

GOOD NEWS *Benedictine*

ONE FAMILY OF PARISHES

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MARCH 22ND, 2026

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



ONE FAMILY WEEKLY CALENDAR

March 22nd – March 29th, 2026

CHR-CHURCH / **CHP**-CHAPEL / **CNV**-CONVENT

Youth Sunday March 22nd / 5th Sunday of Lent

Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17

OCIA @ 9:30 am **CNV**

Confessions @ 10:15am/Celebration of Mass @ 11am **CHR**

Ladies of Peter Claver Meeting @ 12:30 pm

Coffee Hour after Mass **CNV**

Monday, March 23rd

Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:1-11

Tuesday, March 24th

Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21/Jn 8:21-30

Wednesday, March 25th

Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

ONE FAMILY CATHOLIC CENTER "DROP IN" 10AM - 4PM **CNV**

Confessions @ 11:30 am/Mass @ 12:05 pm **CHP**

Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion @ 12:30 pm **CHP**

Thursday, March 26th

Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59

Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Meeting @ 9:00 AM **CHP**

Adoration @ 6:00 pm/Mass @ 7:00 pm at **CORPUS CHRISTI**

Friday, March 27th

Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/Jn 10:31-42

Confessions @ 11:30 am/Mass @ 12:00 pm **CHP**

Stations of the Cross/Soup Supper @ 6:00 pm **CNV**

Saturday, March 28th

Ez 37:21-28/Jr 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13Jn 11:45-56

Mass @ 8:00 am **CHP**

Confessions/Adoration @ 8:30 **CHP**

Youth Bible Study @ 9:40 am **CNV**

Sacramental Prep @ 11 am **CNV**

March 29th / Palm Sunday

Mt 21:1-11 (37)/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/Mt

OCIA @ 9:30 am **CNV**

Confessions @ 10:15am/Celebration of Mass @ 11am **CHR**

Confirmation Prep after Mass **CNV**

Coffee Hour after Mass **CNV**

HOLY DAYS

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR DAYS/TIMES

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call Parish Office For Appointment (opt #3)

MARRIAGE

Must contact Parish Priest 6 months prior to marriage date

BAPTISMS

Please contact the Parish Office



Sunday, March 22nd

*Special Intentions of the Parishioners of
Presentation our Lady of Victory
and St. Scholastica*

Wednesday, March 25th

*Special Intentions of Vickie Najera
Offered by Jason Smith*

Friday, March 27th

*Special Intentions of Marjorie Najera
Offered by Jason Smith*

Bryan Bailey, Jon-Paul Bates, Lisa Bednarz,
Alma Bernett, Elizabeth Bey,
Tanysha Black, Stella Blair, Gail Bond,
Christopher Braden, Eileen Clark,
Victoria Crowe, Nathan Crymes,
Kristen Curtis, Walter Curtis,
Belinda Danzy, Robert Danzy,
Colleen Darjean, Ruth Donaldson,
Irma Gisstennar, Denise Goodine,
Marjorie Greene, Alice Griffin,
James Griffin, Bruce Henderson,
Marian Hubbard, James Huse,
Melanie Kelly, Carlos Kiyon,
Theodore LaGarde, Edith Leinonen,
Fr. Jim Lowe-CC, Drew Lund,
Roland Martin, Michele Mooney,
Verita Morris, Sandra Moulton,
William Moulton, Pamela Najera,
Timothy Neaton, Thomas Norfolk,
Matthew Onwudingo, Leslie Paciero,
Betty Palmer, John Peavy, Linda Pelerin,
Harlis Pollock, Steven Price,
Isaac Propson, Priscilla Propson,
Kelly Ramsey, Giovanni Rankin,
David Sauve, Kimberly Seay,
Annie Laurie Shannan, Annie Stacherski,
Christopher Staff, Fr. Alex Steinmiller,
Yolanda Stephens, Diverna Stephenson,
Ray Stevens, Sharon Stevens,
Michelle Taschler, Elma Thorpe,
Arline Timbers, Beneaver Townsend,
Ivra Townsend, Monika Uriel,
William Weaver, Robert Weed



ONE FAMILY OF PARISHES

“ONE FAMILY CATHOLIC CENTER”

Our center is open every Wednesday for you to “Drop-In” from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm.

