

Third Sunday of Lent

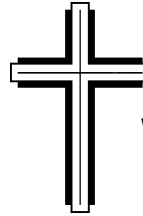
Prelude
 Entrance Hymn:
 St. Meinrad Entrance Antiphon
 Penitential Act
 Collect

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Reading I
 Responsorial Psalm #95
 If Today You Hear His Voice; Antiphon III
 Reading II
 Lenten Gospel Acclamation
 Gospel
 Homily
 Nicene Creed (*inside front cover*) #209
 Universal Prayer

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts: #677
 O God, Who Gives Us Life and Breath
 Mass of Charity and Love
 The Lord's Prayer
 Lamb of God: Mass of Charity and Love
 Communion Hymn:
 Biery Communion Antiphon
 Anthem (4pm): As Panting Deer
 by David Ashely White
 Announcements
 Blessing and Dismissal
 Closing Hymn: Instrumental



Our Weekly Offering

March 4/5 \$5,795.50
 Envelopes mailed: 326
 Envelopes received: 83

Common Cents	\$ 5	Mission Sunday	\$ 10
Easter Flowers	\$ 280	Rel. Retirement	\$ 2
Initial Offering	\$ 10	Winter Heating	\$ 2

Contribution Envelopes: Due to supply chain and the inability to add employees at the rate necessary has created a slow draw on production and shipping of contribution envelopes from our envelope company. Envelopes will not resume and be delivered until May. Envelopes are placed in the pews and at the Literature Rack or you can use your own envelopes until shipping resumes. We appreciate your understanding.

2022 Contributions: Contribution listings were closed on January 1, 2023. Any contributions dated after December 31, 2022 will be listed on your 2023 financial statement. Please call the rectory at 330-744-5233 to request a copy of your contribution statement.

Knights of Columbus: Saint Edward's Knights of Columbus will be selling tickets after all Masses next weekend, **March 18th and 19th**, and **March 25th and 26th** to support their charities on a state and local level. Men 18 or older who would like to become a K of C member can see one of the members, Msgr. Siffrin or Fr. Zwilling.

Easter Flowers: Those wishing to donate an Easter plant in memory of a deceased member of your family or other, may do so by making a \$15 donation per plant. Because you will not be receiving your envelope packet in the mail, please use the blank envelopes in the pews, at the Literature Rack or use your own and mark the envelope Easter Flowers. Please **print** the information on the envelope or place a note inside of the envelope with the name of the person(s) you would like to memorialize and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the rectory by **March 19th** in order for us to publish the names in our Easter bulletin. These plants will be used to decorate the Cathedral.

25th, 40th, 50th and over Wedding Anniversary Celebration: The Diocese of Youngstown is sponsoring a Wedding Anniversary Celebration on Sunday, **May 7, 2023**, 2:00 p.m. at Saint Columba Cathedral, honoring couples observing their 25th, 40th, 50th and over wedding anniversaries in 2023. The Wedding Anniversary Celebration will include Mass with the Most Reverend David J. Bonnar, renewal of marriage vows, a personalized certificate for each couple and a light reception for the couple and their families in the cathedral hall. Couples must make reservation in advance by contacting your parish office as soon as possible, but no later than **March 29**. Limited spaces are available.

Save the Date: The First Annual Bishop's Golf Classic is a Golf Outing to support and promote vocations in the Diocese of Youngstown. It will be held on Wednesday, **August 2, 2023**. Golfers and Sponsors Needed! More information forthcoming.

MASSES for the WEEK**Saturday, March 11***Daily Readings: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20
Lk 15:1-3, 11-32***Vigil: Third Sunday of Lent**

4:00 PM +Belszek, Veck & LaCivita Families

Sunday, March 12**Third Sunday of Lent***Readings: Ex 17:3-7
Rom 5:1-2, 5-8
Jn 4:5-42*

10:30 AM +Kathleen Snovak

4:00 PM +John R. Leshinsky, Jr.

