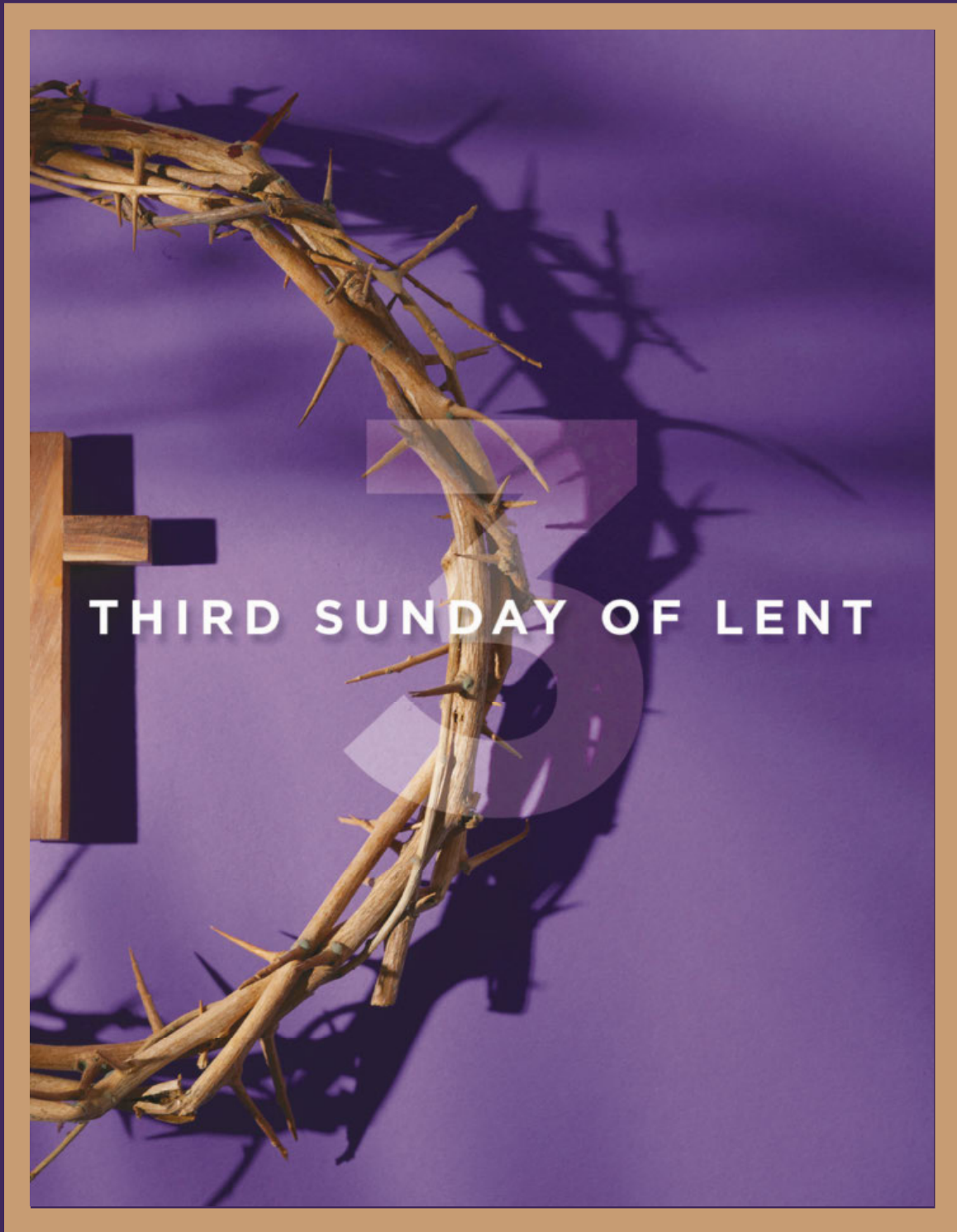


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March 12, 2023

Mass, Prayer & Sacraments

MASS

Tuesday - Friday 8:00 AM
Saturday (Anticipation) 4:15 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

ROSARY Thursday 7:30 AM

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET Thursday after 8 AM Mass

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION First Fridays of the month beginning after the 8:00 AM Mass with Reposition at Noon.

