

**First Sunday of Lent**

**March 10, 2019**



# LENT


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## Watch and Pray...



“It is written, One does not live on bread alone.” “It is written: You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve.” “It also says, You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test.”

**“Watch and pray so that you will not fall into temptation.”**

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# MASS TIMES

## HORARIO DE MISAS

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### SUNDAY LITURGIES

Saturday: —5:00pm (*English*)

—6:30pm (*Español*)

Sunday: —7:30am (*English*)

—9:00am (*English*)

—11:00am (*English*)

—12:30pm (*Po Polsku*)

### WEEKDAY LITURGIES

8:00am (*English*) Tue, Th, Fri

\* Wednesday at 9:00am (school months only)

### HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Mass of Anticipation:

—7:00pm (*Español*)

Holy Day:

—8:00am (*English*)

—10:00am (*English*)

(school months only)

—7:00pm (*English*)

Memorial Day & Thanksgiving

—9:00am (*English*)

### School Masses (school months only)

Wednesday at 9:00am (Elementary School) — Friday at 2:00pm (Middle School)

## READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

### INTENCIONES Y LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

MSZE ŚW. W TYGODNIU

### Monday of the First Week of Lent—March 11

✠ Lv 19:1-2, 11-18 / Mt 25:31-46

### Tuesday of the First Week of Lent—March 12

✠ Is 55:10-11 / Mt 6:7-15

8:00 am †Sandy Schraml / †Mary Pat Lemanski / †John Kray Jr.

### Wednesday of the First Week of Lent—March 13

✠ Jon 3:1-10 / Lk 11:29-32

9:00 am Frassati students, faculty & their families / †John Kray Jr. /  
†Detective Brian Simonsen

### Thursday of the First Week of Lent—March 14

✠ Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25 / Mt 7:7-12

8:00 am †Hayley M. Sprow / †John Kray Jr.

### Friday of the First Week of Lent—March 15

✠ Ez 18:21-28 / Mt 5:20-26

8:00 am †Teofila Ceniza / †John Kray Jr.

2:00 pm Frassati students, faculty & their families

### Saturday of the First Week of Lent—March 16

✠ Dt 26:16-19 / Mt 5:43-48

### Second Sunday of Lent

✠ Gn 15:5-12, 17-18 / Phil 3:17—4:1 / Lk 9:28B-36

5:00 pm †Theresa Solimini / For All Confirmandi

6:30 pm Esther Garcia

7:30 am †William & Elaine McElroy / †Hayley M. Sprow

9:00 am Larry Conino / †Meagan McDonough / †John Kray Jr.

11:00 am †Roberta Morena / †Mario Bertolani

12:30 pm All Nations Leaders

## "WE BELIEVE"

In this time of desperation  
When all we know is doubt and fear  
There is only one foundation  
We believe, we believe  
In this broken generation  
When all is dark, You help us see  
There is only one salvation  
We believe, we believe

WE BELIEVE IN GOD THE FATHER  
WE BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST  
WE BELIEVE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT  
AND HE'S GIVEN US NEW LIFE  
WE BELIEVE IN THE CRUCIFIXION  
WE BELIEVE THAT HE CONQUERED DEATH  
WE BELIEVE IN THE RESURRECTION  
AND HE'S COMIN' BACK AGAIN, WE BELIEVE

So, let our faith be more than anthems  
Greater than the songs we sing  
And in our weakness and temptations  
We believe, we believe!

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AND HE'S COMIN' BACK AGAIN!

Let the lost be found and the dead be raised!  
In the here and now, let love invade!  
Let the church live loud, our God we'll say  
We believe, we believe!  
And the gates of hell will not prevail!  
For the power of God, has torn the veil!  
Now we know Your love will never fail!  
We believe, we believe!

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WE BELIEVE! WE BELIEVE

## LILY MEMORIAL

**DONATE** and help us to beautify Transfiguration Altar for Easter. With your donation we will remember a loved one in one mass during this holyday season.

