

Mass Intentions for the Week



MONDAY MARCH 30

(Daniel 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62/John 8:1-11)

8:30 A.M. Beth Glanzman

TUESDAY MARCH 31

(Numbers 21:4-9/John 8:21-30)

8:30 A.M. Floyd Copley

WEDNESDAY APRIL 1

(Daniel 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/John 8:31-42)

8:30 A.M. Robert Eckley

THURSDAY APRIL 2

Francis of Paola, hermit

(Genesis 17:3-9/John 8:51-59)

8:30 A.M. Adam Reiss

7:00 P.M. Catherine Hildreth

FRIDAY APRIL 3

(Jeremiah 21:10-13/John 10:31-42)

8:30 A.M. Helena Beck

SATURDAY APRIL 4

9:00 A.M. Knights of Columbus

5:00 P.M. Wilson Symansic

SUNDAY APRIL 5

PALM SUNDAY

8:00 A.M. For the People

9:30 A.M. Maryellen Hefe

11:15 A.M. Joanmarie and John Trainer

40th Wedding Anniversary

TO PREPARE FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

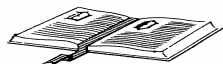
APRIL 6, 2009

PALM SUNDAY

FIRST READING MARK 11:1-10

SECOND READING PHILLIPIANS 2:6-11

GOSPEL MARK 14:1—15:47



A SEASON OF HEALING

Lent is a season of healing and reconciliation, when we right our relationship with God, our families and neighbors. Acts of reconciliation may be very personal and private, like changing a behavior that causes pain to another. Or we may make more communal acts of reconciliation. Pray for Forgiveness: *Merciful God, we have hurt each other, sometimes with harsh words, sometimes with suffocating silences. We have been thoughtless, nurtured resentments, and lacked the courage to face our sins. Forgive us. Let us forgive each other. Let us forgive ourselves. Help us to let go of grudges and resentments. Only love matters now, your love for us, our love for you, and our love for one another. We thank you for this love, through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

This Week in our Parish

Sun.	03/29	9:30am	Kindergarten RE/CI
		5:45pm	SPY
		7:00pm	Rosary/EC
		7:30pm	SPY
Mon.	03/30	5:00pm	Religious Education/CI
		6:30pm	Rosary for Military/EC
		6:45pm	Religious Education/CI
		7:00pm	Adult Handbell Choir/Ch
		8:30pm	Brass/Ch
Tues.	03/31	5:00pm	Religious Education/CI
		6:00pm	Scripture Study/Cry Room
		6:45pm	Religious Education/CI
		7:00pm	Guitars/Ch
		8:00pm	Open Gym/PAC
Wed.	04/01	9:30am	Seton PreSchool/CI
		10:00am	Scripture Study/CI-A
		4:30pm	Seton Youth Choir/Ch
		5:15pm	Seton Youth Handbell/Ch
		6:00pm	Bereavement Commission/CI-A
		6:30pm	Grief Support Group/CI-5
		6:30pm	Cantors/Ch
		7:00pm	Columbian Squires/CI-7&9
		7:00pm	Adult Choir/Ch
Thurs.	04/02	9:30am	Seton PreSchool/CI
		1:00pm	Seton Sages/CI-7&9
		7:00pm	RCIA/CI-7&9
		7:00pm	Mass/Lenten Speaker/Ch
Fri.	04/03	9:30am	Seton PreSchool/CI
		5:30pm	Stations of the Cross/Ch
		6:00pm	K of C Fish Fry/PAC
Sat.	04/04	8:30am	Rosary for Vocations/Ch
		9:00am	Mass/Ch
Sun.	04/05		HOSPITALITY SUNDAY
		12:30pm	Baptism Class/CI7&9
		7:00pm	Rosary/EC

FINANCE INFORMATION

<i>March 22nd collection</i>	\$14,821.00
<i>Monthly Collection:</i>	\$69,922.00
<i>March Budget</i>	\$99,214.00
<i>Year to Date Collection</i>	\$873,668.00
<i>Operations Budget through end of month</i>	\$899,581.00
<i>Children's Collection</i> 6 envelopes	\$4.54

Thank You! Because of your generosity, The Catholic Relief Services Collection will be able to support disaster and emergency relief, refugee resettlement, advocacy, development, and legal services for people in need all around the world. Together, we will restore hope to *Jesus in disguise*, who reminds us that Christ is present in those who suffer – and in those who respond compassionately to their needs.

RCIA PRAYER CARDS

Thank you so much for your prayer intentions for those in RCIA. Please continue to pray, and return your prayer card before Palm Sunday. There will be a basket in Herrmann Hall, or you can put it in Tina Bowie's mailbox.



