

Sunday, March 20, 2016 – Palm Sunday of the Passion of Our Lord

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DECEASED:

COMMUNION SERVICES:

6:45 a.m. St. Mary’s Tue., Thur., Fri.
8:00 a.m. St. Joseph Mon, Wed.

RESERVED MASSES:

Sun 3/20	8:00 a.m.	Ron vanderPoel <i>Req. by Betty and Jan</i>
	9:30 a.m.	Charles DeCelle <i>Req. by Bob & Helene Moran</i>
	11:30 a.m.	Sonny Cook & Joanne Rafferty <i>Req. by Adele Cook</i>
Mon 3/21	6:45 a.m.	Dionisio Mauro <i>Req. by Shirley Carpenter</i>
Tue 3/22	8:00 a.m.	St. Jude – Special Intention <i>Req. by Tom & Frances Resso</i>
Wed 3/23	6:45 a.m.	Arthur Beckert <i>Req. by Pat & Fritz Beckert</i>
Thu 3/24	7:30 p.m.	Jeannine Blundell-Kennedy <i>Req. by Kenneth & Patricia Blundell</i>
Fri. 3/25	3:00 p.m.	The Lord’s Passion
Sat 3/25	7:30 p.m.	William Garzione <i>Req. by Mom & Dad</i>
Sun 3/26	8:00 a.m.	Gregory Fowler <i>Req. by Jean & Hugo Musto</i>
	9:30 a.m.	Jeannine Blundell-Kennedy <i>Req. by Kenneth & Patricia Blundell</i>
	11:30 a.m.	Deceased Members of Scala And Thompson families <i>Req. by families</i>

GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING - TITHING

Sunday Collection (St. Mary):	\$ 4,220.00
Sunday Collection (St. Joseph):	1,203.00
Parish Pay (St. Mary):	1,242.22
CNY (St. Mary):	24.00
Church Maintenance (St. Mary):	12.00
Last Year’s Collection (St. Mary):	3,275.00
Last Year’s Collection (St. Joseph):	1,691.00

THANK YOU!

RECONCILIATION

Fr. Chris will be available for individual confessions on Monday, March 21st, from 4:00 to 8:00 PM in the Parish Center. Enter the Parish Center Office and ring the bell located outside of the secretary’s office.

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

St. Mary of the Snow (5:00 pm): Apr. 2,16,30
St. Joseph (4:45 pm): Apr. 9 & 23

OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Sun	11:30 a.m. SEEDS 12:30 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Mon	12:00 p.m. Mass – St. Mary of the Snow Chapel 3:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena – Chapel 4:00 – 8:00 p.m. RECONCILIATION MONDAY 7:00 p.m. RCIA 7:15 p.m. Holy Year of Mercy - Chapel
Tue	7:30 p.m. Contemporary Choir
Wed	7:15 p.m. R/M Prayers
Thu	7:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord’s Supper – St. Mary
Fri	11:45 a.m. Passion of Our Lord – St. Joseph 3:00 p.m. Passion of Our Lord – St. Mary
Sat	7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass at St. Mary of the Snow
Sun	EASTER SUNDAY – NO Adoration

**** MASS BOOK 2017****

Due to the fact that we are a merged parish and have a larger number of parishioners, **ALL** Masses will be scheduled on a **first-come, first-served** basis. Specific dates/Mass times will not be reserved indefinitely for families. If you have any questions, please see Fr. Chris.

There will be a **limit of 5 weekend Masses per person**, however, unlimited weekday Masses will be allowed. Father is requesting that payment for reserved Masses be received within a week of scheduling. If you have any questions, please contact the office 845-246-4913.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Deacon Arnie will be holding the Miraculous Medal Novena at 3:30pm each Monday in the St. Mary of the Snow Chapel beginning March 7th.

EASTER FLOWER DONATION

Donation envelopes may be found at the entrance of St. Joseph Church. Flower offering envelopes were mailed with the St. Mary’s regular collection envelopes. If you would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one, you may also write your name as well as the name of the person(s) for whom the donation is being made. Please mark the envelope “EASTER FLOWER DONATION” and place it in the collection basket.

CARDINAL APPEAL NUMBERS:

**533 ST. MARY OF THE SNOW
432 ST. JOSEPH**



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HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

- **Holy Thursday - 3/24/16**
 - 7:30 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper – St. Mary Process from Church to Parish Center Chapel with the Blessed Sacrament. Adoration until midnight.

