

## Parish Information

**Regarding Communion:** If you believe in the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Sacrament and have been prepared for reception, you are invited to receive Holy Communion. Holy Communion is placed on the tongue. If you have any questions regarding Communion (or blessings), or would like to inquire about membership or envelopes, please ask Fr. John or call the rectory number listed on the front.

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***Please contact the rectory immediately for any emergencies, hospitalizations, sickness or death.*** Due to the new HIPAA laws, we have no way of finding out if you are in the hospital unless a family member notifies the rectory. We highly encourage this practice.

**Individual Confessions** are heard by appointment.

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### Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass at 10:30 AM

Daily Mass: Tues., Thurs. 5:30 PM

Wed. Noon

**First Sunday of Lent  
Contemporary Rite, p. 63  
Penitential Rite, p. 66**

**Entrance Hymn**

V. Noah, found just and perfect, renewed the race in the time of devastation. Because of his worth, there were survivors, and with a sign to him the deluge ended.

**R. A lasting agreement was made with him, that never should all flesh be destroyed.**

V. Glory be...

**R. As it was...**

**A Reading from the Book of Genesis.**

**Genesis 9:8-15**

God said to Noah and to his sons with him: "See, I am now establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you and with every living creature that was with you: all the birds, and the various tame and wild animals that were with you and came out of the ark. I will establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all bodily creatures be destroyed by the waters of a flood; there shall not be another flood to devastate the earth." God added: "This is the sign that I am giving for all ages to come, of the covenant between me and you and every living creature with you: I set my bow in the clouds to serve as a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. When I bring clouds over the earth, and the bow appears in the clouds, I will recall the covenant I have made between me and you and all living beings, so that the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all mortal beings."

*This is the Word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm**

***Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth. (Psalm 86)***

**A reading from the Second Letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians.**

**1 Peter 3:18-22**

Beloved: Christ suffered for sins once, the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous, that he might lead you to God. Put to death in the flesh, he was brought to life in the

**Deacon's Dialogue  
Rev. Mr. Richard Kasprzak**

Busy week coming up. Liz is going to St. Augustine tomorrow, meeting some of the ladies of the Parish for lunch. I may drive her, as I hate to stay behind, and have not been to the beach at St. Augustine yet. I want to explore a bit of the city, and see just what it is like. I love to fish the shores. St. Augustine's beach also has drive-on privileges. I just love that, driving right on the sand and pulling out a chair to sit and watch the sights. Hopefully someone will be fishing there and I can talk to them and find out just how good the fishing is.

The weather has been great, with the temps running between 65 and 85 most of the time. It is so pleasant that I don't even use the air conditioning in the car (it needs to be re-charged). I will take it in Thursday to get the air checked and fixed if not too expensive. I don't really need it, but "other" people complain about the lack of cooled air. Just wait till we are back in Michigan.

Last Sunday we brought Ponchki to church again, and they went pretty good. We had some left over, so rather than take them home and get fat, we stopped and gave them to the firemen at the fire station. Cops and firemen are always ready to get doughnuts. They appreciate them too.

Wednesday is the first day of Lent, so we shall be going to church at St. Mary for noon, when it will be a Mass, and the distribution of Ashes. I got the chance to visit and take Communion to an ill person, only the second time near the church.

My fellow Deacon, Gail, is doing much better. He is eating real food again, only it's pureed. Five weeks since his surgery. C.F.N.

*WITHOUT THE WAY THERE IS NO GOING  
WITHOUT THE TRUTH THERE IS NO KNOWING  
WITHOUT THE LIFE THERE IS NO  
~THOMAS A KEMPIS*

## Weekday Readings

**Mon**— Lev 19:1-18, Mt 25:31-46

**Tue**— Is 55:10-11, Mt 6:7-15

**Wed.**—Jonah 3:1-10, Lk 11:29-32

## Weekday Readings

**Thu.**— 1 Pt 5:1-4, Mt 16:13-19

**Fri.**— Ez 18:21-28, Mt 5:20-26

**Sat.**— Dt 26:16-19, Mt 5:43-48



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Spirit. In it he also went to preach to the spirits in prison, who had once been disobedient while God patiently waited in the days of Noah during the building of the ark, in which a few persons, eight in all, were saved through water. This prefigured baptism, which saves you now. It is not a removal of dirt from the body but an appeal to God for a clear conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers subject to him.

*This is the Word of the Lord*

**Thanks be to God**

## Tract

V. Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ, King of Endless Glory.

**R. Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ, King of Endless Glory.**

V. One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

**R. Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ, King of Endless Glory.**

**A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Mark.**

Mark 1:12-15

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him. After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel."

