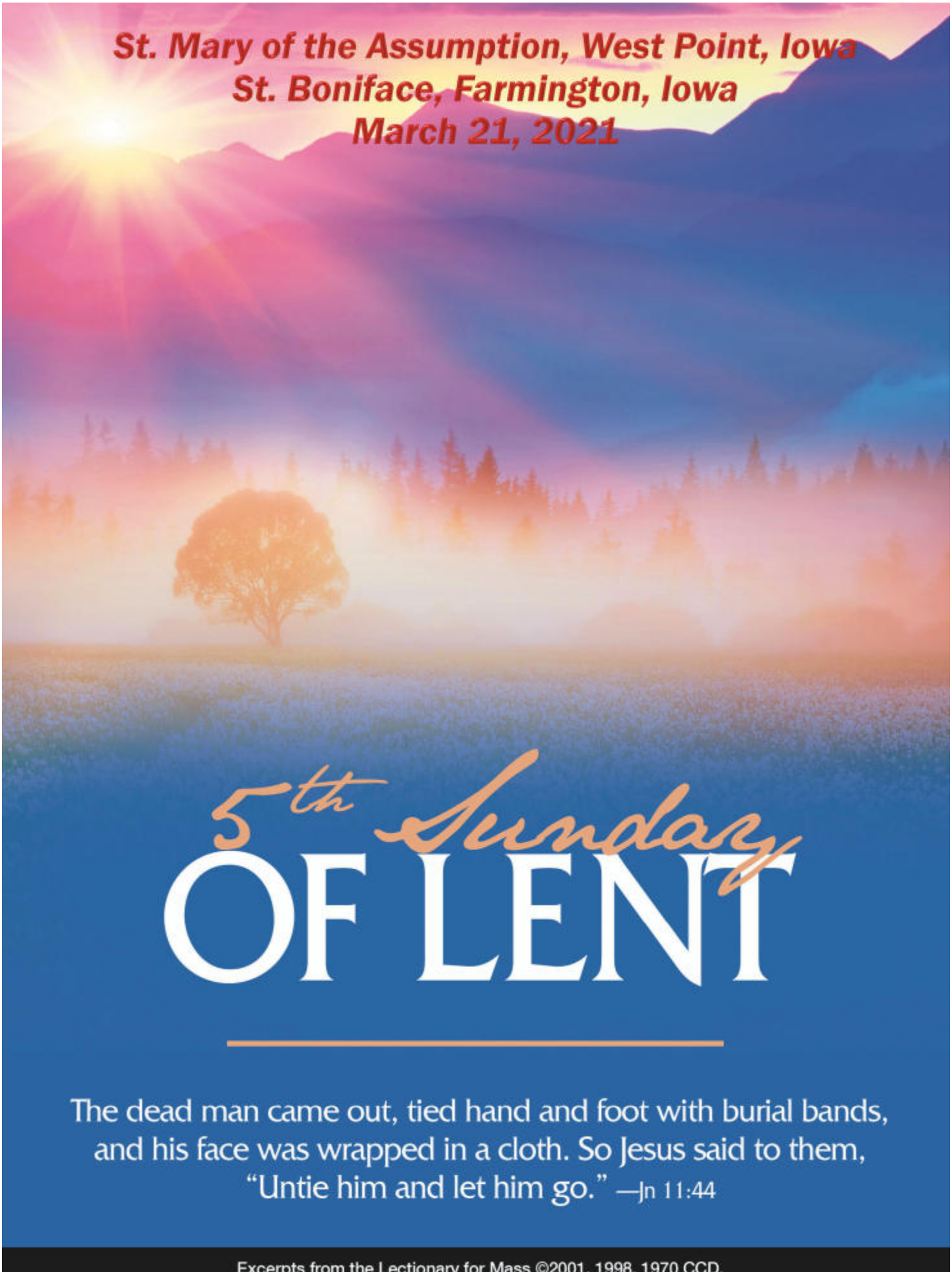

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The Chrism Mass will be celebrated at Sacred Heart Cathedral on Monday, March 29 at 1:30 p.m. Due to Covid-19 only a small number of priests will be attending and is closed to the public. Parishioners are invited and encouraged to participate by attending livestream at https://tinyurl.com/58dc8npe.
A worship aid may be found at https://www.davenportdiocese.org/liturgy-events.
The Chrism Mass is an annual liturgy in which the priests renew their commitment to priestly service and the Bishop consecrates/blesses the sacred oils used in the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Anointing of the Sick and Holy Orders.

