

The 1st Sunday of Lent

Mass Intentions

Sunday	2/18	9:00 am	Pro Populo (For the Parish)
Monday	2/19	8:30 am	Susan Silva (Int)
Tuesday	2/20	8:30 am	Steven Silva (Int)
Wednesday	2/21	8:30 am	Bill Snider +
Thursday	2/22	8:30 am	Estrella Murillo (Int)
Friday	2/23	8:30 am	Danny Rubino +
Saturday	2/24	5:00 pm	Mary Ann Kelly (Int)

Readings

2/19	Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8-10, 15/Mt 25:31-46
2/20	Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-7, 16-19/Mt 6:7-15
2/21	Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/LK 11:29-32
2/22	1 Pt 5:1-4/Ps 23:1-6/Mt 16:13-19
2/23	Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130: 1-8/Mt 5:20-26
2/24	Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/Mt 5:43-48
2/25	Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 116:10, 15-19/Rom 8:31b-34/ Mk 9:2-10

This Week

2/18	8:00 am 10:15 am 10:15 am 2:00 pm	Rite of Election Choir Practice Breakfast hosted by KOC Vocation Committee Meeting Divine Mercy Prayer and Action
2/19		
2/20	9:00 am 6:30 pm	Golden Girls RCIA
2/21	9:15 am 4:00 pm	Book of Revelation Class SVdP Food Pantry
2/22	9:15 am 5:00 pm 6:30 pm	Women's Bible Study St. Vincent de Paul Adult Bible Study
2/23	4:30 pm 5:00 pm 7:00 pm	KOC Friday Fish Fry Catholic Singles Stations of the Cross
2/24	6:00 am 8:00 am 3:00 pm 6:00 pm	TMIY—That Man Is You Choir Practice Confessions Benediction
2/25	8:00 am 10:00 am 10:15 am 10:30 am	Choir Practice Benediction Coffee Hr hosted by Vocations Comm Faith Formation Pre K-12 grade

Those Who Have Died Recently - Marsha Dowling, Cathy Seus Mickelsen, Catherine Nevala, Richard Wolfskill, Theresa Smith, Larry King, Jerry Flocchini, Art Duran, Stan Neitling, Carol Hadden, Steve Caldwell, Bill Snider, Roger Ruiz, Jo Ogborn

Those who have asked for our prayers - Marian Ward, Kevin Noble, John Bocchi, Trudy Ratajczak, Patty Suprenant, Joe Sutliff, Pat Rogers, Bonnie Johnson, Robert Cunningham, Sarah Quiallisms, Sherry Harper, Burt Swingle, Ralph Couch, Jack Baumann, Betty Lucht, Ronny Coffman, Karen Quen, Abie Rameriz, Helen Clark, Cynthia DeRosier, Mikayla Baize, Irene Chambers, Ron McKinnon, Trudy Woodman

Ministry Schedule

2nd Sunday of Lent

Vigil Mass	February 24—5:00 PM
Acolyte	Tim Tice
Eucharistic Ministers	Dave & Mary Beard, Tom Snider, Matt & Mary Holder, David Sowers
Lector (1)	Susan Baird
Lector (2)	Ray Holliday
Sound Crew	Susan Holliday
Altar Servers	Karolina & Fernanda Mendez
Mass Intro	Barb Rhodes
Sunday Mass	February 25—9:00 AM
Acolyte	Allen Moates
Eucharistic Ministers	Paula Marcoux, Julie Morris, Ben Quen, Colleen Quirk, Ipo Ross
Lector (1)	Christina Danforth
Lector (2)	Lee Danforth
Sound Crew	Jeffery Dupuis
Altar Servers	Oliver Coslet, Olivia Crowder, Aailyah & Emmie Zurbrugg
Mass Intro	Vic Scaravilli
Homebound Ministers	Paul Gardner, Deb Scaravilli, Ipo & Mary Ross

The Rite of Election

The Rite of Election includes the enrollment of names of all the Catechumens seeking baptism at the coming Easter Vigil. The Catechumens publicly express their desire for baptism to the diocesan bishop. Their names are recorded in a book and they are called the Elect.

Catechumens, who have never been baptized, will receive baptism, confirmation and first Communion at the Holy Saturday Easter Vigil. Candidates, who have already been baptized in another Christian tradition whose baptism is recognized by the Catholic Church, will enter the Church through a profession of faith and reception of confirmation and Eucharist.

Catholic Singles thank you to all who attended the first two meeting for Catholic Singles.

Please join us in fellowship during the Lenten Season.

