



<i>Mass</i>	<i>Intention</i>	<i>Requested by</i>
5:00 p.m., Saturday, March 11	Lorraine Martin Lucille Marateo	Family Sons, Ronald and Robert
7:30 a.m., Sunday, March 12	Leo Brown James L. Dawsey	Alberta and Charles Bennett Alberta and Charles Bennett
9:00 a.m., Sunday, March 12	Matilde Arrobang Clara Obida Segura	Luz and Jerry French Luz and Jerry French
11:00 a.m., Sunday, March 12	Victor Mion (8th ann)	Wife
8:00 a.m., Monday, March 13	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion	
8:00 a.m., Tuesday, March 14	Stephanie Hebert	Tom and Maryanne Gibbs
8:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 15	For those who have been on the Prayer Line and still need our prayers. Helen Johnson	St. Peter's Prayer Line Michael and Gail Veitch
8:00 a.m., Thursday, March 16	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion	
8:00 a.m., Friday, March 17	Ruth Potter	Carol Leone
5:00 p.m., Saturday, March 18	Sue Gardner Pauline Colucci	Theresa and Barb Rose Marie Zacek
7:30 a.m., Sunday, March 19	Lorraine Martin Rita Rowland Leo Brown	
9:00 a.m., Sunday, March 19	James L. Dawsey	Rita Usher
11:00 a.m., Sunday, March 19	Pauline Colucci	Lillian Miles

Readings for Sunday, March 19, Third Sunday of Lent: Ex 17:3-7; Rom 5:1-2,5-8; Jn 4:542

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 those who have died recently. 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**.

Ministers of Communion

Readers

Server

5:00 pm March 18 Saturday	Linda Benton, Thomas Coseo, Sr. Charla Commins, Phyllis Delay Susan Gorman, Deacon Brian Levine, Nancy McDonald, Steven Poissant	Sr. Lauren Vandermark John Sisk	Abby Austin
7:30 am March 19 Sunday	Martha Pristupa, Christine Rowland, Steve Rowland, 5 unfilled	Steve Rowland Marlene Betta	
9:00 am March 19 Sunday	Maryanne Burtman, Sheila Daignault, Emilia Pacifico, Deacon Ed Solomon, Mary Tokos, Mary Rose Turo, Anne Wagner, 1 unfilled	Jane Sevi Jeffrey Waldron	Sofia and Frankie Anzaroot
11:00 am March 19 Sunday	Laura Darcy, Carol Gurney, Susan Hamlin, Marilyn Pitts, Erin Pritchard, Shirley Tellstone, 2 unfilled	Laura Darcy Eileen Davenport	Catherine Darcy

Attendance	Weekly Collection	Collection Average to Date
3/05/2017 898 3/06/2017 940	3/05/17 collection \$15,396.50 (Includes Electronic Giving: \$6,776.00) 3/06/16 collection: \$14,518.50	2017 average to date \$10,211.34 2016 average to date \$ 9,314.52
SPNA (Blue envelopes): March 2017 \$841.00 March 2016 \$969.00		

Family Perspectives
By Bud Ozar

Marriage Moments
www.Susan Vogt.net

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Transfiguration is a common occurrence in families. When we commit to another, such as a spouse in marriage or a child in parenting, we are not committing to them only as they are today, but to the person they are becoming.

“Go forth from the land of your kinsfolk” (Gn 12:1) Moving to a new home can be exciting, exhausting, and scary---all at the same time. Share the best and worst part of a move you've made together.

If your child is old enough to choose a Lenten sacrifice, help them to see beyond just giving up candy. Consider how the devil tempted Jesus with food, power, and money. Let the tangible sacrifice be a reminder to love someone who is hard to love.