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NAME OF LOVED ONE TO BE REMEMBERED



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THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU

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# This Sunday's Liturgy

## FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT LITURGY OF THE WORD

### READING I — DT 26:4-10

Moses spoke to the people, saying:  
"The priest shall receive the basket from you and shall set it in front of the altar of the LORD, your God. Then you shall declare before the Lord, your God, 'My father was a wandering Aramean who went down to Egypt with a small household and lived there as an alien. But there he became a nation great, strong, and numerous. When the Egyptians maltreated and oppressed us, imposing hard labor upon us, we cried to the LORD, the God of our fathers, and he heard our cry and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. He brought us out of Egypt with his strong hand and outstretched arm, with terrifying power, with signs and wonders; and bringing us into this country, he gave us this land flowing with milk and honey. Therefore, I have now brought you the firstfruits of the products of the soil which you, O LORD, have given me. 'And having set them before the Lord, your God, you shall bow down in his presence.'"

### PSALM 191: Be With Me #50

### READING II — ROM 10:8-13

Brothers and sisters:  
What does Scripture say? *The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart*—that is, the word of faith that we preach—for, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. For the Scripture says, *No one who believes in him will be put to shame*. For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all, enriching all who call upon him. For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Daily Mass Intentions are available for parishioners who would like their intentions to be remembered at Mass. Intentions are available for those who have died or for someone who is living. Stop by the Parish Office or call us to obtain a date and time.

### GOSPEL — LK 4:1-13

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the desert for forty days, to be tempted by the devil. He ate nothing during those days, and when they were over he was hungry. The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become bread." Jesus answered him, "It is written, *One does not live on bread alone*." Then he took him up and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in a single instant. The devil said to him, "I shall give to you all this power and glory; for it has been handed over to me, and I may give it to whomever I wish. All this will be yours, if you worship me." Jesus said to him in reply, "It is written: *You shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve*." Then he led him to Jerusalem, made him stand on the parapet of the temple, and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written: *He will command his angels concerning you, to guard you, and: With their hands they will support you, lest you dash your foot against a stone*." Jesus said to him in reply, "It also says, *You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test*." When the devil had finished every temptation, he departed from him for a time.

## SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS

### General Intention

— For Peace and Unity in our Nation

**5:00 pm** — For an End to War

**6:30 pm** — Peace in Our World

**7:30 am** — †Charlette Weber  
†Laura Gertonson Kirby

**9:00 am** — Mitch Morris  
†Dc. Marion Omiatek  
†John Kray Jr.

**11:00 am** — Vicki Dawn  
†Antonia & Tomasz Blachaniec

**12:30 pm** — Those Grieving the Loss of a Loved One

All announcements must be submitted to the bulletin for publication 10 days prior to the bulletin date.

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Please submit requests to speak at Mass one month in advance. All requests will be approved by the Pastor.

## LENT

A TIME OF REPENTANCE, GRACE & RENEWAL

### Sustained by the Spirit

Perhaps the most overlooked line in this famous Gospel is that Jesus had just *returned from the Jordan*. He had just been filled with the grace of the Holy Spirit (his own Spirit) in the waters of the Jordan, an “anointing” which established him publicly as the Christ, the Anointed One. That same Spirit had overshadowed Mary and led to her conceiving the Lord; that same Spirit had inspired Simeon to recognize a small baby as the Messiah; that same Spirit goes out of Jesus when he performs miracles; and that same Spirit will raise him from the dead (CCC 695).

It is the Spirit who now leads him into the desert for forty days. Certainly, that Spirit never parted from him in that lonely desert, but instead inspired his prayer. For prayer was Christ's usual habit to discern and obey the will of the Father, and to prepare himself for whatever momentous event was ahead of him.

