

Saint Paul The Apostle

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Tuesday - Thursday:
9:00am to 12:00pm
Sunday:
8:30am to 12:00pm

March 1st, 2020



1ST SUNDAY OF LENT



Then the devil took Jesus up to a very high mountain, and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in their magnificence, and he said to him, "All these I shall give to you, if you will prostrate yourself and worship me." - Mt 4:8-9

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St Paul the Apostle is presenting the **Living last Supper** again this year on the following dates:
Feb 26, 2020, 7PM at St. Paul's / Feb 29, 2020, 6:30PM at the Cathedral / March 11, 2020, 6:30PM at the Cathedral / April 1, 2020, 6:30PM at St Paul's.
This is a presentation that you don't want to miss.

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Knights of Columbus
Breakfast Burritos
Saturday, March 7th after 4:00
Mass and Sunday,
March 8th after the 7:30 and 10:30
Masses.
\$3 each or 2 for \$5

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29

2:00 PM- CONFESSIONS
4:00 PM MASS (ANTICIPATORY)

† Jan Hall (Family)
† Drew Cronk (Diluzio & Naglich Families_
† Mc Kenna Burke (Dick & Tina Willis)
† Rito Morneo (Kurt & Linda Grogan)
† Andy Pritchard (Kitchen Family)

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

7:30 AM MASS
8:40 AM EDGE
8:55 AM RELIGIOUS ED K-5
9:30 AM ROSARY
10:30 AM MASS
12:00PM CONFIRMATION 1 & 2

† Andy Pritchard (Kitchen Family)

MONDAY, MARCH 2

TUESDAY, MARCH 3

7:30 AM MORNING PRAYER
8:00 AM DAILY MASS
6:30 PM CANTORS
7:00 PM ADULT CHOIR

† Mary Jorene Johnson (Fisher Family)

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4

7:30 AM MORNING PRAYER
8:00 AM MASS
4:00 PM ADORATION
4:45 PM CONFESSIONS
5:30 PM ROSARY

THURSDAY, MARCH 5

7:30 AM MORNING PRAYER
8:00 AM MASS

FRIDAY, MARCH 6

7:30 AM MORNING PRAYER
8:00 AM DAILY MASS
4:00 PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS
5:00 PM FISH FRY

† Clifford Kitchen (Juanita Kitchen)

SATURDAY, MARCH 7

2:00 PM CONFESSIONS
4:00 PM MASS (ANTICIPATORY)

† Donald Grogan (Kurt & Linda Grogan)

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

7:30 AM MASS
8:40 AM EDGE
8:55 AM RELIGIOUS ED K-5
9:30 AM ROSARY
10:30 AM MASS
12:00 PM CONFIRMATION 1 & 2

Readings for the week of March 1, 2020

Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17 [cf. 3a]/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11
Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [Jn 6:63b]/Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32
Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [3a]/Mt 7:7-12
Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26
Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5:43-48
Next Sunday: Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

Lenten Retreat

Co-Hosted By: Universal Chastity Education & St Mary's Church

Location: St Mary's Church, 217 E Mesa, Pueblo 81006

Date: Sat March 14th starting at 5:30PM with overnight prayer vigil

Event Details: The evening will consist of a soup supper, keynote speaker, and overnight prayer vigil. Kim Dernovsek, MD will be the keynote with her talk, "Chastity Heals." Rev. Zaldy Norba will share a reflection on "The Power of Prayer." To RSVP and/or sign up for an hour of prayer contact Sarah Smith at 719-248-8828 or contact@uceglobal.org.



Please support Saint Paul's by attending Bingo nights, at 7pm, at the Bingo Casino on the third and fourth Fridays of the month. St Paul's is also hosting Bingo every Wednesday beginning at Noon. Also, don't forget the Knights sponsor bingo every Friday from Noon to 4pm. Hope to see you there!