*This is the Gospel of the Lord.*

**Praise be to You, Jesus Christ.**

Hymn to the Holy Spirit  
Sermon  
Nicene Creed (p. 71)  
Eucharistic Prayer IV  
Lord's Prayer (p. 95)  
Communion Prayer (p. 97-98)  
Communion  
Blessing  
Dismissal  
Prayer of St. Michael  
Fellowship after Mass

**Prayer of St. Michael**

*Holy Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do you, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls.  
Amen.*



***A Note From the Pastor!***

As Lent begins, let us take these 40 days to turn back to God and change some of those things that we have in our lives that tend to lead us into sin. In doing this, we can come closer to God and Jesus Christ, and can better celebrate Easter with joy!

Have a blessed week!

*Fr. John*

**Our Savior Recipe Section**

This week's recipe is by Fr. John.

**Alaskan BBQ Salmon**

1 c. Brown Sugar (dark)  
1/2 c. Honey  
1 dash Liquid Smoke flavoring  
1/2 c. Apple Cider Vinegar  
1 4 lb. whole Salmon fillet

**Directions:**

Preheat grill for high heat. In a small bowl mix together brown sugar, honey, liquid smoke and vinegar. Brush one side of the salmon with the basting sauce. Place the salmon on the grill, basted side down. After about 7 minutes, generously baste the top, and turn over. Cook for about 8 more minutes, then brush on more basting sauce, turn and cook for 2 minutes. Take care not to overcook the salmon as it will lose its juices and flavor if cooked too long. Serve with Brussels Sprouts or Asparagus.

## Puzzle Page

Enjoy this week's puzzle!

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## Intention

Today's intention is for Victims of Natural Disasters in 2017.



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## Coming Events at Our Savior Parish

- February 18, 2018– Mass at 10:30 AM Followed by Fellowship in Hall
- February 18, 2018– Parish Committee Meeting after Mass in Hall
- February 20, 2018– DAIN Meeting at 2 PM in Hall
- February 20, 2018– Mass at 5:30 PM
- February 21, 2018– Mass at Noon
- February 21, 2018– Soup and Bread Talk 6 PM
- February 22, 2018– Mass at 5:30 PM
- February 24, 2018– Northeast Seniorate Retreat at Resurrection Parish in Temperance
- February 25, 2018– Mass at 10:30 AM Followed by Fellowship in Hall
- February 25, 2018– Annual Meeting after Mass in Hall
- February 27, 2018– Mass at 5:30 PM
- February 28, 2018– Mass at Noon
- March 1, 2018– Mass at 5:30 PM
- March 4, 2018– Mass at 10:30 AM Followed by Fellowship in Hall
- March 6, 2018– Mass at 5:30 PM
- March 7, 2018– Mass at Noon
- March 7, 2018– Polka Boosters in Hall 5-9 PM
- March 8, 2018– Mass at 5:30 PM
- March 10, 2018– Pork Chop Dinner in Hall 4-7 PM
- March 11, 2018– Mass at 10:30 AM *Solemnity of the Institution of the PNCC*



## ***Welcome to Our Savior Parish***

We are blessed that you have joined us today. If this is your first time with us, please sign the visitor log in the vestibule and introduce yourself to Fr. John after Mass. If there are any questions, please let us know and we will be happy to answer them for you.

### **Bible Study**

Bible Study is suspended until further notice. Come to Fr. John Cramer with any questions.

### **February Birthdays**

Cameron Tomsett– 2/8  
Marianne Marchines– 2/8  
Mark Shearer– 2/11  
Patricia Cramer– 2/15

**Happy Birthday to all of you!**



### **Lector Schedule**

2/18– Steven Richardson  
2/25– Marcia Shantz  
3/4– Therese Cracchiolo

### **Mass Schedule**

Masses are on the regular schedule for the week.

### **Upcoming Mass Intentions**

2/18– Victims of Natural Disasters in 2017  
2/25 Renee Wotus

## **Parish Committee Meeting**

The February Parish Committee meeting will be held February today in the back meeting room of the hall and will take place after Mass.

### **Soup and Bread Talk**

Our first Soup and Bread Talk will be on February 21 with Rev. Rob Kerr. Come on out and join us for this great talk.

### **Annual Meeting**

The Annual Parish Meeting will take place after Mass on February 25, 2018. Please insure that your obligations to the parish are met. If you have any questions, see John Sniezek.

### **Seniorate Retreat**

The 2018 Northeastern Seniorate Retreat will be held on Saturday February 24 from 10 AM– 2 PM at Resurrection Parish in Temperance, MI. Let Fr. John know if you are planning on attending.

### **Monthly Dinner**

Our next Monthly Dinner will be a Pork Chop Dinner, which will feature our famous Salad Bar, on March 10 from 4-7 PM. Make plans now to join us.

### **Calendars**

Thanks to Voran Funeral Home, 2018 calendars are available in the front and back of the church, as well as in the hall. Please take 1 or more according to your needs. The calendars this year are beautiful and make a wonderful addition to your kitchen or other part of the house.