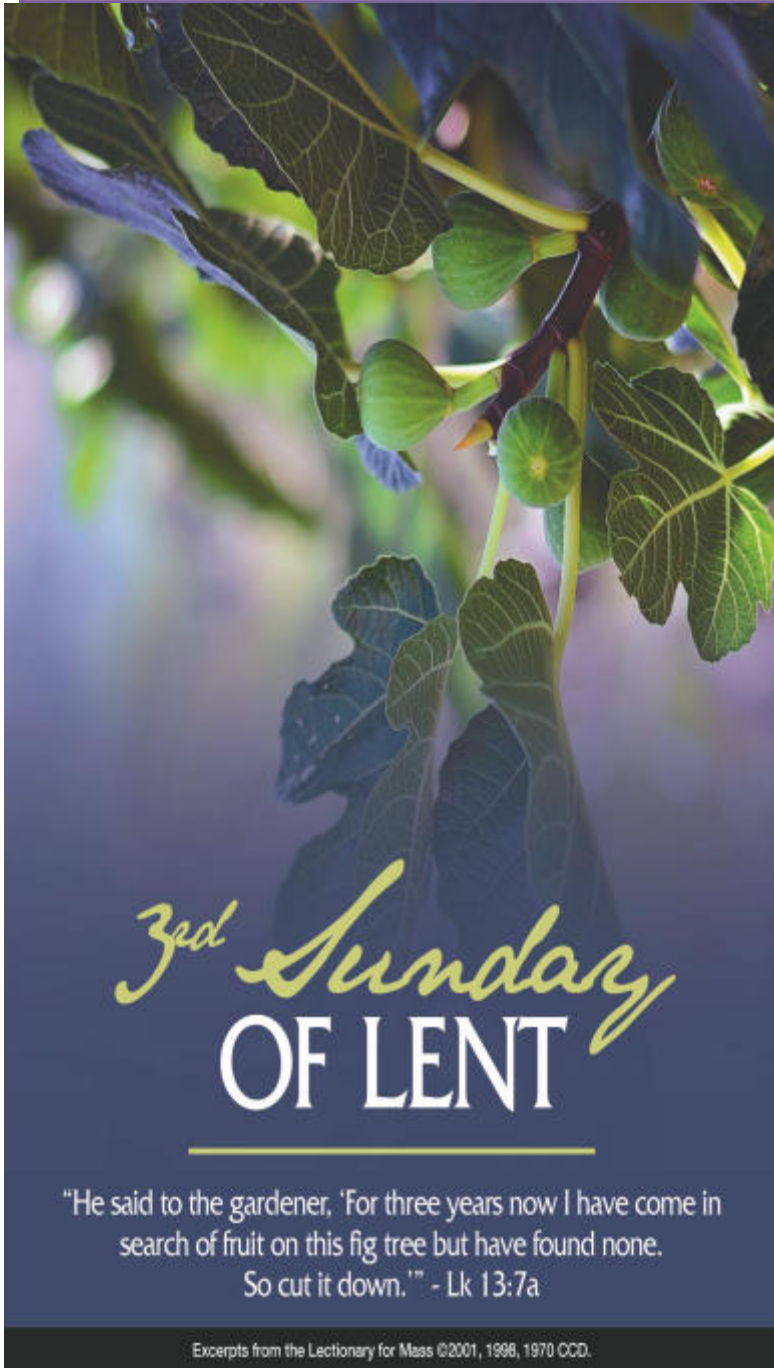




St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center

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3rd Sunday of Lent • March 24, 2019



NOTES FROM FR. JOE

- Lenten Bible Study continues EVERY TUESDAY, Noon-2pm, Swoboda Deaf Center, 7050 W. Addison. Voice/sign. Bring your lunch. Coffee/tea/cold drinks provided.
- WED, March 25-27: Fr. Joe Mulcrone will give a Lenten "MISSION" at St. Francis Borgia parish, 7-8pm each night. INTERPRETED. Topic: "Jesus Heals us – Body, Emotions, Soul – in St. Luke's Gospel." Tues night: ANOINTING OF THE SICK with Holy Oil. Saved seating for the deaf. Come. You will learn a lot about Jesus and His love.
- FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 5PM: St. Mary of Vernon FISH FRY (Rt. 45, Indian Creek). Great food every year!. "DEAF NIGHT" (special seating for deaf people and their families.) Everyone is welcome.
- SUN, MARCH 31, 2-3:30PM: THE HEALING POWER OF PSALMS. This is a very special workshop. Learn how God's Word can help to heal our souls! Temple BENE Shalom, 4435 W. Oakton, Skokie. ASL interpreted. Refreshments. INFO: info@hebrewseminary.org or 847-679-4113.
- See LAUREN RIDLOFF, JUNE 27-29, 2019: Deaf Women of Color Conference. INFO: www.deafwomenofcolor.org.
- Sat, Apr 13, 9:30 to 11:30 am: FR. CHRIS KLUSMAN at St. Francis Borgia for Confessions. Then, join him for a film at Ridge Theatre, 5200 S Moorland Rd, New Berlin, WI at 1 pm! WHERE THERE IS DARKNESS, about our beloved Fr. Rene Robert who was murdered in 2016. INFO: <http://wherethereisdarkness.com/film/>

If you know of a Deaf person in the hospital or nursing home who would like to see Fr. Joe, please contact Catholic Office of the Deaf at 312-957-4766 vp, 312-534-7899 v, or cathdeafch@archchicago.org.

CHILDREN OF PEACE SCHOOL (Holy Trinity Deaf program), 1900 W. Taylor, CHGO is one of the best schools in the entire city of Chicago!!! A very 21st century science lab; great music program; teachers who are skilled in sign-language. Children of Peace School is accepting new students, both Deaf and hearing! Scholarships available!