Sustained by only grace and prayer, Christ encounters the devil. Imagine – the devil tries to put God himself to the test! Famously, the devil tempts him three times. The devil commands Christ to turn stones into bread to satisfy his physical needs. Christ refuses because *one does not live by bread alone* (Deuteronomy 8:3). The devil asks Christ to worship him, claiming he will give him all the kingdoms of the world. Christ refuses, stating that *you shall worship the Lord, your God, and him alone shall you serve* (Deuteronomy 6:13). Finally, the devil asks Christ to prove that he is the Son of God by throwing himself down from the highest point of the Temple because angels will guard him. Christ refuses, saying, *you shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test* (Deuteronomy 6:16). Each time, sustained by the Spirit and with a command of God's revealed word, Christ can resist temptation. He is victorious over temptation just as he will be victorious over death (CCC 539).

### THE HEART OF THE MATTER: TIME FOR REFLECTION AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

Like that devil in the desert, how often do we put God to the test? How often do we “negotiate” with God and ignore his will to suit ours? How often do we pray that “yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,” yet turn away to seek our own glory, to demand our own power and to build our own little kingdoms?

This Lent, let us resolve to be fortified by the same thing which gave Jesus strength against evil. Like Jesus, let us cultivate a deeper prayer life. Let us turn to sacred Scripture to discern God's will for us and to hear God speaking to us. Let us rely on the abiding presence of the Holy Spirit when we are weak, and thank him when we are made strong. And when these forty days of Lent are through, may we sing ever more joyfully that Christ has conquered sin and death.

## PARISH MISSION

MARCH 10, 11 AND 12, 2019



### The Mystery of the HOLY TRINITY

By Fr. Robert Miller and Mark Nimo

**COME AND JOIN US: YOU ARE  
OUR GUEST OF HONOR**

**This Week at Transfiguration**

CALENDARIO SEMANAL

KALENDARZ TYGODNIOWY

**Sunday, March 10**

- 8:00 am AA Meeting (closed)—YH  
 8:30 am RCIA—MR 2,3  
 10:00 am SOR Classes—Classrooms  
 3:30 pm Spanish Altar Server Training—CH  
 7:00 pm Parish Mission—CH, PLC, PLC Hallway

**Monday, March 11**

- 6:30 am Journeymen Prayer Group—MR1  
 6:00 pm LOTW Faith Sharing—Spa. Min. Ofc  
 7:00 pm Parish Mission—CH, PLC, PLC Hallway  
 7:00 pm Pastoral Council—MR3

**Tuesday, March 12**

- 8:30 am Confessions—CH  
 7:00 pm Parish Mission—CH, PLC, PLC Hallway

**Wednesday, March 13**

- 6:30 pm Youth Ministry—YH  
 6:30 pm CONFESSIONS CANCELLED  
 7:00 pm Confirmation Practice for 9:30 Mass—CH

**Thursday, March 14**

- 8:30 am Confessions—CH  
 6:00 pm Weight Watchers—MR1,2  
 6:00 pm Rosary Making—Sp. Min. Ofc  
 6:30 pm Girl Scouts—OWC  
 7:00 pm All Choir Rehearsal—School Music Rm.  
 7:00 pm Confirmation Practice for 1:30 Mass—CH

**Friday, March 15**

- 8:30 am Confessions—CH  
 1:40 pm School Stations of the Cross—CH  
 4:00 pm Quinceanera: Jasmin Tapia—CH  
 5:00 pm KoC Fish Fry—PLC  
 6:00 pm Mandolin & Guitar Rehearsal—Spa. Min Ofc  
 7:00 pm Spanish Youth Group—Café  
 7:00 pm Coro Hispano—Spa. Min. Ofc  
 7:30 pm Lenten Stations of the Cross (E/S/P)—CH

**Saturday, March 16**

- 9:00 am LOTW Small Group Faith Sharing—YH  
 9:30 am Confirmation Mass—CH, PLC, MR  
 11:00 am Carpenter's Crafters Ministry—OWC  
 1:30 pm Confirmation Mass—CH, PLC, MR

**Parish Announcements**

ANNUNCIOS PARROQUIALES

OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE

**PARISH MISSION**

All parishioners and their guests are invited to attend our Parish Mission presented by Fr. Bob Miller and Dr. Mark Nimo. Please bring your bible and join us for an experience of The Mystery of the Holy Trinity—March 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Church. Don't worry if you don't have a bible—we'll share!

