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Masses, Confessions, & Devotions

Saturday, February 25th • Saturday after Ash Wednesday (Both)

7:35-8:05am Confession; 7:45 am Rosary & Morning Prayer

8:15 am *EF Mass* • Int. All Volunteers

3:00 pm- 3:45 pm Confessions

4:00 pm *OF Anticipated 1st Sunday of Lent* • Int. Audrey Elliot (+) by the Maxon Family

Sunday, February 26th • FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT (BOTH)

8:00 am *OF Mass* • Int. For All Parishioners

11:00 am *EF Mass* • Int. Special Intention of Alexandra Leonard by Byron & Kate Bolton

4:30 pm Evening Prayer

Monday, February 27th • St. Gregory of Narek (Feria of Lent)

5:15 pm Rosary & Evening Prayer

5:45 pm *OF Mass* • Int. Ron Williams (+) by Ruth Ann Smith

6:30 pm Men's Holy League

Tuesday, February 28th • Lenten Weekday (Feria of Lent)

7:35 am-8:05 am Confessions; 7:45 am Rosary & Morning Prayer

8:15 am *EF Mass* • Int. Lynn Reynolds (+) by Steve & Dosie Kermod

Wednesday, March 1st • Lenten Weekday (ember Wednesday of Lent)

5:15 pm Rosary & Evening Prayer

5:45 pm *OF Mass* • Int. Timothy McManus by John & Danielle Scott

Thursday, March 2nd • Lenten Weekday (Jesus Christ the High Priest)

7:25-7:50am Confession; 7:45 am Rosary & Morning Prayer

8:15 am *OF Mass in Chapel* • Int. Special Intention

Friday, March 3rd • St. Katharine Drexel (Ember Friday in Lent)

7:25-7:50am Confession; 7:45 am Rosary & Morning Prayer

8:15 am *OF Mass* • Int. Joe Williams by Ron Williams

5:15-5:30pm Confessions

5:45 pm *EF Mass in Chapel* • Int. Mass Association

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 4th • St. Casimir (Ember Saturday in Lent)

7:25-7:50am Confession; 8:05 am Morning Prayer

8:15 am *EF Mass* • Int. Men's Holy League and the Legion of Mary; Followed by Rosary Procession, Adoration, Confessions

3:00 pm- 3:45 pm Confessions

4:00 pm *OF Anticipated 2nd Sunday of Lent* • Int. Althea Petritz (+) by Christina Furore

Sunday, March 5th • SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT (BOTH)

7:25-7:45 am Confessions

8:00 am *OF Mass* • Int. For All Parishioners

11:00 am *EF Mass* • Int. Ted Sotak (+)

4:30 pm Evening Prayer

From Holly Olszewski

From the choir loft...

As the cold wind blows and I put together the choir binders for Holy Week, I reflect on how the liturgy of Lent (the readings, music, and silence) prepares us for Easter's glorious gold and bells. Lenten weekdays are privileged; they each have specific prayers and readings. Saints' feast days become optional or are commemorated with a prayer in the Mass instead of an entire Mass. Readings during Lent for daily Mass, weekend Mass, and the Liturgy of the Hours present two distinct themes. The first half of Lent should inspire repentance, an acknowledgement of sinfulness, and our egos' deflation. In the second half of Lent, the readings come from the Gospel of John and remind us that Jesus is indeed our Savior. He will save those who know their need for salvation. In Her wisdom, The Church helps us to focus on these readings by quieting everything else. Less organ, fewer hymns, lack of flowers, no 'Gloria' and no 'Al--a' provide us a period of silence so we may ask ourselves, as St Francis did, "Who are we?" and "Who is God?" The late Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI said "*Lent is a favorable time in which to rediscover faith in God as the foundation of our lives and of the Church's life.*"

Practically what does this mean from a musical standpoint? We will put the Heritage Mass away for the Saturday 4 pm Mass. We will be using the English chant from the Roman Missal instead. The 8 am will also use the English Chant, as we have been using it on the 2nd and 4th Sundays. On the first and third Sundays, we will use Mass XVII at 8 am (You remember it! We did it during Advent!) We will also use Mass XVII at 11 am. Except for the 4th Sunday of Lent, Laetare Sunday, we will forgo the opening and closing hymns to foster quiet reflection. The Church Calendar gives us two glorious solemnities this year during Lent: St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, transferred from Sunday the 19th to Monday, March 20; and The Annunciation on March 25th. For 11 am on Saturday, March 25th, the choir is preparing Hans Leo Hassler's Missa Super Dixit Maria for a sung Polyphonic Mass. There will be some special guests -not quite as big as the Mozart Mass we did in October - but big. During Lent, the choir and students will be preparing all the wonderful processions, Tenebrae and other sung Holy Week traditions at Holy Rosary. It's not too late to join us! We rehearse Wednesday nights, and no previous choral experience is required.

