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### **Offertory Collection**

March 5th & 6th, 2022 \$6,008.16



Handicapped entrance located on Russell Street.

### **MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

MONDAY, March 14th

7:00 am Steve Sandberg

by Fred & Susie Ahl

TUESDAY, March 15th

9:00 am In Honor of Martha Seleni

by Spicer family

WEDNESDAY, March 16th

7:00 am Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Zucco

by The Pellegrino family

THURSDAY, March 17th

7:00 pm Nick Suppa

by David & Theresa Gustafson

FRIDAY, March 18th

7:00 am Eugene Sanden

by Marge & Neil Himber

SATURDAY, March 19th

4:30 pm Barbara Rosenquist

by Patricia Zaffino

SUNDAY, March 20th

8:15 am Keith Waddell

by Amelia Shutey

11:00 am For the Living & Deceased

Members of

Holy Redeemer & St. Anthony

### **Sanctuary Light**

The Sanctuary Light is lit in memory of

Gary O'Hare

this week.

### **Prayer Line**

Please call Mona Champion at 968-3232, Barb Ciprich at 723-1894, or Kim Wynn at 706-6995 with your prayer requests.

### BAPTISM

Congratulations to the Colvin family!
Henry Frank Colvin, son of
Scott & Cassandra Colvin, was baptized on
March 6, 2022.

### **Happening This Week and Beyond**

March 15th—April 5th

Bible Basics for Catholics

Tuesdays at Holy Redeemer 2:00 pm-3:30 pm

March 10th

Confirmation at St. Joseph 7:00 pm

March 15th

Blood Bank Noon- 5:30 pm

March 15th, 22nd & 29th

Stations of the Cross at St. Anthony 7:00 pm

March 17th, 24th & 31st

Confessions 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Stations of the Cross

6:00 pm

March 22nd

St. Joseph Soup Kitchen 4:00 pm- 5:00 pm

Take Out Only

Desserts are welcome and appreciate

Pastoral Council Meeting HR 7:00 pm



Please remember **Margaret Kanai**, mother of Chris & Tom Grana of our parish, who passed away 02/08/21.

Please keep her and her family, and all our dearly departed in your prayers.



### **Lenten Fish Dinner**



Hosted by our Sheffield Knights of Columbus St. Paul Center 7222 Rte. 6 Sheffield

Pre Order: 814-968-5915

Fridays March 4th - April 15th 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm or until sold out

Deep fried haddock, French fries, coleslaw&

dinner roll \$12.00 each 50/50 drawing each week

**TAKEOUT ONLY - Curbside pick-up available** 

### FROM OUR PASTOR'S DESK

Harch 13, 2022
2nd Sunday of Lent

To My Spiritual Family of Holy Redeemer and St. Anthony,

Strengthen Our Hearts, Lord: God loves us and wishes us to spend eternity by his side. The Evil One hates us and longs for our souls to be forever in hell. The battle between good and evil is real and ongoing. We need strong and God-centered hearts to achieve the victory. During Lent, the conflict takes on a new urgency. We fight with the weapons of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. We choose self-denial for the love of God and for the love of our neighbor. Hopefully, we accept the Lord's invitation to turn away from sin. Thankfully, we are strengthened by God's unfathomable grace. Let's persevere in our Lenten disciplines. Let's cry out to God from the very depths of our hearts. And though trusting in his providence can seem so incredibly difficult, let's have faith in God's provision and his plan. We have his promise to the human race: God will never forsake us!

**Ukraine**: What a heartbreaking situation in Eastern Europe! Thank you for praying so earnestly for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine. Thank you for all the rosaries you have offered for peace. Thank you for the fasting you have dedicated to the people who are enduring this terrible war. Thank you for allowing your hearts to stand in solidarity with those who suffer the ravages of this conflict. God hears your prayers. He sees the plight of our world. Persevere. Do not lose hope.

Catholic Services Appeal: I want to give you an update on our CSA progress. As of this printing, we have received 161 pledges totaling \$105,790. That is incredible! We have already exceeded our goal! Thank you and God bless you for your generosity! And if you have been meaning to make a pledge and simply haven't gotten around to it, no worries. It's not too late. Just drop a pledge envelope in the basket at Mass or leave it with the office. Again, I am humbly grateful!

Deacon Ray's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination: We are so blessed in this parish to call Deacon Joe and Deacon Ray "our own!" Both of our deacons were among those ordained in the early years of the diocesan Permanent Deacon Program. Deacon Phil from St. Joseph was also ordained through this program, as was St. Joseph's current deacon, Deacon Larry. The selflessness and warmth of their ministry is so beautiful to witness. Next month, Deacon Ray will celebrate his 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination. Ray and Elaine Wiehagen, their daughter Greta, and their grandchildren will be the guests of honor at a reception to be held in the Holy Redeemer gym after the 4:30 pm Mass on Saturday, April 23. You are cordially invited to attend this celebration and there will be opportunities to RSVP made available. In his humble fashion, the good deacon asks that any gifts be directed not to him, but to the youth of our parish. We appreciate Deacon Ray's thoughtfulness and concern for our children and teens. This promises to be an exciting night for our parish. Deacon Ray and his family hope to see you there!