LENTEN RECONCILIATION Saturday from 3 - 4:00 PM
Wednesday 8:45 - 9:15 AM

ANOINTING OF THE SICK Anyone who is seriously ill due to sickness or old age may be anointed. Please call the Parish Office.

BAPTISM Please call the Parish Office if you wish to have your child baptized.

ADULT BAPTISM OR CONFIRMATION If you are an adult interested in becoming Catholic, or are an adult baptized Catholic but not confirmed, please contact Deacon Mike.

MATRIMONY Please call the Parish Office at least six months prior to the marriage.

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Mass Intentions

Monday, March 13 No Liturgical Service	Lenten Weekday
Tuesday, March 14 8:00 AM	Lenten Weekday + Dr. John Schumacher
Wednesday, March 15 8:00 AM	Lenten Weekday + Ken Larsen
Thursday, March 16 8:00 AM 6:00 PM	Lenten Weekday + Jim Wollner Stations of the Cross
Friday, March 17 8:00 AM	St. Patrick, Bishop + Jeffrey Schaida
Saturday, March 18 4:15 PM	Fourth Sunday of Lent - Vigil For the people of Holy Trinity
Sunday, March 19 8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Fourth Sunday of Lent + Carol Mayer + Ben Falter

Liturgical Schedules

Saturday, March 18 Altar Server Lector Ushers	4:15 PM Ron Peters Anna Bjerk Harry Gramoll, Barb Schlosser, and volunteer
Sunday, March 19 Altar Server Lector Ushers	8:00 AM Randy McCray Nancy Wagner Tom Lawton, Tom Johnson, and volunteer
Sunday, March 19 Altar Server Lector Ushers	10:30 AM Kim Wilhelm Dick Wilhelm Fritz Karnitz, Don Bartels, and volunteer

LENTEN RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Wednesdays 8:45 - 9:15 AM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Thursdays (except Holy Thursday) 6:00 PM

Good Friday 6:00 PM

Prayer Requests

If you, or someone you know, are in need of prayers our Prayer Team is always willing to pray for your requests.

You may contact our Prayer Team at (262) 692-2639. All prayer requests are confidential.



Readings for the week of March 13

- Sunday** Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42
- Monday** 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4/Lk 4:24-30
- Tuesday** Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/Mt 18:21-35
- Wednesday** Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19
- Thursday** Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23
- Friday** Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/Mk 12:28-34
- Saturday** Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/Lk 18:9-14
- Next Sunday** 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41

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St. Joseph's Table



St. Joseph's Feast Day is observed on March 19. Since St. Joseph was the foster father of Jesus, his life is

considered to be an example of what a father figure should look and be like and because of this, many cultures celebrate Father's Day by honoring St. Joseph and fathers together.

St. Joseph is the patron saint of workers and in 1870 Pope Pius IX declared Joseph to be the patron and protector of the Catholic Church.

The tradition of the St. Joseph's table began centuries ago by the Sicilians after suffering a severe drought. Their people were starving, and having nothing to rely on except their faith, they prayed to St. Joseph, their Patron Saint, to intercede on their behalf.

When their prayers were answered they held a celebration of thanksgiving to St. Joseph and invited all the orphans, widows and homeless to dine with them. They vowed to continue this tradition annually and thus began the beginning of St. Joseph's table and helping to feed the poor.

We invite you to help carry on this tradition by bringing non-perishable food items to church from March 18-26 and place them on or near our table located in front of St. Joseph's Altar. All donations will be given to the Full Shelf Food Pantry in West Bend. An Alms box is available if you wish to make a monetary donation. If you wish to write a check please make it out to the *Full Shelf Food Pantry*.



SEDER MEAL

At the Last Supper Jesus celebrated the Seder Meal/Passover Meal. This Jewish meal remembers the ancient Israelites escape from slavery under the Egyptians. The Israelites were

instructed by Moses to sacrifice an unblemished lamb for their meal. The blood of the lamb was to be spread on their door posts so the angel of death would **Passover** their homes. After the meal the Israelites were ready to cross the Red Sea to freedom.

It was at the Last Supper, Passover/Seder meal, that Jesus instituted the Eucharist. In this year of the Eucharistic Revival please join us on Sunday, April 2 at 4:00PM in the School Dining Room to celebrate and remember the Jewish Seder Meal. Fr. Tom will be the facilitator and there is no charge for the meal.

Registration is required so we know how much food to order. To register, please sign up in the Narthex or call Katie at the Parish Office, 262-675-6256. Registration deadline is Sunday, March 26.

