



<i>Mass</i>	<i>Intention</i>	<i>Requested by</i>
5:00 a.m., Saturday, March 5	<b>Anne Martino Nisler</b> <b>Joseph H. Daggs</b> (26th anniversary) <b>William Nolan</b>	Rose Marie Zacek Anita Turner Family
7:30 a.m., Sunday, March 6	<b>Jane Doyle</b> <b>Nicholas Kapusniak</b>	Family Family
9:00 a.m. Sunday, March 6	<b>Robin Michael Hintze</b> <b>Anne Bokan</b>	Michael and Gail Veitch Tom and Nadine Burke
11:00 a.m. Sunday, March 6	<b>Edward Lewis</b> <b>Bridie O'Reilly</b>	Kathy Lewis (Mrs. Ralph) Tom and Miranda
8:00 a.m., Monday, March 7	<b>Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion</b>	
8:00 a.m., Tuesday, March 8	<b>Deceased of the Church of Saint Peter</b>	This Community of Faith.
8:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 9	<b>Deceased of the Church of Saint Peter</b>	This Community of Faith.
8:00 a.m., Thursday, March 10	<b>Deceased of the Church of Saint Peter</b>	This Community of Faith.
8:00 a.m., Friday, March 11	<b>Deceased of the Church of Saint Peter</b>	This Community of Faith.
5:00 a.m., Saturday, March 12	<b>Ernie Latano</b> <b>Caroline Beyer</b> <b>Mary Ann Gaetano</b>	Nancy McDonald Carlie Lindemann Rose Marie Zacek
7:30 a.m., Sunday, March 13	<b>Edwin White</b> <b>Frank and Rita Goyette</b>	Wife, Jackie Michele Goyette
9:00 a.m. Sunday, March 13	<b>Donald Chevalier</b>	Fr. Thomas H. Chevalier
11:00 a.m. Sunday, March 13	<b>Deceased of the Church of Saint Peter</b>	This Community of Faith.

Readings for Sunday, March 13, Fourth Sunday of Lent: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21b; Lk 18:9-14

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family who are sick or suffering in any way, all those in hospitals or nursing homes, and all our shut-ins. We pray for all who have died recently, including Marcella Baer, mother of Bonnie Mayer.

Let us not forget the victims of violence at home and abroad.

We remember the men and women serving in the armed forces and their families, as we continue to pray for peace.

**Volunteers in all Ministries are needed for Holy Week Liturgies.  
Please sign up on the sheet bulletin board in the vestibule of Church.**

3/12-13/16

**Ministers of Communion**

**Readers**

<b>5:00 pm Saturday</b>	Judith Pierson, Diane Beyer, Deborah Mahoney, Linda Benton, Nancy McDonald, 2 unfilled	Deborah Mahoney Amanda Blodgett
<b>7:30 am Sunday</b>	Alberta Bennett, Martha Pristupa, Carol Leone, Jackie White, 4 unfilled	Lynn Allen Marlene Betta
<b>9:00 am Sunday</b>	Andrew Kozak, Diane Kozak, Cindy Sharpe, Marie Forbes, Sheila Daignault, Marc Limeri, Maggie McNicholas	Fran Moore Marc Limeri
<b>11:00 am Sunday</b>	Marilyn Pitts, Kathy Murray, Cheryl Dudinetz, Candyce Robenstein, Emilia Pacifico, Laura Darcy, 1 unfilled	Laura Darcy Ellen Bradley

<b>Attendance</b>		<b>Weekly Collection</b>		<b>Collection Average to Date</b>
2/28/16	871	2/28/16 collection:	\$ 7,414.30 (includes \$450.00 electronic giving)	2016 average to date \$9,162.98
3/01/15	717	3/01/15 collection:	\$12,282.00	2015 average to date \$9,077.99
		<b>SPNA</b> (Blue envelopes):		
		February 2016	\$1,527.00	January 2015 \$1,488.00

**The Evangelist**

To stay informed about our Catholic faith and news of our Diocese, read **The Evangelist**, our Albany Diocesan newspaper. To subscribe, please call 584-2375.

**Family Perspectives**  
By Bud Ozar

We may feel like the Prodigal Son but the gospel wants us to focus on the father who was forgiving and understanding. We all make mistakes and need forgiveness. Who in your family needs your forgiveness and acceptance this Lent?

**Marriage Moments**  
www.Susan Vogt.net

"Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind." (Jn 9:2) Figuring out blame is a trap that it is easy for even loving couples to fall into. One of the sweetest phrases I hear from my husband is, "Honey, you were right." Said honestly, it can be a healing balm.

**Parenting Pointers**  
www.Susan Vogt.net

Books are a wonderful tool of knowledge and inspiration, BUT, I bet you have some that you won't read again or you can get the information online. This week pass at least one book on to a friend, a school, Friends of the Library, a nursing home ...

