



*ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS  
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*MASSES: SAT EVENING 5:00 P.M.  
SUNDAY MORNING 8:00 & 10:30 A.M.  
TU, WED, FRI: 8:00 A.M.  
MONDAY & THURSDAY: 6:00 P.M.*

*ADORATION: FRIDAYS, 8:30 A.M.-8:00 P.M.*

*SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:  
FRIDAY 11:30-12:30 P.M.  
SATURDAY: 3:45-4:45 P.M.  
PASTOR: FR. GARY. L. SIGLER*

*WELCOME! WE EXTEND OUR HANDS AND HEARTS TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE WITH US, WHETHER LONGTIME RESIDENT OR  
NEWLY ARRIVED IN THE PARISH. WE THANK GOD THAT YOU ARE WITH US.*

**ST PAUL OF THE CROSS March 15, 2020***The Week Ahead*

March 22, 2020

Acolytes

5:00 p.m. Colby Leatherman, Evan Leatherman  
 8:00 a.m. Phillip Lieb, John Morgan  
 10:30 a.m. Carson Duncan, Seth Mills

Lectors

5:00 p.m. Tom Andreas  
 8:00 a.m. Rob Muratori, Chris Morgan  
 10:30 a.m. Mike McClain

Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 p.m. Danielle Smethers, Alice Goldwood, Anita Kelley, Jim Schmitt, Leanne Andreas  
 8:00 a.m. Barb Bockleman, Melissa Fearnow, Jeannine Nix, Mel Nix Jeremy Swonger, Laura Rumschlag  
 10:30 a.m. Lori Starkey, Brad Clifford, Brandi Duncan, Tonia Weigold, Ingrid McClain, Nicole Alles

Ministers of Hospitality

5:00 p.m. Vance Reed, Dillon Reed  
 8:00 a.m. Dave Leiinger, Tony Crowe, Bonnie Crowe, Bruce Vande Zande  
 10:30 a.m. Keiran Gilles, Alec Gilles

March 8, 2020

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| Adult Envelopes | \$3243.00  |
| Loose           | 429.00     |
| Children        | 33.00      |
| Religious Ed    | 120.00     |
| Repair          | 900.00     |
| Candles         | 46.00      |
| Flowers         | 5.00       |
| Total           | \$4,776.00 |

**MARCH HOSTS**

March 15: Mark & Mary Ann Schaefer  
 March 22: Vanessa Schoon  
 March 29: Spring Break/ No Coffee & Donuts

**MARCH COLLECTIONS**

March 15: Boomerang Backpacks  
 March 22: Catholic Relief  
 March 29: Repair Fund

**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**March 15, 2020 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Ex 17:3-7 Rom 5:1-2,5-8  
 Gospel—Jn 4:5-42  
 5:00 p.m. Parishioners  
 8:00 a.m.: Bud Meyer (Anniversary)  
 10:30 a.m.: Jane Goble

March 16, 2020 Monday: Lenten Weekday

2 Kgs 5:1-15b Pss 42:2-3;43:3-4  
 Gospel—Lk 4:24-30  
 6:00 p.m. All Souls  
 Confession: 5:30-6:00 p.m.

March 17, 2020 Tuesday: Lenten Weekday

Dn 3:25,34-43 Ps 25:4-5ab,6-7bc,8-9  
 Gospel— Mt 18:21-35  
 10:30 a.m. Young at Heart Mass  
 Joan & Carl Baermann

March 18, 2020 Wednesday: Lenten Weekday

Dt 4:1,5-9 Ps 147:12-13,15-16,19-20  
 Gospel—Mt 5:17-19  
 8:00 a.m. Rosemary Rieman

March 19, 2020 Thursday: St Joseph

2 Sm 7:405a,2-14a,16 Rom 4:13,16-18,22  
 Gospel: Lk 2:41-51a  
 6:00 p.m. Thursday Memorial  
 Confession: 5:30-6:00 p.m.

