

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



### WEEKEND SCHEDULE MARCH 20 & 21

#### **Saturday:**

- 4:00 PM @ SAG Sunday Celebration in the absence of a priest  
 4:00 PM @ STA Mass: † Deceased Family Members of Mr & Mrs John McCormack  
 6:00 PM @ SA Mass: † Darrell A. Woodard & Theresa M. Woodard by Ron & Marie Elaine Brasslett

#### **Sunday: Fifth Sunday of Lent**

- 8:30 AM @ SAG Sunday Celebration in the absence of a priest  
 9:00 AM @ STA Mass: For All Parishioners  
 11:00 AM @ SFX Mass: † Betty Valin by Burke & Betty Soileau

### WEEKDAY MASSES MARCH 22-26

#### **Monday:**

8:30 AM Mass @ STA: † Ed Wilbur by Our Lady of the Snows Parish

#### **Tuesday: St Toribio de Mogrovejo**

8:30 AM @ SA Mass: † Marjorie Handville by Gary & Holly Sinclair

#### **Wednesday: No Mass**

8:30 AM @ SA Communion Service

#### **Thursday: THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD**

- 8:30 AM @ SA Communion Service  
 4:00 PM @ STA Adoration  
 5:00 PM @ STA Communion Service  
 5:00 PM @ SAG Mass: † Alan Connery 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary by Pat Connery

#### **Friday:**

8:30 AM @ SFX Mass: † Edmund F. Joyce 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary by the Joyce Family

### WEEKEND SCHEDULE MARCH 27 & 28

#### **Saturday:**

- 4:00 PM @ SAG Mass: † William Greene by Jim & Pat Ouellette  
 4:00 PM @ STA Mass: For All Parishioners  
 6:00 PM @ SA Mass: † Douglas Gilbert by Mrs. Florence Allard

#### **Sunday: Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion**

- 8:30 AM @ SAG Mass: † Katherine Weber by Her Family  
 9:00 AM @ STA Mass: † Deceased Members for the Michaud & Flewelling Families by Mr & Mrs David Michaud  
 11:00 AM @ SFX Mass: † Alyssa Buzzard by Her Family

MARCH 21, 2010

## Worship & Spirituality



#### **Sanctuary Lamp:**

St. Anne's March 21<sup>st</sup> Burns In Memory of Joanne Hibbard by Theresa A. Gilbert

### *Please pray for our sick*

Chris Ames, Bonnie B., Richard Bergevin, Nick Caivano, Roland Clukey, Leona Crawford, Martha Danforth, Patrick DeCesare, Vernet Dechaine, Eugene DeLorenzo, Mary Drew, Brenda Edgerly, Jim Favolora, Mary Flynn, Raymond Fortin, Gail Goulette, John Greaney, John Greenier, Eva Hejducek, Marguerite Laflamme, William Jennings, Robert Kelly, Nancy Kerwin, Gayle Kiernan, Barbara Laferriere, Hilda Lankist, Reuben Lumbra, Donald Martin Jr, Jim Matthews, Miriam McArthur, Peggy Meakin, James Morrison, Josephine Morrison, Barbara Munsell, Gloria Nadeau, Rae-ann Paradis, Ray Paine, Suzanne Pearson, Jane Reid, Angelo Rizzo, Elizabeth Ronco, Timmy Ryan, Todd Supka, Dick Sylvia, Matthew Troy, Tom Welsh

Readings for the week of: March 22<sup>nd</sup>  
 Monday: [Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62](#); [Jn 8:12-20](#)  
 Tuesday: [Nm 21:4-9](#); [Jn 8:21-30](#)  
 Wednesday: [Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95](#); [Jn 8:31-42](#)  
 Thursday: [Is 7:10-14](#); [8:10](#); [Lk 1:26-38](#)  
 Friday: [Jer 20:10-13](#); [Jn 10:31-42](#)  
 Saturday: [Ez 37:21-28](#); [Jn 11:45-56](#)  
 Sunday: [Is 50:4-7](#); [Lk 22:14—23:56](#)

In preparation for Mass, open your Bible or logon to United States Conference of Catholic Bishops website [www.nccbuscc.org](http://www.nccbuscc.org) and click on Daily Readings.



#### **Living Stations of the Cross**

Please join our parish Youth Group as they present the Living Stations of the Cross. You will have 2 opportunities this year to enjoy this moving presentation.

