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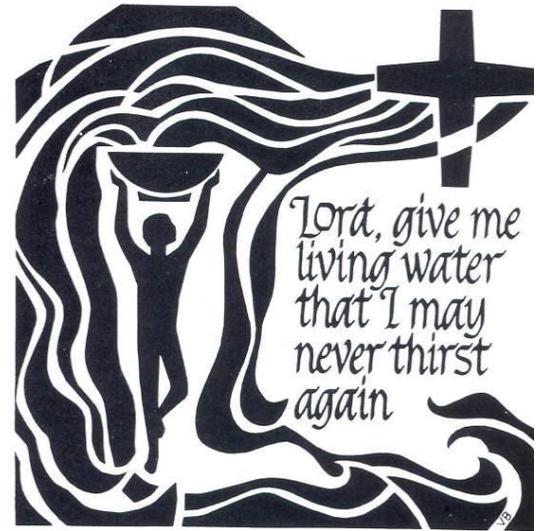
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March 15, 2020

T hird Sunday of Lent



Weekend Mass Schedule
 Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 8:15 and 10:30 a.m.
 Reconciliation:
 Saturday: 3:30-4:30 p.m.
 See inside for times for daily Mass and Holy Day Masses
 Bulletin articles MUST be submitted no later than 3:00 p.m. on Tuesdays.
 Thank you.
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We warmly welcome new parishioners and ask them to register at the Parish Office. Individuals interested in becoming Catholic may see Fr. Pakula or call the Parish Office.

Mass Intentions:



MONDAY, March 16

8:00 am Pakula & Kloplic Families

TUESDAY, March 17

8:00 am Bill, Jane & Scott Miller

WEDNESDAY, March 18

7:00 am Jim Little
9:00 am Joyce Maher

THURSDAY, March 19

8:00 am Patti Kincaid

FRIDAY, March 20

8:00 am Deceased members of the Windy and Cauwels Families

SATURDAY, March 21

5:00 pm Gerry VanderBeke

SUNDAY, March 22

8:15 am People of the Parish
10:30 am Terry Henson

Rosary recited after weekday Masses

ALTAR SERVERS

Monday March 16 and Tuesday, March 17

8:00 am Hayden Schaaf & Joe Thoene

Wednesday March 18

9:00 am Hayden Schaaf & Joe Thoene

Thursday March 19 and Friday, March 20

8:00 am Alexia Johnson & Kate Lehman

Saturday, March 21

5:00 pm Julia Lewis & Keely Roberts

Sunday, March 22

8:15 am Noah & Kiera Disterhoff
10:30 am Caroline Girten & Elizabeth Ramp

Weekend Mass Schedules for Sacred Heart in Annawan and St. Anthony's in Atkinson

St. Anthony

4:00 pm Saturday
9:30 am Sunday

Sacred Heart

8:00 am Sunday

SCHEDULE OF THE WEEK

Sunday, March 15

4:00 pm 8th & 9th Grade Confirmation
6:30 pm Living Stations Practice, Church

Monday, March 16

2:00 pm - 9:00 pm Exposition, Church
5:30 pm Pietra, Youth Rm.
7:00 pm Parish Council, Conference Rm.

Tuesday, March 17

7:00 pm RCIA, Conference Rm

Wednesday, March 18

7:25 am 7/8th Prayer Group, Youth Rm.
9:00 am School Mass
10:15 am Mom's Group, Youth Room
1:30 pm Circle 6, Youth Room
3:30 pm CCD, School/Rm. A
6:00 pm Adoration, Church
6:30 pm Women's Support Group, Rm C
6:30 pm Oasis, Youth Room and Gym
6:45 pm 6th/7th CCD, School/Rm. A
7:00 pm Celebration Choir, Church

Thursday, March 19

9:00 am Liturgy Committee, Conf. Room
6:30 - 8:30 pm Bible Study (Movie in YR)
7:00 pm Finance Council, Conf. Room

Friday, March 20

1:00 pm Stations of the Cross, Church
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross, Church

Saturday, March 21

1:00 - 2:00 pm Reconciliation, Church
3:30 - 4:30 pm Reconciliation, Church

REMINDER: Altar Server Recognition

Sunday March 29 after 10:30 Mass in Hall
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March 8, 2020

Weekly Gifts	(Goal: \$13,000)	\$6,492
School Endow.	(Goal: \$ 750)	\$204
Paraclete Fund	(Goal: \$ 750)	\$596
Capital Improve.	(Goal: \$ 750)	\$346

