



LENT

MONDAY March 6

7:00AM Mass Pasquale & Elvira Sisto, by family
12:10PM Mass

TUESDAY March 7 –Sts. Perpetua & Felicity

7:00AM Joseph & Lillian Baron by Priscilla & Adam
12:10PM Mass

WEDNESDAY MARCH 8 - St. John of God

7:00AM Mass Vincenzo & Gugliemena Zinno
12:10PM Christina Brittany Hymes by Staff,
Little Flower Home

THURSDAY MARCH 9-St. Frances of Rome

7:00AM Mass Alice & Edward Coffey by a friend
12:10PM Michael & Martha (Howe) Coyne by
Daughter Alice
Anthony Orefice, *Month's Mind*, by
Joe & Dru Cortallessa

FRIDAY MARCH 10

7:00AM Mass Reita & May McKenna by a friend
12:10PM Mass
EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 1-7:00PM
7:00PM *Stations of the Cross*

SATURDAY MARCH 11

9:00AM Mass
5:00PM Mr. & Mrs. Espedito Avanzo by
Mr. & Mrs. Luigi Fontana
Louise I. Campagna by Family

SUNDAY MARCH 12 – Second Sunday of Lent

7:30AM Mass Jared Mendes, by a friend
9:00AM Sandy & Anna Arcello Matrone
by Sandy & Jeannette
James Znuj, 9th Anniversary, by
Wife & Sons
10:30AM Thomas Malone by Family
Angelina Xavier by Daughter

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel." - Mk 1:14-15



March 6 – March 12

SANCTUARY LAMPS

Frank and Jennie Pirri by Children

OUR LADY OF GRACE STATUE CANDLES

Deceased Members of the Mariano Pasqua Family
by Francis and Filomena Larkin

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY MEETING will be held on March 9th at 7:15PM in the lower level of the school. Volunteers are welcome to attend.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY SCHEDULE AND

BENEFITS: Scheduled dates for photography are: Thursday, April 20th, 3 to 9:30PM, Friday, April 21st, 3 to 9:30PM, Saturday, April 22nd, 10 to 5:00PM, Tuesday, April 25th, 3 to 9:30PM, Wednesday, April 26th, 3 to 9:30PM. The Pictorial Directory assists people to connect names and faces to build a stronger Church family, creates a beautiful directory that is both a history book and an outreach tool, encourages and welcomes back those who are inactive. EZ sign-up: www.signup.olanmills.com. Please click on "schedule new appointment", to log in use: 03000. Complete photo appointment information. Click Save and Submit. EZ sign-up is available until March 9th.

R.I. STATE CIRCLE, DAUGHTERS OF

ISABELLA sponsoring the "Msgr. Thomas V. Cassidy Memorial Scholarship". Two scholarships at \$2000.00 each will be given to two eighth grade students entering a Catholic High School and are based on Scholastic Merit and Financial Need. Applications may be applied for by writing to Mrs. Joanne B. Burger, Chairperson, 3 Twins Lane, North Providence, RI 02904.

LITURGICAL PUBLICATIONS OUR

BULLETIN PUBLISHER Representative will be at our parish beginning March 6th.

DEAR PARISHIONERS.

These next 40 days are really a retreat for us as a parish and as a Church. We are given this Lenten time to reflect on our faith and to set our priorities straight. Prayer, fasting, and almsgiving are the watch words of this penitential time. The Church looks stark and desert-like as we are forced to focus simply on Jesus as Lord. Walk the way of the Cross this Lent so as to envision ever more clearly the light of the Resurrection.

Our children are once again planning a beautiful Passion Play for the Wednesday of Holy Week, April 12th. Mark your calendars now so as to not miss this wonderfully inspiring and tremendously moving depiction of the last hours of Jesus' life.

Fr. Zinno

Readings for the Week of March 5, 2006

Sunday: Gn 9:8-15/ 1 Pt 3:18-22/ Mk 1:12-15
 Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/ Mt 25:31-46
 Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/ Mt 6:7-15
 Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/ Lk 11:29-32
 Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/ Mt 7:7-12
 Friday: Ez 18:21-28/ Mt 5:20-26
 Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/ Mt 5:43-48
 Next Sunday: Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/ Rom 8:31b-34/ Mk 9:2-10

BUDGET SUMMARY: FEBRUARY

Week of February 5 - \$5,364.47
 Debt Reduction - \$2,846.00
 Fuel Collection - \$1,564.18
 Week of February 12 - \$5,004.26
 Maintenance Collection - \$915.00
 Week of February 19 - \$5,905.95
 School Support - \$1,150.00
 Week of February 26 - \$5,828.64
 Priest Retirement - \$1,623.30

HEALING MASS FOR FAMILY TREE at Columban Father's Chapel, March 8, April 5, and May 10th, at 7:00PM. Need more information? Please call Fr. Suerer at 253-6909.

LENT 2006

Lent began this past Wednesday as we were signed with blest ashes. Each year the church gives us this sacred season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving so as to prepare well for Easter. Here at Mount Carmel there are a variety of ways for us to partake in this penitential season:

DAILY MASS during the season of Lent will be at 7:00AM **AND** 12:10PM.

LENTEN MISSION will take place Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, March 13, 14, 15. Rev. Richard Bucci, the pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in West Warwick will be our preacher.

RICE BOWLS are a way to assist with our almsgiving during Lent. Place your spare change/bills in the bowl each day. These monies will be collected as the second collection on Palm Sunday to assist Catholic Relief Services in the great work that agency does throughout the world.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION takes place on the Friday's of Lent beginning after the 12:10PM Mass and concluding with Stations of the Cross and Solemn Benediction at 7:00PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS every Friday evening at 7:00PM

FAST & ABSTINENCE Ash Wednesday & Good Friday are days of FAST (only one main meal should be taken and ABSTINENCE (no meat should be eaten.) **LIKEWISE**, all the FRIDAYS of Lent are days of ABSTINENCE.

CONFESSION is every Saturday from 4 - 4:45PM. Also, Monday March 20 6-8PM, and Monday, March 27, 7-8PM.

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www.olmc-bristol.org
 All New Lenten Updates