

*Mass Intentions for the Week*



Monday, March 1

**10:00 AM** Mass at Christ, Prince of Peace  
**John & Harriet Easley +** (*Columbia Elli*)

Tuesday, March 2

**8:00 AM** Mass at St. Lawrence  
**Elizabeth Nickleach +** (*Pepper Family*)

Wednesday, March 3 *St. Katharine Drexel*

**9:00 AM** Mass at Christ, Prince of Peace  
**Patricia "Pat" Walleck-30 days +**  
(*Robert, David, Paul & Jean*)

Thursday, March 4 *St. Casimir*

**8:00 AM** Mass at St. Lawrence  
**Edward Morda +** (*Bill & Patty Feitknecht*)

Friday, March 5

**8:00 AM** Mass at Christ, Prince of Peace  
**Dorothy Winslow +** (*M/M Angelo Piersanti*)

**6:00 PM** Stations of the Cross @ St. Lawrence

**7:00 PM** Stations of the Cross @ Christ, Prince of Peace

Saturday, March 6

**9:00 AM** Confessions at Christ, Prince of Peace

**Third Sunday  
Of Lent**

**5:00 PM** Mass at Christ, Prince of Peace  
**Mary K. "Cassie" Hobaugh +** (*JoAnn Nickleach*)

Sunday, March 7

**9:00 AM** Mass at St. Lawrence  
**Nello Pisoni +** (*Dolly, Rose, & Nanci*)

**11:00 AM** Mass at Christ, Prince of Peace  
**Antoinette Falsetti +** (*Paul & Colleen Lobby*)

**7:00 PM** Mass at St. Lawrence  
**Mary Ann Righi +** (*Josie Greenawalt*)

**LENT 2010**

As a parish community we entered the season of Lent on Wednesday, February 17th. Through prayer, fasting and giving of alms to the poor, we strengthen our relationship with God and one another. Below are just a few ways we can make our growth in holiness happen.

**Prayer**

- Sunday Eucharist
- Praying Morning and Evening Prayer
- Stations of the Cross Fridays during Lent
- Confession on Saturdays at 9:00 AM
- Regional Penance services
- Daily Mass

**Fasting**

- Fast & Abstinence Good Friday
- Abstain from meat on Fridays during Lent
- Watch less TV

**Giving of Alms**

- Weekly offering
- Lenten envelopes

**Spiritual Reading**

- Biography of a saint
- A book by a saint

**Sacred Scripture**

- The Passion from one of the Gospels

**Fr. Bryan**

**MASS TIME CHANGE**

**On Monday, March 1, mass will be celebrated at 10:00 AM** and not at 8:00 AM as normally schedule. Fr. Bryan will be away on retreat next week and we will welcome a priest from St. Vincent Arch Abbey to celebrate next weekends masses.



**CHANGE OF CONFESSIONS**

On the first Saturday of **March, March 6th, Confessions will be heard at Christ, Prince of Peace at 9:00 AM** and not St. Lawrence. On the second Saturday of March, March 13th, Confessions will be heard at St. Lawrence. Confessions will be heard on March 20th & 27th at Christ, Prince of Peace.

**LENTEN REFLECTIONS—WHAT TO GIVE UP**

- Give up complaining.....focus on gratitude
- Give up pessimism.....become an optimist
- Give up harsh judgments..... ..think kindly thoughts
- Give up worry.....trust Divine Providence
- Give up discouragement.....be full of hope
- Give up hatred.....return good for evil
- Give up negativism.....be positive
- Give up anger.....be more patient
- Give up pettiness.....become mature
- Give up gloom.....enjoy the beauty around you
- Give up jealousy..... ..pray for trust
- Give up gossiping..... ..control your tongue
- Give up sin.....turn to virtue
- Give up giving up..... ..hang in there !



It's easy to get caught up in the routines of life—the normal, the mundane. Lent is a time to pause, refocus, and reflect on Jesus' 40 days in the wilderness and His journey to the cross. Easter is the celebration of Christ's resurrection from the dead. During Lent, we are reminded of an event that was carried out completely on our behalf. It was the crucifixion of Jesus Christ of Nazareth on a hill outside the city of Jerusalem. And with that ordeal, God's plan of salvation—as incomprehensible as it was to the human mind—was heading to completing when three days later He raised His Son from the dead. Lent helps us experience our part in the Passion of Jesus. We face our humanity during Lent: we learn that sin still dwells in us, that we still carry darkness. We learn that we, like His disciples, would likely have fallen asleep as Jesus prayed for deliverance in the garden, and, also, that we would likely have denied knowing him as he silently accepted his death sentence. Lent is a time of testing and examination that will enable us to grow in God's love and become more faithful disciples of Jesus Christ.



