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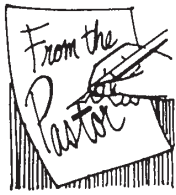
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**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:**

Happy feast day of St. Patrick! We're looking forward to celebrating the patronal feast day of St. Patrick of Ireland with a festive brunch after Mass. Thank you to our parish council members for organizing the brunch, and parishioners for celebrating with us.

Congratulations to our **Catechumens and Candidates**, who participated in the Rite of Election at St. Paul Church in Westerville with those from across the diocese who are joyfully anticipating entering the Church at Easter! It was a beautiful celebration with hundreds of people. Please keep them in your prayers.

The **Pot-of-Gold Supper Raffle** drawing and party will held on Saturday, March 23 at the PCC. Please send in your raffle tickets for your chance to win and to support St. Rose Catholic School. The Vigil Mass at St. Rose will be moved to 5:00 that evening. Plan to come and enjoy the festive atmosphere next Saturday night!

In Christ,
Fr. Hartge



POT-OF-GOLD CELEBRATION: St. Rose School will be holding their annual Pot-of-Gold Supper and Raffle event on March 23rd and it will be held in the St. Rose PCC. The celebration will be from 6:00-11:00 p.m. Irish stew and reuben dip will be ready for all to enjoy. The Pot-of-Gold raffle will be worth \$5,000.00 and the drawing will take place at 9:00 p.m. The winner does not need to be present. The raffle will also consist of the Leprechaun Bonus; wherein a family will receive \$500.00 of their St. Rose School tuition. A progressive euchre tournament will highlight several other adult games and there will also be plenty of children's games as well. Music will be provided by DJ Ron Baker and Steve Altier. There will also be prizes for the person, one adult and one student, who is dressed in the most spirited Irish/green attire. Come on out and enjoy a family night of fun and maybe you could be the lucky person to win the Pot-of-Gold raffle!

DEATHS: Our love, prayers, and sympathy go out to the family of Colleen Burns. We are sorry for their loss. May Jesus bless the deceased with eternal warmth, everlasting life, and may they rest in the arms of the Risen Savior.



YOUTH GROUP (grades 7-12) will meet Sunday, March 17th, from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at St. Patrick Church in Junction City. We'll have Stations of the Cross, adoration, prayer, and finish with games and food in St. Pat's Social Hall. Youth Group will help at Pot-of-Gold Saturday, March 23rd, from 6:00-10:00 p.m. in the Lower Level of the

PCC. There will be games, crafts, and activities for the younger children We will be showing a movie around 8:00 p.m.

OVER 50: It has been a long winter - come out and enjoy an afternoon of good food, Bingo, cards, and visiting with friends. Noon, Monday, March 18th, PCC/LL.

GIVE UP PLASTIC FOR LENT: Consider committing to using your own glass or reusable bottle or travel mug. (Styrofoam is plastic too!) An estimated 1 million bottles are bought around the world every minute! Shared by www.perryrecycling.com (740-342-7881).



SPRING IS COMING: Please remove cemetery decorations and grave blankets on or before April 1st to get ready for mowing at St. Patrick's, Junction City and St. Joseph's, Crooksville. Thank you!

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES - MARCH 16TH-25TH

SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH

8:00 a.m. Women Meet, PCC/LL

+2nd Sunday of Lent**3:00-3:45 p.m. St. Bernard Confessions**

4:00 p.m. Mass, St. Bernard

5:00-5:45 p.m. Confessions, St Rose

6:00 p.m. Mass, St. Rose

SUNDAY, MARCH 17TH

+2nd Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. Mass, St. Rose

9:00 a.m. Mass, Church of the Atonement

**10:15-11:00 a.m. Confessions,
Church of the Atonement****8:00-8:45 a.m. Confessions, St. Patrick**

9:00 a.m. Mass, St Patrick

**St. Patrick's Day Brunch
follows Mass in the Hall**9:15 a.m. CCD, St. Rose,
NO CCD St. Patrick - due to Brunch

10:00 a.m. CCD, St. Bernard in the Social Hall

10:00 a.m. CCD, Church of the Atonement
in the Church

10:30 a.m. Mass, St Rose

**6:00 -8:00 p.m. Youth Group (grades 7-12) at
St. Patrick's Junction City. Stations
of the Cross, Adoration and prayer**