Lent is a time of **reflection, fasting and abstinence, and almsgiving.**

***Fasting and Abstinence:** Catholics between the ages of 14 and 59 are reminded to refrain from eating between meals. You should partake of 2 smaller meals with one regular meal. Abstinence means that eating meat is prohibited. Fasting and abstinence are observed on Good Friday and abstinence on all Fridays in Lent.

***Lenten Speaker Series**

- 1) **Thank You** MaryJane Sobczyk-**Presenter**
- 2) **Thank You** Fr. Jim Klima-**Presenter**
- 3) **Thank You** Pandora Porcase-**Presenter**
- 4) **Thank You** Harry Clyburn-**Presenter**
- 5) **Thank You** Fr. Jim-**Presenter**
- 6) **Thank You** Maureen Patterson and Patti Golliday-**Presenters**
- 7) April 2nd: 7pm: The Power of the Eucharist in our Lives-Fr. David Schalk-**Presenter**

With this last Lenten presentation, Fr. Dave Schalk will celebrate Mass at 7pm. His homily will be extended to present his talk on the “Centrality and Power of the Holy Eucharist in our lives”. Come and learn more about the center of our Catholic Faith - -the Holy Eucharist. The Lord is calling you, will you answer Him?

Friday’s during Lent: The Knights of Columbus will be having Fish Fry’s in the Parish Activity Center after Stations of the Cross (in the Church at 5:30pm).

Holy Week

APRIL 5: Palm Sunday of the Lord’s Passion
Regular Sunday Mass Schedule

APRIL 7: Chrism Mass-St. Joseph Cathedral 6:00pm

APRIL 9: Holy Thursday 7:30pm
No morning Mass

APRIL 10: Good Friday 3:00pm Service (Communion)
7:30pm Stations of the Cross (No Communion)
No morning Mass

APRIL 11: Easter Vigil 8:30pm

APRIL 12: Easter Sunday Masses:
8:00am Church
10:00am Church and PAC
12:00noon Church
(Please note that there will be a Mass at the PAC and Church at 10am and in order to accommodate the people leaving church there is not an 11:15 Mass, instead the Mass will be offered at 12noon).

Parish Offices will be closed Good Friday and Easter Monday.

A Word from Fr. Jim

It is hard to believe that Lent is drawing to a close. Next time we gather as a faith community it will be Holy Week. Let us not grow slack in our Lenten observances.

We see all around us the renewal of life that is taking place in abundant ways. The grass is greening, buds are forming, and our early spring flowers are already blooming. We pray that our own spirits are responding as openly as the world of nature around us. The purpose of Lent is to move us from death to life as we celebrate in just two weeks the Resurrection of the Lord. And so now the time in our own lives is to be sure that we are moving out of the darkness of sin in to God’s own wonderful light. Pay attention to how God’s grace is at work in your soul, and respond in the remaining weeks of Lent to God’s wondrous blessings within you.

This week we have the last of our Lenten series as Fr. David Schalk will close it out on Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. as the celebrant of a Mass and a talk on the Eucharist. This will be a beautiful way to our end our Lenten series that has covered a variety of topics that has enriched our spiritual lives. We welcome Fr. David back to his home parish for the first time since his ordination last year and hope that many of your will join us this evening.



OPERATION RICE BOWL Jesus Foretells His Death and Subsequent Glorification

In today’s Gospel, Jesus reminds us that judgment, repentance, and dying to sin are necessary before we can truly know the joy of God’s mercy, forgiveness, and new life in Christ. Jesus put it this way: “if you love your life, you must let go...If you want to serve me, you must follow me and do what I do....”

As we continue our Operation Rice Bowl journey let us remember in *prayer* that human beings are not only sacred, but also social. How we participate in our family and community, from our daily actions to our policy decisions, affects each and every person. May our *fasting* keep us mindful of the families and communities that are hungry. May our *almsgiving* assist Catholic Relief Services as we *learn* about education programming in Ghana.



CAN OF THE MONTH

Can of the Month for March is...TUNA! Thank you for your support of our ongoing collection. Next month is canned spaghetti sauce with meat. (No glass please)

EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS: If you want flowers in memory or in honor of a loved one, please have the envelope in the office **before April 2nd, 4:30pm**. Any donations after that will not be noted in the bulletin.