Monday, March 13**Lenten Weekday***Readings: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab
Lk 4:24-30*

12:10 PM +Bishop Emmett Walsh

Tuesday, March 14**Lenten Weekday***Readings: Dn 3:25, 34-43
Mt 18:21-35*

12:10 PM Daniel Sartor

Wednesday, March 15**Lenten Weekday***Readings: Dt 4:1, 5-9
Mt 5:17-19*

12:10 PM +Angela Filipski

Thursday, March 16**Lenten Weekday***Readings: Jer 7:23-28
Lk 11:14-23*

12:10 PM Living & Dec. Parishioners of Saint Columba

Friday, March 17**Lenten Weekday Saint Patrick, Bishop***Readings: Hos 14:2-10
Mk 12:28-34*

12:10 PM +Richard Reardon

Saturday, March 18*Daily Readings: Hos 6:1-6
Lk 18:9-14***Vigil: Fourth Sunday of Lent**

4:00 PM +Beney & Garancovsky Families

Sunday, March 19**Fourth Sunday of Lent***Readings: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a
Eph 5:8-14
Jn 9:1-41*

10:30 AM Living & Dec. Parishioners of Saint Columba

4:00 PM First Catholic Slovak Union Branch 731

COMING PARISH EVENTS**Sunday, March 12**9:00 am – 12:00 PM Faith Formation in Parish Hall
10:30 AM Sunday Liturgy
No Coffee & Donuts this week
4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy**Tuesday, March 14**

1:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursday, March 161:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:15 PM Choir Rehearsal**Friday, March 17**

11:30 AM Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 189:15 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation
4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy**Knights of Columbus selling tickets after
all Masses this weekend.****Sunday, March 19**10:30 AM Sunday Liturgy
No Coffee & Donuts this week
4:00 PM Sunday Liturgy**REMEMBRANCE FLAMES
for the week of March 12:****Blessed Mother:** +Angela Filipski**Lady of Czestochowa:** Former Members of
Saint Stanislaus Parish**Sanctuary:** +John C. & Tommy Orlo**St. Joseph:** +John R. Leshinsky, Jr.*Donation for a Remembrance Flame is ten dollars
per week.***Stations of the Cross:** Please join us for Stations of the
Cross every Friday during Lent, beginning at 11:30 a.m.
Booklets will be provided. Bring a friend.**Lenten Penance:** Confessions will be held at Saint
Columba Cathedral at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, April 3,
Tuesday, April 4, and Wednesday April 5, 2023.

Stewardship Thought: *“Everyone who drinks water will be thirsty again.” John 4:13*

Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us over the long run. When we build our lives around material possessions we will always want more and no amount will ever satisfy our desire. True joy and peace only comes when we follow Jesus – when we become more “God-centered” and less “self-centered.”

Helping East Palestine: Catholic Charities, Diocese of Youngstown, in cooperation with Catholic Charities Regional Agency is collaborating with the local parishes of Our Lady of Lourdes, East Palestine and St. Jude Parish, Columbiana to provide services and resources to the residents of East Palestine. Dropping items off at alternative locations or outside of office hours, will put an unnecessary hardship on the parish staff and volunteers. Visit www.doy.org if you prefer to donate online. All online donations will be directed to assist residents of East Palestine. If you prefer to mail a check, please send checks made payable to: East Palestine Social Concerns, 375 E. Grant Street, East Palestine, OH 44413.

Shamrocks for Socks: Please consider donating to Catholic Charities’ “SHAMROCKS FOR SOCKS” collection during the month of March. For every pair or package of socks donated (or cash donation received for the purchase of socks) we will add your name and county to a Shamrock in our “Field of Green” display and share our progress on social media as it grows! Read more about this important collection on www.ccdoy.org.

St. Patrick’s Day Dispensation: Given the Church’s discipline which Catholics aged 14 and over are required to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday and each Friday during the Season of Lent. This year, however Friday of the third week of lent corresponds with Saint Patrick’s Day, March 17th, which has traditionally been an occasion of importance in the lives of so many in the Diocese of Youngstown. Having taken into consideration both past practices and present circumstances, and having judged that it would serve the spiritual good of the faithful, Bishop Bonnar has granted to the faithful of the Diocese of Youngstown, as well as to any visitor or travelers who may be physically present within the territory of this diocese, a dispensation from the obligation of abstinence from meat on **March 17, 2023**. Those taking advantage of the dispensation are urged to make some other act of Lenten sacrifice of charity, such as the public celebration of the Stations of the Cross, the giving of time in a charitable way, the spending of time in devout prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, praying for vocations, the Divine Mercy Chaplet or the rosary.

Bingo and Card Party: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Basilica Mothers of the Crucifix Society is sponsoring their annual Bingo and Card Party on Sunday, **March 19, 2023** at 3:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Hall, 343 Via Mt. Carmel Avenue, Youngstown. Lunch will be served and tickets are available for a \$6.00 donation at the door. Beautiful Door Prizes and 50/50 Raffle. Call Cathy Zack, President at 330-398-6395 for more information.

