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5th Sunday of Lent March 17, 2024



Stewardship Reflection

"I will be their God and they shall be my people."- Jeremiah 31:33

What does it mean to be God's people? It means we recognize that everything we have and everything we are belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our family, our neighbors and for people we don't know, just as God cares for each of us.

Prayer Requests

*Please pray for those who are ill or housebound
in our Parish family*

**Kenneth Lizotte. Sandra Kos, Linda Mageau, Robert De Peter,
Bernard Papp, Shelley Simpson, Louise Dufresne, Liette Jauniaux**
Also please pray for all caregivers and the people they care for.

Please pray for those who are deceased

+Emelio Pellegrino +Emilia Perna, +Brian Lloyd

TALK TO US

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OFFICE SCHEDULE

Monday: Day Off
Tuesday: 10 :00 AM - 12; NOON
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Wednesday: 10 :00 AM - 12; NOON
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Thursday: 9:00 AM -12 NOON
Friday: 9:00 AM -12 NOON
Saturday & Sunday:
CHURCH ACTIVITIES
PLEASE BE GUIDED ACCORDINGLY

MASS TIMES

Sunday Mass:
Saturday Mass of Anticipation - 5:30 pm
Sunday Mass - 8:30 am
Weekday Mass:
Tuesday - 9:00 am
Wednesday - 9:00 am

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday: March 16 - 5:30 pm
Personal Intention - Queenie Mijares
Personal Intention - Kyle Ronquillo
Personal Intention - Irah Cayetano
Personal Intention - Claire Obejas
Sunday: March 17 - 8:30 am
Personal Intention - Narcisca & Robert Schmielt
+ All Souls in Purgatory
Tuesday: March 19 - 9:00 am
Personal Intention - Laduene
Personal Intention - Dionesio Percz
Personal Intention - Dylan Soronio
Personal Intention - Roy Solon
Wednesday: March 20 - 9:00 am
Good Health - Bisnenida Logronio
Saturday: March 23 - 5:30 pm
Thanksgiving - Antonio and Dolores Ochen
Thanksgiving - Logronio Family
Good Health - Joemarie Samar
Healing - Kyrie Tadlip

Lenten Penitential Service

Saturday, March 23rd at 10 am

*In his 1986 Angelus, Pope Saint John Paul II famously referenced Saint Augustine stating, "We are the Easter people and Alleluia is our song!" But before we can truly be the Easter people, we have to be the Lent people. During this liturgical season of Lent, we are spiritually called into the desert to unite our sufferings to Christ, reflect on our journey, and even bleakness. While the Catechism states that Catholics are required to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation for serious sins **at least** once a year, we should receive penance and aim to be in a state of grace as often as possible.*

Share Lent: Second Collection



This Lent, Development and Peace—Caritas Canada, the official international solidarity organization of the Catholic Church in Canada, invites you to stand with small-scale farmers and peasant communities through their Create Hope: Reaping our Rights campaign. Your generosity will help support over 73 projects in 36 countries around the world, helping address the root causes of poverty, oppression, and inequality. On Solidarity Sunday, March 17, the Fifth Sunday of Lent, please consider making a tax-deductible donation in person at the parish or online at rcav.org/share-lent.

MENTAL HEALTH AND ILLNESS IN CANADIAN CONGREGATIONS SURVEY



We are inviting you to take up to ten to fifteen minutes **this week** to fill out an anonymous online survey, to participate in a national study of mental health and illness in Canadian churches developed by **Flourishing Congregations Institute** and **Sanctuary Mental Health Ministries**.

Altar Server's & Lector's Workshops

Calling all boys and girls, age 7 and older for this Altar Server's training workshop. Please come and get trained, especially because Fr. Dennis needs extra help for the upcoming Easter Season.

If you already are a Lector or would like to volunteer for this ministry, please attend this mandatory training. Fr. Dennis will be giving the instruction, and there will be some new things added to the responsibilities of this ministry.

We are asking people to come forward to be trained for both ministries. Watch next weeks bulletin for more information as well as dates and times!

COFFEE

Thank you to coffee helpers. We really, really need two or four more helpers. Please let us know if you can help us.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

CWL Word of the Week

OUTREACH

"For it is in giving that we receive."

Members of the Catholic Women's League strive to reach out to those in need. Won't you help us reach further?

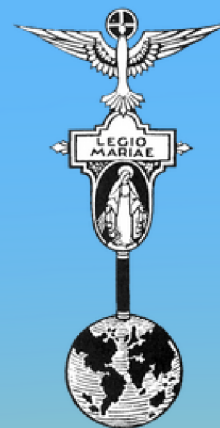
Come and join us.

TILL TAPES

We are now saving receipts from both save-on-foods and buy low. For every \$5000.00 in receipts we receive \$20 in grocery gift cards. These cards support the purchase of items for coffee after mass as well as other parish needs. Please either bring them to mass and pin them on the bulletin board going into the meeting room or leave them with me, Linda Mageau. I will take care of adding the receipts and taking them to the stores. Your assistance in this is greatly appreciated.

EASTER FLOWERS

Would you like to donate flowers to be placed in our Easter Altar Displays? If you wish to have them placed in honor of a loved one, simply include their name in an envelope labeled Easter Flowers along with your donation. Thank you for your generosity!



Would you like to become part of a Legion of Mary group? We would like to form this in our parish.

For more information please contact the parish office or Fr. Dennis