**Friday March 26<sup>th</sup> 7 PM at St Anne\*.**  
**Sunday March 28<sup>th</sup> 7 PM at St Thomas.**



\* soup & bread at St Anne will be moved to 6 PM on 3/26/10



Palm Sunday: Mass at all sites @ regular times  
Holy Thursday: 7 PM @ STA & SAG  
Good Friday: 6:30 PM @ SFX, STA & SAG  
Easter Vigil: 7:30 PM @ SA & SAG  
Easter Sunday: 8:30 AM @ SAG, 9 AM @ STA  
 10:30 AM @ SA, 11 AM @ SFX

**Vocations:**

***Fifth Sunday of Lent -- March 21, 2010***

“Christ Jesus has made me His own.” Are you called to belong to Christ alone as a priest, deacon or through the consecrated life?

Call Fr. Bob Vaillancourt @ 207-773-6471 [robert.vaillancourt@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:robert.vaillancourt@portlanddiocese.org) or Sr. Rita Mae Bissonnette @ 207-773-6471 [ritamae.bissonnette@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:ritamae.bissonnette@portlanddiocese.org).

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***YEAR FOR PRIESTS 2009 ~ JUNE 19 ~ 2010***

Therefore all the disciples of Christ, persevering in prayer and praising God, (cf Acts 2:42-47) should present themselves as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God. (cf Rm 12:1), Everywhere on earth they must bear witness to Christ and give an answer to those who seek an account of that hope of eternal life which is in them. (cf 1Pt 3:15). Though they differ from one another in essence and not only in degree, the common priesthood of the faithful and the ministerial or hierarchical priesthood are nonetheless interrelated: each of them in its own special way is a participation in the one priesthood of Christ. The ministerial priest, by the sacred power he enjoys, teaches and rules the priestly people; acting in the person of Christ, he makes present the Eucharistic sacrifice, and offers it to God in the name of all the people. But the faithful, in virtue of their royal priesthood, join in the offering of the Eucharist. They likewise exercise that priesthood in receiving the sacraments, in prayer and thanksgiving, in the witness of a holy life, and by self-denial and active charity. (Vatican II - Lumen Gentium 10)

Activities for this Week

Sunday 3/21 K-6 Religious Ed 9:30 AM @ SFX  
 K-5 Religious Ed 10 AM @ STA  
 Parent Breakfast 10 AM @ STA  
 Our Lady's Kitchen 12-1 PM @ SA

Monday  
Tuesday RCIA 6:30 PM @ STA  
 PPC 6:30 PM @ SA

Wednesday Praying of the Rosary 8:05 AM @ SA  
 Matthew 25 1 PM @ MUYDC  
 SA Choir 7 PM @ SA

Thursday Praying of the Rosary 8:05 AM @ SA  
Friday Stations of the Cross/soup & bread  
 5:30 PM @ SFX & STA  
 Soup & Bread 6:00 PM @ SA  
 Living Stations Presented at SA 7 PM

Saturday  
Sunday 3/28 K-5 Religious Ed 4:30 PM @ SA  
 K-6 Religious Ed 9:30 AM @ SFX  
 K-5 Religious Ed 10 AM @ STA  
 Parent Breakfast 10 AM @ STA  
 Our Lady's Kitchen 12-1 PM @ SA  
 Living Stations Presented at STA  
 7PM

**Finance and Administration Weekly Collection Report**

Offertory for: March 14, 2010	Our Lady of the Snows	
Weekly Budget Goal	\$4,865.00	
Envelopes	151	\$2523.50
Non-envelopes	\$532.47	
Total Collected	\$3055.97	
Overage (Deficit)	(\$1809.03)	
YTD Budget Goal	\$180,005.00	
YTD Collected	\$152,739.27	
YTD Overage (Deficit)	(\$27,265.73)	
Attendance		
Catholic Relief Services	\$750.11	

**Next Week's 2<sup>nd</sup> collection:  
 Parish Fuel**



**Friday March 26<sup>th</sup>**  
**at All Worship Sites**  
 Followed by soup & bread  
 St Thomas 5:30 PM  
 Sts Francis & Paul 5:30 PM

**St Anne Soup & Bread @ 6 PM**  
**followed by**  
**Living Stations of the Cross @ 7 PM**

**Faith Formation**

**Reflection of the Week**



If you have never taken part in the question of the week, Lent would be a perfect time to start. A small addition to your faith life that can be done as a family, it could add to your Disciples in Mission program as well.

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

(Go, and Sin No More)

March 21, 2010

Reading I: [Isaiah 43:16-21](#) (New Things)

Reading II: [Philippians 3:8-14](#) (Maturity in Faith)

Gospel: [John 8:1-11](#) (The Woman Caught in Adultery)



**Adults**

How quick am I to cast the first stone? Do I make a distinction between the sin and the sinner?