Sick Relatives & Friends

Mark Bailey Augustine Beckemeyer Ada Brennan
Jacob Brewer Ann Brown Betty Ann Brunner
Annette Carrel Barbara Cartee Duane Carter
Frank Catalfino Stacy Cesarz Penny Conner Jeff Corbin
Debra Cunningham Ruth Dattalo Winnie Deibel
Chuck Dillon Colin Donohue Martha Dyer
Millie Egan Kevin Eichner Ralph Emrich
Roberta Emrich Rose Fradette John Gentile
Jimmy Gibboney Frank Grebus Jimmy Green
Julie Gribben Mackenzie Hedges Ashley Hohman
Margaret Johnson Tom Joyce Kathleen Lievense
Ed Loch Lucille Loudenslager Kathy Marofsky
Delores McCann Adolph Melket Mary Mitchell
Loretta Nichols Mary Piek Thelma Pione
Bridget Reitano Jeff Samborsky Robert Seymour
Jill Snyder Donna Spiers Jack Steinicke
Peggy Walker Rosemary Wagenbrenner
Harry Whitlatch Ryan Winstel

ADORATION

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament this Friday, April 3rd.
Everyone is welcome to participate during the 24 hour period from 9am to 8:30am Saturday morning, April 4th. Come; spend some quiet time before the Lord.

MOTHERS OF MINISTRY AT SETON

Assisting families with young children through prayer, social support, meal sharing and faith building. Please contact Pam Glass at 861-9819 or bglass@insight.rr.com. Our website is www.setonparishmoms.webs.com. Please come and register with us!

March 30th: We will meet in the PAC at 10am. Bring something for your child like a bike, scooters, balls, etc.

APRIL 6th: We are having an EASTER EGG HUNT!

Please bring your children to our Easter Celebration on April 6th at 10am at the PAC. Bring 10 plastic eggs filled with candy in your Easter Basket. Prayer and Song before we hop off to find our eggs! Candy donations can be dropped off in Herrmann Hall in the EGG Box! Thanks to all our bunny helpers that dropped off eggs! RSVP to Roberta Wente at bbwente@att.net by April 1st so that we will have enough coloring sheets and snacks for all our little bunnies!

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION:

Openings are available in the following classes:
CHILDREN 2 YRS OLD (as of August 1, 2009)

Thursday or Friday: 1-Day program

If you are interested in being placed on a waiting list for the other age groups, please contact the PreSchool Office.

Seton Parish Preschool operates from 9:30am-1:30pm

Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays

September - May.

Please call Karen Pitt or Donna Swartz at (614)833-0482, ext. 229 or email: sppteam@sbcglobal.net.

MOUNT CARMEL REPRESENTATIVE LAUREN LANGENDERFER TO GIVE A HOSPICE PRESENTATION AT SETON PARISH

The Seton Sages are opening their meeting on **Thursday, April 2nd at 1:30pm** to all parishioners who are interested in learning more on the hospice program. Unfortunately many people find out too late about all the services that hospice can provide to a family. Question and answer session will follow the presentation. ALL parishioners are welcome to attend. This meeting goes along with the Seton Sages policy of keeping parishioners advised on necessary subjects. Social time together after presentation and answer/question session.

SPY EVENTS:

SPY contact information:

Barbara Serrano at (614)833-0485, ext. #228

bserrano@setonparish.com

SPY THOUGHT FOR WEEK: God is ever present in our lives, just waiting for us. His grace is a free gift to accept or reject, but never forced upon us.

SPY BAND: The SPY Band practices are on Sunday's 5:30 PM in the Church. If you have questions contact Amanda at akasinecz@gmail.com or call (614) 833-0485 ext 228.

SENIOR HIGH RETREAT: MAY 1-3 "MYTHBUSTERS"

The high school retreat will be held at Friendly Hills. We will be departing Seton Parish at 5:30pm for the retreat and will return Sunday approximately 12noon. The cost is \$45 per person.

"WALK FOR PEACE" The Diocesan Offices of Youth and Young Adult Ministry and Social Concerns together annually sponsor the Diocesan Walking Stations of the Cross, "Walk for Peace" on Good Friday. This year the walk will take place on April 10. This walk through downtown Columbus begins promptly at 8am at St. Joseph Cathedral, 212 E. Broad St., with opening prayer led by Bishop Frederick Campbell. The walk concludes at the Cathedral approximately 11am.

XLT: April 1 at OLPH in Grove City: Hear NCYC Speaker Fr. Tony Ricard "Sharing the Love" and experience Jesus in Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity.

Diocesan Respect Life Essay Contest: Win up to \$30 for 1st place. For topics and more information essay contest instructions are in the Religious Education wing next to the bulletin board. Entry deadline June 22, 2009.

JUDITH JONES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Annual Judith Jones Memorial Scholarship for \$500.00 will be awarded in June 2009. An application must be completed and returned to the Parish Office by 4:00pm on April 30, 2009. Registration forms are available in the Parish Office and the Religious Education Office. If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office at (614)833-0482.



****NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY AND****
****SETON PARISH****

Seton Parish is delighted to share in the efforts with local schools in providing opportunities for students to receive credit for service hours. Certain criteria needs to be met. Please contact Barbara Serrano in the Youth Ministry Office at 833-0485, ext. 228.

