

## March 24, 2019 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT



#### MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 26th

No Mass

Wednesday 27th

**No Mass** 

Thursday 28th at Rainycrest

10<sup>am</sup> Prayer Service

Friday 29th

**No Mass** 

Saturday 30th

**5**<sup>pm</sup> + Rose Marie von Niebelshutz and + Robert McNay – Anna McNay

## Sunday 31st (9am at Our Lady of Lourdes)

9am + Janice Cullen - Rose & Dick Bird and

+ Joe George - Jamie & Tina Roth

11<sup>am</sup> + Monica Hanzuk – Margrit Schaum and for the Intentions of Ardelle Hartnell – A Parishioner

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**1st reading: (**Exodus 3.1-8a, 13-15**) 2nd reading: (**1 Corinthians 10.1-6, 10-12**)** 

Gospel: (Luke 13.1-9)

# Unless you turn back to God, you will perish as they did.

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick: Ewan MacKintosh, Shirley Fraser, Kari Urquart, Ernie McColeman, Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Nicole LePine, Larry Mattson, Noella & Rick Hamilton, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Cyril Chabot, Jack & Laura Dillon, Art Cross, Nicholas Delvecchio, Catherine MacDonald, Jamie Buttner, Father Thomas, Florence Lerman, David Cross, Keagan Evans, Julie Halvorsen, Patrick McColeman, Joan Bolzan, Bridger Hands

Offertory Collection for St. Mary's <u>Weekend Of</u> March 17 – \$3276.74

> <u>Counting Teams</u> March 25 – Gina/Kathy



## Every Friday during Lent at 7pm

March 29 - Youth Groups

April 5 - Lectors

April 12 – The Knights of Columbus

April 19 - OLOL CWL at OLOL

All are welcome!



# OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH NEWS

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Jan Adams, Linda Anderson, Doug Cross, George Supinski, Curtis Jourdain, Florence Lampi, Phyllis Johnson (Bruyere), Brian McPherson, Vernon Yerxa, Mary Lou Parks, Leslie Bauer, Mary Jourdain, Rudy Morrisseau, Joseph Yerxa, Shirley A. Bruyere, Sue Foran-Ross, Patricia Jurivee, Dale Krueger

Offertory Collection for Our Lady of Lourdes

<u>Weekend of</u>

March 17 – \$677.91

#### What's going on?!

March 23/24 – Annual Soup & Bun Fundraiser – After Mass

March 26 - CWL Executive Meeting - 1:30pm

March 28 – K.C. 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting – noon

– EDGE/Life Teen Sports Night– 6:30-8:300pm

March 29 – Stations of the Cross – Youth – 7:00pm

March 30 – OLOL Birthdays & Anniversaries

March 30/31 – Birthdays & Anniversaries

# **Holy Week and Easter Services**

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Saturday, April 13, 5:00 pm Sunday, April 14, 9:00 am OLOL Sunday, April 14, 11:00 am

Holy Thursday - Mass of the Lord's Supper

Thursday, April 18, 7:00 pm Good Friday Solemn Service Friday, April 19, 3:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Friday, April 19, 7:00 pm OLOL Solemn Easter Vigil

Saturday, April 20, 8:00 pm Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 21, 9:00 am OLOL Sunday, April 21, 11:00 am



The challenge has gone out to find even a small way to conserve water starting on *World Water Day* March 22. Not too late to participate. Fill out your form and deposit in the box in the lobby. Carry out your plan for one year! By

this act to conserve water, we can become more aware that we are blessed with clean water and will be motivated to support efforts to provide it to 2.1 billion people who do not. Thank you for your participation.

The CWL is selling tickets for a quilt made & donated by Helen Cousineau & Irene Grennier. Tickets on sale now at the Parish Office and from CWL members.



This past Thursday, the EDGE youth talked about Temptation. We read the story of Jesus in the desert for 40 days and how he was tempted many times by the devil. We

encouraged them to pray and focus on positive things in their lives to help them resist everyday temptations and be the best version of themselves. Our next EDGE is on March 28<sup>th</sup>, a Sports Night at St. Michael's school.