**Children**

Do I forgive my friends when they do something that hurts me? Do I give them a second chance?



**Have you visited our website lately?**

Visit us today at [www.ourladyofthesnowsme.org](http://www.ourladyofthesnowsme.org) you'll find bulletins, ministry schedules, upcoming events. A new feature is the activity page for kids and teens. On the home page click on "*Information on our Youth Programs & Activities.*" and you'll find fun activities that reinforce what your child is learning in Faith Formation.



**Divine Mercy Sunday - April 11**

All worship sites - 2:45 PM  
Set aside an hour to celebrate this feast day with your parish friends. Jesus has asked that the Divine Mercy image be venerated throughout the world.



**God Squad is still accepting Cabot Cheese orders Help them raise funds for their trip to Spain by calling in your order today!!!!**

**Payment is not needed at the time of your order**  
Orders are filled by the case so we may not be able to honor all orders.

Please see a God Squad member or call  
Cathy Beaudry 924-7104

[cathy.beaudry@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:cathy.beaudry@portlanddiocese.org)



Let us all pray for peace.

Please keep our service women and men in your prayers.



**FOOD COLLECTION BOXES**

At St. Anne's and St. Thomas

**The item for next week is:**

Boxed cereal



**Food Collection at Sts Francis & Paul**

is taken to the Ecumenical Food Cupboard.

**Woman's Book Club**

A woman's book club will begin in April. We will meet evenings at St. Anne's Center, Dexter and discuss the book *Full of Grace Women and the Abundant Life* by Johnnette Benkovic.

Anyone interested contact Jane Young 564-0867 or e-mail [jane.young@portlanddiocese.org](mailto:jane.young@portlanddiocese.org) or Kathie Lombard 938-3307.



A very special thank you to everyone who either donated prizes, food or manpower to make our annual St. Patrick's Day Bingo a success. You made it happen again this year!

## Social Justice & Peace

### Our Lady's Kitchen

### Korner



...for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me... (Matt 25:35)

**A hot meal will be offered between 12 and 1 PM at St. Anne's Parish Hall 60 Free Street in Dexter every Sunday. A great way to get out of the house and share a meal with others. All are welcome.**

Thank you, Team Two for a wonderful week at Our Lady's Kitchen. You bring Christ's love to all with your generous hearts and kind words. Thank you, also, to those who donated bread, desserts and treasure to this meal. We are grateful to you all.

Holy Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to you.

Amen.

Jesus, I trust in you. Amen.



### Yarn for Angel's Hands

St Thomas Craft Guild are making prayer shawls and lap quilts for nursing home and hospital use, and also for cancer patients going through treatment.

The women used their own supplies for the Christmas Fair, but this project requires 5 skeins of yarn, in worsted weight for just one shawl and would be costly to make the number we hope to complete.

The shawls and quilts let the patient know prayers are with them from our faith community, and give moral support as well as needed comfort and warmth.

Anyone who has yarn or cotton fabric that you can donate to this project, please bring it with you to Mass and leave it in a basket at the back of each worship site labeled for this use. If you wish to make a monetary donation to help with this project, just put it in an envelope marked *Angel's Hands* and put it in the offertory.

Thank you for helping us to help others.

### Baked Stuffed Shells with Cabot White Cheddar Cheese

Makes 4 servings

#### Ingredients:

- 1 cup fat-free ricotta cheese
- 2 ounces 1/3-less-fat cream cheese, softened
- 8 ounces Cabot 50% Reduced Fat Cheddar, grated & divided (about 2 cups)
- 1 large egg, lightly beaten
- 16 large fresh basil leaves, chopped
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1/8 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 16 large dried pasta shells
- 1 (26-ounce) jar marinara sauce
- Fresh basil leaves (garnish)



#### Directions:

1. Place ricotta and cream cheese in a bowl and mash together. Stir in 1 cup shredded cheese, egg, chopped basil and garlic. Season with salt, pepper and nutmeg; set aside.
2. Preheat oven to 400° F.
3. In large pot of boiling water, cook pasta until al dente, or barely tender. Drain well, making sure to empty shells of any remaining water; set aside to cool briefly.
4. Spread about 1/2 cup marinara sauce over bottom of large baking dish. Spoon ricotta mixture evenly into shells and arrange in dish. Pour remaining sauce over top. Cover with aluminum foil and bake for 30 minutes. Uncover dish, sprinkle with remaining shredded cheese and bake for an additional 10 minutes.
5. Remove from oven and garnish with fresh basil.

Based on recipe courtesy of chef Jon Ashton

