

# All Saints Roman Catholic Church

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 23, 2020

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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 9:15 AM  
Holy Days at 8:00 AM and  
7:00 PM

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

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

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



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# Mass Intentions

February 22, 2020 – March 1, 2020

Sat. 2/22	4:30 PM	Tom Church, Sr. (Kevin and Sue Berdis)
Sun. 2/23	9:15 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish
Mon. 2/24	8:00 AM	For a special intention
Tues. 2/25	8:00 AM	NO Service
Wed. 2/26		<b>Ash Wednesday</b>
	8:00 AM	For All People
	7:00 PM	For All People
Thur. 2/27	8:00 AM	For those suffering from a mental illness or PTSD
Fri. 2/28	8:00 AM	Mother's Day Remembrance
Sat. 2/29	4:30 PM	Cathie Dombkowski (Rick and Pat Jaworski)
Sun. 3/01	9:15 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish

## The Regular Collection

for February 16th was \$2,009.43 plus \$795.00 from online giving for a total of \$2,804.43 Thank you!

## TODAY IS COMMITMENT SUNDAY



The theme of 2020's CSA is "Forward Together... doing the work of Christ." Together, we make it possible for parishes, Catholic schools, Catholic Charities, clergy and the Catholic faithful to live and share Christ's teaching.

You may wonder why you should support the CSA. The truth is, as members of the Diocese of Erie, we play an important role in the diocesan activities of Catholic education, evangelization, promoting justice and serving people in need throughout our diocese. Our diocese has work to do on behalf of the Lord and we are all asked to share our gifts to help advance the mission of the church.

Our bishop assures us that CSA donations are strictly designated to fund the projects, ministries and departments of the Diocese of Erie. No funds donated to the CSA have been or will be used to defray expenses related to the sexual abuse crisis.

Your gift is so important. Thank you for giving.

**Pledge cards are available in the pews and can be returned in the collection basket. No gift is too small, but please give as generously as you can.**

**All Saints assessment for this appeal is \$32,447.00**

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 2/23	CSA Commitment Sunday
Sunday, 2/23	10:15 AM Rel Ed Gr. 6-10
Sunday, 2/23	6:00 PM Confirmation Class
Monday, 2/24	6:00 PM Mission Trip Meeting
Wednesday, 2/26	ASH WEDNESDAY Mass at 8AM & 7PM
Thursday, 2/27	6:00 PM to 9:00 PM CPR Training
Thursday, 2/27	6:30 PM Rosary
Thursday, 2/27	7:00 PM Knights of Columbus Meeting
Friday, 2/28	4:30 PM First Fish Dinner of Lent!
Saturday, 2/29	9:00 AM to Noon CPR Training

## JUST SAYING -



Jesus is not revoking the Old Testament decree of "Eye for an eye." Instead, He is delegating the responsibility of the civil authority (to penalize criminals rightfully) from the responsibility we all have in a personal context to love our neighbors and enemies.

Ray Stedman describes an event that occurred in South Korea in March 1977. Two soldiers had hired a young man to cook and clean their rented house. These two soldiers liked to play practical jokes. So one day they put Vaseline on the stove handles. The next morning when the young man attempted to turn on the stove, his fingers slipped off the handles because of the Vaseline. On another occasion, the soldiers put a bucket of water over the door so that when he entered the house, he would get wet. One day they nailed his house shoes to the floor. As a result, he had to remove the nails in order to wear his shoes. The young man never said anything. He was quiet and peacefully did his job. Consequently, the soldiers started feeling guilty and finally apologized to the young man and promised to stop. So the young man asked, "No more sticky on the stove? No more water on the door? No more shoes to the floor?" When the two soldiers promised that they would stop, the houseboy said, "Okay, no more spit in the soup!"

Parish Council and members of the All Saints Ladies Society are working on ideas and plans for beautifying the front flower garden. **We are looking for parishioners who would be willing to work on this committee. A meeting will be set in early March.**

In 2019 the Ladies Society held a card party and the proceeds were earmarked for this project. If you would like to help or if you have ideas to share, contact Lia in the office or jot down your name and/or idea on a parish "welcome" card found in the pews.

