THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT -Renew Us Lord!

Schedule of Masses, Services and Devotions March 17 to March 25, 2018

Weekend Masses:		
Saturday	Mar 17	VIGIL: FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
STM	4:30pm	Weekend Mass Intentions
Sunday	Mar 18	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
SFC	11am	Weekend Mass Intentions
Weekday Masses:		
Monday	Mar 19	St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
STM	8am	People of the Parish
Tuesday	Mar 20	Lenten Weekday
STM	8am	People of the Parish
Wednesday	Mar 21	Lenten Weekday
SFC	8am	Fr. Angelus Shaughnesey OFM Cap by Donnie
Thursday	Mar 22	Lenten Weekday
SFC	8am	People of the Parish
<u>Friday</u>	Mar 23	Lenten Weekday
		St. Turibus of Mogrovejo, Bishop
No Mass he	ere	8am Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Weekend Masses:		
Saturday	Mar 24	VIGIL: PALM SUNDAY
STM	4:30pm	Weekend Mass Intentions
Sunday	Mar 25	PALM SUNDAY
SFC	11am	Weekend Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions for Mar 17/18: Anne Gildone by Berniece Dickey; Josephine Colby by Nick & Lisa Iarocci; Peggy Partee by Mom; Deceased Carducci Family Members by son, Michael A. Carducci, Sr.; Jim Dennison by Family; Stephen & Jane Palagyi by David & Virginia Arp; James Adams by Patricia Adams; Sylvia Parma by Barbara Arcaro; Jim Dennison by Edith & Paul Reichert; Mary C. Spink by Faith & Larry Spink; Katie R. Whitman 'Birthday Memorial' by Grandma Dickey; Tom Swalley by mom, Helen Novinski; Chester Arcaro by Wife & Family; Tyler Aiken by Marie & Ron Richards; Doris Timonere by sister, Eleanor Pignotti; Dina Gestwicki by son, Bobby.

Mass Intentions for Mar 24/25: Anne Gildone by Norm Black; Augustine Turner by Bob & Renee DiAsio; Carl DeNunzio, Jr. by Florence Jabaily; Agnes Cebasek 'Birthday Memorial' by son, Tom & Cathy Cebasek; Sylvia Parma by Barbara Arcaro; Jim Dennison by Nick DiBiase; Mary C. Spink by Larry & Faith Spink; Tom Swalley by mom, Helen Novinski; Chester Arcaro by Wife &Family; Sylvia Parma by Eleanor Pignotti; Bob Lewis by Karen Simmons.

Vocations "Unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a single grain. But if it dies, it produces much fruit." We must die to self in order to allow God to shape us into the person he calls us to be. Is he calling you to be a deacon, priest or religious brother or sister? To know more call Father Christopher Luoni at 330/744-8451, or email him at: cluoni@youngstowndiocese.org

Liturgical Ministers: Mar 24/25 April 7/8

STM 4:30pm: Readers: M Tate, J Zimmerman Distributors: N IarocciB, P GuglielmoC, J LauerC Servers: JD Lazorik

SFC 11am: Readers: L Webster, B Tack Distributors: S GuestB, J BoronB, D RoseC, M BoronC Altar Servers: M Thompson, X Edelman(March)

PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL THE PARISH OFFICE TO VOLUNTEER FOR ANY OF THE HOLY WEEK SERVICES/MASSES - or -

A sign-up sheet will be in the Sacristy each weekend Additional Readers will be needed for the reading of PASSION at both Masses next weekend.

Sanctuary Candles

St. Frances Cabrini Church

In Memory of:

Bert Toth Memorial Anniversary by Bartone Family Fr. Angelus Shaughnesey OFM Cap

THIS WEEK

by Donnie

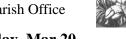
Sunday, March 18

9:15-10:45 Faith Formation 9:30am Youth Ministry Faith Discussion, Parish Center 6:30pm Heart-2-Heart, Parish Center

Monday, Mar 19

St. Joseph Day

6:30pm SVdP, Parish Office



Tuesday, Mar 20

4:30pm RCIA, Parish Office

Wednesday, Mar 21

6pm Prayer Shawl, Parish Office **6-7:20pm** Book Discussion: Four Signs of a Dynamic Catholic, Parish Center **7-8pm** SFC Church Open for Prayer 7:30pm Recitation of the Rosary

Thursday, March 22

6:30pm CAMA Lenten Service/ Jan Walsh / Corpus Christi Choir, First Congregational UCC

Friday, March 23

4pm Stations of the Cross, SFC 4:30pm Confession, SFC **4:30-6:30pm** Fish Dinner,

Parish Center

Saturday, March 24

3:30pm Confession, STM

Sunday, March 25 Palm Sunday

9:15-10:45 Faith Formation 9:30am Youth Ministry Faith Discussion, Parish Center 9:30am Book Discussion: Four Signs of

a Dynamic Catholic

Please notify the office if you would like your Tax Statement for 2017. Call 599-8570 or email: stmsfc@hotmail.com.