February 23rd at 5:00 pm—The group will attend the KOC Fish Fry and participate in Stations of the Cross.

Please invite other Catholic Singles to connect with like-minded singles from our parish or surrounding parishes. Enjoy the fellowship and find support in living our beautiful Catholic faith. Share practical tools and resources for living fruitfully, grow in faith, and form lasting friendships.

Lenten-Easter Study: The Book of Revelation

Please plan on joining us on Wednesday mornings during the Lenten and Easter seasons for a penetrating study of the Book of Revelation, beginning **Wednesday, February 21 at 9:15 AM** in the Parish Hall Conference Room. We will use the Catholic commentary *Revelation* by Peter Williamson. It is highly recommended that participants purchase this text. The books have been ordered you may pick one up the 1st day of class.



ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IN NEED OF A CLEANING, OR NEVER HAD A CLEANING BEFORE?

Look no further! My name is Ally and I am an Oregon Tech Dental Hygiene student looking for patients!

Interested in scheduling an appointment, wondering what services I can provide, have a question about rates, or want to find out more [please reach out to me at:](#)

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College Freshman Scholarship—Due March 31

Bishop Cary and The Legacy of Faith Foundation on behalf of the Canney Family are looking for a High School Senior with a GPA: 2.0+ requiring financial assistance to attend College or Trade School. Approximate value is \$2,500 per year up to two years. Applications due March 31st!

The candidate must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with a Priest reference. For more information & application, go to dioceseofbaker.org/canney-scholarship or contact Mark French at Mark@DioceseofBaker.org.



CHOOSE JOY! Youth Retreat

Holy Thursday, March 28th (Spring Break week/Holy week) from 10 AM – 4 PM we will host a NET (National Evangelization Teams) Ministries event for all youth ages 13 – 18 yrs. The theme will be CHOOSE JOY! There will be skits, games, music, food, Scripture/Church teaching, and prayer/Adoration. Please seriously consider having your youth participate and SPREAD THE WORD as we pray and work to revitalize SPX youth ministry. Free Admission.

Visit link below or QR code

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Form/9456aa1f-fe34-41ca-b7e5-c580d08001de>

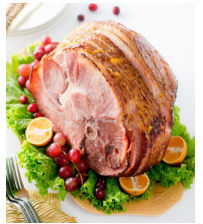


Divine Mercy

All are invited to attend a Divine Mercy informational meeting on March 3, at 2 PM in the Youth Room, where we will focus on specific words of Jesus that express desires He wants us to know, how He wants us to respond to His mercy, and promises of great graces that are available to us on Divine Mercy Sunday. Fr. George Kosicki gathered and organized many of these from St. Faustina's Diary into an easy to read booklet called, "Come To My Mercy." There will be booklets available to take home. Divine Mercy teaches us to prepare for the Lord's coming—whenever it may be—not with fear and trembling but by turning away from sin, trusting in Divine Mercy, acting mercifully, and receiving Sacraments.

Ham & Turkey Dinner—St. Augustine

Please join us at St. Augustine Church in Merrill for our annual Ham & Turkey Dinner and Religious Items Silent Auction sponsored by our Men's Club **February 25, 2024, between 2-6 pm** at the Parish Hall.



Meal includes drinks, baked potato, green beans, coleslaw and relish tray, plus Cindi Cake for dessert. Cost is \$12.00 for adults and children over 12, \$10.00 for seniors 65 and older and \$6.00 for children under 12



Thank you for supporting the Catholic Daughters Bake Sale - they raised \$923. The funds support many CDA charitable works.

Lenten Adoration—March 13-15, 2024

Please sign up at <https://signup.com/go/tvVWhA>



We begin with a celebration of Mass, **March 13th 8:30 am**. At the end of this opening Mass the Blessed Sacrament is exposed from 9:00 am to 10:00 pm, March 13,14,15—the faithful are given the opportunity to assemble in prayer before the exposed Blessed Sacrament. The devotion ends **March 15th, 10:00 pm** with Benediction.

Catholic Corner—...It is difficult for some of us to embrace this emphasis on Mass as the action of a community rather than an individual act of my own faith and piety, but it is important that we make every effort to do so. Christ himself at the Last Supper pleaded with his Father: "Holy Father, keep them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one just as we are... as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us..." (John 17:11, 21). Baptism has joined us to Christ and to one another as the vine and its branches. The life of Christ, the Holy Spirit, animates each of us individually, and all of us corporately and guides us together in our efforts to become one in Christ... USCCB.org