All Saints Roman Catholic Church

FEBRUARY 5, 2023

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Mass Times:

Daily at 8:00 AM as scheduled (See schedule on next page) Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM Sunday at 9:00 AM Holy Days at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

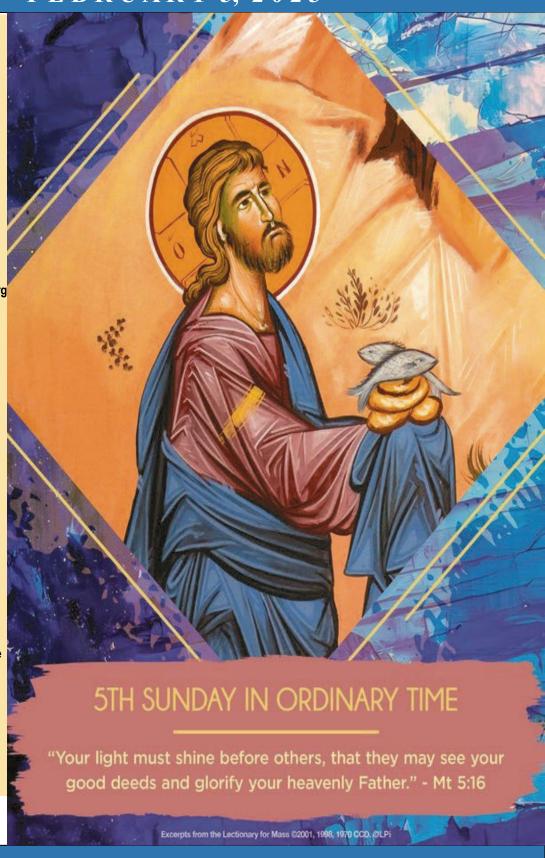
Confessions: Saturday 3:30—4:00 PM or by appointment

Office Hours: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.

Parish Registration Forms are available on the bulletin board in the gathering space or on the website.

Bulletin deadline: 10:00 AM Mondays, in writing, please.





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ALL SAINTS PARISH WATERFORD, PA

BMass Intentions

February 4, 2023 – February 12, 2023

Sat.	2/04	4:30 PM	For the People
			Of All Saints Parish
Sun.	2/05	9:00 AM	Sammy Church and Grandma
			Bev Church (Elaine DeMartino)
Mon.	2/06	8:00 AM	Pope Benedict XVI
Tues.	2/07	NO Mass	
Wed.	2/08	NO Mass	
	2/09	8:00 AM	In Honor of the 60th Wedding
	·		Anniversary of Joe & Roberta
			Kuzma and Roberta's Birthday
Fri.	2/10	8:00 AM	Virginia Kuhn
			(Mark and Val Rose)
Sat.	2/11	4:30 PM	Jerry Englert
	•		(Marilyn Gaber)
Sun.	2/12	9:00 AM	For the People
	•		Of All Saints Parish

PRAY FOR OUR COMMUNITY

For those who need our prayer: Chris DeGeorge, Diane J., Betty Jones, Casen Hull, Tom Ehrensberger, Ed C., Marlene Kuzma, Carol Gradler, Christine Walsh, Dean Haupt, Sandy Williams, Fr. John Moineau, David S., Margaret, Albert B., Bob Fontanese, Jeannette Briggs, Rick Krol, Barb Englert, Rita Bidwell, Megan Spinks, Dan McAraw, people of Ukraine, (Call Denise Weigert, 814-464-6148, or the parish office)

For those who have died...Lord, hear our prayer...

For those serving our country: Garrett Dahn, Navy; Paul Scott, Army; Rebeckah DelSignore, Airforce; Anthony DelSignore; AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard; AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard; Cortlen Surrena, Army; Commander Michael T. McAraw; Violet Brashier, Coast Guard; Ben Krumpe, Air Force; Sam Riley, Army; Keith Riley, Army; Autumn and Jason Ayers; Sarah Manross; Lucas Loggins, Army; Zane Loggins, Army (Call Pam McAraw, 814-397-1490, to add to the list)

10th Annual 22:32 Men's Conference

The conference will be held on Saturday, March 4th, 2023, from 8:30 am to 1:00 pm. Men from our diocese will gather to pray, reflect, and be inspired in 3 different ways:

- 1. Live in-person at St. Jude the Apostle parish in Erie;
- 2. Virtually at hosting parishes via YouTube, participating parishes listed on our website, www.2232men.com;
- 3. Virtually via YouTube in your home.

The program consists of two amazing speakers and Mass with Bishop Persico. If you attend at St. Jude's or a satellite hosting parish, you will enjoy two of our life-giving Sacraments: Holy Eucharist and Reconciliation.

The event is \$20. For more information or to register visit www.2232men.com or call (814) 455-7364.

GOSPEL MEDITATION—5th Sunday Ordinary Time



Jesus calls his disciples "salt of the world." No one eats just salt. So, Christians are not meant to replace or do away with the world. They are meant to be agents of preservation and glorification. Notice how often these days the Church seeks to preserve what is threatened: the goodness of marital and family love, the desires of young people for greatness, the value of honest work, healthy economics, and altruistic political engagement, the dignity of the poor and vulnerable. Over and over, we say to a world who wants to throw things out, "It's worth saving! We'll preserve it! We'll show you it's wonderful." If we can't engage the world like that, Jesus says we are the ones who get thrown out, because salt alone is worthless.

Jesus only asks us to do for others what he does for us. He is the "salt" of everything in our lives. Is there something in your life starting to rot a bit? Something tasting bland and boring? Let Jesus salt it and see if you like it better.