Our next Youth Mass and Life Teen night is April 13<sup>th</sup>. Hope to see you there!



LIFE **TEEN** 



# UNCH LIFE TEEN Lunches:

The next Life Teen lunch at the Northwest Catholic District School Board Office will be on March 27<sup>th</sup> from 11:30am-12:15pm. See

everyone there!



The Annual Soup & Bun fundraiser is this weekend. Soup and buns will be served after the Masses with a free will offering. Thank you to those who donated money or signed up for items. **We will need help in the kitchen** 

to bake bread/buns and make soup. We could also use help to clean up after the event. Those who have worked Fri., Sat. and Sun. will be very tired and would greatly appreciate a helping hand. If you can help, please come to the church basement Saturday and/or Sunday. This is a very worthy all Parish event and we are so grateful for your continued support. We will deliver bread and prayer cards to shut-ins.

#### **FESTA ITALIANA**

An Evening Of Italian Food & Live Music

Date: Saturday, April 06, 2019 Time: Doors Open at 6 PM

Social Hour: (6 - 6:30) Antipasto Bar & Drinks

Dinner: 6:30 PM

Menu:

Antipasto Bar: Featuring a selection of Italian

meats, cheeses, marinated vegetables...

Primo: Minestra maritata (Wedding soup)

Insalata verde

Secondo: Pollo alla parmigiana con fettuccine

(Chicken parmesan with fettuccine)
Fagiolini verdi e gialli con pancetta

(green and yellow beans with pancetta)

Dessert: Amaretto and cigliege gelato, Amaretti

Drinks: Coffee or tea, soft drinks, water \*CASH BAR (featuring Italian wines)

Tickets: **\$35** Available at the Church Office

Until April 1st (Only 80 Tickets)

**SORRY:** Take out not available

Gluten free available if requested in advance

\*Proceeds to go to Kitchen Improvements

## Food for Your Journey - Predestination

One day a parish priest in Ireland was confronted with a religious problem right in the middle of the hayfield. A farmer was stacking his hay into piles, when he saw the Padre coming to him across the field. "See here, Padre," said the farmer leaning on his hayfork, "will you answer me one question that's been bothering me for some time. Tell me now, does God know everything?"

"He sure does," came the answer.

"Does he know whether I'm going to be saved or I'm going to be lost?"

"Hmmmm, I suppose he does."

"Tell me then, why should I be bothering about trying to save my soul? I'm not going to change his mind for him, am I?"

"Well now, Bill," said the Padre after a little thought, "you and I agree that the Good Lord knows everything, don't we?"

"Sure, Padre."

"Does he know whether this crop of hay will be saved or lost?"

"I suppose he does; no doubt about it."

"Well then, Bill, why don't you get up on your tractor and go home. You're not going to change God's mind, are you?"

The farmer looked at him, got the message, and went back to saving his hay.

#### A Smile for Your Journey

For those who tire of excuses why people don't go to church, these are the reasons why I never wash:

- 1. I was forced to wash as a child.
- 2. People who wash are hypocrites they think they're cleaner than others.
- 3. There are so many kinds of soap I could never decide which was right.
- 4. I used to wash, but it got boring.
- 5. I only wash on Christmas and Easter.
- 6. None of my friends wash.
- 7. I'll start washing when I'm older.
- 8. I really don't have time.
- 9. The bathroom isn't warm enough.
- 10. People who make soap are only after your money.





Salt & Light Discovery Camp 2019

July 8th-12th, 2019

#### DISCOVERY CAMP 2019: SEARCH

Discover the difference our Salt & Light Discovery Camp experience can make in your child's life and yours! Camp will be held outside Fort Frances at beautiful Sunny Cove camp on Rainy Lake from July 8th - 12th this year. This is a Catholic Bible camp directed by Michael and Kali Brady for youth in grades 7-10. Cost is \$180.00. For more information email: <a href="mailto:kalidbrady@gmail.com">kalidbrady@gmail.com</a> or call/text 1-807-275-9225.

Applications are available!