## Fourth Sunday of Lent

### In Our Parish

All Masses: 3/5-6	Second Collection: Catholic Relief Services	All Masses	
3/6 S	Rel Ed/YM classes	10:10-11:20a	Parish Center
	YM GR7	10:10-11:20a	Parish Center-Kitchen
	SCCS:	2:00-5:00p	Parish Ctr: Hall and Stage
3/7 M	Outreach Office	9:00-12:00p	Rectory
	SCCS:	2:30-6:00p	Parish Ctr: Hall and Stage
	Piano Lessons	2:30-5:00	Church
	AA	7:00-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr: Room 206
	<b>Rituals of our Faith: Oil</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Church</b>
3/8 T	SCCS:	2:00-4:00p	Parish Ctr: Hall and Stage
	Stitch and Time	6:30-8:00 pm	Rectory
	Baptism Preparation II	7:00p	Church
3/9 W	<b>Prayer Team</b>	<b>8:30-8:45 am</b>	<b>Church</b>
	Faith Sharing Group	8:45 -10:00 a	Parish Ctr, Mtg Rm
	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	SCC:	4:00-7:00pm	Parish Center: Hall/Stage
3/10 T	<b>Rosary</b>	<b>8:30 am</b>	<b>Church</b>
	Hope Janitorial - Cleaning	2:30-3:00pm	Parish Ctr/Church/Rectory
	Piano Lessons	2:30 -4:00 p	Church
	SCCS: Music/Drama	2:30-9:00p	Parish Ctr: Hall/Stage
	Bikeatoga	6:00-9:00p	Church Basement
	Choir	7:00p	Church
	Cursillos Group	7:30-9:00 p	Parish Ctr/Meeting Room
3/11 F	Outreach	9:00-12:00p	Rectory
	SCCS: Reconciliation	11:45-2:20p	Church
3/12 S	Bikeatoga	9:00-12:00p	Church Basement
3/13 S	Rel Ed/YM Classes	10:10-11:20pm	Parish Center
All Masses 3/12-13	Ongoing collection: nonperishable food items	All Masses	Vestibule of Church

*“What you are is  
God's gift to you  
What you become  
is your gift to God”*

### Open House at Saratoga Central Catholic School

Saratoga Central Catholic School, educating grades 6-12, will have an Open House Wednesday, March 16, 6pm-8pm at Saratoga Central, 247 Broadway, Saratoga Springs. This is a perfect opportunity for prospective families to tour the School, meet with and ask questions of SCC Faculty, Staff, Students and Parents. For more information, please contact Ellen Bailey at (518) 587-7070 ext 108 or bailey@saratogacatholic.org.

### St. Clement's School

St. Clement's School Board has elected positions opening for the 2016-2017 school year. If you are interested in serving the school in this capacity, please stop by (231 Lake Avenue) or go to the school's website for an application. Forms are due to the school by March 15.

St. Clement's School serves students Pre-K through fifth grade.



### Sponsor of the week

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### INTERFAITH EVENT—2016

The 2016 Saratoga Springs area Interfaith event will take place on **Sunday, March 6**. The program this year focuses on an award winning documentary geared to both youth and adults. The film is the result of a teacher's effort to convey the immensity of the six million deaths of the Holocaust to her students and their community. The documentary "Paper Clips" will be shown at Skidmore's Filene Hall at 2:30pm and will include a speaker and a discussion panel representing a cross section of faith communities from our area. A reception will immediately follow. This program is appropriate for Middle School age teens and up.



Are you interested in getting more out of your marriage? Next Marriage Encounter weekend March 11-13. Call (518) 279-3243 or visit [www.albanyme.org](http://www.albanyme.org) for more information.

### An invitation to an evening of Lenten Sung Prayer

in Thanksgiving for and Celebrating the Life of Sister Carolyn Krebs, OP., St. Clement's Church, Saturday, **March 19**, 6:00 pm.

Jeff and Brenda Vredenburg, former Directors of Liturgical Music at St. Clement's will direct the program, a spiritual time together reflecting on Sr. Carolyn's life, with an eye toward Holy Week and the Passion Death and Resurrection of Jesus.

A free Will offering will be collected to benefit "**Sister Carolyn Krebs, OP Memorial Scholarship Fund**" to be awarded to a graduating High School Senior from the greater Saratoga area accepted into a College or University with a chosen major in Music, Voice, or Instrument; Music Education or Music Therapy.

### Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

St. Joseph's in Fort Edward is sponsoring a trip to the Holy Land in October 2016. Accompanied by the pastor of St. Joseph's, the ten day tour will visit Nazareth, Galilee, Jericho, the Dead Sea, Bethlehem, Mt. Zion, Jerusalem and many more areas we have read about in the Gospels. \$250.00 deposit will hold your seat. Book by 4/25/16 for lower cost. Contact Julie 824-3892 or [jumphries@northway.aaa.com](mailto:jumphries@northway.aaa.com) for further details.



### Lenten Fish Fry Fridays

Knights of Columbus, 50 Pine Rd, Saratoga Springs, invite you to **Fish Fry Friday** offered weekly during Lent (or Baked fish, if you prefer.) Great food, great price! Take out available. The proceeds of the dinners support the work of Knights Columbus!



### An invitation to join Bishop Scharfenberger for Mass and Brunch ~ March 13

Please join The Italian American Community Center Foundation as Bishop Edward Scharfenberger celebrates an annual St. Patrick and St. Joseph Mass and Brunch, Sunday, **March 13**, 2016 at the Italian American Community Center, 257 Washington Avenue Extension in Albany. Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 am with brunch to follow. The price is \$25.00. For reservations call 456-4222 or visit [iaccfoundationalbany.org](http://iaccfoundationalbany.org).

### Volunteers Needed

BIRTHRIGHT of Ballston Spa needs office volunteers to assist young women by listening to their concerns, helping with a self-administered pregnancy test, reviewing fetal development, and offering information on local community services. Birthright volunteers are compassionate, reliable, and dedicated to a four-hour weekly commitment. The next three-part training session in April 8, 15, and 22 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. If you are pro-life and can listen without judging, please call Susan at 877-0172 for more information

## Thank you

for continued support of the food collection for those less fortunate. Please leave non-perishable foods (No glass containers, please) in the box in the vestibule of Church.



**Suggestions for items always needed:** Cereal, Instant Oatmeal, Pancake mix, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Spaghetti-o's, and spaghetti sauce. Pet food items may also be left.

**Suggestions for something 'special':** Birthday cake mix, cookie mix, muffin mix or sweetbread mix.