

Sunday Messenger



LENT
2019

MARCH 10, 2019
First Sunday of Lent



Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil.
~ Luke 4:1-2



Mass schedule

Saturday (Sunday Vigil)
4 p.m.

Sunday
10 a.m.

Weekdays (Tuesday & Friday)
8:15 a.m.

Sick calls – at any time

Baptisms – by appointment

Confessions – before Masses

Weddings – arrange 6 months in advance

Parish Office hours

9 a.m. - 3 p.m. (Monday - Friday)
Evenings - by appointment only

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Fr. Antonio Musa, OFM

*Santa Lucia,
pray for us!*



Saturday, March 9

4 p.m.

++ Rex and Angie MadiaJenny and Grandchildren

**Sunday, March 10
1st SUNDAY OF LENT**

10 a.m.

+ Frankie MarassoCondic Girls
+ Unce Ron Youdelis (Ann. Rem).....Jackowiak Family
+ Ray Mancine (Ann. Rem.)Family
++ Michael and Lucia Cappetti..... Grandchildren
++ Abate Family..... Condic Girls
++ of Volpentesta Family..... Joe

Friday, March 15

ALL SCHOOL MASS

Saturday, March 16

4 p.m.

++ Dominic "Bud" & Pat PetrizzoNieces
++ Nino, Arturo, Augustino, Caterina & Noziata Capelluopo
.....Family

**Sunday, March 17
2nd SUNDAY OF LENT**

10 a.m.

+ Charlotte DoodyNieces
+ Ignatius Vitale Daughter Karen
+ Greg RamirezNancy Grabowski & family
+ August Saccaro Marion Roti
++ of Volpentesta Family..... Joe
For Fr. Joe on his birthdayParishioners

ALTAR SERVERS

4 p.m. & 10 a.m. – Please, consult your schedule.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

4 p.m. – Arnie
10 a.m.— Catherine Moy

LECTORS

4 p.m. – Darlene Ramirez
10 a.m. – Esther Perez



LET US PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE ILL

Kati Kaup, Tony Giglio, Mary Mannella, Annie Maggio,
Jeanine Briatta, Nicholas Tobar, Dolores Levielle,
Gail Wodarski, Jerry Pizzotti, Ida Ruffolo, Maria Senerchia,
Irene Burich, Kate Drost, Gianina Alberto, Paride Infelise,
Barb Stack, Katie Santello, Pat Hoffman, Lizzy Kaup,
Breck Neiswender, Jose Lara, Ofelia Lara, Fr. Nick Marro,
Carmen Llamas, Shane O'Connell, Juanita Perez,
Marie Floros, Kevin Bingham, Margaret Gavin,
Richard Valentine, Laura Opdenaker, Jackie Kroulaidis,
Tony Consola, Pat Burrows, Conrad Stobble

1st SUNDAY OF LENT

ALMSGIVING, PRAYER, and FASTING

As we begin our season of fasting, prayer, and almsgiving, the reading from Deuteronomy reminds us of our duty of almsgiving, that we “set [our offerings] before the Lord, [our] God, [and] shall bow down in [God’s] presence” (Deuteronomy 26:10). The reading from Romans refers us to our prayer, reminding us that “The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart . . . For everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved” (Romans 10:8, 13). These are comforting words, and encourage us to ask God for what we need and to aid us in our prayer. Finally, the Gospel of Luke shows us a fasting Jesus, who was tempted as we are, and who knows what it means to be human. Someone once said that temptation arises when you’re tired and weary, and the devil comes along and makes a perfectly reasonable suggestion. Jesus shows us that, with his help, we too can overcome our temptations, reasonable as they may sound



St. Joseph Table

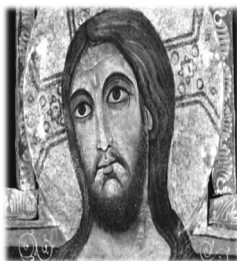
ST. JOSEPH’S TABLE

Our Annual St. Joseph’s Table will be held on Sunday, March 17. Anyone who would like to help in any capacity be it serving, baking etc. is surely welcome to do so.

The St. Joseph Table is a long standing Tradition for our Parish that we have celebrated for many years with great success. Hope to see you all on March 17.

MEETING WITH PARISHIONERS

Fr. Ivica is invit-ing all the parish coun-cil members, members of all parish groups and all the parishioners of St. Lucy to a meeting on Thursday, March 21 at 7:00 pm at St. Lucy School hall to discuss the future of our parish community.



Let us all put our heads together to preserve the wonderful community and traditions of St. Lucy in the nee reality.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Ivica



*Prayer
Fasting
Almsgiving*

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Often, when a family keeps vigil around a person who is preparing for death, they may notice three interwoven activities. First, the dying person may become more prayerful and reflective than ever before, reviewing life’s journey in gratitude to God, or seeking forgiveness and making amends for wrongs. Second, as death approaches, the need to eat and drink is lessened until even an ice cube brushed against the lips is satisfying. Third, persons who are dying often make plans to give their possessions away, making bequests, handing treasures down, providing for favorite charities.

Prayer, fasting, and almsgiving: with these three “pillars” of Lent, we rehearse our death every year in this season, and anticipate the final work we will do in this life. And every year, at the end of our journey, is the joy of Easter and the experience of the victory of Christ over death’s darkness and power. Annually, we remind ourselves that the Christian experiences the same power and presence at the end of life’s journey: Christ to the rescue and the lasting joy of heaven.

OUR DECEASED

FROM OUR CHURCH WAS BURIED:

+ August “Augie” Saccaro,

MAY HE REST IN PEACE!

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

March 3

Envelopes (45)	\$ 1,182.00
Online giving (1)	\$ 25.00
<u>Loose Donations</u>	<u>\$ 86.00</u>
TOTAL	\$ 1292.00

(average gift \$26.21)