March 20, 2020 Friday: Lenten Weekday

Hos 14:2-10 Ps 81:6c-11b,14,17  
 Gospel—Mk 12:28-34  
 Confession: 11:30-12:30  
 8:00 a.m. Duane Wood  
 Adoration: 8:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.  
 Stations of the Cross: 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

March 22, 2020 FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

1 Sm 16:1b,6-7,10-13a Eph 5:8-14  
 Gospel—Mt 17:1-9  
**Saturday Confessions: 10:00-11:00 & 3:45.- 4:45 p.m.**  
 5:00 p.m. Parishioners  
 8:00 a.m. Dick Miller  
 10:30 a.m. Justin Hinen

**YOUTH GROUP NEWS**

March 14-15 Food Fast/ 11:30 Saturday-12:00 Sunday  
 Bring permission form, juice (100% real juice) to share, sleeping equipment and volunteer clothes. Fast in solidarity with the poor.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Jaime Rodriguez, brother of Cathy Rupp and also for Karen Fries and the Fries family. You are all in our prayers.



## THANK YOU!

Words are not enough to thank **ALL** that made our Knights of Columbus blood drive a huge success this past Sunday. A special thank you to the thirty-five

individuals that presented themselves for a blood donation. A total of thirty-four pints were collected. The Red Cross had set a goal of 27 so we far exceeded our goal which is awesome. They were extremely happy as their numbers had been down the last several weeks of blood drives.

Thanks also goes to all that donated and supported our breakfast in February. Due to your support we were able to present a check to the Rose Home in the amount of 450 dollars. The mission of The Rose Home is to provide a structured atmosphere of love, unity, morality, character development and Christian values in which drug/alcohol addicted individual can be guided through a holistic approach to recovery.

Again, **THANKS TO ALL.**

If you missed donating during this last drive due to illness or travel our next drive will be May 17, 2020. All donors from this past drive will also be eligible to donate again. Please mark your calendars or better yet, sign up **now** at [redcross.org](http://redcross.org).

## RCIA

The next **RCIA** meeting will be on Tuesday, **March 17th** at 7:00 p.m. in the sofa room. Bill Duffy will speak on being an active parishioner. All are invited to attend.



Our Lenten Penance Service will be Tuesday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. There will be three priests available to hear confessions.

## HUMAN TRAFFICKING

A Lunch and Learn on the topic of Human Trafficking will be held in the Joseph Zickgraf Community Hall on **March 24th** from 11:30 am to 1pm. It will be presented by Catholic Charities. All are welcome! Registration information will come later. This event will **REPLACE** the March Women's Evening.



## Knights of Columbus Fish Fry

### Mission 25 Fundrasier

Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup> from 4-7 p.m.

Adult-\$8 (\$10 at door)

Child: \$5 (6-9)

Age 5 and under are **FREE**

You may purchase tickets from any Knights of Columbus member or at the church office during business hours.

## REDEEMER RADIO

Our parish is helping to raise funds for local Catholic Radio! Redeemer Radio's Sharathon fundraiser is March 18-20. LISTEN to 106.3FM on online 24/7. Thank you for sharing our faith through the airwaves! Representatives will be collecting pledges March 21 and 22 in the narthex to count toward our parish goal!



## YOUNG AT HEART

Young at Heart will meet Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> for Mass at 10:30 followed by a catered luncheon and fellowship and card party. Please sign up in the narthex.

## RELIGIOUS ED

### Living Way of the Cross

Thank you to everyone who helped to make the Living Way of the Cross such a huge success! Our 7th and 8th grade students did an amazing job in bringing the Stations to Life! Kudos to Dakota and Chris Schilling, as well as, all members of the youth choir for offering their time and talent with the music and singing! It truly helped to make the production ever so moving. Thank you also to Tami Pence, Riza Crump, Katie Eber, Van Reed, and Shawn Friend for all the behind the scenes assistance throughout the weeks of practice. It was greatly appreciated!

### 6th, 7th, and 8th Grade Journals

Journals are due to be turned in on March 22nd. Please make sure you are taking your time with each question and that questions that call for a longer answer are given with 3 or more complete sentences. **Note: Service Hour sheets will be collected on April 19.**

### 2nd Grade

Our next parent session will be on March 22nd at 9:15 am in the Sofa Room. That will also be the same day that the students will be having the Rite of the Presentation of the Gospel during the 10:30 am Holy Mass. Each student is expected to be present for this Rite.

### 8th Grade

There will be a special 8th Grade Recognition during the 10:30 am Holy Mass on Sunday, March 29. All 8th grade students are expected to be present for this very special Mass.