Living Bread Radio: Fr. Jim Korda will be presenting Daily Mass Reading Reflections on Living Bread Radio AM 1060 (NE Ohio), 94.5 FM (Canton) and 89.5 FM (Youngstown) the week of **March 19, 2023**. Reflections will be aired throughout each day to give listeners multiple opportunities to hear Fr. Korda’s daily reflection. You can also listen at www.livingbreadradio.com or on our cell phone app, Alexa.

Lunch and Learn: Please join us for a Lunch and Learn event to promote the newly developed Office of Peace and Justice, and to learn what that means for our local community and the Diocese of Youngstown. The Office of Peace and Justice promotes the themes of Catholic Social Teaching, particularly the dignity of the human person, through education, advocacy, and prayer. Director of Peace and Justice, R.J. Mangan, provides opportunities for the Catholic faithful to engage with various aspects of the Church’s robust social mission, coordinating and collaborating with others of good will to influence public policy for the sake of the common good. This event is FREE and open to the public, but reservations are required. Please call Angela Wells at 330-744-8451, ext. 321 to reserve your spot, or send an email message to charities@youngstowndiocese.org. Lunch and refreshments will be provided. Please advise if you have any special dietary needs or allergy concerns.

Education Day: Ursuline High School will host the annual 5th and 6th Grade Education Day on Friday, **March 31, 2023** from 8:45 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. This enrichment day will allow students to participate in special sessions with the Ursuline High School facility and Student Ambassadors to learn more about Ursuline’s academic and extracurricular programs. Students may dress casually. A pizza lunch will be provided in the cafeteria. Then will conclude the day with an exciting assembly. 5th and 6th Grade Education Day is open to any student. Families may register and download the needed paperwork at www.ursuline.com/rsvp. Students from our parochial feeder schools will register at their respective schools. Please contact Ursuline High School at 330-744-4563 for more information.

Lenten Fish Bake: Join us on **March 31, 2023** at the St. John Henry Newman Center at YSU for a Lenten Fish Bake. Celebrate with comradery and hear about our exciting plans for the future. Mass will be held at 5:15 p.m. with dinner to follow at 6:00 p.m. Let us know if you are interested in coming by calling 330-747-9202

Come and See Weekends: Saint Mary Seminary & Borromeo Seminary are once again offering “Come and See” Weekends. These are opportunities for men who are open to priesthood formation can experience life in the Seminary. The next Come and See Weekend is scheduled for **March 31 – April 2, 2023**. If you know of anyone interested in this time of prayer, discovery, and discernment, please contact Fr. Chad Johnson at 330-744-8451 or email at cjohnson@youngstowndiocese.org.

Tenebrae Service: Blessed Sacrament and Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parishes in Warren will present a Tenebrae service on Sunday, **April 2, 2023** at 7:00 p.m. at Blessed Sacrament Church, 3020 Reeves Road, Warren. Tenebrae has been a lesser known, but beautiful part of the Easter Triduum for many years. Celebrated by monasteries and parishes throughout the world, Tenebrae means darkness or shadow in Latin, and focuses our attention on the sufferings and death of our Savior. Readings, prayer, and meditational anthems by the combined parish choirs and cantors will add solemnity to the service. This will be a fitting and prayerful beginning to a week of suffering and finally jubilation on the resurrection of our Savior.

Cardinal Mooney Auction: A custom 2006 Jeep Wrangler, or \$25,000 cash will be raffled this year at the Cardinal Mooney Auction. Tickets are still available for this one of a kind Jeep at www.CardinalMooney.com. Tickets are \$100 each or 3 for \$250. Get your tickets early to be included in the \$250 monthly cash drawings. The drawing will be held on **April 22, 2023**. Two cash drawings for \$250 remain and the Grand Prize Drawing.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Cathedral Parish of St. Columba is twofold: to serve as the spiritual center of the Diocese of Youngstown by fostering the mission of the Bishop and to participate in the saving mission of Jesus Christ by caring for the spiritual and physical needs of people in Central Youngstown.