**OPERATION RICE BOWL**

Support Operation Rice Bowl this Lenten season. You can pick up your CRS Rice Bowl in the vestibule. Proceeds will be split with our St. Vincent DePaul Ministry to assist area families that are in need. Please turn in you Bowl or envelope with your donation at the end of Lent.

**BETHLEHEM GIFTS**

This weekend and during the Parish Mission (March 10-12), you will have the opportunity to purchase religious articles from the Holy Land. These are made from the Olive wood of the Holy Land by descendants and inheritors of early Christians. Your purchase helps them remain in the Holy Land and supports their continued presence in the place of birth of Christianity.

**SECOND COLLECTION**

—CENTRAL &amp; EASTERN EUROPE

This weekend our special collection supports the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your donation today helps restore the Church and build the future in more than 20 countries still struggling to recover in the aftermath of communist rule. Funds from this collection help support reconstruction, education, formation, and outreach to alleviate poverty. Please be generous to the collection today. For more information, please visit [www.usccb.org/ccee](http://www.usccb.org/ccee).

**NO CONFESSIONS ON MARCH 13, 2019**

Confessions this Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup> have been cancelled due to Confirmation practice. Please see **page 9** of the bulletin for the Confessions Lenten schedule. We apologize for any inconvenience.

**LADIES BUNCO CANCELLED**

Ladies Bunco has been cancelled this Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup> due to the Parish Mission. The next Bunco night will be Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>.



## STEWARDSHIP

*SOMOS DISCIPULOS COMPROMETIDOS*  
*DZIELENIE SIĘ DARAMI*

*"I have now brought you the first fruits of the products of the soil which you, O Lord, have given to me." DEUTERONOMY 26:10*

This line from the Old Testament offers two challenges. First, do you give to God from your "first fruits", the best that you have to offer, or do you give from what is leftover? Second, do you recognize that everything you have has been given to you by God? Ask God for a grateful and generous heart, every day, in all circumstances.

*" Y ahora yo traigo las primicias de los productos del suelo que tú, Yahveh, me has dado.» ". Deuteronomio 26:10*

Esta línea del Antiguo Testamento ofrece dos desafíos. Primero, ¿le das a Dios de tus "primicias", lo mejor que tienes para ofrecer, o das de lo que queda? Segundo, ¿reconoces que todo lo que tienes te ha sido dado por Dios? Pídale a Dios un corazón agradecido y generoso, todos los días, en cualquier circunstancia.

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*OFIARA TYGODNIOWA*

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YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET	THIS YEAR
Presupuesto Anual: Budżet na Ten Rok:	\$ (3,341.21)
<b>SUNDAY COLLECTION:</b>	
Ofrenda Dominical: Niedzielną Ofiarą:	\$ 8,563.50
<b>GIVECENTRAL (40 Contributors)</b>	
Ofrenda Dominical Electronica: GiveCentral Ofiara:	\$ 1,170.00
<b>THIS WEEK LAST YEAR:</b>	
Ofrenda Dominical hace un Año: Ten Sam Tydzień Zeszły Rok:	\$ 10,962.71
<b>NO. OF ENVELOPES THIS YEAR</b>	
Sobres usados este Año: Liczba Kopert Ten Rok:	239
<b>NO. OF ENVELOPES LAST YEAR</b>	
Sobres usados hace un Año: Liczba Kopert Zeszły Rok:	260

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# LIVE YOUR BEST LENT

## What Should I Do For Lent? Pope Francis' 10 Tips

Every year Catholics try to answer the age old question: What should I do for Lent? Well, who better to pick for as your Lenten spiritual director than Pope Francis? He has some great ideas for you!