MONDAY, MARCH 18TH

8:00 a.m. Mass, St. Rose

Noon Over 50, PCC/LL6:30 p.m. **St. Rose Parish Council, PCC/LL**

TUESDAY, MARCH 19TH

8:00 a.m. Mass, St. Rose

10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. St. Vincent De Paul OPEN**6:00 p.m. RCIA Session 25**

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20TH

8:00 a.m. Mass, St. Rose

5:15 p.m. Holy Hour

6:00 p.m. St. Vincent's meet in
St. Rose School Library

THURSDAY, MARCH 21ST

**10:00 -11:00 a.m. Fr. Hartge will be on
St. Gabriel Radio AM820**6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. **"Kingdom of Happiness:
Living the Beatitudes in Everyday
Life"** Leader: Deacon Ed Christ**9:00 a.m. Mass, St Rose
STATIONS OF THE CROSS AT ALL FOUR
PARISHES AT 7:00 p.m., every Friday**

SATURDAY, MARCH 23RD

+3rd Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. Men Meet, PCC/LL

9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. **Fr. Dan Swartz will be on
St. Gabriel Radio AM 820**

3:00-3:45 p.m. Confessions, St. Bernard

4:00 p.m. Mass, St. Bernard

4:15 p.m. Confessions, St. Rose

**5:00 p.m. MASS TIME CHANGE DUE
TO POT OF GOLD PARTY
POT OF GOLD PARTY/PRIZE DRAWING****6:00 p.m.**

SUNDAY, MARCH 24TH

+3rd Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. Mass, St. Rose

9:00 a.m. Mass, Church of the Atonement

10:15 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Confessions, Church of the Atonement

9:15 a.m. CCD, St. Rose School

8:00 a.m.-8:45 a.m. Confessions, St. Patrick

9:00 a.m. Mass, St. Patrick

10:00 a.m. CCD, St Patrick in the hall

10:00 a.m. CCD, St. Bernard in the Hall

10:30 a.m. Mass, St. Rose

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 7th&8th grade CCD

MONDAY, MARCH 25TH

7:00 p.m. Consortium Penance Service - St. Rose

K OF C FOOD DRIVE: Our Knights of Columbus Council 1065 is coordinating a major Food Drive during the 40 days of Lent. Each of us is challenged to donate a can or a box of food for each of the forty days. The Council's goal is to gather 2,000 pounds of food! Collection bins are in the rear of each church. Food will then be transferred to the St. Vincent de Paul Center in Coring. Please be Generous!

FRANCIS VERNON PATTON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS: For the Arts are available at the following locations: St. Rose Catholic School Office, Perry County Consortium Office, and the school office at Fisher Catholic High School in Lancaster and Bishop Rosecrans High School in Zanesville. Application deadline is April 19, 2019. Applicants must be a 2019 graduate of St. Rose. Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors at Fisher Catholic or Bishop Rosecrans who have graduated from St. Rose are also eligible.

ST. GABRIEL CATHOLIC RADIO will welcome Father Michael Hartge on Thursday, March 21st, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. for the AM 820 Spring Spirit Drive. Tune in and support Father Hartge and AM 820. Call 614-459-4820 or go online to <https://stgabrielradop.com/> **AND**, on Saturday, March 23rd tune in and support Father Dan Swartz, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. AM 820.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL REPORT: In January and February, St. Vincent De Paul spent approximately \$2,800.00 helping 29 families with utilities and rent. With the purchased and donated food we were able to give a large amount of groceries to 235 households for a total of 595 people served. These households also received clothing every Tuesday in February. The Center also purchased a new freezer. During Catholic Schools Week, the St. Rose students generously donated a variety of paper products. Paper products and diapers are always appreciated.

OFFERTORY INFORMATION

CHURCH OF THE ATONEMENT

March 10, 2019

Needed to pay bills \$ 1,277.00

On line givers \$ 315.00

Offertory \$ 1,031.00

Total \$ 1,346.00

21 Envelopes

Candles \$ 4.00

School Support \$ 55.00

Black/Indian Missions \$ 52.00

DONATIONS :

