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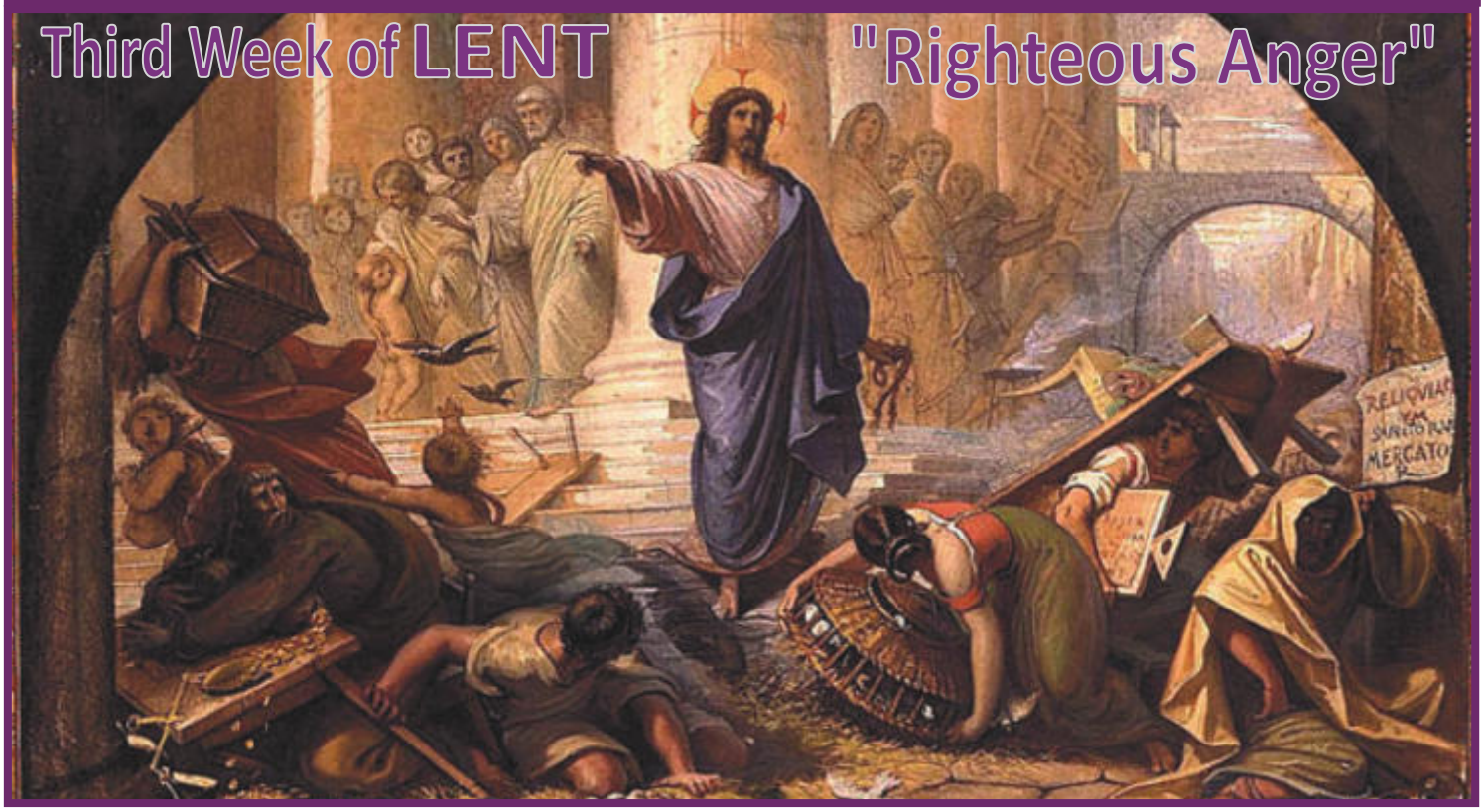

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evenings at 4:00 pm
Sunday Mornings at 9:30 am
Daily Mass: Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:30 am

"Serving the people of God in the Fifth Ward"

WELCOME
If you are new to the area, we welcome you to join our Parish Family. Please introduce yourself after Mass and register in the Parish. We want to know you and serve you.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
Baptisms will be conducted individually until we are back to normal.
(contact Fr. Kris to make an inquiry)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Confessions are Saturdays' at St. Mary's from 8:00 a.m. or at either church by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY
Please call the office at least one year in advance. Visit our website for full details.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK
Please notify us when a parishioner is home-bound or hospitalized and would like Holy Communion or the Anointing of the Sick.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS
If you would like to serve God and his people and the Church, please call our Office of Vocations at 401-831-8011.

BIRTHRIGHT COUNSELING
1-800-550-4900
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We are a stewardship Parish
Sharing Time, Talent and Treasure.

SANCTUARY LAMP MEMORIALS

This week the Sanctuary Lamp will burn for:

Faith, Hope and Charity

Please remember this in your prayers.