- **Good Friday – 3/25/16**
 - 8:00 AM Tenebrae Prayer – St. Mary
 - 11:45 AM The Lord's Passion – St. Joseph
 - 3:00 PM The Lord's Passion – St. Mary

- **Holy Saturday – 3/26/16**
 - 8:00 AM Tenebrae Prayer – St. Mary
 - 7:30 PM Easter Vigil – St. Mary

- **Easter Sunday – 3/27/16**
 - 8:00 AM & 11:30 AM – St. Mary
 - 9:30 AM – St. Joseph

HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 2016

PILGRIM VISIT TO 7 LOCAL CATHOLIC CHURCHES

One of the recommended practices for the Year of Mercy Lent is to “go on a pilgrimage.” A Pilgrimage Pamphlet Guide is available at the entrances of the church for those who wish to participate in the venerable custom of “visiting seven churches” on Maundy (Holy) Thursday, March 24, 2016. The Mass time at each church, location of Altar Repose, and closing time are listed in the pamphlet. Also included in the pamphlet are suggested prayer verses to be said at each stop, and Pope Francis' prayer intentions for March. Participants in the pilgrimage normally set out after attending the evening Mass of The Lord's Supper at their home parish; they continue on the self-directed pilgrimage to visit six additional decorated Altars of Repose. *Due to the merging of some churches in Ulster County this past year, the pamphlet's list of participating churches should be carefully noted.*

HOLY THURSDAY PROCESSION

Girls in grades 3-8 who have received First Communion are invited to be a part of the Holy Thursday procession of the Blessed Sacrament from the Church to the Chapel. Holy Week is a special time for our faith. If interested, please call Missy Miron at 246-0146.

JOHN A COLEMAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Coleman Musical Theatre presents “The Little Mermaid” Apr. 1-10 Wine & Cheese Event & Raffle – April 17th - \$10,000 grand prize Contact the school with any questions: 845-338-2750.

CEMETERY DECORATIONS

ALL holiday decorations at the cemetery must be removed by **March 22nd** for spring clean-up. Thank you for your cooperation!

20-WEEK FUEL FUND

Thanks to all who participate in the 20-Week Club twice a year to help defray the cost of fuel for our church. For those who may not be familiar with how the Club works, it is as follows: Each member pays \$100 for that 20-week period. A number is drawn every week for 20 weeks, and that member wins \$100. After 20 weeks, a dinner is planned for the members and 1 guest at no charge. At that dinner, seven cash prizes are drawn for the following amounts: \$1000, \$500, and five \$100. Also, raffle tickets are sold and prizes are gifts donated by area businesses which we ask you to patronize.

The 20-Week Fuel Fund dinner was held on Sunday, March 13th. The results of the drawing are: Anita Yates - \$1,000; John Gardner - \$500; Reginald Storch, Jay Caffrey, Joe Seery, Mike Karashay, Ann Quinn - \$100 each. Congratulations to Club #66 winners. Thank you to all who participate. There are some openings for the next club which will begin in April. Call Karen at 246-4155 to join.

25th & 50th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Are you celebrating a 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary this year? At the 11:30am Mass on May 22, 2016, those wishing to participate will be recognized for this accomplishment during Mass. There will be a social immediately following Mass. If interested, please register with the Parish Office 246-4913 or contact Pete and Sue Gage 246-3299.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Bill Bair, Rose & Charles Meiswinkel, Jan vander Poel, Barbara Wismont, Mary Ellen Fuoco, Jeanette Fuoco, Neil Gallagher, Angelina Lemyre, Adrian Lepe, Michael E. Donlon, Ruth Lowe, Maryanne DePoala, John Valdata, Melanie Hagan, George Woerthmann, Darryl Caldwell, James Dargan, Anthony Konopka, Ed Norton, Patty Williams, SherryAnn Kenjersky, George Dale, Michelina Cornell, Greg Mulstay, Diane Yetter, Clare Miller, Betty Decker, Ann Granville, Art Chiarot, Franko Serravallo, Joan Ostoyic, Paul Brazier, Carol Fabiano, Lillian Mottsey, Beatrice Policastro, Lisa Sasso, Patricia Robinson, Doreen Churchill, Francis Posavec, Nora Mercier, Robyn Daugherty, CB Slutzky, William Ball III, Lucy Yonnone, Shanna Pesce, Bobby Bonelli, Sally Hoy, Adele Maday, Mary Brazier, Isabelle DeCelle, Laura Bach, Nancy Kennedy, Tony Gallo, Sr., Shawn Saguid,

To place or remove name from sick list, please call 246-4913.

*Almighty and Everlasting God, the eternal salvation of those who believe in You, hear us on behalf of Your servants who are sick, for whom we humbly beg the help of your mercy, so that, being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen*



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