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Full disclosure Rob gave me permission for last week's name

26 FEBRUARY, 2023

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

FROM FATHER CHUCK

Lenten Materials

Lent has begun with the masses on Ash Wednesday. There are still a large number of Lenten materials remaining. The following are the materials for Lent; First, there is the book, "A Season of Deep and Everlasting Healing". This book is for all adults and it is a wonderful way to keep you on your spiritual path. Second, is the book, "Lent in real life". This book is orientated for families and give the opportunity to have a spiritual guidance with your family members all participating in the Lenten activities. Third, the junior and senior high school book is: "Light for Our Path". This book gives a short mediation on the saints each day and will make Lent a wonderful grace filled season for your junior and senior high school students. Fourth, for the grade school students is a coloring book, "Follow the Path". This is a wonderful way for our children to do an activity each day that reminds them of their journey of faith during the Lenten season. Fifth, there are medals that remind us of the Lenten season. These medals can be on our key chains or in our pockets to remind us of the season of Lent. All of these materials are intended to help us make the Lenten season a moment in time where we grow in the grace and goodness of Jesus Christ.

What is Your Spiritual Plan

The greatest challenge in the Lenten season is for all of us to determine a spiritual plan so that the Lenten season will be a time of great spiritual growth.

What I suggest that you take advantage of all of the times that we offer you the opportunity to pray, celebrate the Eucharist and walk the stations of the cross. In today's bulletin is a list of all the activities that we will have during Lent.

Diocesan Appeal.

We will begin our Diocesan Appeal next week. I am asking for a gift of \$250.00. The most important thing is that you do the best that you can do. This year's appeal goal will be an even greater challenge because of the economic times and the Ignite Campaign. I know that we will do the best we can to meet this goal.

Tuesday Evening Lenten Program.

The mass and stations of the cross, the soup supper and the Lenten learning will be held in the church beginning at 5:30 p.m. This evening program is an opportunity to learn more about your faith and to meet other members of our parish family. The mass and stations are great reminders of what the Lenten season is. Every time that we pray the stations of the cross we realize how much Jesus loved us to die in such a violent way to redeem us from our sin.

Friday Evening Stations and Benediction.

The stations of the Cross and Benediction will be prayed every Friday during Lent at 5:30 p.m. These traditional prayers of the church are another great opportunity to grow in the graces that the Lenten season offer us.

Reconciliation

The season of Lent is a time to see forgiveness for our sinfulness. I offer confessions every Saturday from 3:00 to 3:35. If you wish to make an appointment for individual confessions you can do so. There will be two weekends when we will have confessions after all the masses.

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Readings for March 5, 2023
1st Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a
2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10
Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

MASS SCHEDULE

Tue	2/28	8:00 am	Pat Hudek
Wed	3/1	8:00 am	Paul & Lucille Filkens
Thur	3/2	5:30 pm	Daniel & Alma Hughes & Family
Fri	3/3	8:00 am	Ivan & Susie Duff
Sat	3/4	4:00 pm	Denny Teymer
Sun	3/5	8:00 am	Frank Holzer & Kenneth Finnegan
Sun		10:00 am	Linda Schmitt
Sun		Noon	Jacquie Rallis

SATURDAY, 4PM March 4, 2023
ALTAR SERVERS: Ave & Ella Bussey, Nicolas Rodenburg
LECTORS: Amy Rallis, Jim Beck
EUCH MINISTER: Owen Galus
USHERS: Jack Gross, Linda Bonham, Fred Schaben

SUNDAY, 8 AM, March 5, 2023
ALTAR SERVERS: Missy Evezic, Anthony Busch, Connor & Elle McGrath
LECTORS: Lisa Rosloniec, Genette Wirtz
EUCH MINISTER: Jim Havermann
USHERS: Jeff Veit, Jonna & Lindsay Andersen, Dennis Coughlin

SUNDAY, 10 AM March 5, 2023
ALTAR SERVERS: Abby & Sarah Lighthipe
LECTORS: Chris & Ed Fink
EUCH MINISTER: Marian Brown
USHERS: Craig Menges, Mike Nielsen, Paul Schmitz, Andrea Nelson

SUNDAY, NOON March 5, 2023
ALTAR SERVERS: Keegan McCaffery, Grace Burroughs, Anna Peterson, Theo Oswald
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LIFE ACCORDING TO JEAN.....

- Ate salad for dinner! Mostly croutons & tomatoes. Really just one big, round crouton covered with tomato sauce and cheese. Fine. It was pizza. I ate a pizza.
- The people who make fitted sheets need to sit down with the people who make mattresses and get on the same page. Making the bed shouldn't be like putting a swimming cap over a fridge.
- When older people say "Enjoy them while they are young." They are talking about your knees and hips not you kids.
- The most important parts of the Superbowl were the commercials and the food. I really don't care who makes the most baskets!!!!
- I wasn't made for winter.
- I don't see it as eating an entire box of Girl Scout cookies. I see it as helping a future entrepreneur.
- Remember-you are only young once...but you can be immature forever.
- Don't be too hard yourself. The mom on E.T. had an alien living in her house for days and she never even noticed.
- I feel like we are stuck inside of a snow globe and some jerk keeps shaking it.
- I'm not going outside until the temperature is above my age.
- I used to envy people who could do a cartwheel but now I'm jealous of anyone who can get up off the floor without making grunting noises and holding onto furniture.
- Laughing at your mistakes can lengthen you life. Laughing at your wife's can shorten it.
- We all know mirrors don't lie....I'm just grateful that they don't laugh.
- A husband gave his wife a dress two sizes too small with a note that read, "I can't wait to see you in this." The wife gave her husband a casket with the same note. Never insult women, we don't get even, we get ahead.
- Just once I wish I could flip over a package of food and the serving size would read, "However much you feel like eating, baby girl."

HAVE A GREAT WEEK, STAY SAFE, BE NICE TO EACH OTHER

FATHER'S THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

One of the most wonderful grace filled moments is to walk the stations of the cross. My thought for the week is for all of us to take advantage of the two times that the stations of the cross are prayed in our parish one Tuesday and Friday evenings.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, February 27-Knights of Columbus meeting 6 pm
Tuesday, February 28-Mass 5:30p & Soup supper following
Wednesday, March 1-Rel Ed & Confirmation
Thursday, March 2—Altar Society, 6pm
Friday, March 3—Stations of the Cross & Benediction 5:30
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Monday, March 6-Committee Meetings
Tuesday, March 7-Mass 5:30p & Soup supper following
Wednesday, March 8-Rel Ed & Confirmation

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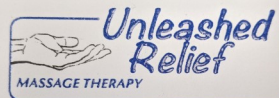
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