

Third Sunday of Lent
February 28th, 2016

From the burning bush, Moses is called by God to lead his people out of slavery into freedom. The parable of the fig tree speaks on the one hand, of God's patience, but, on the other, of the urgency of the call to conversion. Like the Hebrews of old, we too have failed to heed God's call, thinking ourselves to be self-righteous.

Opportunities to Worship This Week:

Sat. 2/27, 6:00PM (Vigil-Third Sunday of Lent)-Dolores Netemeyer+
Sun. 2/28, 8:30AM (Third Sunday of Lent)-Ian Penrod+
Thurs. 3/3, 6:30PM (Weekday)- Dick Reyling+
Fri. 3/4, 8:00AM (Weekday)-Bill Grogan+
Sat. 3/5, 6:00PM (Vigil-Fourth Sunday of Lent)-Betty & Bob Kunik+
Sun. 3/6, 8:30AM (Fourth Sunday of Lent)-Larry McClure+

STATIONS OF THE CROSS - EVERY FRIDAY - 6:30PM

Sacrament of Penance

Anytime by Appointment/
Fri. mornings after Mass

Mass Attendance

Saturday:
Sunday:

Anointing of the Sick: Call the rectory any time when anointing of the sick is needed. In the absence of Fr. Martin-Edward, call Peg Garrison, Denise Zurliene or Jim Thompson and they will contact a deacon.

Prayer List:

Way-Fair Nursing Home – Kimberly Buchanan

Garland Keck, Lanora Neavill, Theresa Nordmann, Ute Ferido, Leon Chamness, Jack Ciesielczyk, Sharon Reyling, Patty Brunell, Dan Kinsolving, Aaron Crosby, Brenda Belangee, Chris Bollinger, Jim & Jane Mowry, Emily Nordmann, Brayden Holden, Phyllis Laird, Kurt Wiseman, Stacy Winkeler, Nanette Williams, Julie Griffith, Gina Williams, Whitney Eckleberry, Noreen Reeves, Maddox Oppenheimer, Paula Zdan, Sara Kerchner, Charles Drechsel, Shirley Byars, Dorothy Baylor, Eva Decker, Matthew Rorban, Kathy Bramlet, Virginia Winkeler, Tom Colvin, Jim Lawler, Stacie Boyer, all priests who are sick, and those serving in our military.

Saturday, March 5, 2016

Lector: Theresa Nordmann
E. Mins: Dave & PJ Cavanaugh
Ushers: Sam Ochs, Don Zurliene
Gifts: Donna Turner, Alice Zurliene
Servers: volunteers

Sunday, March 6, 2016

David Mills
Laura Titzer, Peg Garrison
Drew Garrison, Clayton Titzer
The Pickens Family
Jackson Mills, William Wright

Our Daily Scripture Readings:

Monday:	2 Kgs 5:1-15b	Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday:	Dn 3:25, 34-43	Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday:	Dt 4:1, 5-9	Mt 5:17-19
Thursday:	Jer 7:23-28	Lk 11:14-23
Friday:	Hos 14:2-10	Mk 12:28-34
Saturday:	Hos 6:1-6	Lk 18:9-14
Sunday:	Jos 5:9a, 10-12 2 Cor 5:17-21	Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

“One Thing I ask of the Lord, and this I long, to dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.” (Ps.27, 4)

That should be our daily prayer

That should be our daily desire

That should be our daily wish.

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

FEBRUARY---Ash Wednesday

Prayer: The Sorrowful Mysteries

Patron Saint: St. Ignatius of Loyola

Faith in Action: Reconciliation, forgiveness, and confession

Activity: Stations of the Cross

The Finance Committee met this past week. First, the Committee would like to thank everyone for their continued financial support of St. Edward Catholic Church but, it was determined that we needed to up our weekly budget amount. Please give some thought and prayer to adding just a little more each week. The Financial report is posted on the bulletin board in the hall.

SIGN-UP SHEETS:

- 1) ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER—IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING PLEASE SIGN YOUR NAME SO WE KNOW HOW MUCH MEAT TO GET. MENU WILL CONSIST OF CORNED BEEF & CABBAGE, BEEF BRISKET, POTATOES, ONIONS, AND GREEN BEANS. PARISHIONERS ARE ASKED TO BRING A DESSERT.
- 2) ST.PATRICK'S DINNER—WILL NEED HELP WITH PREP ON SATURDAY MORNING, SERVING THAT NIGHT, AND CLEAN-UP.
- 3) 24 HOUR OF MERCY- PLEASE GIVE THIS PRAYER AND THOUGHT...EVERYONE CAN GIVE AN HOUR TO THE LORD.

ZURLIENE BEEF STEW: SUNDAY, MARCH 6TH, 12:30PM AT THE HOME OF DON & DENISE ZURLIENE. ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED. PLEASE BRING A COVERED DISH OR DESSERT.

UPCOMING REMINDERS:

Sunday February 28th---PSR 9:30am/Confirmation Class 5:00pm
Friday March 4th---St. Stephen's 24hr of Mercy (8am-8am) Sat. Mar. 5th
Thurs. March 10th--Lenten Penance Service Mass 6:30pm (at St. Edward)
Friday March 11th—Food Pantry Set-up 8:30am
Sat. March 12th---Food Pantry 8:00am/ St. Patrick's Dinner (after Mass)
Friday March 18th-St. Edward 24hr of Mercy (8am-8am) Sat. Mar. 19th

The 2016 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Begins Next Weekend

Next weekend, every parish in the diocese will be participating in The 2016 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal. This annual collection supports 14 ministries and agencies in our diocese whose scope of services could not be duplicated by an individual parish. During this next week, please prayerfully consider making a gift or pledge at Mass next weekend. No amount is too great or too small. On behalf of the ministries that receive funding from CSMA, thank you.