READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday Daniel 9:4b-10; Gospel: Luke 6:36-38

Tuesday Isaiah 1:10, 16-20; Gospel: Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday 2 Samuel 74-5a,12-14a,16:1-10; Romans 4:13, 16-8,22

Gospel: Mt. 1:16,18-21,24a

Thursday Jeremiah 17:5-10; Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a,17b-28a; Gospel: Mt 21:33-43,45-46 Friday

Micah 7:14-15,18-20; Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11-32 Saturday

Sunday Exodus 17:3-7; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8;

Gospel: John 4:5-15, 19b- 26, 39a, 40-42

Pierogi Sale - Fundraiser at St. John Church

St. John Church in Tidioute, PA is selling frozen pierogi every Saturday from March 8 through April 12 from noon until 2:00 p.m. in the Church center. Please call Diane at 814-759-1125 by Thursday to preorder. Walk-ins are also welcome. Cost is \$13 per dozen or \$7.00 per half dozen.

RECONCILIATION RETREAT Our second graders are on retreat March 23rd preparing for the most awesome sacrament of Reconciliation. Please keep them in your prayers as they ready themselves to receive God's incredible gift of mercy in the confessional for the first time. First Reconciliation is April 5th at Holy Redeemer this year.

OCIA Last weekend we sent Miranda Maliszka to the Bishop for the Rite of Election. Miranda will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in the weeks to come. May God's gifts shower down on her and as she navigates the joys and challenges of this world, may she always choose God as her first foundation.

Come Holy Spirit!

THIS WEEK THE SANCTUARY CANDLES ARE IN MEMORY OF Donald Pancoast By Pat Bailey and Family

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LITURGICAL MINISTRY

Lector **EMHC, Altar Servers Greeters Usher, DOG Ministry**

March 22nd

5:30pm Lucy Harrison EMHC -Andrea Kiehl.

Kathleen Jones , Patty Lobdell*

Altar Servers—Trent Alexander, Adam Strandberg

Greeters—Stephanie Wilson, Patty Lobdell

March 23rd

8:00am Sue Huron EHMC -Sandy Mineweaser,

(St Luke) Mary Donahue

Usher—Dave Lang

10:45am Denise Pusateri

EHMC—Deanna & Russ Beyer

Pat Bailey

Altar Servers—Joe Fanelli, Hudson Snell,

Owen Baldensperger

Greeters—Claire Fanelli, Sharon Persing DOG - Disciples of God Ministry-Susan

*Homebound Holy Communion

One of the greatest gifts you can give is your time. Volunteer today! We are so grateful for all our volunteers!

Thursday Rosary - Each Thursday during Lent we will offer our rosary for a special intention. This Thursday our intention is in for the sanctity of life in our world. Please join us at 3:30pm in the church.

<u>Catholic Services Appeal (CSA):</u> Thank to everyone who has made a pledge to this year's CSA. Your gifts have been wonderful and we are grateful! The CSA reminds us that we are all one doing the work of the Catholic Church. St. Joseph's goal this year is \$61,582. Any money raised beyond this will remain at our parish. Our project this year is to update the heating and cooling systems in the 4 classrooms off the gymnasium. These original units are at the end of life. Please prayerfully consider a gift to the Catholic Services Appeal.

We are, One Faith, One Family.

Saint Joseph Soup Kitchen Ministry

Home cooked take out dinners are served each Tuesday from 4-5pm for the Warren Community.

> **Helping Hands Ministry Food Items Needed** Saint Joseph Church — March

Cereal -Fruit Loops, Lucky Charms, Frosted Flakes, Chex

Saint Luke Church—March Peanut Butter, Jelly, Coffee, Juice, Flour, Sugar

Items will be taken to Warren Salvation Army and the Youngsville Food Pantry

LITURGY INTENTIONS

Sunday, 3/16 Second Sunday of Lent

(St Luke) For the People of St Luke & St Joseph Churches

(St. Joseph) Mary & Bino Corriero by Niece

Monday, 3/17 St Patrick, Bishop

Patrick Hartnett by Chris

Tuesday, 3/18 St Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

Ann McAvoy by Walking with Purpose Bible Study

Wednesday, 3/19 St Joseph, Spouse of Blessed Virgin Mary

Carl Luppino by Catherine Ditz

5:00pm People of St Luke and St Joseph

Thursday, 3/20 Lenten Weekday

Mary Taylor by Wortman Family

Warren Manor Francis M & Mary A Russo by Family

Friday, 3/21 Lenten Weekday

Luisa & Pietro Bevacqua by Carmen

Saturday, 3/22 Lenten Weekday

Joe & Helen Castagnino by Joe & Loni

Sunday, 3/23 Third Sunday of Lent

(St Luke) Denise Dorrion by Jim & Mary Beth Riggle (St. Joseph) For the People of St Luke & St Joseph Churches

