

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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School of Christian Living: Following the 10:30 Mass, Labor Day to Memorial Day.

Marriage Arrangements: Should be made at least six months in advance; at least one year for non-parishioners.

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Individual Confessions are heard by appointment.



Our Savior

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Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass at 10:30 AM

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

Wed. Noon

Quinquagesima Sunday
Traditional Rite p. 15
Hymn of Faith p. 13 vv. 1 & 4
Penitential Rite, p. 16

V. I cry aloud to God, cry to God to hear me.

R. On the day of my distress I sought the Lord; by night my hands are raised unceasingly; I refuse to be consoled.

V. Glory Be...

R. As it was in the beginning...

A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah.

Isaiah 49:14-15

Zion said, "The LORD has forsaken me; my LORD has forgotten me." Can a mother forget her infant, be without tenderness for the child of her womb? Even should she forget, I will never forget you.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gradual

V. For a brief moment, I abandoned you, but with great tenderness I will take you back.

R. In an outburst of wrath, for a moment I hid my face from you; But with enduring love I take pity on you, says the Lord, your redeemer.

A reading from the First letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians.

1 Corinthians 5:1-5

Brothers and sisters: Thus should one regard us: as servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God. Now it is of course required of stewards that they be found trustworthy. It does not concern me in the least that I be judged by you or any human tribunal; I do not even pass judgment on myself; I am not conscious of anything against me, but I do not thereby stand acquitted; the one who judges me is the Lord. Therefore do not make any judgment before the appointed time, until the Lord comes, for he will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will manifest the motives of our hearts, and then everyone will receive praise from God.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Deacon's Dialogue
Rev. Mr. Richard Kasprzak

It's our last full week here in sunny Florida, as Ash Wednesday is next week, and we shall be packing up for the trip home. It has been a great time, and we shall be hitting the road either Thursday or Friday, depending on the weather. The future forecast is calling for storms, but it does not say how far North the bad weather will progress. I don't mind driving in the rain so much, but if the snow and ice precede us, we may adjust the trip timing somewhat. Funny, no matter how nice and beautiful it is here, it is always nice to get back home, get back to the home church, our mutts. ...and our cat.

I shall have the honor of preaching once again this coming Sunday, and I have been looking over the readings and the Gospel for the day. One of the hardest things for me is to decide the direction that my homily will take. There are so many ways to preach upon the word of Christ, the direction to take, that I have a tough time making up my mind. One of the helps for me is to take a look at some of the commentaries on the particular Gospel, and take a hint that appeals to me. One is a child's view of the teachings and that appeals to me somewhat, seeing that my wife thinks I still have not grown up.

Looking back at my life, I see many times that a person stepped in, and helped out in a way that kept me on track to become the person I am. I bet that if most if not all of us, can get to points in life that brought us to where we are. Not only persons, but happenings that either changed or reinforced who we were. Guidance from above, just our free will making decisions.

KNOWLEDGE IS KNOWING WHAT TO SAY. WISDOM IS KNOWING WHEN TO SAY IT. ~ANONYMOUS

Weekday Readings

Mon– 1 Pt 1:3-9, Mk 10:17-27

Tue– 1 Pt 1:10-16, Mk 10:28-31

Wed.—ASH WED. GO TO MASS

Weekday Readings

Thu.– Deut 30:15-20, Lk 9:22-25

Fri.– Is 58:1-9a, Mt 9:14-15

Sat.– Is 58:9b-14, Lk 5:27-32

Gospel Acclamation

V. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

R. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

V. The word of God is living and effective; discerning reflections and thoughts of the heart.

R. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew.

Matthew 6:24-34

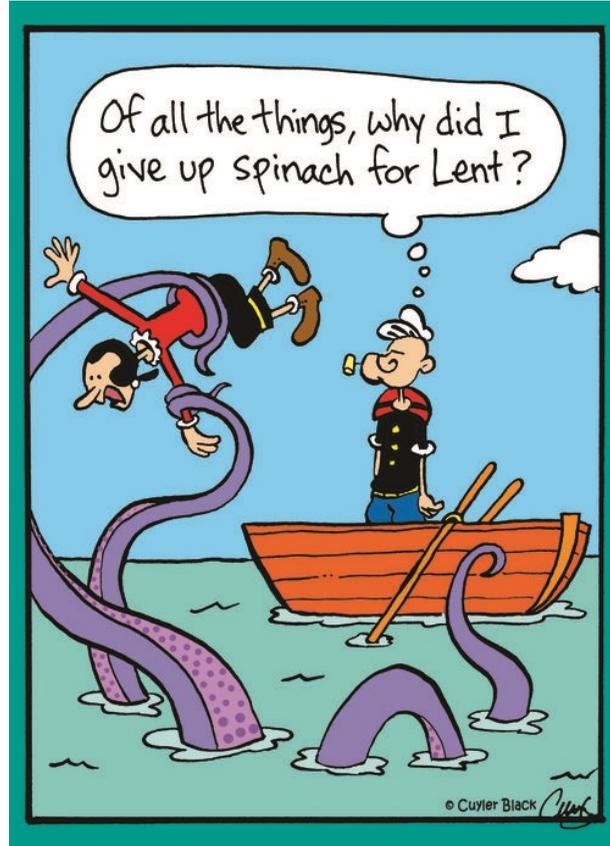
Jesus said to his disciples: "No one can serve two masters. He will either hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon. "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds in the sky; they do not sow or reap, they gather nothing into barns, yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are not you more important than they? Can any of you by worrying add a single moment to your life-span? Why are you anxious about clothes? Learn from the way the wild flowers grow. They do not work or spin. But I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was clothed like one of them. If God so clothes the grass of the field, which grows today and is thrown into the oven tomorrow, will he not much more provide for you, O you of little faith? So do not worry and say, 'What are we to eat?' or 'What are we to drink?' or 'What are we to wear?' All these things the pagans seek. Your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given you besides. Do not worry about tomorrow; tomorrow will take care of itself. Sufficient for a day is its own evil."

