# Sunday Feb 23- Quinquagesima-3rd Sunday of Pre-Lent

9am Mass – Adolph & Helen Kasperczyk (birthday) of. by John & Eileen Kasperczyk & family

11am – open intention

Readings: Leviticus 19:1-2,17-18, 1Corinth 3:16-23, Matthew 5:38-48

#### Lector – Bob Samelson Greeters – Jeanette Chambers & Barb Bogzevitz Collectors – Bob Samelson & Gene Stepanik

- SOCL & Coffee Hour take place after 9am Holy Mass
- Deacon Jim is serving at St. Mary's in South Bend, IN today
- 3pm Bowling at Red Circle

# The Week Ahead

## MONDAY, February 24th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day – St. Matthias, Apostle 6:30pm – Choir Rehearsal

#### TUESDAY, February 25th

7-9am, 4:30-7pm – Paczki Pick-up 5-7pm – Holy Hotcakes Dinner – see announcement

#### WEDNESDAY, February 26th - Ash Wednesday

Noon – Litany of the Passion & Blessing/Distribution of Ashes 7pm – Holy Mass & Blessing/Distribution of Ashes

#### THURSDAY, February 27th

6pm – Women's AA Meets

#### FRIDAY, February 28th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day 6pm – Polish School meets 6pm–Stations of the Cross & Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament

### SATURDAY, February 29th

8pm – Parma Saturday meets

### SUNDAY, March 1st – The First Sunday of Lent

9am Mass – open intention 11am – open intention Readings: Genesis 2:7-9, 3:1-7, Romans 5:12-19, Matthew 4:1-11 Lector – Jo Ann Long Greeters – Gail Perz & Claire Hunek Collectors – John Kobalka & Pete O'Connor SOCL & Coffee Hour take place after 9am Holy Mass

## Announcements

**EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**- Today, we use the 5<sup>th</sup> Eucharistic Prayer that begins on pg. 92. Next week, and for the entire month of March, we will use the Traditional-based Canon on pg. 77.

**PANCAKE DINNER** – All-You-Can-Eat Pancake and Sausage dinner takes place Fat Tuesday (Shrove Tuesday), Feb. 25 from 5-7pm. For \$8, you'll get a serving of pancakes (regular or potato), sausage, coffee/juice, with the option to repeat...again & again! For \$3, kids 12 and under get a half order. See posted flyers!

<u>ASH WEDNESDAY</u> – Services for Ash Wednesday, February 26 will take place at Noon (Litany) and 7pm (Holy Mass). Lenten Services will take place each Friday during Lent at 6pm, beginning February 28.

**LENTEN DINNERS** – The parish will be holding two dinners during Lent: on Friday, March 13, there will be a "Pierogi and More" Dinner from 5-7pm and on Friday, March 27, there will be a "Fish Dinner" that will include fried fish, shrimp, and more. Please mark your calendars and see Susan Boehnlein if you'd like to help with the March 13 dinner and George Ziefle if you'd like to help with the March 27 dinner.

<u>MISSION & EVANGELISM</u> – The national PNCC Mission and Evangelism Workshop takes place in our Seniorate at Resurrection Parish in Temperance, MI from Friday, March 27-Sunday, March 29. We hope some would consider attending – please see Fr. Jason or Barb Bogzevitz for info on what to expect at one of these workshops – flyers are posted on the bulletin board for more info.

## UPCOMING

Feb 25 – Pancake Dinner Feb 26 – Ash Wednesday Mar 7- Seniorate Lenten Retreat Mar 8- Clocks spring forward Mar 8 – PolishFest, etc. meeting Mar 11 – Next Bible Study Mar 13 – Pierogi & More Dinner Mar 27 – Lenten Fish Dinner Mar 27-29 – M & E Workshop Apr 17-18 – WD ANS Convention Apr 26- Ladies Tea Apr 30 – Bishop's Consecration May 29-31- Bowling Tourn.-Buffalo Jun 18-20- Men's Spiritual Retreat Jun 26-7- WD Concert/Convention **<u>PICK A NUMBER!</u>** – St. Mary's is running a "Pick a Number" Fundraiser once again, to be featured in the foyer as it was last year. The fundraiser will begin in March, and each number gives you the chance to win something, as well as doubling as a donation for the parish.