To: Church of the Atonement

In Memory of Marybelle Hannum

From: Scott & Trina Carr

From: Cathy & Howard Boylin

From: Peggy Pettrill

ST. BERNARD

March 9, 2019

Needed to pay bills \$ 1,173.00

Offertory \$ 923.00

Total \$ 923.00

30 Envelopes

Fuel \$ 29.00

Easter Flowers \$ 90.00

School Support \$ 20.00

Black/Indian \$ 30.00

ST. PATRICK

March 10, 2019

Needed to pay bills \$ 1,645.00

Offertory \$ 1,300.00

Children \$ 5.00

Total \$ 1,305.00

61 Envelopes

Easter Flowers \$ 65.00

Cemetery \$ 10.00

School Support \$ 20.00

Black/Indian Collection \$ 419.00

ST. ROSE

March 9-10, 2019

Needed to pay bills \$ 7,020.00

Offertory \$ 3,935.00

Online Givers \$ 500.00

Total \$ 4,435.00

119 Envelopes

School Support \$ 125.00

Fuel \$ 40.00

Easter Flowers \$ 155.00

Black/Indian Collection \$ 66.00

DONATION:

To: St. Rose Church

In Memory of Bonnie Seals

From Dustin Denny

To: St. Rose School

From Gordon Kunkler

CHURCH OF THE ATONEMENT: Thanks to everyone who supported the Crooksville, St. Patrick's Bingo!

MARY POPPINS will be presented by Fisher Catholic High School, 1803 Granville Pike, Lancaster, March 21st, 22nd, and 23rd at 7:00 p.m. We feature a live orchestra and an incredibly talented cast! Concessions will be available during intermission. Tickets are \$12.00 for adults and \$8.00 for students/children. For information on becoming a program sponsor or a Patron of the Art, please contact Sharon Silleck at ssilleck@cducationn.org. This is the show you won't want to Miss! and coming in April...St. Mary School, Lancaster presents **Shrek the Musical, Jr.** - April 25th/26th at 7:00 p.m.

BID O'LUCK: Fisher Catholic's **An Elegant Knight in Camelot** - Saturday, April 27th...Raffle Tickets are on sale! One \$7,500.00 prize and five \$500.00 prizes! Raffle tickets are \$100.00 each. Buy one for yourself, or gather your friends and split the cost. Contact Kellie Shonk at 740-654-1231 or keshonk@cducationn.org. Donations are also now being gathered for the dinner auction part of the Bid O' Luck. Not sure you have anything fabulous to donate? Give cash and let the committee shop for you! Goods and services are wanted for the silent and grand auctions. Contact Milea Quaintance at 740-689-3288 or quaint6@yahoo.com.

ANNUAL POT-OF-GOLD: Sell as many tickets as you can. The prize is \$5,000.00, plus \$500.00 for a Leprechaun Bonus. The awesome party will be March 23rd. **Mass will be early at 5:00 p.m.** The party will begin in the PCC following Mass. This will be one week after St. Patrick's Day, but we hope you'll still be feeling Irish and lucky! Come for music, games for kids and adults, adult beverages, and a traditional Irish meal for a nominal price. Please bring a salad, appetizer or dessert to share. At 9:00 p.m. the winner will be drawn for the **\$5,000.00 Pot-of-Gold Grand Prize. You need not be present to win, but it's more fun if you are! This has been a major fundraiser for our beloved St. Rose Catholic School and we know it will be just as successful this year. DON'T PRESS YOUR LUCK; BUY PLENTY OF TICKETS!**

AROUND the DIOCESE

MARCH is Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month. All persons with disabilities have gifts to contribute to the Whole Church. Embrace. Welcome. Participate. For resources available to individuals, families, and parishes to work towards the goal of full participation visit www.columbuscatholic.org/persons-with-disabilities.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: Is March 6th to April 17th...Faithful believers are praying that this effort will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in America. This peaceful prayer vigil will take place at an abortion facility in Columbus. Participants are asked to volunteer for one-hour shifts and sign a statement of peace. For details and to sign up for a time, visit www.gcrtl.org/40-days-for-life.html or call 614-445-8508.

BIMONTHLY HEALING MASS, MARCH 18TH, 6:30 p.m., St. Joseph Cathedral..."Heavenly Father, Creator of the universe, and Author of its laws, You can bring the dead back to life, and heal those who are sick. We pray for our sick brothers and sisters, that they may feel Your Hand upon them, renewing their bodies and refreshing their souls. Show them the affection in which You hold all your creatures, and grant them an early recovery. In Jesus' Name, Amen. (Prayer from a 7th Century Irish Monk).

BLACK AND INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION: Thank you for your generosity!