Second Sunday of Lent

In Our Parish 

All Masses 3/11-12	Ongoing collection: nonperishable food items	All Masses	Vestibule of Church
All Masses 3/11-12	Community Care Collection 	All Masses	Vestibule of Church
All Masses 3/11-12	Prayer Line Update 	All Masses	Available in Day Chapel
3/12 S	Rel Ed/Youth Ministry classes	10:10-11:20a	Parish Center
	SCCS Music/Drama	2:30-6:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Hall and Stage
3/12 M	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	SCCS Music/Drama	2:30-6:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Hall and Stage
	Yoga	2:00-6:00pm	
	Rituals of our Church~Water	7:00-8:30p	Church
	AA	7:00-9:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Room 206
3/14 T	Piano Lessons	2:30-6:00p	Church
	SCCS Music/Drama	2:30-8:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Hall and Stage
	Lectio Divina	6:00 pm	Rectory: Meeting Room
	Stitch and Time Group	6:00-7:30 pm	Rectory: Dining Room
	Baptism Preparation II	7:00 pm	Church
3/15 W	Prayer Team	8:30-8:45 am	Church
	Faith Sharing Group	8:45 -10:00 a	Parish Ctr., Hall
	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	Simple Soup Supper	6:00 pm	Parish Center—Hall
	Evening Prayer	7:00 pm	Church
3/16 T	Rosary	8:30 am	Church
	Piano Lessons	2:30-6:30 pm	Church
	Bikeatoga	6:00-8:00 pm	Church—Basement
	Choir	7:30 pm	Church
3/17 F	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	SCCS Theology	1:15 pm	Church
3/18 S	Bikeatoga	9:00-12:00am	Church-Basement
	RCIA	9:00 am	Rectory-Dining Room
3/19 S	Rel Ed/YM classes	10:10-11:20 am	Parish Center
	NCYC Teens	11:30-12:30	Parish Ctr-Mtg Room
	SCCS Music/Drama	2:00-6:00 pm	Parish Ctr Hall/Stage
3/18-19	Knights of Columbus		
All Masses 3/11-12	Ongoing collection: nonperishable food items	All Masses	Vestibule of Church

Knights of Columbus to speak
March 18-19, we will have an opportunity to hear from the Knights of Columbus speak to us about this service organization that does so much for our Catholic Community.

Envelopes are available in the vestibule of Church for the flowers that will decorate our altar at Easter.



THE JOURNEY WITHIN ... The Experience Of Lent

Come join your parish family during Lent for Simple Wednesdays —
Soup Supper and Evening Prayer

"Return to me with your whole heart.

Blow the Trumpet, proclaim a fast, gather the people".. Joel 2:12-18

These words from the Ash Wednesday scriptures frame the focus of the Lenten season. Our community is invited to journey together through prayer, fasting and works of mercy to return to the Lord with our whole hearts. Please join us for a simple Lenten supper of soup and bread on each of the Wednesdays of Lent, beginning at 6:00 pm in the Parish Center. Following supper, we will gather in the Church at 7:00 pm for Evening Prayer. We hope that this brief time together each Wednesday of Lent will be an opportunity for us to pause for a moment to celebrate our faith together in a simple meal and prayer.

In order to have enough soups, it would be helpful if you could let us know if you plan to participate. If you have not signed up at Church, please call the office and indicate how many people from your family will be attending or email the parish at stpetersar@nycap.rr.com.

Saratoga Central Catholic School Open House ~ March 16

Saratoga Central Catholic School, educating grades 6-12, invites you to an 'Open House' on Thursday, March 16, 6:00-8:00 pm, at 247 Broadway in Saratoga Springs — an opportunity for prospective families to tour Saratoga Central Catholic School, to meet with and ask questions of SCC Faculty, Staff, Students and Parents! For more information, contact Ellen Bailey (518) 587-7070, ext 504 or bailey@saratogacatholic.org.

Red Cross Blood Drive hosted by SCCS National Honor Society

Saratoga Central Catholic's National Honor Society, along with the Red Cross will host a Blood Drive on Thursday, March 16, from 8:00am-1:00pm. Help replenish the blood banks! Walk-ins are welcome, pre-registration is appreciated: www.redcrossblood.org and use Sponsor Code, "SARATOGACATHOLIC".



Knights of Columbus Lenten Fish Fry Fridays

March 3 ~ April 14 5:00—8:00 pm \$10.00

Choice of baked or fried fish dinner, with coleslaw and French fries.
Also available: homemade Mac 'n Cheese, Clam Chowder, and dessert!

Knights of Columbus
50 Pine Road Saratoga Springs, New York

St. Clement's School

St. Clement's School is accepting registrations for the 2017-2018 school year. With a variety of Early childhood and pre-K programs as well as Grades K-5, St. Clement's has much to offer. Visit the school website at www.stclementsschool.org to learn more or call 584-7350 to schedule a tour.

Sage Gators' Spring Break Basketball Camp

For boys 7-15: April 7-15 at Sage College of Albany. Register online at Sagegators.com or contact Brian Barnes (518) 292-1969, or barneb@sage.edu for more information. Flyers are in the literature racks in the church vestibule.

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, 100% fruit juice, raisins/dried fruit, Canned tuna/chicken/salmon, dried beans, canned beans, nuts and seeds. Pet food items may also be left.



A donation
has been made to SPNA (St. Peter's Needy Association)
in memory of Margaret Leary Powers

Enrolled in the Diocesan Book of Elect

Keara Traylor from our parish, was at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception with Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger, March 5. Along with catechumens (people who are not baptized) from throughout our Diocese, Keara's name was enrolled in the Book of Elect on Sunday March 5, 2017.

The Bishop formally acknowledged her readiness to receive the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation) at the Easter Vigil this Year.

Please keep Keara and all those preparing to be welcomed in the Catholic Christian community this Easter in your prayers.

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