MASSES & EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 16

Monday, March 17

8:00am Mass at St Luke 10:45am Mass at St. Joseph

DOG (Disciples of God)

No School St Patrick's Day

9:00am Daily Mass

Tuesday, March 18

9:00am Daily Mass

4-5pm Soup Kitchen Take Out Dinners 6:00pm Table Talk at Holy Redeemer

6:30pm Holden Evening Prayer (Trinity Episcopal)

Wednesday, March 19

9:05am SJCS School Mass5:00pm Feast of St Joseph Mass

St Joseph Table will follow Mass in the Gym

Thursday, March 20

9:00am Daily Mass

2:00pm Mass at Warren Manor

3:30pm Rosary

6:00pm Girl Scout Meeting (Meyer Hall)

Friday, March 21

9:00am Daily Mass

6:00pm Stations of the Cross & Confessions

Saturday, March 22

4:30-5:15pm Confessions at St Joseph Church

5:30pm Mass

Sunday, March 23 8:00am Mass at St Luke

> 8:15-Noon Second Gr Retreat at Holy Redeemer 9:15-10:30 EDGE Faith Formation at Holy Redeemer

10:45am Mass at St. Joseph

DOG (Disciples of God) Ministry

Noon -3pm SJCS Spaghetti Dinner

<u>SJCS Annual Spring Flower Sale</u> has begun! The order forms are at the doors of the church or in the parish office. All orders and money are due by March 28th!

PARISH NEWS

ST. JOSEPH LENTEN MISSION What a wonderful mission we had! Thank you to Fr. Ian McElrath for leading our mission and renewing our hearts and leading us closer to our Lord this Lent. A special thank you to our cookie makers, our hospitality team, and to Lisa, Julie and Jenn for preparing dinners for our priests. Also a HUGE thank you to Fr. Mark O'Hern, Fr. Edward Walk, and Fr. Rick for celebrating the sacrament of reconciliation. May you see the fruits from your presence this Lent, and continue your journey as a pilgrim of HOPE.

St. Joseph Table- The Feast of St. Joseph is this Wednesday, March 19. Mass will be celebrated at 5pm, and dinner to follow. On Monday March 17 we are making the lasagna and meatballs. We could use a few more people to help roll meatballs. Wednesday, March 19 we are looking for helpers to cook, set up, or clean up. Please call the parish office if you would like to help or if you have any questions.

LENTEN CONCERT: On March 30 at 4pm, Nathaniel, Anna & Joseph will return to St. Joseph Church. This very talented trio from Titusville, will once again grace our church with beautiful music for an afternoon of Lenten reflection.

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS Applications for the St. Joseph Parish Youth Scholarship for high school seniors are available in the parish office. To be eligible for the scholarship you must have received the sacrament of Confirmation, be an active member of the parish, and furthering your education at college, trade school, or other educational institutions. Deadline to apply is April 25, 2025.

SJCS Annual Spaghetti Dinner is Sunday, March 23rd from noon until 3pm. Dine in or take out dinners will be available. Cost is \$12. Tickets are available in the parish office.

Bus Trip May 6-7 to the Amazing Live Production of NOAH at the Sight & Sound Theatre in Lancaster, PA. We will also visit three Year of Hope Pilgrimage sites on the way. Sign up at synergyff@outlook.com and secure your spot with a \$100.deposit. Checks payable to Holy Redeemer. Flyers are at the doors of the Church.

MOVIE MATINEE Join Jennifer on Monday, April 7th at 2:00 pm at Holy Redeemer for 47 DAYS WITH JESUS. This part drama, part musical movie brings the Easter story to life and reminds us of the Gospel's enduring impact. A disconnected family finds hope and unity in the cinematic retelling of Jesus' final 47 days on earth. The story weaves through Christ's Passion as it simultaneously tells the story of a family fighting its own way of the cross. Popcorn and drinks served. Bring a friend!