SETON SINGLES GROUP

Call Carol at 863-5147 or Dee at 837-3052.

MILITARY HONOR BOARD

We honor military men and women on a special bulletin board in Herrmann Hall. If you have a service member in your immediate - or extended family that is not already honored, would you please contact Marianne Wenger at 868-0854 or mwenger@insight.rr.com. Thank You!



WOUNDED TROOPS OUTREACH

Just a reminder that the donations of emergency clothing and supplies for wounded troops arriving at a US hospital in Afghanistan need to be dropped off in Herrmann Hall by March 29th. We will be packing the items on Monday, March 30th if you would like to help. We will be getting started at 6pm, bring your scissors. Thanks for your support of this very worthwhile effort!! Questions can be directed to Marianne Wenger at (514)868-0854 or Mandy Vadala at (614)834-0072 or mvadala@insight.rr.com.

RESPECT LIFE BABY CLOTHING DRIVE

New and gently used baby clothes from birth to 12 months are requested to help out the women at Pregnancy Decisions Health Centers. We will also accept new or gently used maternity clothes. **New** items needed: diapers, baby bottles, pacifiers, rattles etc. Please call Maureen Patterson at 833-0980 if you have any questions. The Pack-and-Play in the Gathering Area is for your donations.



LIVING ROSARY-MAY 3rd

On May 3rd, after the 11:15am Mass, we will have a Living Rosary. We need a total of 60, living-breathing human prayer beads, to register with me. Everyone is welcome the day of the rosary to pray with us from the pews. We will offer these prayers for peace and justice in our world. Thank you and May God Bless, Maureen Patterson (614)833-0980.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS STATEWIDE RAFFLE

Raffling chances to win \$1,000 up to \$49,000.00!!!! Tickets are available for \$5 at the Fish Fries or by contacting Mike Phillips at 378-5061. Drawing will be held in May (you need not be present to win) at the Knights of Columbus Convention. Purchase your ticket this Friday, April 3rd at the Knights of Columbus Fish Fry (6-7:30pm in the PAC).

CONSCIENCE PROTECTION

The US Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) is inviting public comment on a proposal to rescind an important December 2008 federal regulation that protects the conscience rights of health care providers. Help protect the rights of our Catholic health care professionals and institutions. Go to www.usccb.org/conscienceprotection to access links to make a comment and to find out more information. Comments posted by **April 9, 2009**.

Ministries Schedule April 4/5

5:00pm Servers: Nick Monk, Sarah Rini, Zachary Sandhofer, Megan McFaul

Lectors: Tim Pione, Kathy Pione

Eucharistic Ministers: Frank Piper, Brien Bellous, David Drees, Sally Lindeboom, Colleen Lumannick, Barbara McAllister, Cathy McFaul, Peg McVicker, Jean Monnin, Mike Monnin

Greeters: Bill and GERALYN TANTKO

Welcome Center David and Cindy Drees

Cantor: Kathy D..

8:00am Servers: Sabrina Serrano, Bobby Hopkins

Lectors: Susan Kolb, Debbie Clegg

Eucharistic Ministers: Adam Nowocin, Diane Paxton, Eleanor Samborsky, Becky Sandor, Carol Schmidt, John Snively, Barb Besancon, Ronald Blymire

Greeters: Timmy, Bobby, Jodee, Danny Hopkins
Betty Crock

Welcome Center: Betty Crock

Cantor: Dee M.

9:30am Servers: Maggie Farrell, Alexia Letourneau, Casey Miler, Tyler Neagle

Lectors: Mark Holko, Terrence Reine

Eucharistic Ministers: Judith Barber, Linda Strait, Tina Bowie, Ann Brown, Bill Burton, Brenda Burton, Paul Caravano, Edd Chinnock, Cindy Holko, Harry Clyburn

Greeters: Twila and Don Shaffer
Linda Clyburn

Welcome Center: Terri Black

Nursery: Amy LeMay, Kelli Saksa

Cantor: Tom W.

11:15am Servers: Bailey Sweeney, Makayla Tatarko, Morgan Teeters, Lucy Willard

Lectors: Scott Mucha, Lisa Adkins

Eucharistic Ministers: Sandy Stewart, Joanmarie Trainer, Marge Bierly, Joanne Butcher, AnnaMarie Friedman, Cathy Haemmerle, Mike Haemmerle, Jan Hatton, Jacinta Hooker, Dave Hopkins

Greeters: Anne and Grace Masters
Dave and Kathy Eddy

Welcome Center: Mike Mahoney

Nursery: Paula Dobias, Donna DeWees

Cantor: Michael G.

COLLECTION COUNTERS: Team #9: Richard Stover, Lisa Wadsworth, Carol and Jesse Pope, Brenda and Bill Burton, Bill and Carol O'Connell