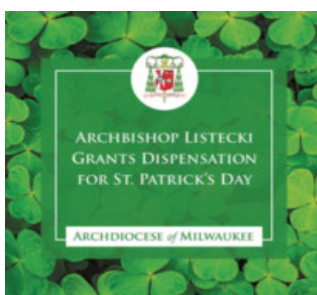
QUESTION OF THE WEEK

What can I do or say that will show others the living water that I have found in Jesus, the water that satisfies my spiritual thirst? Will I make that my mission this week?

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DISPENSATION

After careful consideration, Archbishop Jerome E. ListECKi has granted a dispensation for March 17, 2023 which lifts the obligation of abstinence from meat on Fridays during Lent so Catholics in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee can celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

"A feast day in the Church means what it says – it calls for celebratory feasting," Archbishop ListECKi said. "However, Catholics who partake in the St. Patrick's Day feast are encouraged to engage in another sacrificial or charitable act that day or give up meat on another day."

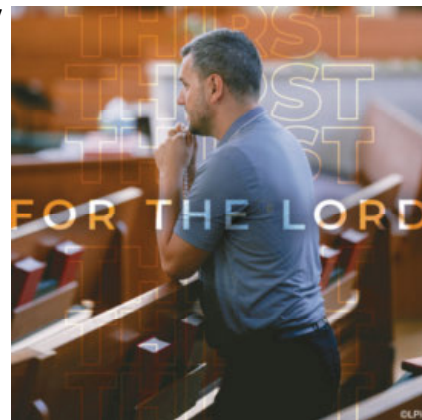


Gospel Meditation Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

When I became the pastor of a large parish, I soon found myself, for the first time in my life, riddled with anxiety, headaches, difficulty making decisions, and fatigue. I called a therapist friend and told her my symptoms and asked if she thought I needed a serious medical exam. She said, "How much water do you drink?" I told her, "I haven't had time to drink water lately." She responded, "You're chronically dehydrated. Drink eighty-five ounces a day and call me in a week." I started guzzling water and in a week all my symptoms went away. I felt great.

Like me, the people in the Exodus wanderings were dehydrated. But unlike me, they knew it. Their symptoms were bad. They fight with each other. They accuse God of being a monster who wants them and their children to die of thirst. Their thirst drives them to plot the bloody assassination of the man who rescued them. God responds by using Moses to strike a rock from which rivers of living waters flow to quench their thirst for years to come.

The Holy Spirit is the living water of love which flows from the pierced side of Jesus, the new Moses. What symptoms in your life suggest you're spiritually dehydrated? Anger at God? Cynicism at your leaders? Bitter rivalry and bickering with others? Don't panic. Of course we have those symptoms. Ask God to provide his water to quench your spiritual thirst, and he will. And all those symptoms will soon disappear.



— Fr. John Muir ©LPi

Everyday Stewardship Recognize God in Your Everyday Moments

The 6 Characteristics of an Everyday Stewardship for Lent – Grateful

Happy Birthday! It may or may not be your birthday now, but I know it will be coming up at some point. I hope you receive many cool presents and get to spend quality time with friends and family. On special days like birthdays, Christmas, and anniversaries, it is good to celebrate. After all, we need some fun and celebration in our lives.

But what about the day after? Presents remain, but the presence of others may be over, and it is back to the daily grind. Yesterday, you were filled with gratitude. You hold the memory of yesterday still close so that fuels you for the day. However, how about 2, 3, or 4 days from then? The truth is that many joys in this life cannot stay with us forever. They belong to a certain place in time. We will have our memories, yet those thoughts will never be a suitable substitute for the real thing.

There is one joy that remains throughout all our days: the joy we find in Jesus. What he gives us does not fade. The amazing thing about what he offers us is that it also provides a lens through which we see all things. Now we can see the smallest reasons to be grateful. We no longer have a life where we go from one celebration to another with the ordinary in between. All life and time are extraordinary! All gifts, great and small, are precious. This offering seems too good to be true, so what's the catch? Like all gifts given to us, for the gift to have meaning, we must be willing to receive it. The choice is yours. You can live in the ordinary, or you can revel in the extraordinary, now and forever.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

Welcome

Whether you are visiting us today, have been a member for a few months or many years...*Welcome!* We are happy you have joined us to worship our Lord today through prayer, song, and community!

