in need of food stuffs and/or monetary donations! Please be generous. Thank you for your increased giving to the food pantry.

FAMILY DAY OF PRAYER

FEBRUARY 24TH

Join us for our Family, Faith & Fun Day on Saturday, February 24, 2018. Event begins at 2.30 PM. We will have prayer stations and a day of reflection. Food will be served and we will end with attending 4.00 PM Mass.

PRAYER STATIONS

FAMILY MEAL

4.00 PM MASS

LECTOR SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

4.00 PM Nancy & Jim Rizzi

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

9.00 AM Kathleen Johnson

11:15 AM Joan Girardi

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

4.00 PM Kathleen Johnson

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

9.00 AM Marsha Sereno / Rose Paolini

11:15 AM Ed Kennedy

CONGRATULATIONS

Our "200 Club" Winner for February 04

"BILL SCHNEIDER"

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY

Sunday, February 11, 2018 Today we celebrate World Marriage Day. It is an annual event celebrated every 2nd Sunday in February throughout the world.

This celebration is sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter, the largest pro-marriage organization in the world, enriching thousands of couples, priests and religious since 1968. This day honors the vocation of marriage and family and affirms the life-long, sacramental commitment of husbands and wives.

World Marriage Day gives witness to the positive impact of traditional marital love on families, communities, society, the Church and our Nation!

LUCKY SQUARE WINNERS

Lucky Square winners of squares sold at St. Anthony's church and parish hall are:

Jon Todd, Barbara Donnelly, Jim & Nancy Rizzi, Jim Mangano, Sonia Friberg, Bob Bailey, Jenny Weyant, Fr. Joselin, Kathleen K.J. Johnson, Knights of Columbus, and Dave P.

LENT 2018

In order to make the season of Lent a more fruitful one we invite our parish family to come to events we have scheduled below:

ASH WEDNESDAY, Feb. 14th -Ashes will be distributed: Following 8:30am and 12 Noon Masses

TUESDAYS IN LENT: 8:15am Morning Prayer before Mass

FRIDAYS IN LENT: Stations of the Cross- 7:00pm in our Church

PRAYER BASKET: Bring your prayer intention on a paper and drop it in the basket in front of the altar for the whole Church to pray.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Everyday before the Morning Mass and on Fridays from 9 AM to 10 AM

RECONCILIATION MONDAY: Monday of the Holy Week - March 26th, 2018 from 3.00 PM to 9.00 PM

REGULAR CONFESSION SCHEDULE: Saturday 3:00pm to 3:45pm

LENTEN FAST AND ABSTINENCE

My Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As a way of reminding everyone about the guidelines for the Lenten Fast and Abstinence, I offer the following explanation:

Lenten Fast and Abstinence: During the Season of Lent, the Church urges all the faithful to reflect a spirit of penance in their daily life through performing acts of fast and abstinence.

FASTING: Fasting requires that only one full meal be taken per day. Two other smaller meals may be taken during the day to maintain physical strength, but these two meals together should not equal a full meal in quantity. Fasting obliges all those who have reached the age of 18 and continues to oblige until age 59. Those not specifically obliged to fast are encouraged to join in the discipline of fasting to the extent that they are able.

ABSTINENCE: Abstinence prohibits individuals from eating meat on a particular day. Abstinence obliges all those who have reached the age of 14 and continues to oblige throughout their entire life. Those not specifically obliged to abstain from eating meat are encouraged to join in this discipline to the extent that they are able.

ASH WEDNESDAY and **GOOD FRIDAY** are days of Fast and Abstinence. **FRIDAYS** in Lent are days of Abstinence.

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 8.30 AM & 12.00