Here we selected 10 of his best tips:

### 1. GET RID OF THE LAZY ADDICTION TO EVIL

"[Lent] is a 'powerful' season, a turning point that can foster change and conversion in each of us. We all need to improve, to change for the better. Lent helps us and thus we leave behind old habits and the lazy addiction to the evil that deceives and ensnares us." – General Audience, March 5, 2014

### 2. DO SOMETHING THAT HURTS

"Lent is a fitting time for self-denial; we would do well to ask ourselves what we can give up in order to help and enrich others by our own poverty. Let us not forget that real poverty hurts: no self-denial is real without this dimension of penance. I distrust a charity that costs nothing and does not hurt." – Lenten Message, 2014

### 3. DON'T REMAIN INDIFFERENT

"Indifference to our neighbor and to God also represents a real temptation for us Christians. Each year during Lent we need to hear once more the voice of the prophets who cry out and trouble our conscience. God is not indifferent to our world; he so loves it that he gave his Son for our salvation." –Lenten Message, 2015

### 4. PRAY: MAKE OUR HEARTS LIKE YOURS!

"During this Lent, then, brothers and sisters, let us all ask the Lord: 'Fac cor nostrum secundum cor tuum': Make our hearts like yours (Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus). In this way we will receive a heart which is firm and merciful, attentive and generous, a heart which is not closed, indifferent or prey to the globalization of indifference." – Lenten Message, 2015

### 5. TAKE PART IN THE SACRAMENTS

"Lent is a favorable time for letting Christ serve us so that we in turn may become more like him. This happens whenever we hear the word of God and receive the sacraments, especially the Eucharist. There we become what we receive: the Body of Christ." – Lenten Message, 2015

### 6. PRAYER

"In the face of so many wounds that hurt us and could harden our hearts, we are called to dive into the sea of prayer, which is the sea of God's boundless love, to taste his tenderness. Lent is a time of prayer, of more intense prayer, more prolonged, more assiduous, more able to take on the needs of the brethren; intercessory prayer, to intercede before God for the many situations of poverty and suffering." – Homily, March 5, 2014

### 7. FASTING

"We must be careful not to practice a formal fast, or one which in truth 'satisfies' us because it makes us feel good about ourselves. Fasting makes sense if it questions our security, and if it also leads to some benefit for others, if it helps us to cultivate the style of the Good Samaritan, who bends down to his brother in need and takes care of him." – Homily, March 5, 2014

"Fasting makes sense if it questions our security..." - Pope Francis

### 8. ALMSGIVING

"Today gratuitousness is often not part of daily life where everything is bought and sold. Everything is calculated and measured. Almsgiving helps us to experience giving freely, which leads to freedom from the obsession of possessing, from the fear of losing what we have, from the sadness of one who does not wish to share his wealth with others." – Homily, March 5, 2014

### 9. HELP THE POOR

"In the poor and outcast we see Christ's face; by loving and helping the poor, we love and serve Christ. Our efforts are also directed to ending violations of human dignity, discrimination and abuse in the world, for these are so often the cause of destitution. When power, luxury and money become idols, they take priority over the need for a fair distribution of wealth. Our consciences thus need to be converted to justice, equality, simplicity and sharing." – Lenten Message, 2014

### 10. EVANGELIZE

"The Lord asks us to be joyous heralds of this message of mercy and hope! It is thrilling to experience the joy of spreading this good news, sharing the treasure entrusted to us, consoling broken hearts and offering hope to our brothers and sisters experiencing darkness." – Lenten Message, 2014

You probably won't be able to take huge steps forward in all of these areas. Instead, pick a couple that stand out to you and try to find practical ways to grow in your love of God and your love of your neighbor.