**St. Patrick's Day**: More than just an excuse for the wearing of the green or for the drinking of "the creature," St. Patrick's feast day is also the patronal feast of our diocese! Because it falls on Thursday this year, we will be able to celebrate the 7:00 pm evening Mass together. As per our Lenten custom, confessions and stations be offered as well on March 17. I hope you and your family can make time to be with us.

Mary, Mother of the Redeemer – Pray for us!

- St. Anthony Pray for us!
- St. Patrick-Pray for us!
- St. Joseph Pray for us!
- Fr. Steve

### Synergy Faith Formation News & Events

### **Upcoming Events**

### March 20

**EDGE** 

K-1st, 3rd & 4th, 7th & 8th

2nd grade on retreat 8:15 am Mass - noon

No 5th & 6th class or retreat

### March 26th

First Reconciliation at St. Joseph 10:00 am

### March 27

**EDGE** 

K-1st, 4th, 5th & 6th grades meet

No 2nd grade class

3rd grade on retreat 8:15am Mass- noon

No 7th-8th grade retreat or class

### **APRIL MOVIE MATINEE**

Join Jenn on Monday, April 4th at 2:00 pm for the movie *Bernadette*, at Holy Redeemer in the old library. Refreshment will be served.

### **Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments**

Pledge to Heal: The Diocese of Erie remains committed to helping victims/survivors of clergy sexual abuse heal and recover. We provide counseling assistance for individuals and family members of those who have been the victims of child sexual abuse. Counseling assistance can be obtained by contacting Dr. Gerard Tobin, our Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 814-451-1521.

The diocese encourages anyone who has experienced abuse or misconduct by a member of the clergy or any employee or volunteer of the church to contact their local law enforcement. To report abuse to the independent investigators retained by the diocese, email <a href="mailto:ErieRCD@KLGates.com">ErieRCD@KLGates.com</a>. Victims/survivors or concerned individuals can report abuse directly to the diocese by calling 814-451-1543.

# LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS April 8th at 7:00 pm HOLY REDEEMER CHURCH Grilled Cheese and Tomato Soup served from 5:30-6:40 pm in the gymnasium



Volunteers needed for kitchen help
4:30 pm- 7:00 pm for the soup and sandwich meal.
Please contact Jenn at
jenniferwortman7400@gmail.com

## St. Joseph Table

St. Joseph Church is hosting a St. Joseph Table on March 19th after the 5:30 Mass in the gym. Please come and enjoy an evening of fellowship, pizza, pasta, salad dessert and beverages as we honor St. Joseph, patron of the Universal Church. Cost is a donation. Sign up by Wednesday in the gathering space or call St. Joe's office at 723-2090. It is also tradition to donate to a charity. This year's charity is the Woman's Care Center of Warren. We will collect diapers, wipes, new baby clothes, or money. Hope to see you there!

## ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL SPRING CASH RAFFLE

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St. Joseph Catholic School Spring Cash Raffle is underway! We will have 300 tickets to sell for the grand prizes of \$10,000, \$2,000, \$1000, and \$500. Ten weekly drawings for \$150 will begin April 4th and conclude June 10th. Tickets are \$100 and available through any school family or stop in the St. Joseph Church office to get one. Thank you for your support of Catholic education.

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ext. 17

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

St. Joseph (Pre K - Grade 6) 814-723-2030

**MASS SCHEDULE** 

**WEEKEND** 

Saturday Evening 4:30 PM (Holy Redeemer) Sunday 8:15 AM (Holy Redeemer) Sunday 11:00 AM (St. Anthony)

WEEKDAY

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 7:00 AM (Holy Redeemer)
Tuesday 9:00 AM (St. Anthony)
Thursday 7:00 PM (Holy Redeemer)

**HOLY DAY** 

Evening Before Holy Day 5:00 PM (St. Anthony)
Evening Before Holy Day 7:00 PM (Holy Redeemer)
Holy Day 7:00 AM (Holy Redeemer)
Holy Day 9:05 AM & 5:30 PM (St. Joseph)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 11:00 AM-12:00 PM (Holy Redeemer)
Thursday 5:30 PM-6:30 PM (Holy Redeemer)
Friday: 6:30 AM-6:55 AM (Holy Redeemer)

Or on request.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

After the 7:00 AM Mass -12:00 PM

FIRST SATURDAY ADORATION

After the 7:30 AM Mass -12:15 PM

**BAPTISMS:** Upon request:

Pre-baptismal instruction is provided.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements should be made at least

six months in advance.

**VISITS/SACRAMENTS TO THE SICK:** Notify us if anyone is in the hospital, ill at home or unable to attend Mass.

**BULLETIN ITEMS:** Must be to the office by the end of business two Fridays prior to publication.

### STAFF

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM-12:30 PM & 1:30 PM-4:00 PM Friday 8:30 AM-12:30 PM

## SAINT PATRICK'S DAY



### **Family Perspective**

Jesus "went up the mountain to pray" and he was "changed." Prayer has the power to change us. This Lent set aside a few minutes each day to pray for members of your family. Pray before each meal and if you are married, spend five minutes in prayer together.

### **Marriage Moment**

Society and churches run on both money and volunteers. Generosity is a virtue but it's possible to become a "good cause widow(er)." Are you spending enough, or too much time, volunteering? Your answer will come from the mouth of your beloved. Consider joint volunteer projects.





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