

All Saints Roman Catholic Church

MARCH 12, 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.

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



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3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus said to her, "I am he, the one
speaking with you." - Jn 4:24-26

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March 11, 2023 – March 19, 2023

Sat. 3/11	4:30 PM	Jerry Damond (All Saints Ladies Society)
Sun. 3/12	9:00 AM	Daniel J. and Virginia Kuhn (Natalie Kuhn)
Mon. 3/13	8:00 AM	Scarlett Berdis (Papa and Nana Berdis)
Tues. 3/14	NO Mass	
Wed. 3/15	NO Mass	
Thur. 3/16	8:00 AM	Calvin T. Behm
Fri. 3/17	8:00 AM	Chris DeGeorge (Laurie and Leroy Ganska)
Sat. 3/18	4:30 PM	Chuck Reinsel (Fred and Joanne Regal)
Sun. 3/19	9:00 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish



*The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week
In Loving Memory of
Joseph and Stella Tomczak and Jeff
(From Lavant and Mary Lou Johnson)*

PRAYER REQUESTS

For those who need our prayer: Ed Miseta, Betty Jones, Casen Hull, 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 McArw, 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. McArw; 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 McArw, 814-397-1490, to add to the list)

We would like to thank everyone for their thoughts, prayers, support, and cards for Chris DeGeorge during his illness and passing. Special thank you to Fr. Greg, Deacon Tom, and musicians for the beautiful Mass and kind words. Also, thanks to the Ladies Society for the nice luncheon, and to Lia for all her help.

With deepest gratitude, The Family Of Chris DeGeorge

The Erie Diocesan Cemeteries have Pre-Need services available by calling Tom Duska, Sales Director for the Erie Diocesan Cemeteries at 814-838-7724 or 814-440-5085, or email eriediocesancemeteries@gmail.com.

The cemeteries are also looking for motivated retirees for part-time seasonal help. Please reach out to them at Calvary Cemetery office at 3325 West Lake Rd. in Erie or call 814-838-7724.

LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Sometimes, like the Samaritan woman, we can scarcely believe that God would meet us here in this fallen world. The truth of what he speaks and the beauty of what he proclaims is like a well of spring water in a dry desert. Do we dare accept the gift? ©LPi

REFLECT ON TODAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING EX 17:3-7

The Lord responded to the prayer of Moses with the miracle of water from the rock for the Israelites to drink. What might you ask from the Lord this week?

SECOND READING ROM 5:1-2, 5-8

Paul speaks of having "hope" because "the love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit." How does your faith in Jesus give you hope?

GOSPEL READING JN 4:5-42

Through her dialogue with Jesus, the Samaritan woman comes to the realization that Jesus is the Messiah. In her joy, she tells other Samaritans about her encounter with Jesus. How can you share your faith in Jesus with others? ©LPi

LENTEN ECUMENICAL SOUP AND SERVICES

Join the churches in Waterford for the annual Lenten Soup and Services on Wednesdays through March 29 at Asbury Methodist Church with soup served at 6:00 PM and a worship service at 7:00 PM. All Saints Parish will provide the soup on Wed. March 15th. **We will need to provide 14 pots of soup on March 15th. A sign up sheet can be found in the gathering space.**



**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29
5:00 PM TO 7:00 PM
AT ALL SAINTS PARISH**

Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Why go? Lent is the perfect time to renew and restore your relationship with Jesus and with the Church as we prepare to celebrate Easter.

Also at Blessed Sacrament, Mother of Sorrows, Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Our Lady of the Lake, Our Lady of Peace, St. Boniface, St. Francis Xavier, St. George, St. John the Baptist, St. Joseph/Bread of Life, St. Jude, St. Julia, St. Lawrence, St. Luke and St. Peter Cathedral.

CRS Rice Bowl – Catholic Relief Services' Lenten program – is a way to reflect on the needs of others and how we can respond in love to support them. Sixty percent of all Rice Bowl contributions support CRS' humanitarian and development programs overseas, providing life-saving assistance and hope around the world. The remaining forty percent stays in our diocese to support local hunger and poverty prevention programs. You can use any container at home and then bring in your donation and put it in the large RICE BOWL in the gathering space where you can also find envelopes for donations. You can also find this giving opportunity on WeShare online.