## THE THREE PRACTICES OF LENT:



# LIVE YOUR BEST LENT

## CONFESSIONS

**MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY**  
After Morning Mass to 9:00am — in English

### WEDNESDAYS OF LENT

6:30pm to 7:30pm  
English, Español i po polsku

### FRIDAYS OF LENT

6:30pm to 7:30pm —English & Español

**FIRST FRIDAY APRIL 5, 2019**  
**NO CONFESSIONS**

### SATURDAYS OF LENT

from 4:00pm to 4:45pm  
— in English

## THE WAY OF THE CROSS

### EVERY FRIDAY OF LENT

- **1:40 pm at Church in English.**  
Divine Mercy Chaplet in Song at 3:00pm
- **7:30 pm at Church (Trilingual)**

### FIRST FRIDAYS OF LENT

Friday, APRIL 5, 2019

- **Morning Mass: 9:00am**
- **Adoration: 10:30am to 1:30pm**
- **Stations of the Cross: 1:40pm**
- **SCHOOL MASS: 2:00pm**
- **Adoration: 3:00pm to 6:55pm**
- **Rosary: 6:00pm**
- **Divine Mercy Chaplet: 6:30pm**
- **Benediction: 7:15pm**
- **Mass: 7:30pm**  
**Stations of the Cross after Mass**

## ABSTINENCE

The law of abstinence requires a Catholic 14 years of age until death to abstain from eating meat on Fridays in honor of the Passion of Jesus on Good Friday. **During Lent** abstinence from meat on Fridays is obligatory in the United States as elsewhere.

## FASTING

The law of fasting requires a Catholic from the 18th Birthday to the 59th Birthday to reduce the amount of food eaten from normal. The Church defines this as one meal a day, and two smaller meals which if added together would not exceed the main meal in quantity. Such fasting is obligatory on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. The fast is broken by eating between meals and by drinks which could be considered food (milk shakes, but not milk). Alcoholic beverages do not break the fast; however, they seem to be contrary to the spirit of doing penance.

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**PRAYING † FASTING † ALMSGIVING**

## Prayer List for the sick

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*MODLITWA ZA CHORYCH*

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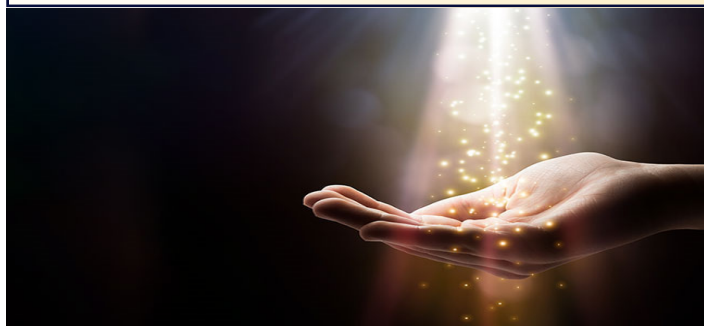
## A Prayer for Healing

*ORACION DE SANACION*

*MODLITWA O UZDROWIENIE*

**Lord, You invite all who are burdened to come to you. Allow Your healing Hand to heal me. Touch my soul with Your compassion for others; touch my heart with Your courage and infinite Love for all; touch my mind with Your Wisdom, and may my mouth always proclaim Your praise. Teach me to reach out to You in all my needs, and help me to lead others to You by my example.**

**Most loving Heart of Jesus, bring me health in body and spirit that I may serve You with all my strength. Touch gently this life which you have created, now and forever. Amen.**



## Pray for the Faithful Departed

*OREMOS POR LOS DIFUNTOS*

*MÓDLMY SIĘ ZA TYCH CO ODESZLI*

**“Come, you who are blessed by my father, says the Lord, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.”**

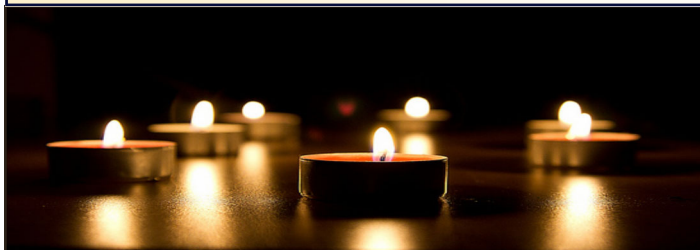
**John Kray Jr.**

**Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them, O Lord.**

And Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Them.