Scripture Readings Mar 24/25, 2018

Jeremiah 31:31-34 Hebrews 5:7-9 John 12:20-33



Stewardship Update Last Weekend Sunday \$5,284.55

174 Envelopes

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Stewardship "I will be their God and they shall be my people." - JEREMIAH 31:33 What does it mean to be God's people? It means we recognize that everything we have, and everything we are, belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything; we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our neighbors and the world, just as God cares for us.

CRS Rice Bowl: We encounter Alefa in Malawi, where seeds are helping her family survive an uncertain climate. How can you care for God's creation this Lent? How can you support those, worldwide, who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? FMI visit **crsricebowl.org**

The 2018 Bishop's Appeal for Catholic Charities and Church Did you know that Catholic Charities is on social media? Learn about the latest news and events by "liking" us on Facebook (Catholic Charities Diocese of Youngstown), and following us on Twitter (@ccdoy), Instagram (ccdoy), and Pinterest (Catholic Charities Diocese of Youngstown). This year's goal for our Parish is \$32,615. To date 88 families have responded with \$15,195 (46%) in pledges. The Appeal is the primary funding source for Catholic Charities in our six-county diocese. To make your gift to the 2018 Appeal use the pledge envelope in your pew or online, visit www.doy.org.

2017-2018 Faith Formation Programs for all age groups. All take place at The Parish Center:

*Faith Formation for Gr. 1-8 Sundays, 9:15-10:45am

*HS Youth Ministry Coffee House Sundays 9:30am

*Book Study for Dynamic Catholics

Sunday Mornings 9:30am

Wednesday Evenings 6-7:20pm

FMI call Nick Perkoski at the Parish Office, 599-8570.

Time for Prayer: St. Frances Cabrini Church is open from 7-8pm on Wednesday evenings for anyone wishing to spend time in prayer. There is time for private prayer 7-7:30pm followed by the *Rosary 7:30-8pm*. Hope to see you there!

FORMED which offers 24/7 access to the best Catholic content on any device. Go to www.FORMED.org. You will see the registration box for parishioners. Type in the parish code – **MX7XNH**. FMI, call the Parish Office. This service is *Free* for all Parishioners.

Heart-2-Heart is an outreach ministry to anyone whose has a loved one suffering from addiction. If you need help, join us at 6pm Sun, March 18 at the Parish Center. The topic this month is *What's Love Got to do with it? - Self Care* presented by Debbie Boyd-Tressler. All are welcome.

Our 'Featured Advertiser' this week is:

DEMSHAR / EATON CPA

Thank you for your support of our weekly bulletin!

Clarification of times for Holy Week Schedule:

6pm Mon – *Seder Meal* at Parish Center

6pm Tues – *Lenten Movie/Reflection*

with light soup dinner

8pm Weds–*Tenebrae Prayer Service*

of Light and Darkness at St. Frances Cabrini Church

Our Finance and Pastoral Planning Councils met recently and recommended we accept a Full-Price offer for St. Mary Hall, the Parish Rectory, garages and the parking lot south of the hall. *This does not include St. Mary Church and the parking lot north of the church*. The prospective buyer is interested in opening a Maritime Academy to train students as Sea Captains and on the construction and maintenance of boats. There are still many hurdles to climb locally, and with the Diocese, before this would actually happen, but our councils have approved the first step.

Desserts are needed for all the Lenten Fish Dinners. No phone calls are being made; we are relying on your continued generosity. So far, the desserts have been plentiful and delicious! Thank you for all you've done and continue to do!

Guidelines for Fasting and Abstinence

Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. The norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Catholic Church from age 14 onwards. Good Friday will be an obligatory day of fasting and abstinence for Catholics.

6th Annual Donate to Win a New Car! The Nassief Auto Family has once again teamed up with Goodwill Industries, the Animal Protective League and our 16 Local Food Pantries to accept your donations for these worthy organizations. All agencies will accept items for all charities. One bag/donation = one ticket that could win you the *BRAND NEW 2018 TOYOTA COROLLA*! No limit on the number of donations you can bring in. Someone will win the New Toyota, it might as well be you! Go to nassief.com for suggested donations. Must donate before April 30, 2018.

The Ashtabula County Board of Realtors will hold their 27th Annual Cake Auction on Sat, April 7 at the Ashtabula Mall. Entertainment by John Fisher, Carol Hill and the Magic Touch Band begins at 11am, the cake auction starts at Noon with Gary Heaven. This event supports Hospice of the Western Reserve for patients in Ashtabula County.