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise be to You, Jesus Christ.



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Communion
Dismissal
Blessing
Last Gospel
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

Lent begins this week with Ash Wednesday. This year we will offer 3 Masses for your convenience: 8:30 AM, Noon, and 5:30 PM. Also, please consider your Lenten journey to get closer to Christ.

Have a blessed week!

Fr. John

Our Savior Recipe Section

This week's recipe is by Laura Pearce, friend of the Parish:

Spinach and White Bean Pasta

8 oz pasta
1 tbsp olive oil
1 clove garlic
1 cup mushrooms, sliced
1 (14.5 oz) can Italian diced tomatoes
1 (14.5 oz) can white beans, drained and rinsed
1/4 cup white wine
5 cups spinach, chopped
1/3 cup grated Parmesan cheese

1. Cook pasta according to package directions.
2. Saute garlic and mushrooms in olive oil over medium heat for 3-4 minutes. Stir in tomatoes, beans, and white wine and bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer for 10 minutes.
3. Add spinach and continue to simmer until wilted, about 2 minutes. Spoon bean and spinach mixture over pasta and top with Parmesan cheese to serve.

Puzzle Page

Enjoy this week's puzzle!

G	W	O	L	F	S	R	D	I	B	SLAVE
R	N	O	S	C	O	E	R	N	E	HATE
A	E	I	O	O	Y	V	N	A	C	RESPECT
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Mass Intention

The Mass intention this week is for the Parish.



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Coming Events at Our Savior Parish

February 23, 2020– Mass at 10:30 AM Followed by Fellowship in Hall

February 25, 2020– Mass at 5:30 PM

February 26, 2020– *Ash Wednesday* Mass at 8:30 AM, Noon, 5:30 PM

February 27, 2020– Mass at 5:30 PM

March 1, 2020– Mass at 10:30 AM Followed by Fellowship in Hall

March 3, 2020– Mass at 5:30 PM

March 4, 2020– Mass at Noon

March 4, 2020– Polka Boosters in Hall 5-9 PM

March 5, 2020– Mass at 5:30 PM

March 6, 2020– Pierogi Filling Making 9 AM– Done

March 7, 2020– Northeast Seniorate Retreat in Temperance, MI 10 AM– 2 PM

March 8, 2020– Mass at 10:30 AM Followed by Fellowship in Hall

March 9-13, 2020– Pierogi Making 9 AM– 3 PM

March 15, 2020– Mass at 10:30 AM Followed by fellowship after Mass

March 15, 2020– Installation of Parish Committee at end of Mass

March 15, 2020– Parish Committee Meeting after Mass



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
Patricia Cramer– 2/15

Happy Birthday to all of you!!!



Lector Schedule

2/23– Theresa Cracchiolo
3/1– Pat Czeski
3/8– Marcia Shantz

Mass Schedule

Mass this week is on the regular schedule.

Upcoming Mass Intentions

2/23– For the Parish
3/1– Eugene Kryzstof
3/8– For the PNCC

Prayer List

Pat Cramer is putting together a prayer list. If you, a family member or a friend would like to be included, please talk to her, or call her at (574) 360-9972 to be included. The Prayer list will be published starting in an upcoming bulletin.

Parish Committee Meeting

The next Parish Committee Meeting is March 15, 2020 after Mass.

Northeast Seniorate Retreat

The Lenten Retreat for the Northeast Seniorate will take place on Saturday March 7, 2020 at Resurrection Parish in Temperance, MI. Please let Fr. John know that you plan on attending. It will begin at 10 AM and go until 2 PM.

Pierogi Making

Pierogi filling making has been moved to Friday March 6, 2020. This has been done to allow volunteers to attend the Northeast Seniorate Retreat. We will also make Pierogi from March 9-13, 2020 starting at 9 AM in the Hall.

Paschal (Easter) Candle

Looking for a remembrance of a loved one? By donating our 2020 Easter Candle, the candle will be recognized with the name of a loved one, and on the Easter Vigil 2021, you will be presented with the candle to keep as a remembrance. Talk to Fr. John for details.

Ash Wednesday

This year, we will offer 3 Masses for Ash Wednesday: 8:30 AM, Noon, and 5:30 PM. Please come to one of these Masses.