### TEXAS ROADHOUSE FUNDRAISER

Thank you to all who supported our restaurant fundraiser. Between the bake sale and 10% dining return, we made around \$650!

<u>LENTEN RETREAT</u> – The annual Northeastern Seniorate Lenten Retreat takes place Saturday, March 7 at Resurrection Parish in Temperance, MI. Transportation may be provided, leaving the church around 7:50am and returning around 4pm. There is no cost- let Fr. Jason know if you plan on attending.

**<u>GROUP TRIP</u>** – The parish is possibly interested in running a trip to see *Jesus Christ Superstar* at Playhouse Square. It runs from March 10-29, featuring some weeknights and weekend days as well as nights. To get a group rate, we'd need to have 10-15 people committed. Please let Fr. Jason know if this may be of interest to you so we can plan reservations.

# Prayer List

#### Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners, family and friends:

Barbara Baranowski Patti Dotson John Spilka Bill & Joan Kastak Marty Bengela Ralph & June Zaun Barb Bogzevitz Johanna Markiewicz Anna Dawidziuk Mary Ann Loschelder Bill & Pat Glatzer Tom Petrie Helen Budney Polly Gajda Len Pryer Tom Putynski Chester & Ann Warzala Louise Cygan Craig Atherton Millie Dominik Amy Dreger Jack Spilka Anthony Grad Elaine Repede Steve Wisniewski John Radon David Micka Keith Reynolds Wanda Clark Beth Chihill Helen Cummings Jane Hunter Paul S. Pam Chesar Jay Grabowsky Rose Petrosky Donna Kidd Emma Freshwater Jennifer Kmitt Laina Dachtal Nina Braquet Paulette Lilli Cherise Pacanovsky Bp. John Swantek Cecelia Hall Jeremy Steinbreck Chris Minch Ricky Koehler Cathy Pieciak Daniel Morgan Richard & Edna Samelson Bryson Dzuroff Wanda Heffner Jim Giles Linda Duffy Rich Dombrowski **Diane Black** Sylvia Kowalski John Michalczyk Dave Colwell Caroline O'Connor Sharon Seitz Linda Marks Marcus Vaughn Jr. Marilyn Girard Jennifer Kless John Clark Sr. Mary Cawley Stephanie Milla George & Linda Makovicka Shannon Alberino **Kim Penney** Julia Badarzynski Loretta Baldwin Kate Stallbaum Wendy Andrzejewski Carol Hreha Baby Layla Ewelina Filyushchenko Debbie Washenko **Baby** Parker ALL WHO ARE IN NURSING HOMES OR ASSISTED LIVING ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD Bless them, O Lord. Pobłogosław im, O Boże

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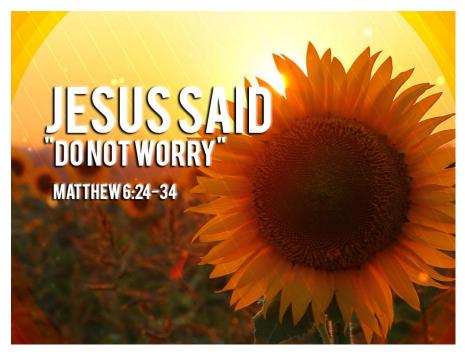
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# February 23, 2020

**WELCOME!** We welcome you to St. Mary's this beautiful winter morning. It is our ardent desire that you experience an encounter with Jesus Christ this morning, through the Catholic Sacraments. After Mass, please join us for a bite to eat and a cup of coffee. As Lent begins this week, many opportunities abound for worship and fellowship at our parish – we hope you will join us throughout this week as well.