**May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.**

AMEN



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# CONFIRMATION

During the month of February, our Confirmandi have attended Reconciliations and interviews on Tuesday evenings. These young people are only two weeks away from receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please keep them in your prayers as they complete their faith journey.

Special thanks to Father Juan Pablo and Father John Hoffman who heard the confessions of all our candidates.

Also, we had an incredible turnout of interviewers. The School of Religion would like to thank those who gave of their time so selflessly on cold and icy nights:

Karen Abernathy	Theresa Hart	Josette Pezowicz
Bill Barron	Tom Healy	Martha Pilaski
Sandy Barron	Karen Lazaro	Al Puga
Jim Fijalkiewicz	Bev McKeown	Cheryl Reilly
MaryAnn Fijalkiewicz	Ken Michaels	Israel Santiago
	Maritza Morales	Chris Wagner
Lorrie Gaughn	Anne Munter	Lidia Wojcik
Monica Glavey	Flor Orozco	Barb Yank
Monica Harding	Vicky Peloquin	

Throughout the school year, our Confirmandi have been working on their Confirmation Portfolios. Their portfolios will be displayed at the back of the church. We invite you all to stop by and read them and get to know this year's Confirmation candidates!

The School of Religion is looking for a **temporary PT secretary** for the months of **April, May and June**.

Training to begin ASAP.

Hours 9:00 AM-1:00 PM, Monday-Friday plus, extra event hours.

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Friday, May 10th, 2019

6:00pm-12:00am

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# 12 ...Love Your Neighbor...



You may have noticed the growth in our choir. We still have room for more singers! The choir is currently working on some new songs and will begin preparation for the Triduum and Easter celebrations soon. Rehearsals are on Thursday evenings at 7 pm in the church. Typically, they require 1 hour of your time. People of all ages and skills are encouraged. If you have any questions, please contact Chris O'Brien at 847-526-2400 x 225 or email [chrisobrientransfig@gmail.com](mailto:chrisobrientransfig@gmail.com).

## Sacristan Committee

March 11 to March 18  
Carolyn Cox & Barb Yank

March 18 to March 25  
Joellen Gaschler & Priscilla Padavic

## Hospital Schedule

Monday, March 11  
M.A. Fijalkiewicz & Anne Munter

Monday, March 18  
Dolores Brumm & Mary Eltges

## MINISTERS OF CARE



Our church is a family and we consider our community a part of that family. We strive to care for and encourage those both within and beyond our walls. Our care ministry brings the Holy Eucharist to our people to hospital, nursing homes and family homes. By taking some time to bring the Holy Eucharist we show God's love and we assure our interest in their spiritual life.

Do you have a desire to bring Holy Communion to your neighbor? Please contact **Jim Fijalkiewicz: (847) 526-7101** or **Ellen Sherwin: (847) 254-4782**.

## Saint Vincent de Paul MINISTRY



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We look forward to welcoming YOU!  
Call Parish Office at 847-526-2400 ext. 222.

## PADS LAKE COUNTY

Transfiguration manages the PADS site at Messiah Lutheran here in Wauconda each 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend of the month October through April.

**Donations:** PADS has requested donations go to their central office rather than just to clients at our site. The need is greatest for Thermal Underwear, men's sizes M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, some Tall for these sizes as well. Put these items in the PADS box in the Gathering Place.