Please go to the Mass & Devotions page of westpointstmary.org to sign up if you would like to attend Easter Masses.

If you wish to donate **flowers for the Easter altar** at St. Mary's please call Speer's Farm Finds & Gift Boutique at (319) 837-8107or Hy-Vee at (319) 372– 5841. All flowers need to be in the O-Center the morning of Saturday, April 3rd @ 9:00 am.

If you wish to donate a mum or Easter lily for St. Boniface please contact Rita Wenke, or deposit your envelop in the collection by April 28th.

Holy Week Mass Times

Palm Sunday	March 27th March 28th	5:30 pm 8:00 am 10:30 am	St. Mary's St. Mary's St. Boniface
Holy Thursday	April 1st	5:30 pm 7:30 pm	St. Mary's St. Boniface
Good Friday - A Strict Day of Fasting and Abstinence	April 2nd (Parish Office Closed)	3:00 pm 5:30 pm	St. Mary's St. Boniface
Easter Vigil	April 3rd	8:30 pm	St. Mary's
Easter Sunday	April 4th	8:00 am 10:30 am	St. Mary's St. Boniface

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IN VIA Youth Ministry

Over the past couple months the youth have been using their creativity to come up with a name for the youth ministry of St. Mary's, St. James, St. John's and St. Boniface. A vote was taken at youth group, and the name IN VIA won the most votes which means, "The Way" in Latin. The name is based on Jesus' words in John 14:6, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

Now, we will work to create a logo. If you are in 6th-12th grade and have an idea for the logo please contact Nathan @ 319-669-9075.

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Chips, salsa, condiments (catsup, mustard, etc.), powdered milk, juice boxes, (no carbonated beverages), powdered or canned milk, Spaghetti O's, canned tuna; please do not be afraid to use your imagination because if you like it, someone else probably does too.

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Parish Prayer Lines
St. Mary…….Eleanor Menke @(319) 837-6895
St. Boniface……(319) 835-5520/592-3238

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like Father offer a Mass for a friend or member of your family please contact the parish office 319-837-6808 or westpointstmary@diodav.org

Tuesday, March 23	Parishioners
Wednesday, March 24	HTC Mass
Thursday, March 25	Kurt Menke
Friday, March 26	Parishioners
Saturday, March 27	Robert Mehmert
Sunday, March 28	Dick & Rita Harmeyer
	Parishioners

March 22	HTC School Board 7pm
March 23	End of Month Meals
March 26	HTC Stations of the Cross @ 12:45pm
	Stations of the Cross @ 6pm

Readings for the week of March 21, 2021

Sunday:	Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 [12a]/ Heb 5:7- 9/Jn 12:20-33 or Ez 37:12-14/ Rom 8:8-11/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [7]/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45
Monday:	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/ Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [4ab]/ Jn 8:1-11
Tuesday:	Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21 [2]/Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday:	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/Jn 8:31-42
Thursday:	Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8, 8-9, 10, 11 [8a, 9a]/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Friday:	Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7 [cf. 7]/ Jn 10:31-42
Saturday:	Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13 [cf. 10d]/Jn 11:45-56
Next Sunday:	Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 [2a]/ Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1—15:47 or 15:1-39

Observances for the week of March 21, 2021

Sunday:	5th Sunday of Lent
Tuesday:	St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop
Thursday:	The Annunciation of the Lord
Next Sunday:	Palm Sunday, the Passion of the Lord; Holy Week begins

St. Mary Collection for March 13th & 14th

Adults	$ 1772.50
Offertory	$ 43.00
Catholic Relief Service (CRS)	$ 50.00
Catholic Messenger	$ 78.00
HTC	$ 580.00
# of Envelopes	45

St. Boniface Collection for March 14th

Adults	$ 1003.00
Offertory	$ 70.00
Catholic Messenger	$ 29.00
Catholic Relief Services (CRS)	$ 180.00
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