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SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: SATURDAY 4:30 - 5:00 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: TO INSURE SUFFICIENT TIME FOR ADEQUATE PREPARATION, COUPLES SHOULD CONTACT THE PRIEST FOUR, PREFERABLY SIX MONTHS IN ADVANCE OF THE WEDDING

IF YOU ARE CELEBRATING A SACRAMENT THIS YEAR, A RECENT COPY OF YOUR BAPTISMAL RECORD MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE PARISH.

(SATURDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 5:30 PM) (SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM)

(Spanish Mass-Sunday- 2:00 PM)

Gertrude Lyons, Victoria Mekus, Mary Cappaert Walley Connie Greer and Gene Neal.

Second Sunday in Lent, March 12, 2017

TODAY, March 12

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – People of the Parish

Mass – 11:00 a.m. – Respect for Life

Spanish Mass – 2 p.m. – Increase in Vocations

PSR – - 9:45 a.m.

MONDAY, March 13

Mass - 8:30 a.m. – Mike Moeller

TUESDAY, March 14

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Ray Castellane

WEDNESDAY, March 15

Mass – 5:30 p.m. – Falcon Morgan

THURSDAY, March 16

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Kay Diehl

FRIDAY, March 17

Mass – 8:30 a.m. – Special Intentions (BJF)

SATURDAY, March 18

Mass – 5:30 p.m. – William Gardner

Lay Ministry

March 18 -19

Altar Servers

5:30 p.m. – Leah Larson – Julia Tuminello

8:30 a.m. – Ellen & Olivia Pierce

11:00 a.m. – Brandon Thompson – Sadler Lambiotte

Lector/Commentator

5:30 p.m. – Gwyn Neill – Joanne Wright

8:30 am – Joe Coccaro – Jeanine Hanks

11:00 a.m. – Children’s Mass

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

March 18

5:30 p.m. – Jim & Babs Hearn, Jeff & Marlene Jenkins, Hilda Moeller

March 19

8:30 a.m. – Donna Battalio, Don Brown, John & Ginger Gerache, Kristie Pierce

11:00 a.m. – Paul Donovan, Mike Gough, Theresa Parker, Daisy & Jose` Sanchez

Pray for ... The Sick in our Community

Judy McCollum, Don Ravetta, Charles Thompson, Jamie Dishman, Frank Joseph, Jim Conway, Bobbie Anderson, Jim Farrell, Karen Zwissler, Mia Isabella Calnan, Steve Blake, John Brooks, Jodie Barnes, Kathy Grant, Bertha Hull, Belinda McKinney, Pamela Bull, Joshua Whitam, Marvin Webster, Melissa Barker, Jerri Mocknick, Leslie Shannon, Whitney Doiron, John Alford, Laura Uecker, Philip Vedros, Milton Farr, Rebecca Battalio, Glenda Daigle, Mark Reddy, Bonnie Bruce, Sharon Bowers, Camille & Warren Doiron, Collin Farrell, Mary Jane Lauderdale, Sherri McBride, Mark Antoine, Mary Ray, Marian Clark, Beverly Goodwin, Evelyn Weaver, Barb Price, Dana Faye Clausner, Jackie Rushing, Sharon Hanks, Walley Hipp, Frances Powell, Zoraida Sanchez, James Powers, Emily Jane Tucker, James Leo, Candice Hicks, Bob Slaven, Matt Holm, Gayle Parker, Christina Pond, Marye Lou Lee, Enloe Kee, Ann Kerr, Debra Dent, Lori Stevens, Debbie Welp, Sr. Annette Seymour, Mary & Joe Bottino, Bill Roach, Laura Thomas, Ashley Zepponi, Donna Carpenter, Marilyn Jones, Dolly Claypool, Bob Croisdale, Scott Hughes, David Horner, Phillip Dardeau, Chris Sanders, Charlie & Teresa Marshall, Greg Hull, Larry Luchesi,

Collection –

3/12/17 – Sue Fowler, Marsha Buell, Joan Clarke

03/19/17 – Myrtle Alvarado, Dottie Brown, Ron Moomaw



We gratefully acknowledge our Altar Flowers given throughout the year, during Lent we ask that you donate to our Easter Lilies by using the envelopes provided in your monthly envelope mailing.