# March 2020 MINISTER SCHEDULE

| Lector   | Eucharistic Minister  | Acolytes                      | Min. of Hospitality       |
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| <u>Sat. March 7</u><br>5:00 p.m.<br>Kevin Rupp | Jim Schmitt<br>Janelle Schmitt<br>Alice Goldwood<br>Anita Kelley<br>Danielle Smethers | Savanna Reed<br>Lukus Schmitt | Dillon Reed<br>Vance Reed |

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| <u>Sun. March 8</u><br>8:00 a.m.<br>John Herrmann<br>Chris Morgan | Roxy Herrmann<br>Laura Rumschlag<br>Jeannine Nix<br>Mel Nix<br>Barb Bockleman<br>Jeremy swonger | Lukus Rumschlag<br>Seth Mills | Dave Leininger<br>Tony Crowe<br>Bonnie Crowe<br>Mike Sands |
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| <u>Sun. March 8</u><br>10:30 a.m.<br>Don Neff | Lori Starkey<br>Brad Clifford<br>Nicole Alles<br>Ingrid McClain<br>Brandi Duncan<br>Marium Schmitt | Ian Clifford<br>Michela Clifford | Keiran Gilles<br>Alec Gilles |
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| Lector  | Eucharistic Minister   | Acolytes                      | Min. of Hospitality             |
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| <u>Sat. March 14</u><br>5:00 p.m.<br>Melanie Bechtold | Karen Berg<br>Vance Reed<br>Joe Call<br>Carol Shepherd<br>Riza Crump | Allison Crump<br>Sam Bechtold | Andrew Herber<br>Chris Bechtold |

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| <u>Sun. March 15</u><br>8:00 a.m.<br>Erin Shidler<br>Becky Beery | Dick Buchanan<br>Al Anderson<br>Mary Ann Anderson<br>Teresa Dowell<br>Melinda Woll<br>Sara St. Clair | Bailey Shidler<br>Sierra Mowrey | Sharon Dunnuck<br>Jim Dunnuck<br>Steve Schmitt<br>Matt Beery |
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| <u>Sun. March 15</u><br>10:30 a.m.<br>John Gilles | Tonia Weigold<br>Scott Smith<br>Kristen Straub<br>Tami Pence<br>Pat Zickgraf<br>Kristen Zickgraf | A. J. Smith<br>Adelaide Smith | Volunteers |
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| Lector   | Eucharistic Minister   | Acolytes                            | Min. of Hospitality       |
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| <u>Sat. March 21</u><br>5:00 p.m.<br>Tom Andreas | Danielle Smethers<br>Alice Goldwood<br>Anita Kelley<br>Jim Schmitt | Colby Leatherman<br>Evan Leatherman | Vance Reed<br>Dillon Reed |

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| <p><u>Sun. March 22</u><br/>8:00 a.m.<br/>Rob Muratori<br/>Chris Morgan</p> | <p><b>Barb Bockleman</b><br/>Melissa Fearnow<br/>Jeannine Nix<br/>Mel Nix<br/>Jeremy Swonger<br/>Laura Rumschlag</p> | <p>Phillip Lieb<br/>John Morgan</p> | <p>Dave Leininger<br/>Tony Crowe<br/>Bonnie Crowe<br/>Bruce Vande Zande</p> |
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| <p><u>Sun. March 22</u><br/>10:30 a.m.<br/>Mike McClain</p> | <p>Lori Starkey<br/>Brad Clifford<br/>Brandi Duncan<br/>Tonia Weigold<br/>Ingrid McClain<br/>Nicole Alles</p> | <p>Carson Duncan<br/>Seth Mills</p> | <p>Keiran Gilles<br/>Alec Gilles</p> |
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| <p><u>Lector</u><br/><u>Sat. March 28</u><br/>5:00 p.m.<br/>Kevin Rupp</p> | <p><u>Eucharistic Minister</u><br/>Joe Call<br/>Riza Crump<br/>Karen Berg<br/>Vance Reed<br/>Carol Shepherd</p> | <p><u>Acolytes</u><br/>Lukus Schmit<br/>Allison Crump</p> | <p><u>Min. of Hospitality</u><br/>Sam Bechtold<br/>Chris Bechtold</p> |
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| <p><u>Sun. March 29</u><br/>8:00 a.m.<br/>Melinda Woll<br/>Sam St. Clair</p> | <p>Al Anderson<br/>Mary Ann Anderson<br/>Teresa Dowell<br/>Becky Beery<br/>Dick Buchanan<br/>Sara St. Clair</p> | <p>Colette Lieb<br/>Jude Lieb</p> | <p>Sharon Dunnuck<br/>Jim Dunnuck<br/>Steve Schmitt<br/>Matt Beery</p> |
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