The Sanctuary Candle continues to burn in loving memory of *The Deceased Members of The Pepper Family*



I would like to thank the Christ, Prince of Peace Parish Council members for their efforts in organizing the Mardi Gras that brought over 100 parishioners and their friends to celebrate together.



**IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SOUL OF Herbert Varner**

May eternal rest be granted unto him and may perpetual light shine upon him.



*Readings for the Week of February 28*

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12,17-18/Phil 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1/Lk 9:28b

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10,16-20/Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Lk 16:19-31

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

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15,18-20/Lk 15:1-3,11-32

Next Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a,13-15/1 Cor 10:1-6,10-12/Lk 13:1-9

**Stewardship of Treasure**

	February 20 & 21	Year to Date
<b>Sunday Collection</b>		
<b>Needed Income</b>	\$7,429.54	\$249,604.36
<b>Actual Income</b>	\$6,871.50	\$204,540.67
<b>Over/Under +/-</b>	-\$558.04	-\$45,063.69
<b>Catholic Accent \$14.00</b>	<b>Children's Envelopes \$37.00</b>	<b>Votives \$138.46</b>

**MASSES FOR:**

*Patricia "Pat" Walleck* were received from Lynn Faith; Jack & Vi Baculik; John Thompson & Sons.

*Rose Solak* were received from Helen Zboran & Family; John & Cathy Rudosky; Marc Mantini; Ron Lerner & Family; Marlene Bowser; Rob & Angie Smith; Joe & Judy Nickleach; M/M Thomas Dinga, Sr.; Richard & Mary Ann Karabin; Loretta Hrabovsky; M/M J. Gary DeComo; Angie & Carol Zanetti; Ben & Janny Onofrey; M/M Tim Szymanski; Jeff & Tammy Mantini; Judy Peat & Trinetta Frerotte; Dan & Jamie Pschirer; Matt & Toni Tlalday; Jim & Cindy Solak.

**FORD CLIFF VOLUNTEER FIRE CO.**



is holding the Lenten Fish Dinner every Friday during Lent from 4-6:30. Adults-\$8.50 Kids-\$5.00. Dinners include baked or fried Icelandic cod fillets, potato or fries, mac & cheese or coleslaw, hushpuppies, roll & butter, drink & dessert ! Take outs are also available. Please support your local fire department.

**DIVINE REDEEMER SCHOOL** is accepting applications for the 2010-2011 school year in pre-school (3 yrs old) through grade 6.

\* After school care is available from 2:45-5:30 on school in session days. Children may arrive as early as 7:30 AM.

\* DRS offers an academic curriculum including Remedial instruction in Reading, Math, and Speech; and offers addition differentiation for those who excel.

\* Spanish, Gym, Music, art, Library, Computer Lat, and Instrumental lessons are offered each week.

\* Hot Lunch program allows eligible students to receive them free & reduced.

\* Students are bused from Yatesboro, Cowansville, Worthington, Leechburg, Freeport, Vandergrift, Kittanning, & Ford City.

\* Small Class size is a plus for many hands on activities as well as field trips and assemblies.

\* Parents enjoy the family atmosphere where Home to School communication is paramount.

Tuition assistance is available with a March 15 deadline. Please call the school at 724-763-3761 for more info.



**YOUTH DAY OF REFLECTION-Saturday, March 6, 2010, 9AM to 9PM - St. Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, Kittanning**

St. Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish and Youth Group are hosting "A Youth Day of Reflection" that is open to regional youth in grades 9-12. Activities will include speakers, games, prayer, small group discussion, and more. Lunch and Dinner will be provided and Mass will fulfill Sunday obligation. There is no charge for the event. Seminarian, Jacob Williamson, is the event leader. Advance registration is required and space is limited. Registration/consent forms are available on the church website [www.stmaryourladyofguadalupe.org](http://www.stmaryourladyofguadalupe.org). The forms can be returned to St. Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe, 101 West High Street, Kittanning, PA 16201. Check-in will begin at 8:30am at the Parish Hall. Please contact Linda Turco with questions at 724-543-6345 or [lturco@windstream.net](mailto:lturco@windstream.net).

**MARCH 6TH 5:00 PM**

**Altar Servers:** E Petro/T Retzer

**Cross Bearer:** CJ Cippel

**Eucharistic Minister:** K Weedn

**Lectors:** M Green/S Green

**Greeters:** S North/E Pechan

**Ushers:** C Green/P Green/R Green/S Panchik

**MARCH 7TH 11:00 AM**

**Altar Servers:** J Nimeroski/N Nuzzo

**Cross Bearer:** A Steighner

**Eucharistic Minister:** T Sedwick

**Lectors:** M King/R Taylor

**Greeters:** K & L Valasek

**Ushers:** P Lhote/A Lux/K Markilinski/M Nuzzo

**Counters:** L Koleck/J Volek/A Wolfe