As we enter this great season of silence, let us not only listen to what is not there but also what IS there. In still small whispers, as I pray that the Lord will speak to you, please pray for me. -

Holly Olszewski, music coordinator

"As Lent is the time for greater love, listen to Jesus' thirst... 'Repent and believe' Jesus tells us. What are we to repent? Our indifference, our hardness of heart. What are we to believe? Jesus thirsts even now, in your heart and in the poor – He knows your weakness. He wants only your love, wants only the chance to love you." Saint Teresa of Calcutta

Collection Totals

For February 18th & 19th

OF Masses \$4,595.00
EF Masses \$1,829.00
Total \$6,424.00



For the Coming Week's Masses

4:00 pm OF March 4th
Propers Ben Freundl
Cantor Marie Freundl
Lector Dick Dell'Acqua
Acolyte Greg Robinson
Ushers Bryan Brzezinski, Byron Bolton, Bernard Zacharias, Marc Maday

8:00 am OF March 5th
Propers Chris Steffke
Jerry Schaub
Cantor Tonya Ratajczak
Lector Judy LaCross
Acolyte Greg Robinson
Ushers Tom Lesausky, Tim Lowe
Mike Tate, John Martz

11:00 am EF March 5th
Ushers Phil Nachazel, Mike Kelly
Al Garvin, Pat Dunphey

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2023 Catholic Men's Conference



Saturday, March 4th
at St. Francis High School Auditorium.
This year's key note speaker is Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers. Clergy and men under 20 years age are free. Confessions are available during the conference. Register online at Absolutecatholic.com

Holy Rosary Lenten Fish Fry

Our fish dinners will be on March 10th and March 24th from 4:00 pm—7:00 pm. Dine-in or takeout. \$16 per person. Dinners will include Baked or Deep Fried Cod, Scalloped Potatoes, Coleslaw, Macaroni & Cheese, Dinner Rolls, and a Dessert.



GTARTL—Teens for Life

Teens & Young Adults! Join us for prolific speaker, Alison Centofante (in demand public speaker and Director of External Affairs at Live Action) on Thursday, March 2nd, 7 pm at Harvest Bible Chapel in Traverse City. There will be a chance for Q & A - no charge to attend! (all are welcome to attend). St. Mary & St. Francis High School students will hear the presentation at St. Francis High School on Friday, March 3rd at 10:15 am.

9th Annual Men's Retreat



Leelanau Catholic Divine Mercy at St. Mary of the Assumption Parish on Saturday, March 11th. Sign-in from 7:30 am. Mass will begin at 8 am and ends at 2:30 pm. Can you call or text to register 231-649-6797. It will be a free will offering. Breakfast and Lunch provided. The Guest speaker is Fr. Allen Joseph Alexander of the Marion Fathers of the Immaculate Conception and is hosted by Father Ben Martin.

Meals for Families with Newborns

Please consider joining the meal-train email mailing list for an opportunity to support our Holy Rosary mothers welcoming new children to their family. There is no obligation to bring a meal for every baby born - just help when you can! Please text or email your email address to Teresa Altman at 231-342-8386 or lukealtman@gmail.com

Bishop Walsh is hosting a Holy Hour

(and a Half) consisting of exposition, adoration, benediction, and eucharistic catechesis. "Amen, amen, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you." (Jn 6:53) Join Bishop Walsh as he hosts a Holy Hour and a Half on Sunday, March 26 at 3:00 p.m.—Immaculate Conception in Traverse City. Visit dioceseofgaylord.org/eucharisticrevival for details.

Hallow App

Holy Rosary is offering the Hallow App for free to parishioners for the season of lent. Go to hallow.com/holyday to create your free subscription and then download the app. Use the same login information from hallow.com/holyday as you do in the app and the free subscription will be connected. Or you can scan this code:



24 Hours for the Lord

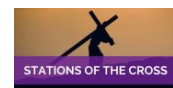
Join us for 24 Hours of Adoration and Confession in the church starting March 24th from 4:00 pm to March 25th at 4:00 pm.

40 Days for Life

The 40 Days for Life campaign has kicked off. Sign-up sheets for Holy Rosary dates will be in vestibule.

Stations of the Cross

Join us every Friday during lent at 7:00 pm for the Stations of the Cross. You can gain a plenary indulgence by making the Stations of the Cross, under normal conditions, for doing the Stations of the Cross that are legitimately erected in a church or chapel.



Chalice of Strength Prayer Ministry for Priests and the Church



Please join us in offering an hour of adoration for our Pope, bishop, priests, seminarians and the needs of our Church. There is a sign-up sheet in the vestibule. Just initial and date it when you offer your hour. You can also put R for Rosary or C for chaplet. Over 5000 hours have already been offered throughout the diocese.



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