This is a great opportunity to visit with fellow parishioners, play cards, board games, read a book in the library, say the rosary or the Stations of the Cross in the Chapel or bring your lunch after noon Mass and enjoy it with others.

Come any part of the day! Coffee, water and a warm, welcoming mood will be ready for you when you arrive. **SEE YOU WEDNESDAY!!**



LET US BE AN ALLELUIA PEOPLE!

Last Saturday, over 20 people attended a music workshop conducted by Norah Duncan IV which covered the Easter season.

The season is 50 days from the Sunday of the Resurrection to Pentecost Sunday and are celebrated in joy and exultation as one feast day. **These are the days above all others in which the Alleluia is sung!**

NOTE: Responsorial Psalms that we sing between the first and second reading every week, may be substituted with “**Alleluia**” as a response during this season.

After reviewing this option and discussion with Fr. Marco, we will sing “**Alleluia**” as our Responsorial response during the 50 days of Easter.

This means, instead of the Psalm response/antiphon that is usually intoned/sung by the cantor, you will hear an “**Alleluia**” sung. This is also shown in the Sunday’s Word as an option.

Your immediate reaction will be to stand. Please note, this is still the Responsorial response and is not meant as a time to stand. Remain seated until after the second reading when the Gospel acclamation will be proclaimed and you see the Presider stand.

It may be a bit confusing at first, but after 40 days without singing our praises, this will be a beautiful way to sing for joy and lift our praises to the Lord multiple times throughout the Mass!!



HOLY LAND COLLECTION

Pope Leo has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land, where they are now less than 2% of the population. Your support is essential to help the Church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools, and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, to name only a few.

The pandemic had hit Christians in the Holy Land particularly hard. Most of them depend on pilgrimages for work. The war and now the Iranian conflict have made their situation even more dire. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection is necessary to meet the basic needs of the People of God still living in this Land and to maintain a Christian presence where the Church was born.

When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. **PLEASE BE GENEROUS!**

~ GOSPEL MEDITATION ~

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

5th Sunday of Lent

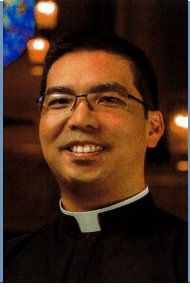
John 11:1-45

A friend of mine wrote an imaginative reflection on the raising of Lazarus that caught me off guard. She proposed that when Jesus called Lazarus from the tomb, the man was not joyful but angry and annoyed. After so much suffering, maybe death felt like a release. He had finally escaped the pain. And then, suddenly, Jesus’ voice cuts through the silence: “Lazarus, come out!” (John 11:43) The light stings his eyes. The pain returns. And now he is dragged back into a world that had broken him.

It startled me at first, but the more I sat with it, the more it made sense. Sometimes, people do not want to be raised. Not at first. Think of those in the grip of addiction, despair, or numbness. The tomb can feel safer than the risk of living again. Yet Jesus, moved by the grief and faith of others (Martha, Mary, the community) calls the dead man out. Lazarus obeys. But he is still bound, head to foot. Jesus says to the bystanders, “Untie him and let him go” (John 11:44).

That is often how healing happens: slowly, reluctantly. Not just by a personal decision, but through the love and persistence of others. Resurrection is not always euphoric. It may begin in protest and confusion and only later turn to gratitude and freedom. But Christ’s voice breaks through, anyway.