Join people of all faiths in the 40 Days for Life prayer campaign to end abortion. This campaign runs February 26 through April 5th and is a meaningful Lenten endeavor. Be a "Barnabas Buddy." That is someone who joins others; moms, dads, nuns, prisoners, etc. praying daily to end abortion. A limited number of booklets to use daily are available in the Narthex on the table by the Angel statue, or offer your own personal prayer. Pray at home, church, in the car... all prayer counts!

Scholarships

The Bishop Arthur Tafoya Knights of Columbus Council 12020 is again offering scholarships to graduating seniors. For more information and an application please call James Ozzello at 719-547-2603.

1st Sunday of Lent

Life can easily spin us out of control. While there are so many wonderful opportunities before us, we can also get easily distracted and exhausted. There is always something to do, respond to, or check. The clutter of our lives can take us off course, and the best remedy for getting back on track is the experience of the desert. Here we can face our demons square on, resist them, and get back on course. We desperately need the season of Lent. This simple time of year forces us into greater awareness and grounds us in what is good and true.

What weighs you down and keeps you trapped? Maybe you are trying to do too much and please too many people. It could be that your fragile self-image is always pushing you to prove yourself and find success. Anxiety and worry, ultimately due to a lack of faith, can quickly tempt you with despair. It could be that you are listening to too many voices and allowing all of the negativity that is present erode the genuine goodness in your heart and in all of God's creation. Or maybe you struggle too much with fear. Perhaps so much so that you are far too preoccupied with your own agenda and goals and left with little psychological or spiritual room to consider and respond to the plight of your neighbor. Do anger, bitterness, stubbornness, and hatred have homes in your heart? How about greed, gluttony, pride, apathy, or lust?

For many, their passions and what can be found on the internet are their downfall, and they are robbed of their inner life and freedom. What is it, specifically, that tempts you away from a childlike trust in God? Define this and use the next few weeks to allow God to chart you a course away from them. Silence, being alone, grace, honesty, struggle, tears, and dryness are all found in the desert. You will also find God and your true self in this holy place. Ready to go?

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Please remember our Sick and Homebound.

Conni Billinger	McCloskey's)
Patrisia Cordova	Dorothy Orr
Cortese Family	Kirsten Pachek
Janet Cruz	Kai Pedersen
Olga Dick	Shirley Palacio
Keith Emert	Marietta Kahl
Char Finch	Holly McPhearson
Butch Goddard	Christine Dickson
Robert Hayman	Chris Pettigrew
Lloyd Jacques	Peter Sorensen
Pat Laintz	Tony Torres Jr.
Jeremy Laintz	Judy Howard
Mary Lontine	Martha Archuleta
Isaiah Maez	Steve Olson
Cameron Martin	Kathy Krueger
MaryAnn	Angela Vigil
McCloskey	Frank Bitstenbiwnder
Kevin McCloskey	Mary Jo McDermott
Fr. Mike (friend of the	Klara Silipo

Lenten Reconciliation Services

St. Joseph—Wednesday,

March 4th—12 Noon

St. Paul the Apostle—Thursday,

March 5th—6:30pm

Christ the King—Thursday,

March 12th—5:30 pm

St. Mary Help of Christians—

Saturday, March 21st 8:45 am

St. Benedict-Florence—Tuesday,

March 24th-5:30pm

St. Francis Xavier—Thursday, March

26th—6:00 pm

Our Lady of the Meadows -

Monday, April 6th— 7:00 pm.

Attention all Ministers!

Please email Ernie by March 11th, with any days you're unable to serve in April. Also, please indicate what Holy Week Masses you plan on Attending:

Holy Thursday is April 9th at 6pm

Good Friday April 10th at Noon & 6pm.

**Easter Vigil April 11th at 6pm
Easter Sunday 7:30am & 10:30am**

Attention High School Senior Girls

The Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will award the Betty Filpi \$500 scholarship to a female senior with a 3.00 GPA and who is active in the parish. Applications are available by calling Pat Klomp at 719-369-5975 or emailing nana-pk@hotmail.com. All applications and required paperwork are due by Friday, April 3.