Week 36	Budget	Actual	Avg	Variance
Weekly	\$468,000	\$453,196	\$12,589	(\$14,804)
School End.	\$27,000	\$19,559	\$543	(\$7,441)
Paraclete	\$27,000	\$31,497	\$875	\$4,497
Cap Improv.	\$27,000	\$34,984	\$972	\$7,984
Special Collections:	This Week	Total		
Catholic Relief Services	\$230	\$327		
Eastern Europe Churches	\$600	\$1,239		
Rice Bowl Collection	\$34	\$34		

Parish Sacrificial Giving:

1% donated to Central & Eastern Europe Churches

ADA 2019
Goal \$87,107
Pledged \$89,436
Contributed \$87,989
Number of Pledges: 223



There was a meeting on Thursday, Feb. 20th in the church given by Geneseo Police detective Mike Chavez on Active Shooter Response. His presentation discussed how to respond if there's an active threat at our church. This presentation was digitally recorded on DVD and several copies were made. If you were not able to attend this meeting, you can check out a copy of the DVD from the parish office to watch the presentation at home & learn about this topic and the types of responses detective Chavez reviewed in this meeting.

RCIA RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Would you like to know more about the Catholic Church, or do you have an interest in joining? Our 2019-2020 **RCIA** program meets on **Tuesdays at 7:00 pm** in the Conference Room. For more information, please call Fr. Mike Pakula or Gregg Swanson, leave your name in the parish office, or come to the meeting.

March 17 Ecumenism By Fr. Mike Pakula
 March 24 Heaven, Hell and Purgatory by Dcn Larry Honzel



We are looking for adult help for the 7th & 8th Grade Retreat April 3-4, 2020
Needed: Overnight Chaperones; Table leaders; Kitchen Crew and Clean Up
 Please contact Debbie Mattan at mattandebbie@saintmalachy.org if you are able to help in any way.

NEEDED: TEMPORARY HOUSING

A male physical therapy student will be doing an internship program at Hammond Henry Hospital from May 18 through July 11. He is wondering if there is anyone in our parish willing to house him or to rent him living space. If you can help him, please call Fr. Pakula for more information.

Women's Support Group: *Perfectly Yourself*

Meets every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in Room C.
 For information contact:
 Jen Ulam, 309-738-8065 or Cathie Stinson 944-5393

LENTEN SCHEDULE FOR RECONCILIATION:



Saturday, March 21	1:00 - 2:00	3:30 - 4:30
Saturday, March 28	1:00 - 2:00	3:30 - 4:30
Saturday, April 4	1:00 - 2:00	3:30 - 4:30
Tuesday, April 7	1:00 - 2:30	6:30 - 8:00
Wednesday, April 8	1:00 - 2:30	6:30 - 8:00

SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE DATE CHANGE:

Social Justice Committee will meet at 4:00pm on Tuesday, April 14 in our Conference Room, rather than on April 7th, which would have been the usual day to meet. Visitors are always welcome!



EASTER FLOWERS

If you would like to donate toward the cost of Easter flowers in the memory or honor of a loved one, please do so by dropping an extra envelope in the Sunday collection or the Parish Office.



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Monday 2-9 pm Daily Chapel

St. Alphonsus Liguori writes of time spent in adoration: "Pray to ask His pardon for the displeasures which we have caused Him; to represent our wants and needs to Him, as a friend does to a friend in whom he places all his confidence; to ask Him for His graces, for His love and for His kingdom; but above all, what a heaven it is to remain making acts of love towards that Lord who is in the very tabernacle praying to the Eternal Father for us and is there burning with love for us. Indeed, it is that love which keeps Him there, hidden and unknown, and even when He is ignored by ungrateful souls."

PLEASE JOIN US THIS LENT

The Thursday Evening Bible Study Group will be viewing the movie, Unplanned, on Thursday, March 19th at 6:30 P.M. in the Youth Room.



This movie is about the life-changing experience of Abby Johnson who goes from being a clinic director at Planned Parenthood to an anti-abortion activist. We will have prayer and discussion after viewing the movie. All are welcome to attend but please note that the movie may be too graphic for younger or more sensitive viewers.



Also, on Thursday, March 26th, at 6:30 P.M. in the Youth Room, Chuck and Mary LoGiudice will give a presentation on their trip to the Holy Land. All are welcome. Please contact Jennifer Higgins at 714-2810 if you would like more information about either of these

SISTER PARISH NEWS:



St. Teresa of Kolkata Parish has a new pastor. Father Steve Pawelk, who had been pastor since the Glenmary Home Missioners began to work in Maynardville, TN, is now working with Glenmary aspirants and seminarians in Cincinnati. His replacement at St. Teresa of Kolkata Parish is Fr. Neil Pezzulo. We have heard from Fr. Pezzulo, and he graciously invites the continuation of our sister parish relationship. Please also note that Tom and Mary Hughes are presently our primary contact between us and our sister parish. Tom and Mary would be delighted if another parish couple or individual would join them in their contact role. If interested, please call them or Fr. Pakula for more information.