— Father John Muir ©LPi

REFLECT ON TODAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING IS 58:7-10

The prophet Isaiah spoke of God's desire for us to not only feed the hungry and take care of the afflicted but also to rid ourselves of malicious and accusatory speech. Which of these directives might you be able to do this week?

SECOND READING 1 COR 2:1-5

Paul teaches the Corinthians to place their faith in the power of God more so than in human wisdom. What could be some good ways to make sure this becomes a regular spiritual exercise?

GOSPEL READING MT 5:13-16

Jesus calls his followers to be salt of the earth and light of the world. In other words, Jesus is calling his followers to have a positive influence on the world. In what ways can believers today do good in the world? ©LPi

8th Annual 138 Women's Conference in March

Please join us for the 8th Annual 138 Women's Conference and learn how to "Walk with Purpose!" The conference will be held at St. Jude Parish in Erie, from 8:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m. on March 25th, 2023 with doors opening for registration at 8:00 am. The cost is \$20. Visit our website at www.138women.com for more information or to register.

Religious Education

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Religious Education Class Schedule: Sunday, Feb. 5, 10:00 AM Gr. PreK-5 Wednesday, Feb. 8, 6:00 PM Gr. 6-7-8 EDGE Wednesday, Feb. 8, 6:00 PM Gr. 9-10-11 PURPOSE Sunday, Feb. 12, 10:00 AM Gr. PreK-5/ Parents gr. 2/3 Wednesday, Feb. 15, 6:00 PM Gr. 6-7-8 EDGE Sunday, Feb. 19, 10:00 AM Gr. PreK-5/ Parents gr. 2/3

2nd and 3rd grade PARENTS MARK YOUR CALENDAR: Febraury 12 begins

classes that you attend with your child to prepare for their upcoming sacrament!

A Family Perspective

Today's gospel challenges us to be a "light" to our community. Parents shine their own guiding light by their actions, inviting their children to follow the light of their "good deeds." Hopefully your family is not hungry, homeless, or without enough clothing. But some are. Talk with your children about how you all might feed the hungry, shelter the homeless, or clothe the naked (Isaiah 58:7) this next week. If nothing else, donate money.

Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments-

Bystanders can help. Bystanders can play a big role in stopping bullying. When people do nothing, it sends a message that it's no big deal to bully. If people say something, it sends a social message that bullying is not OK. If you see someone being bullied, you can help by doing these things: *Speak up to help*: If it feels safe and natural to speak up, say, "come on, let's get out of here" to the person being bullied. It is okay to let the bully know people are watching and will get involved. *Report it:* Let a trusted adult know what you witnessed. This isn't tattling, it is standing up for what's right. *Offer support:* Check in with the person who was being bullied. Ask how they are doing. Remind them that the bullying is not their fault. For additional resources visit www.eriercd.org/childprotection/

The All Saints Ladies Society invites you to view, reflect, and discuss Season 1 of "The Chosen."

"The Chosen" allows us to see Jesus through the eyes of those who knew Him.

Join us on Sundays—February 19 & 26, March 5, 12, 19, 26, April 2 & 16 at 6:30 PM. Come to any or all episodes!

Sign up sheet can be found on the <u>bulletin board</u> in the gathering space.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 2/5 9:00 AM Mass—Children's Liturgy during Mass

Sunday, 2/5 10:00 AM Rel Ed Gr. Pre/K—5

Tuesday, 2/7 NO Mass Wednesday, 2/8 NO Mass

Wednesday, 2/8 6:00 PM EDGE (Gr. 6-8) & PURPOSE (Gr. 9-11)

Saturday, 2/11 4:30 PM Mass

The WEEKLY collection for January 29, 2023,

was \$1,724.00 from envelopes and \$1,031.00 online for a total of \$2,755.00. Thank you for supporting our parish.

The 2023 Catholic Services Appeal

will be conducted throughout our diocese on February 19. The CSA is the main source of support for projects and services of the diocese which serve



parishes and the wider community in northwestern Pennsylvania. Our diocese does the work of the Gospel and needs your help to continue this important work.

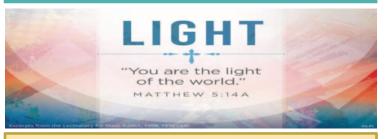
Bishop Lawrence Persico assures us that funds donated to the CSA are placed in a designated account and used solely to support the programs and ministries of the diocese and cannot be used for any other purpose.

The CSA is essential to helping the Diocese of Erie fulfill its mission to evangelize, educate, serve, proclaim the Word, celebrate the sacraments, and provide hope to people in need. Your participation ensures the success of the CSA and is important to the health of our parish. Please join other Catholics from across the 13 counties of our diocese in supporting this important appeal.

FISH DINNERS ARE BACK!

BEGINNING FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH!
VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED! SIGN UP IN THE
GATHERING SPACE. SEVERAL OPPORTUNITIES
TO HELP ARE AVAILABLE BEHIND THE
SCENCES ON THURSDAY EVENINGS, FRIDAY
MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS, ALONG WITH
TIMES AT THE FRIDAY EVENING DINNERS.
SIGN UP FOR ONE WEEK OR EVERY WEEK!
ALL VOLUNTEERS ARE APPRECIATED.

HOMEMADE DESSERTS ARE ALSO NEEDED EACH WEEK. PEOPLE OUR DESSERTS!!



Readings for next Sunday, February 12, 2023 SIR 15:15-20; PS 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 COR 2:6-10; MT 5:17-37



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So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

Corinthians 4:18

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