Religious Education

Maria Burkley—(814)969-2868 (call or text)
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Religious Education Classes for October 2022:

Sunday, Mar. 12, 10:00 AM Gr. Pre/K-5+Gr.2/3parents

Wednesday, Mar. 15, 6:00 PM Gr. 6-7-8 EDGE

Sunday, Mar. 19, 10 AM Gr.Pre/K-1, 3-5 +Gr.3 parents

Wednesday, Mar. 22, 6:00 PM Gr. 6-7-8 EDGE

Wednesday, Mar. 22, 6:00 PM Gr. 9-10-11 PURPOSE

A Family Perspective

Our children are like the Samaritan woman in today's Gospel. They need more than material things. They need the 'living water' only good role models can give. It will teach them how to make decisions, take responsibility, respect themselves and others and live their commitments. With this "living water" they will "never thirst."

Once again, we are collecting cards for those who are receiving sacraments this spring. If you are able to send cards, below are the due dates for each:



FIRST RECONCILIATION:

6 girls, 1 boy -- **due by 3/16**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

2 girls, 1 boy -- **due by 3/20**

CONFIRMATION:

8 girls, 13 boys -- **due by 3/20**

These are always very meaningful to those who receive them!

Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments-

Pledge to Heal: The Diocese of Erie remains committed to helping survivors of clergy sexual abuse heal and recover. The diocese will provide counseling assistance for those who have been abused by a member of the clergy. For more information, please contact Dr. Gerard Tobin, our Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 814-451-1521. The diocese encourages anyone who has experienced abuse or misconduct by a member of the clergy or any employee or volunteer of the church to contact their local law enforcement. To report abuse to the independent investigators retained by the diocese, email ErieRCD@KLGates.com. Victims/survivors or concerned individuals can report abuse directly to the diocese by calling 814-451-1543.

It is with great pleasure I am announcing the introduction of a "caring closet" here at All Saints. It is my hope that this Caring Closet, will become a place where our parish community can come together to provide dress clothes to our young parishioners in a time of need. As this program begins, I am asking for donations of gently used First Communion attire for both girls and boys. This closet will be available for our parish families to borrow attire for their children to wear during the sacrament if the family does not wish to purchase attire of their own. I am simply asking that those who wish to borrow an item, please return it after you have finished using it. If you would like to donate to the Caring Closet, please contact Annie Link 814-392-4404 or Maria Burkley.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 3/12	9:00 AM Mass—Children's Liturgy during Mass
Sunday, 3/12	10:00 AM Rel Ed Gr. Pre/K-5 & Gr. 2 & 3 parents
Sunday, 3/12	6:30 PM "The Chosen" ALL are invited!
Tuesday, 3/14	NO Mass
Wednesday, 3/15	NO Mass
Wednesday, 3/15	6:00 PM Rel Ed—EDGE
Thursday, 3/16	1:00 PM Companions on the Journey
Friday, 3/17	4:30 PM Fish Dinners
Saturday, 3/18	10 AM First Reconciliation Retreat and celebration of First Reconciliation
Saturday, 3/18	4:30 PM Mass

The WEEKLY collection for March 5, 2023,

was \$3,696.00 from envelopes and \$1,892.00 from online giving for a total of \$5,588.00. Thank you.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday, April 6, Mass at 7:00 PM

Fr. Greg is looking for people who would like to participate in the Mass by having their feet washed, you can sign up on the schedule and we will contact you.

Good Friday, April 7, Service at 2:00 PM

Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 8, 8:30 PM

Easter Sunday, April 9, Mass at 9:00 AM

Additional Lectors and Altar Servers needed –

the sign-up schedule for Holy Week can be found in the gathering space on the table. There is a need for extra lectors and altar servers for these special liturgies. Thank you for serving in these ministries.

Join us for Lenten Friday Fish Dinners at All Saints!

4:30 to 7:00 PM. Cost is \$15 for adults, \$5 for children under 12, and toddlers eat free. Baked or Fried white fish, French fries or baked potato, coleslaw, applesauce, roll & butter, desserts, and beverages.

Raffle Tickets to benefit St. Mark's Seminary will be sold after Mass in the gathering space on March 18 & 19 and March 25 & 26 by a member of the St. Mark's Seminary Auxiliary. The winner will be drawn at their annual Card Party on Thursday, April 20th. *This is the only fundraiser each year in support of our seminarians.*

Tickets for the card party are available by calling Betsy at 814-504-2720. No tickets will be sold at the door. The card party will be held at St. Mark's Catholic Center in the gym on the second floor. There is an elevator for those who may need it. Doors open at 5 PM; card party begins at 6:00 PM.

All Saints Knights of Columbus will be raffling off (2) quarters of beef! Cost of tickets—1 for \$5, 3 for \$10 and 8 for \$20. Drawing will be held on the 1st Sunday of April after the morning Mass.

Readings for next Sunday, March 19, 2023

1 SM 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; EPH 5:8-14; JN 9:1-41

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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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