EVENTS COMING UP

- ♦ Mon, Mar 18: Game Day at Swoboda Deaf Center. 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. \$2/person entry. Bring your own lunch.
- ♦ SUN, Mar 24, 9am-2pm: DAY OF REFLECTION (lunch included) with FR. CHRIS KLUSMAN, St. Mathias, 9306 W. Beloit Rd, Milwaukee, WI. INFO: www.facebook.com/dhhmo
- ♦ FRI, MARCH 29, 5PM: Annual DEAF FISH-FRY DINNER, St. Mary of Vernon parish, Rte. 45, Indian Creek. Great food; special seating reserved for the deaf community.
- ♦ Sat, Apr 6: DEAF EXPO at Harper College Palatine. 9 am to 5 pm. FREE. INFO: www.deafnation.com
- ♦ Sat, April 6: 2 to 4:30 pm. ASL Game Day at Edgewater Library, 6000 N. Broadway, Chicago. All ages. FREE.
- ♦ JUNE 13-16, 2019: Deaf CURSILLO. Wonderful way to become a “leader” in the Catholic Church. This year, the Cursillo is in COLUMBIA, IL, not far from St. Louis. INFO: (618) 787-6993vp. (618) 709-2801 text. Scholarships available; see Fr. Joe. JUNE 13-16,2019: Deaf CURSILLO. Wonderful way to become a “leader” in the Catholic Church. This year, the Cursillo is in COLUMBIA, IL, not far from St. Louis. 1-618-787-6993vp. 618-709-2801text. Scholarships available; see Fr. Joe.

SUNDAY, MARCH 31: There will be a wonderful PASSION PLAY about Jesus death/Resurrection, 3:30pm, in the large church at St. Francis Borgia. The play is FREE. INTERPRETED. Seats will be saved for the deaf till 3:15pm.

We have many gloomy & icy days in spring. Roads are cold & slippery.

Remember: Keep your lights, front and back, clean.

Make sure you replace any burned out lights immediately.

Never text/read texts while driving.

Never use your cell phone while driving.

Always wear your seat belt...always.

Always use your turn signals when turning.

PLANNING SPRING BREAK? Looking for a deaf Mass? Catholic Office of the Deaf can help you find a Catholic interpreted Mass in the town you will visit.

If your loved one dies and you need a sign language interpreter for Catholic funeral, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE contact Catholic Office of the Deaf with info! cathdeafch@archchicago.org or (312) 534-7899 v or (312) 957-4766 VP

CHICAGO HEARING SOCIETY has openings for volunteers for the CONNECTIONS and ARMED programs, mentoring families & children who are Deaf, Deaf Blind, or Hard of Hearing. Contact Michelle at mmendiola@anixter.org for more info.

Message from Margaret Swatek, Religious Education Reporter

Family Customs & Traditions: Traditions create memories. Memories enrich our lives. Traditions also help us pass on valuable lessons to our children and to our children's children.

During Lent, we are called to conversion. One of the first steps we can take toward that conversion is to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation, the sacrament that blesses us with the healing grace of God's mercy. It is through God's gifts of mercy and forgiveness we are able to start anew.

While the sacrament of Reconciliation is only required for grievous sins, and Catholics should go to confession at least once a year, many families still consider it an essential part of their Lenten preparation for the coming celebration of Easter joy.

In preparing to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation, we take time to reflect on our thoughts, our words, our actions, and our failures to take action. So start with family members, and let the healing begin. "...and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us..."

The Lent-Easter Book, Joan Marie Arbogast

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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Thurs, Mar 28, 9am-2pm: Senior Citizen Social.

SUN, Mar 31: MASS, 10:30AM. Coffee & rolls.

LENT "JEOPARDY" GAME **before** Mass. GET YOUR TEAMS READY!!!!!!

3:30 PASSION PLAY about the suffering, death, and Resurrection of Jesus. Large church, St. Francis Borgia. FREE. Interpreted. Seats saved for the deaf till 3:15pm.

Tues, Apr 2: Bible Study.

Sun, Apr 7: Mass, 10:30am. CCE after Mass.

Sat, Apr 13, 9:30 to 11:30 am: FR. CHRIS KLUSMAN at St. Francis Borgia for Confessions. Then, join him for a film at Ridge Theatre, 5200 S Moorland Rd, New Berlin, WI at 1 pm! WHERE THERE IS DARKNESS, about our beloved Fr. Rene Robert who was murdered in 2016. INFO: wherethereisdarkness.com/film/

Readings for the Week of March 24, 2019

Sun Mar 24: Ex 3:1-15; Ps 103:1-11; 1 Cor 10:1-12; Lk 13:1-9

Mon Mar 25: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Tues Mar 26: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-9; Mt 18:21-35

Weds Mar 27: Dt 4:1-9; Ps 147:12-20; Mt 5:17-19

Thurs Mar 28: Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-9; Lk 11:14-23

Fri Mar 29: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6-17; Mk 12:28-34

Sat Mar 30: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21; Lk 18:9-14



ST. JULIE NEWS:

The next Mass at St. Julie Billiart will be 4pm on Sun, APRIL 14th. PALM SUNDAY. We will have Mass and Blessing of Palms. NO Mass, Easter Sunday.

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Mass Every Sunday 10:30am

At St. Francis Borgia Deaf Center

Mass at 4:00pm:

St. Julie Billiart: Aug 12; 2nd & 3rd Sundays
for Sept, Oct, Nov.

St. Mary of Vernon: 4th Sunday of every
month

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Genevieve Balsitis

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Claudia Glenn

Esther Stolarski

Caroline Goraj

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Arlene Redmond

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