5th Sunday of Lent



PASTOR'S PAGE



Called to be Life-Givers in Jesus

In the Gospel of John, we hear the powerful story of Lazarus, a man who had died and was laid in a tomb for four days. Everything seemed completely lost. His sisters were filled with grief, and those around them had accepted that nothing more could be done. Death appeared to have the final word. Yet Jesus arrived in that moment of deep sorrow and spoke words that changed everything. He called Lazarus out of the tomb, showing that even when all hope seems gone, God's power is greater. This story reminds us that no situation is beyond His reach, and no darkness is too deep for His light.

When we look at our world today, it can sometimes feel like things are getting worse. We hear about conflict, suffering, division, and uncertainty, and it is easy to feel discouraged or overwhelmed. We may even begin to think that hope is fading. But the Gospel invites us to see more deeply. God is always at work, even when we cannot see it clearly. His grace often moves in quiet and hidden ways, touching hearts, guiding decisions, and bringing about good in places we might overlook. Just because His action is not loud or obvious does not mean it is not real or powerful.

Because of this, we need to guard our hearts and minds from becoming too focused on everything happening around us. If we only pay attention to the noise and troubles of the world, we can lose sight of what truly matters. God is calling each of us to something here and now, in the ordinary moments of our daily lives. He asks us to remain faithful—to pray, to act with kindness, to forgive, to serve others, and to trust Him even when it is difficult. In other words, He calls us to holiness. These small acts may seem simple, but they are exactly where God's grace enters into the world.

Through our fidelity, God continues His work of bringing new life. Just as Jesus called Lazarus out from the tomb, He desires to bring hope and renewal into our world today—and He often does so through us. Every act of love, every moment of patience, every step of faith becomes a way for God to touch others. Even if we do not see immediate results, our faithfulness is never wasted. God is still acting, still calling life out of death, and still making all things new through those who trust in Him.

Ad Maximam Trinitatis Gloriam

Fr. Marco Kiyon PES




What is a priest?

A priest in the Catholic Church is a man who has been ordained through the Sacrament of Holy Orders. This ordination gives him a permanent spiritual mark and unites him in a special way to Jesus Christ, allowing him to act in His name as Head and Shepherd of the Church. This is called the ministerial priesthood, which is different from the common priesthood shared by all baptized believers. While all Christians are called to offer their lives to God, the priest is set apart through ordination to serve in a unique way. Through the Holy Spirit, he is conformed to Christ so that he can act in the person of Christ the Head in the sacraments and in guiding the faithful.

To reflect on: Aware of the unique mission of priests, do I pray and encourage priestly vocations?