CYO — will not meet this Sunday, March 12th.
Enjoy your spring break!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS –

March 15th – 7 p.m. –Six Dates for Catholic Couples.

March 14th –7:30 p.m. Rosary 8 pm. Business Mtg

March 17th – 6 p.m. KC Lenten Fish Fry - \$10 per plate.

March 16th – KC Auxiliary – membership is open to all ladies of the parish.

March 21st – St. Patrick Day Celebration Dinner; all KC Members & Parishioners are invited.

April 2 – 11:30 – 2:00 – Priest Ed Fund Spaghetti Dinner. \$9 per person. Dine in or carry out.

MEALS ON WHEELS - If you can help with cooking, boxing, or delivering the meals, or if you would like to donate a dessert or bread, please contact Carrie Meyer or Jennifer Vincent. Carrie Meyer (601) 218-1007 or Jennifer Vincent (601) 529-3230. Any help would be greatly appreciated!

NEW PARISH WEBSITE – We are currently revamping our parish website. Please take a look at it and let us know what you think.

BENEFIT GARAGE SALE – Lorie Stevens, a St. Michael parishioner, is suffering from Primary Lateral Sclerosis. This is an incurable but treatable disease. A garage Sale will be held on Saturday, March 18th from 11 am. To 4 p.m in the Parish Hall. All proceeds will help Lorie pay medical expenses not covered by her insurance.

YOU CAN UNDERSTAND THE BIBLE – The Bible Timeline is a Catholic Bible study that can help you make sense of the Bible. Karla and David McHan will facilitate this program on Sunday mornings at 9:45. For more info, please contact Karla at mchanfam@bellsouth.net.

RCIA- Please pray for our candidates Dawn Meeks, Hannah Meeks, Dan Ratliff, and Tim Wright as they enter into the Period of Purification and Enlightenment (Lent) to prepare for initiation into full membership with us at the Easter Vigil.

Please join us for our Inquiry period Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in our Education Building going on now, . . . For more info contact Cheryl Roberts at 629-9334 or c.c.roberts07@gmail.com.

LENTEN FOOD DRIVE – The Lord tells us to share our bread with the hungry, and light shall rise for us in the darkness. Is your light on or off? Please give generously to our Lenten food drive.

DISCOVERING CHRIST – A second session of Discovering Christ will be on Wednesday nights beginning March 29th and run through May 10th. Retreat will be on April 29th. Sign-up Sunday to register for the program is set for Masses the weekend of March 4th. Contact Mary Margaret Halford at 601-994-4856 with any questions.

ANGELS OF MERCY – We provide assistance to new and expectant mothers in St. Michael Parish. If your family is expecting, please contact Lori Williams at 601-638-8448 or the Rectory so we may keep your family in our prayers

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE – We are here to help you and your family while dealing with the loss of a loved one. Volunteers prepare meals for parishioners who suffer a loss in their family. If this committee can be of help to you, please contact the Rectory. We are always happy to have new volunteers in this ministry. If you would like to help in any way, please contact Christy Middleton at 601-638-7398 or the Rectory.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS, ALTAR SERVERS AND LECTOR/COMMENTATORS – please see the sign-up sheets in the Sacristy to volunteer to help celebrate on Lenten Soup nights and the rest of the Lenten Season. Thank you!

STATIONS OF THE CROSS – will be every Friday during Lent at 5:30 p.m.

LENTEN SOUP AND SCRIPTURE – has begun and will continue every Wednesday during Lent, once again our collections will benefit the needy in our community.

RIGHT TO LIFE - Abortions are down by about 40%. Polls show more and more Americans are becoming pro-life, especially young people! This gives us great hope for the future! But there's more: National Right to Life's landmark pro-life legislation, like bans on abortions at a point by which scientific evidence demonstrates an unborn baby can feel pain now passed in fifteen states and other bans have gained strength. Thanks for all your help for the unborn