THE FRIENDS OF THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT COLUMBA

The purpose of **The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba** is to have a visual reminder of our beloved deceased not only on special days such as birthdays and anniversaries but also throughout the entire year. Once a month, a Mass is celebrated for the repose of the souls of **The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba**. On the ninth of June, the Feast of Saint Columba, the intention of the parish Mass is for *The Friends of The Cathedral of Saint Columba*. Friends who are remembered are not necessarily parishioners of Saint Columba and membership to *The Friends of the Cathedral of Saint Columba* is annual, commencing anytime of the year. Contact the parish office for further information. *Donation for being a Friend is fifty dollars a year per name or family.*

† Baker & Bukovina Families – The Family
 † Theophil & Dorothy Barcikowski – Karen Barr
 † Robert F. Bartoli – Rich Holzschuh
 † Joseph & Ann Berroteran – Joann Rich
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 † Larry & Peg Gallagher – Mike & Prue Gallagher
 † Larry Jr. & Joanne Gallagher – Mike & Prue Gallagher
 † Bill, Sue & Kenny Gause – Paul & Kathy Gause
 † Elmer Gayetsky – Family & Friends
 † Gary G. Giba – Jack W. Giba
 † Paul W. Giba – Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren
 † Henry & Helen Grondolsky - Daughters
 † Dolores J. Gulu – George Gulu
 † Frank & Catherine Holzschuh – Rich Holzschuh
 † Dec. Members of the Hoza & Holzschuh Families -
 Rich Holzschuh

† Edward J. Hulme – Hulme Family
 † Edward J. Hulme, Jr. – Hulme Family
 † John D. Hulme – Hulme Family
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 † Dec. Members of the Anthony & Ann Kempe Family - Susan K. Porter
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 † Kratofil & Maluk Families – Peggy & Michael J.
 † Deceased Members of the Lamb Family – Hulme Family
 † William, Philomena & Gloria LaTessa –
 Judith Varveris-Economus
 † Thomas & Clara Leone - Frank & Gloria Wielbruda
 † Deceased Members of the Leone & Kubala Families -
 Steve & Ginger Leone-Kubala

† John & Mary Ellen Leshinsky – Elder & Young Families
 † John N. Logue – The Logue Family
 † Frances & Michael Luchansky – Paul R. Giba
 † Frank R. Lucido, Jr. – Kathy Lucido
 † Stefan & Regina Maszczak & Benedykt Figas -
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 † Sierra McCorvey – Bill & Barb Zorn
 † Deceased Members of the McCullion Family – Mickey Murphy
 † Mesaros, Vallus & Duraney Families – The Family
 † Milan & Ruth Monus – The Monus Family
 † Mike & Marie Mularchik - Nancy & Alan
 † Timothy Mulholland – Barbara Mulholland
 † Edward & Mary (McCullion) Murphy –
 Mickey Murphy & Mary Ann Tanner
 † Sal Musitano – Mary Lou, Monica, Paul, Chris & Alec
 † Ralph & Catherine Naples – The Naples Family
 † Paul R & Martha Oliva Family - Family
 † Gary & Peg Oles – Alice Reardon
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 † John C. & Tommy Orlo – Jane Orlo
 † John & Anna Orlowski - Family
 † Deceased Family Members – John & Georgia Pasternack
 † Carl & Mary Jane Patton – Judith Varveris-Economus
 † Anthony P. Pico – Kathi & Gary Gulu
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 † James E. Reardon – Alice Reardon
 † Paul V. Reardon – Mary Alice Knudson
 † Thomas C. Reardon – Alice Reardon
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 † John & Mary Roman – Jan, Debbie & Diane
 † William & Denise Ruman – Bill & Renee Ruman
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 Saint Casimir Society

† Mary Ellen Shiller – Family
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 † Kathleen H. Snovak
 – Graigh, Sean, Dennis, Thomas and Graig Snovak
 † Joe & Jay Sova – Neice, Goddaughter, Juliann & Frank
 † John & Helen Sova & Sons – Daughter & Sister Juliann & Family
 † Joseph & Mary Sova – Granddaughter Juliann & Family
 † Kathryn & Paul Sovik – Alice Giba
 † Richard Svagerko – Irene Lefoer
 † Taaffee & Tinkler Families – Tinkler Family
 † Daniel Charles & Christopher Tinkler – Tinkler Family
 † Leo Tirado – Rosa Tirado
 † John & Julia Tornich Family – Neice & Cousins, Juliann & Frank
 † Dolores Russo-Tornare – Albert Tornare
 † Denise Ventresco – Jim & Jackie Bobby
 † Ann & Peter Vlaykovich – The Naples Family
 † William & Josephine Wainio, Jr. – Bill & Jean Wainio
 † Anthony & Sara Wielbruda - Frank & Gloria Wielbruda
 † Edward F. Winsen – Sally Winsen
 † Sophia & Nick C. Yacovone – Jim & Jackie Bobby
 † Pete & Andrea Lynn Yohman – Joann, Pam, & Carla Yohman
 † Todd M. Zamary – Mom & Dad