## Religious Education



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### **FEBRUARY 23, 2020**

REL ED Grades 6-10 at 10:15 AM  
Confirmation Class at 6:00 PM

**Next Sunday, March 1,** we are meeting in the social hall after church for a pizza and planning meeting. **All High School students should attend this meeting to prepare and plan for our Living Stations of the Cross.** This is part of your religious ed commitment. Anybody who is crafty, likes to sew, or any middle school students who are interested are also welcome to join us! The meeting will not run later than 11:45. See you there! *March 1st will not be a family session as on the original calendar.*

### **A Family Perspective**

Giving the shirt off your back, turning the other cheek or walking / driving the extra mile is normal stuff in families. We do that for one another. Today's gospel reminds us all people, even those we don't like, are our brothers and sisters. Our family should prepare us to be FAMILY to others.

### **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Blake Orris, Cavin Kress, Claire Schaaf, Ethan Mitchell, Lillian Link, Porter Mitchell, and Cole Vitelli on your First Reconciliation!

### **TUESDAY EVENING LENTEN FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES AT ALL SAINTS—**

Did you know that after Mother Teresa became a nun, she never saw her family again? Did you also know that, although Mother Teresa was famous for her selfless compassion and service to others, she felt disconnected from God? Do you feel the same? Then join us on a weekly Lenten journey to learn how to connect with God on a more personal level.

**Adoration and faith formation will take place Tuesday, March 3rd from 7-8 PM. Deacon Tom will lead this session. Bring a copy of your book "Rediscover the Saints" by Matthew Kelly. Read about Saint Mother Teresa on page 91 in the book in preparation.**

Are you overworked, disorganized or feeling disconnected? Join us on Tuesday, March 10th from 7-8 PM. Learn how Saints Benedict and Teresa of Avila helped develop routines and structure within the church. Discover how St. Ignatius of Loyola helped foster the concept of emotional intelligence within ourselves and with others. Read ahead on pages 25-38 to learn more.

For further information, please contact Lynne Brozewicz at 814-823-7014 or Denise Weigert at 814-464-6148.



**ASH WEDNESDAY**  
**FEBRUARY 26, 2020**  
**MASS AT 8:00 AM & 7:00 PM**

PICK UP YOUR COPY OF THE LENTEN PRAYER AND REFLECTION BOOKLET "FIVE MINUTES WITH THE WORD" TODAY IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.

**February is Heart Month**  
**Heartsaver CPR/AED Training at**  
**ALL SAINTS PARISH**  
**Thursday February 27th, 6PM – 9PM**  
**OR Saturday February 29th, 9AM – Noon**  
**SIGN-UP IN GATHERING SPACE**

**ALL SAINTS—EVERY FRIDAY IN LENT—**  
**STARTING THIS COMING FRIDAY!**



**FISH FRY** 4:30 TO 7:00 PM Take-outs available!  
February 28, March 6, 13, 20, 27, April 3  
\$10 Adults, \$4 children, toddlers eat free

**SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER IN THE**  
**GATHERING SPACE!**

To all of the heavenly bakers — **please send desserts!** They are the best and what makes our dinners the best in the area.

Mr. Tom Wager (a former police officer, emergency medical technician and volunteer firefighter) will be offering a presentation on Active Shooter Preparedness training at All Saints on Sunday, March 1, 2020, beginning at 1:00 p.m. See the insert in today's bulletin for more information.

All Saints will host the annual **Waterford Ecumenical Lenten Soup and Services on Wednesdays**, beginning March 4th. All are invited to attend this *CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY* event during Lent. Each week the soup is provided by one of the Waterford churches while the service is provided by the minister and people of another church. Since All Saints is hosting we are not responsible for providing soup or planning the service. A free will offering is taken during the service for the Waterford Ministerium which then uses these funds to help people in need in our community.

**See the bulletin board for more information on Lenten fish dinners in the Erie area.**

### **Readings for next Sunday, March 1**

GN 2:7-9; 3:1-7; PS 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17;  
ROM 5:12-19 OR 5:12, 17-19; MT 4:1-11