BOTTOMS UP DIAPER DRIVE: Consider buying diapers for a needy single mom as part of your Lenten almsgiving this year. Bottoms Up Diaper Drive supplies donated diapers to organizations like St. Stephen's Community House and Bishop Griffin Resources Center to help single mothers keep their babies clean and dry. To purchase diapers or for more information, go to <https://bottomsup.life> or call Jo Anne Welsh at 740-808-6131.

March 30-31st.. The parishes will take up **The Catholic Relief Services Collection.** Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Next week please give generously to the collection, and **help Jesus in disguise..** Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

SACRAMENTS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: March 13th, 7:00-8:30 p.m. St. Elizabeth 6077 Sharon Woods Boulevard, Columbus, 43229...Join us for a conversation with parents, catechists, teachers, parish staff and clergy about preparation and celebration of the sacraments for persons with disabilities. Offered in Spanish ad English. This is a free event but RSPV is appreciated. March 14th - St. Paul the Apostle, 313 N. State Street, Westerville, Ohio 43082. This event will focus on the practical application of sacramental preparation ad celebration, networking, and group discussion on best practices for pastors and other parish leaders. Registration is required by March 8th. \$10.00 fee includes lunch.

LENTEN CHALLENGE: "LISTEN TO CATHOLIC RADIO am 820 THIS LENT." Try something new this Lent and consider listening to Catholic Radio AM 820! Listening to AM 820 is a good way to deepen your knowledge and love of the Catholic faith. Download the free St. Gabriel Radio mobile app.

RICE BOWLS: For Annet and her family, whom we encounter through CRS Rice Bowl, and all refugees in search of safety and security, after fleeing violence and hardship and for those worldwide who are forced to flee their home for safety or better opportunities. We pray to the Lord.

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH

+2nd Sunday of Lent

- 4:00 p.m. St. Bernard for Alice Denny from St. Bernard Choir
- 6:00 p.m. St. Rose for Regina Coffman from Harold & Judy Kunkler

SUNDAY, MARCH 17TH

+2nd Sunday of Lent

- 7:30 a.m. St Rose for Bonnie Seals from Mr. & Mrs. Glen Finck
- 9:00 a.m. Church of the Atonement for the People of God
- 9:00 a.m. St. Patrick for Harry & Pauline Johnson from Dan/Carolyn Finck
- 10:30 a.m. St. Rose for Regina Coffman from Dan/Carolyn Finck

MONDAY, MARCH 18TH

+St. Cyril

- 8:00 a.m. St. Rose for T.J. Tracey from C. Ci.

TUESDAY, MARCH 19TH

+Feast of St. Joseph

- 8:00 a.m. St. Rose-Mass for Fr. Jim from a Friend

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20TH

+Lenten Wednesday

- 8:00 a.m. St. Rose for Dave Bontrager from Davo & Angie Fondale & Family
- 5:15 p.m. Holy Hour

THURSDAY, MARCH 21ST

+Lenten Thursday

- 8:00 a.m. St. Rose for Jack Fisher from Anonymous

FRIDAY, MARCH 22ND

+Lenten Friday

- 9:00 a.m. St. Rose for Fr. Jim from Anonymous

SATURDAY, MARCH 23RD

+3rd Sunday of Lent

- 4:00 p.m. St. Bernard for The Gerlica Family from Sr. Dorothy Gerilca
- 5:00 p.m. (NOTE TIME CHANGE) St. Rose for Pat Goebel from Kyle Eveland

SUNDAY, MARCH 24TH

+3rd Sunday of Lent

- 7:30 a.m. St Rose for Ruth Carter & Austin Garey from the Family
- 9:00 a.m. Church of the Atonement for The Poor Souls from K of C Council #0812
- 9:00 a.m. St. Patrick for the People of God
- 10:30 a.m. St. Rose for Kay Kunkler Ferguson from Ruth Fondale

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS • WEEKEND OF MARCH 23-24, 2019

	St. Bernard March 23rd	Church of the Atonement March 24th	St. Patrick March 24th
LECTOR(S)	Ben Altier	Dorothy Goebel	Annette Losco/Judy Kunkler
SERVER(S)	Sophia VanFossen/Russell Browning	Joey/Josie Perani/Mason Dorsey	Joe/Andrew Mohler/Lane/Grace Baker/Jesse Kunkler
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SACRISTAN	Cathy Horn		
USHERS		Fred Redfern/Dorothy Goebel	Trever/Judd Baker/Davo./Michael Fondale
GREETERS			Harold/Judy Kunkler
GIFTS			John, Jr./Tabitha Boyden Family