DAILY PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

O Mary, St. Therese ever turned to you in love, telling you her desires in simplicity and trust, and begging you to speak to Jesus. With her, we ask you to offer our prayers to your Son for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life in our diocese. Place within the hearts of men and women a love which is strong enough to lead them to devote their lives to the service of the Church. Help them to respond to your Son's call with a love that will spend itself in service to their brothers and sisters.

St. Therese, Patroness of Vocations,
Pray for Us

Please Pray for these Seminarians:

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| Nathan Hopper | Ethan Lacey |
| Zak Leskanich | Ryan Mann |
| Jacob Martini | Luke Olson |
| Jonathan Robinson | |

"But whoever drinks the water I give, will never be thirsty." Are you thirsting for an understanding of your vocation?



For more information,
Call Fr. Timothy Hepner
at 309-671-1550



St. Anthony's Altar & Rosary Annual St. Patrick 's Day Breakfast

Sunday, March 22 8:30 am to 11:30 am

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PREPARE THE WAY OF THE LORD

Please consider reviewing next Sunday's readings:

I Samuel 16:1, 6-7, 10-13

"Man sees the appearance,
but God looks into the heart."

Ephesians 5:8-14

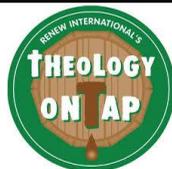
"You were once in darkness,
but now you are in the light."

John 9:1-41

"One thing I know. I was born blind, but now I see."



Theology on Tap is excited to
announce our Spring schedule
for the upcoming months.



All the dates will be at 7:00 at Jersey Grille
5255 Jersey Ridge Rd, Davenport, IA in the
upper room. Come early to order food and drinks!

March 19th- Fr. Nicholas Akindele on Lent and Prayer,
Fasting, and Almsgiving

April 16th- Bishop Zinkula on the importance of being a part
of a parish.

May 21st- Fr. Thom Hennen on something that'll be
awesome but we haven't decided on a topic yet

For questions, email gctheologyontap@gmail.com.



Rice Bowl 2020

We are still invited to participate in the Rice Bowl
experience which invites Funds to help families around the world to
meet the challenges of hunger and poor nutrition.

Contributions can be put into the Sunday collection basket or left at
the Parish Office any time although we will make a specific request
for Rice Bowl donations on Palm Sunday. Rice bowls can be picked
up near the doors of the Narthex or from the table where Lenten
devotional materials are found.



Upcoming Cursillo Weekends

Men's: March 19-22, 2020

Women's: April 23-26, 2020

For more info, visit <https://nwcursillo>

MEN'S LENTEN BREAKFAST

The Geneseo Ministerial Association's
Lenten Men's Breakfasts continue
Saturdays 7 am - 8 am.

March 21 - Geneseo Evangelical Free Church

March 28 - First Presbyterian Church

April 4 - First Lutheran Church.

Fathers, you are welcome to bring your sons!

UNDIES SUNDAYS



During the month of March, the Altar
and Rosary Society, along with our Parish friends,
will be collecting underwear as well as stockings,
sweat-shirts, sweat-pants and pajamas for the
needy. There will be a large box located in the
Narthex where you can put your donations. The
larger sizes (Large and XL) are the most frequent-
ly requested.

These donations will be distributed to local
charities that serve the under privileged in
our communities. Monetary donations can be
made and should be placed in the Mass collection
or dropped off at the parish office .

SPECghetti Dinner and Raffle

Saturday, March 28, 2020

4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Culeman's Hall (Sacred Heart Church)

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Caterer - Happy Joe's Dessert and drinks included

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June 27-29, 2020 (Girls)

Aug 8-10, 2020 (Boys)

Oct 10-12, 2020 (Girls)



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Christ The King Women at the Well Program 'Angels Among Us' by Sue Tunberg



The Women at the Well committee at Christ the King
Church in Moline will have their next program on March
26th. Sue Tunberg will share with us her belief in Angels
as being God's messengers. They are mentioned in the
Bible 292 times...so they must be pretty important! Sue
presents them as "God's messengers" who may come in
either spirit or human form. She refers to Bible stories as
her primary point of reference to angels being God's
ambassadors to the message of God's plan of Salvation
through Jesus Christ. The ticket cost is \$7.00 for the pro-
gram which includes the meal and speaker. Tickets are
available by calling the parish office (309-762-4634).
The program is held at the Believer's Together Center,
3209 60th Street, Moline. Doors open at 5:30pm, Dinner
is served at 6:00pm with program to follow dinner.

Eden Projects



Planting Trees for Haiti

Lenten Alms-giving Opportunity:

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