2026 MARCH

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
01 <u>LENT 2</u> OCIA @ 9:30am Mass @ 11am Coffee Hour after Mass	02	03	04 <u>Confessions/Mass</u> 11:30am/12:05pm Mother of Perpetual Help @ 12:30 pm Call of the Confirmed 6:00 pm	05 Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Meeting @ 9:00 am Journey to Housing @ 6:00 pm	06 <u>Confessions/Mass</u> 11:30am/12:05pm Stations of the Cross @ 6 pm Soup Supper	07 <u>Mass/Confessions</u> 8:00am/8:30am Adoration 8:30am YOUTH BIBLE STUDY @ 9:40 am Easter Music Workshop @ 10 AM
08 <u>LENT 3</u> OCIA @ 9:30am Mass @ 11am Confirmation Prep After Mass Coffee Hour after Mass	09	10	11 <u>Confessions/Mass</u> 11:30am/12:05pm Mother of Perpetual Help @ 12:30 pm OPENING OF WELCOME CENTER 10AM - 4PM CONVENT	12 Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Meeting @ 9:00 am SVDP District Meeting @ 5 pm	13 <u>Confessions/Mass</u> 11:30am/12:05pm Stations of the Cross @ 6 pm Soup Supper	14 <u>Mass/Confessions</u> 8:00am/8:30am Adoration 8:30am YOUTH BIBLE STUDY @ 9:40 AM Sacramental Prep @11 am
15 <u>LENT 4</u> OCIA @ 9:30am Mass @ 11am Confirmation Prep after Mass Coffee Hour after Mass	16	17 	18 <u>Confessions/Mass</u> 11:30am/12:05pm Mother of Perpetual Help @ 12:30 pm Call of the Confirmed 6pm WELCOME CENTER DROP-IN 10AM - 4PM CONVENT	19 Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Meeting @ 9:00 am	20 <u>Confessions/Mass</u> 11:30am/12:05pm Stations of the Cross @ 6 pm Soup Supper	21 <u>Mass/Confessions</u> 8:00am/8:30am Adoration 8:30am YOUTH BIBLE STUDY @ 9:40 AM Religious Education @ 11:00 am
22 <u>LENT 5</u> OCIA @ 9:30am YOUTH SUNDAY @ 11am Coffee Hour after Mass	23	24	25 <u>Confessions/Mass</u> 11:30am/12:05pm Mother of Perpetual Help @ 12:30 pm WELCOME CENTER DROP-IN 10AM - 4PM CONVENT	26 Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Meeting @ 9:00 am	27 <u>Confessions/Mass</u> 11:30am/12:05pm Stations of the Cross @ 6 pm Soup Supper	28 <u>Mass/Conf/Ador</u> 8:00am/8:30am YOUTH BIBLE STUDY @ 9:40 AM Sacramental Prep @ 11:00 am YOUTH EASTER FUN @ 1:00 PM
29 <u>PALM SUNDAY</u> OCIA @ 9:30am Mass @ 11am Coffee Hour after Mass	30	31	<u>HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE</u> <u>Holy Thursday</u> - Mass of the Lord's Supper at Corpus Christi <u>Good Friday</u> - Stations/The Passion of the Lord at St. Scholastica <u>Holy Saturday</u> - Easter Vigil of the Night at Corpus Christi @ 8:30 pm <u>Easter Sunday</u> - The Resurrection of the Lord at St. Scholastica - 11 am			

ONE FAMILY PARISH EVENTS

STATIONS OF THE CROSS/SOUP SUPPER

FRIDAY, March 27th

@ 6:00 PM (CONVENT)

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FUN FOR ALL AGES

“Journey to Easter”

Saturday, March 28th @ 1:00 pm

At the “One Family Center”...movies, games, prizes, food

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HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY / ONE FAMILY @ ST. SCHOLASTICA @ 11AM

HOLY THURSDAY/LORD’S SUPPER MASS @ CORPUS CHRISTI

GOOD FRIDAY / ONE FAMILY @ ST. SCHOLASTICA @ 12PM

EASTER VIGIL @ CORPUS CHRISTI at 8:30 PM

EASTER SUNDAY ONE FAMILY @ ST. SCHOLASTICA at 11AM

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SAVE THE DATES

Parish Listening Sessions—Coming Soon!

The next step in the Archdiocesan Restructuring process is for every parish in the Archdiocese of Detroit to host two parish listening sessions. At these sessions, we will review potential models and provide feedback. Our parish listening sessions will be:

Tuesday, May 5th from 7 - 9pm AND Thursday, May 7th from 7 - 9 pm

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Rose Marie Price (P), Jonathan Sanders (P),
Jason Smith (S), Didier Tiede (S)
Anthony Timbers (P)

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GOSPEL

Instead of telling people he was the Savior, Jesus showed them. By raising Lazarus from the dead, Jesus sent a message loud and clear. Jesus was the Savior they had all been waiting for. He was filled with God's love and power, and many people believed in him.

PRAYER

Thank you for showing me that you are my Savior, Jesus.

GROWING

WITH THE *Gospel*

CYCLE A



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



5th Sunday of Lent • John 11:1-45



PUZZLE

Find and circle these words from today's Gospel:

~~GOD'S SON~~
SICKNESS
RISE

LAZARUS
MARY
MARTHA

BELIEVES
WEEPING
WRAPPED

S	A	O	E	T	R	H	I	E	T	Y
T	W	R	A	P	P	E	D	H	O	N
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MISSION

Write the words, "God can do anything" on a piece of paper. Read it every morning.



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