If you are new to the area and would like to know more about our parish, or have been celebrating Mass with us for a while and would now like to officially make Holy Trinity your parish family, please contact the Parish Office. *We look forward to talking to you!*

Why do we do that?

Catholic Life Explained

Easter

Question:

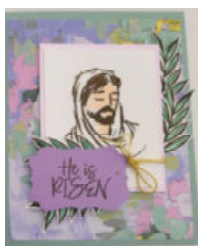
Why does the date of Easter change every year, while most other celebrations are celebrated on the same day?

Answer:

Every feast is celebrated at a certain time for a reason. Saints feast days are commonly the day of their death. While we don't know Jesus' exact birthday, we celebrate the "light of the world" around the time of winter solstice, as dark, wintery days begin to lengthen again. We have a historical clue, however, to when the Easter events occurred. We know that Jesus was crucified the day before Passover. The Jews calculated the date for Passover based on both the solar and lunar calendars. It corresponds to the first full moon after the spring equinox. The early Christians maintained this connection in their celebrations of Easter on the first Sunday after the paschal full moon.

We don't re-calculate the full moon every year. As astronomy developed, so too did the forecasts of when Easter would occur in future years. The Church has created a table of calculated dates, projecting the date of Easter decades in advance. The date of Easter also determines the date of Ash Wednesday and the season of Lent, as well as the feast days following in the Easter season, including Pentecost. So these feasts move, too! This tradition may seem complicated, but it connects our Christian faith now to what has come before — our Jewish roots and the real, historical reality of Christ's suffering, death, and resurrection.

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Card Making Class

Sunday, March 19 1—2:30 PM

School Dining Room

\$12.00 to make 4 cards

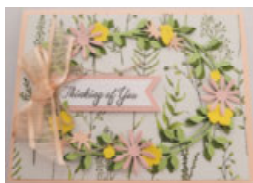
(2 Easter & 2 Thinking of You)

No experience necessary!

The *Thinking of You* cards have a choice of sayings you can stamp inside for: Happy Birthday, Thank You, Friendship, Get Well or Sympathy. The *Easter* cards: Peace Be Unto You, Wishing you Joy & Love this Easter, Celebrate His Love...or leave the inside blank for a note card. Decorative papers are reversible—you choose the design you want to use. Be creative! Limit of 15 people.

Sign-up forms are on the card class display in the Narthex. Please return your registration form and amount due to Katie in the Parish Office via the church drop box, collection basket or mail/drop it off at the Office.

Come join the fun!



Birthday Blessings to Carol Storck who celebrated her birthday on Friday, March 10 and to Fr. Tom and Terri Schiller who are celebrating their birthdays this Saturday, March 11.

May God bless all of you on your special days and thank you for all you do for our Parish!

Sister Eileen is Turning 97!

Sr. Eileen Marie Kalscheur (also known as Sr. Laurencia), former teacher and principal at Holy Trinity School from 1956 - 1970 will be turning 97 on March 24. In the past couple years after seeing the bulletin article about her birthday many parishioners and former students sent her a card and shared their school day memories and it made her day! She still talks fondly of how much it meant to receive all those cards and relive those special memories!

If you wish to send Sister a card you may send it to:

Sr. Eileen Kalscheur
2735 W. Greenfield Ave. #209
Milwaukee, WI 53215

CPR/Defibrillator Training

We never know when we will be called upon to help someone in need. Will you be prepared?

We will be having a CPR/Defibrillator training on our new AED Defibrillator on **Saturday, April 22, from 9AM—Noon** at the **Newburg Fire Station**.



All Staff members, Ushers, Servers, and interested parishioners are encouraged to join us for this training.

If you are interested or for more info please call the Office.

Church Spring Cleaning

We would like to do a thorough Spring Cleaning of the church before Holy Week. Other than the pew sanitizing our church has not been thoroughly cleaned in quite a while.



We will be in need of lots of volunteers to help with this project. Can you spare a few hours to help? Please sign-up in the Narthex or call the Parish Office if you are available.

Monday, March 29 Beginning at 9:00 AM

Supplies will be available but if you have a cordless vacuum (hand-held or upright), dusters (especially long handle ones), etc. that you are willing to share, it would be greatly appreciated! Please mark anything you bring with your name. We appreciate any amount of time you can share!

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