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8:30 to 9:00am

**MIERCOLES—WEDNESDAY—ŚRODA**

\*Polish Confessions offered **LAST** Wednesday of the month  
6:30pm to 8:00pm

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## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

*Unción de los Enfermos —Namaszczenie Chorych*

**Viernes Primero—FIRST FRIDAY—Pierwszy Piątek**

During morning mass

By **APPOINTMENT** call Parish Office (847) 526-2400 and ask for one of our **PRIESTS**.

## Holy Rosary ✦ Divine Mercy Chaplet

Every day after Morning Mass

## Santo Rosario

Lunes a las 7:00pm — En la Iglesia

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Miércoles—**WEDNESDAYS**—Środa

**6:30PM to 8:30PM**

## Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

**Viernes Primero—FIRST FRIDAY— Pierwszy Piątek**

**ADORATION:** 8:30AM to 1:40PM—3:00PM to 6:55PM

**HOLY ROSARY:** 6:00 PM (TRILINGUAL)

**ADORATION:** 3:00 PM to 6:55 PM

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:** 6:30 PM (TRILINGUAL)

**BENEDICTION:** 6:55 PM

**EVENING MASS:** 7:00 PM (ENGLISH)

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Your children, and filled us  
with Your Holy Spirit.

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Your protection for our unborn brothers  
and sisters. We pray that mothers and  
fathers will place the Life of their unborn  
children above their own needs and wants.

We pray that family and community  
members will offer their support for unborn  
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## Saint Vincent de Paul MINISTRY

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## Next week's mass ministers March 16 & 17, 2019

Thank you for ministering at our weekly worship. Your attentive participation enhances the celebration for everyone.

PRESIDER, DEACON, Host Ministers	Cup Ministers	Altar Servers	Greeter, Lector, Commentator & Music Ministry
<b>5:00 pm English Language Mass</b>		<b>SATURDAY</b>	
FR. JUAN PABLO <u>Marilyn Downes</u> <u>Barbara Bechtel</u> Volunteer Needed	<b>Bill Barron</b> Susan Spychala Janie Piccolo Volunteer Needed	Jack Glasnovich Kasey Kruger Maggie Nickles	G: Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed L: Vicki Peloquin
6:30 pm Spanish Language Mass			
FR. JUAN PABLO <u>Flor Orozco</u> <u>Tomasa Mancilla</u> Israel Santiago	DC. JOSE Rosa Gil Ana Ortiz Martin Alarcon		L1: Hilda Briones Ps: Hilda Briones L2: Alonso Perez Petitions: Dc. Jose
7:30 am English Language Mass		<b>SUNDAY</b>	
FR. JUAN PABLO <u>Rick Glavey</u> <u>Monica Glavey</u> Sheila Wolverton	<b>Tina Jakubek</b> Dave Jakubek Tom Lahrman Josephine Chiovari	Stanley Rebmann Eleanor Rebmann	G: Barbara Ford Barbara Zonca L: Jeanne Blair
9:00 am English Language Mass			
FR. JUAN PABLO <u>Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz</u> <u>Leanore Speciale</u> Mike Keane Mona Engelking Volunteer Needed	<b>Jim Fijalkiewicz</b> Paula Watson Maria Weisbruch Margaret Wilkosz Clare Keane Carolyn Cox	Gesselle Vazquez Joan Vazquez Amy Keane	G: Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed L1: Ken Michaels L2: Leslie Lauer
11:00 am English Language Mass			
FR. GERARDO <u>Jack Wojcik</u> <u>Jill Ryan</u> Vincent Potenzone	<b>Mary Schwartz</b> Nancy Slupski John Wallor Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed Isabella Sebastian	G: Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed L: Marty Napoli
12:30 pm Polish Language Mass			
FR. JANUSZ <b>Krystyna Talaga</b> Anna Janicki	DC. FELIKS Piotr Wierzbicki Beata Dempsey		C: Adam Brak L1: Edward Cyran L2: Zofia Decowska

(NM) Denotes New Minister (may need assistance)

Name **Bold**—Denotes Captain

Name Underlined - Denotes Minister requested to assist in purification of vessels after mass.