God hears our heart

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MAR 8 — MAR 14

Monday: †Annie Hall
Tuesday: †Sr. Marion Cumiskey
Wednesday: †Robert Corcoran
Friday: †Fr. Julian Stead

Saturday: †Alfred Smialek
Sunday: †Kevin Rapoza

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

MARCH 6 & MARCH 7

Lectors:
4:00 p.m. Mary Ellen Atkins, Mary Hayes
9:30 a.m. Mary Sheehan Weaver

Eucharistic Ministers:
4:00 p.m. Joan Chapdelaine, Karen O'Brien
9:30 a.m. Felicidad Zebellos, Damien O'Brien
Kevin Weaver

MARCH 13 & MARCH 14

Lectors:
4:00 p.m. Brigid Rubin, Dave Galvin
9:30 a.m. Karen Doyle, Terrie Welford

Eucharistic Ministers:
4:00 p.m. Elizabeth Buckley, Nancy Finn
Joan Chapdelaine
9:30 a.m. Lisa Hurd, Buck Hurd
Felicidad Zebellos

ONLINE GIVING OR SENDING YOUR DONATION

If you are still unsure about attending Mass, you may send in your budget envelopes **to St. Augustin's Church P.O. Box 357, Newport, RI.** You only need to send one envelope to represent all the regular weekly collections. It is easier for the counters if you write separate checks for any special collections and the Monthly Maintenance.

PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING.
You can find instructions on our website.

FATHER KRIS' KORNER

Anger is a serious issue these days especially with all the stresses we face on a daily basis. On January 6th, a day that will go down in infamy as angry citizens attacked the U.S. Capitol Building. The mob was so enraged that it spontaneously became violent. I'm sure in some people's hearts they were doing the right thing in acting out a perceived injustice and perhaps some hadn't really thought of the consequences of their actions. We also know some had made military-type plans to do as much damage as possible. Those roughly three hours will change our country forever. Quick violent outbursts often have long lasting effects, especially when they are directed at our loved ones. Have you ever lost your temper? In today's gospel, Jesus flies into a rage when He sees that the temple area has become nothing more than a marketplace. Sellers were making a profit and perhaps even cheating people during transactions. "How dare they turn my Father's house into a marketplace!" Jesus acted in "Righteous Anger" flowing from his love for his Father and his respect for the sacredness of the temple. It may seem as though He simply flipped out but He was very much in control and his words and actions were a call to repentance; not a punishment. Jesus' actions were not sinful and we must never use Jesus' actions in the temple to justify our own temper outbursts. Anger is a natural human emotion especially when we witness an injustice; it is actually our duty to get angry and fight for justice. However, other than in defense, we must be careful never to rationalize harming another person physically or emotionally; we aren't perfect – we aren't Jesus. Are you in control of your anger? Do you make excuses when you inflict physical or verbal abuse? Do you blame it on alcohol or stress, or do you blame others for your own outbursts? During this season of Lent, let us focus on our own anger issues. How do you handle your anger? Do you have control of your tongue and fists? Do you try to calm down as quickly as possible? Do you seek forgiveness once you calm down? Lastly, when have you been angered by an injustice which then led you to do something positive in righteous anger; after all, that's the real message of today's Gospel.

IN THE EVENT OF A SNOW STORM

CANCELLATION OF DAILY MASS POLICY:

We will not have 7:30AM weekday Masses
when Newport Schools are CLOSED or DELAYED
or during an active storm
or when the sidewalks and streets
are icy from a very recent storm.
We will post cancellations on the
local news channels and on our website!

RICE BOWLS AND LENTEN MEDITATION BOOKS

OPERATION RICE BOWL continues to be part of the Catholic Experience during Lent. Please set aside some pocket change each day and fill your Rice Bowl for those who go hungry on a daily basis.

LENTEN MEDITATION BOOKS are available at the entrance of the church. We urge all households to make the most of this season of Lent so as to truly appreciate Christ's sacrifice and resurrection.

CONFESSIONS SATURDAY MORNINGS

Lent is the season for looking inward and striving for self-improvement in preparation for Easter. Confessions will be heard Saturday mornings 8:00AM—8:30AM in the breezeway at St. Mary's where it is very safe and private. Note: No Communal Penance Services this Lenten Season.

SUGGESTIONS FOR A SUCCESSFUL AND HOLY LENT

Jesus gave us the basic ingredients for a successful Lent: **Prayer, Fasting and Giving to Charity**. How are you incorporating these into your Lenten practices this year?

PRAYER TO CALM MY ANGER

Loving and Patient God, bring peace to my mind and my heart as I feel angry at the situation I am in. May I take hold of your promise that you will never leave me nor forsake me. In whatever circumstances I face that produce anger in my heart, remind me that you have not left my side and you never will. When you are with me I can trust you to fight my battles, I do not need to allow anger to take control. Give me your peace Father, may it rule over my life. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

500,000 LIVES LOST

On this one year anniversary of the beginning of the pandemic, please remember and pray for those who lost their lives, for their family and friends who mourn, for those who are enraged when others do not take the warnings seriously and risk the wellbeing of others, for those who risk their own health and the health of their loved ones as they serve the needs of others, and for those who have been traumatized by the suffering that the pandemic has caused.

Let us Pray to the Lord !!!

CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL 2021

Just a reminder that Catholic Charity is about to begin for the **2021 season**. Our parish goal is to obtain 100% participation. This goal can only be reached with your sacrificial help and support. All gifts, regardless of size, help to make a difference in the lives of so many individuals.
Please make checks payable to **CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL**

If you have received something in the mail you can return it directly to the diocese

to ensure that credit is given to St. Augustin's, Please write **"St. Augustin's Newport # 19" on the check**

Please consider giving online at

dioceseofprovidence.org/cca

- it is the safest and easiest option -

Our collection last year was considerably below our goal - but that was during the height and the fear of the pandemic. If you are able this year, please be as generous as possible.

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