

St. Patrick's Church

February 14, 2016

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MASSES ON THE WEST SIDE

ST. PATRICK'S:

Sunday: 7:30 & 9:00am

ST. THOMAS:

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 11:30am

WEEKDAY MASSES:

ST. PATRICK'S: Monday-Friday 7:00am

ST. THOMAS: Monday-Friday 8:45am

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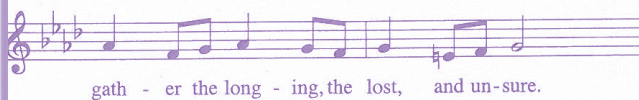
St. Patrick's - Saturday 11:30am

St. Thomas - Saturday 3:00pm

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MASS INTENTIONS**Sunday, February 14—1st Sunday of Lent**

7:30 am St. Patrick's: For The People of St. Patrick's

9:00 am St. Patrick's: 1st Anniv. Mary Agnes Lehmann

11:30 am St. Thomas: Parishioners of St. Thomas Aquinas

Monday, February 15
7:00 am St. Patrick's: Frederick Meagher req. Joe and Sue Hester

8:45 am St. Thomas: Mitchell and Myra Cebula

5:20 pm St. Thomas: Kevin Stantz req. The Stantz Family

Tuesday, February 16
7:00 am St. Patrick's: Thomas Cheevers req. AOH Division 1

8:45 am St. Thomas: Anthony Resciniti req. Barbara Scarlet

5:20 pm St. Thomas: Dorothy Rose req. David and Liliana Kintner

Wednesday, February 17—The Seven Holy Founders of The Servite Order

7:00 am St. Patrick's: 1st Anniv. Christine Spring req. Family

8:45 am St. Thomas: Leonard Gill req. Eileen Haley and Family

5:20 pm St. Thomas: Robert and Catherine McDevitt

Thursday, February 18
7:00 am St. Patrick's: Anne Castelli req. Marilena and Peter Bolender

8:45 am St. Thomas: Ruth D. Ziska req. Ziska Family

5:20 pm St. Thomas: Sue Cook req. Phyllis Canny

Friday, February 19
7:00 am St. Patrick's: Gertrude Cunningham Van Atta req. Patricia Meagher Govern

8:45 am St. Thomas: 30 Day, Angel Dupuy req. Family

5:20 pm St. Thomas: 1st Anniv. Sandra Wood req. Family

Saturday, February 20
4:00 pm St. Thomas: Andrew Rokicsak Jr. req. Family**Sunday, February 21—Second Sunday of Lent**

7:30 am St. Patrick's: For The People of St. Patrick's

9:00 am St. Patrick's: Memorial Donor Mass

11:30 am St. Thomas: Memorial Mass

Let us Pray for the deceased members of our parish family.

Our Memorial Donor Intention Mass is next Sunday, February 21, 2016, at 9:00am. Intention lists are at the entrances.

Area Daily Lenten Mass Schedules are available at the entrances.

FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

Jesus "was led by the Spirit in the wilderness." What is the wilderness in your life to which the Holy Spirit is leading you this Lent? Perhaps there are uncharted areas in your marriage or family relationships. Spend this Lent in your "wilderness" with God work. Where is the Spirit leading you this Lent?

West Entrance Project— During construction of the west entrance, the bathroom located in the sacristy will only be available during services. Those using the Adoration chapel at other times will not have access to a bathroom.

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Keep watching the bulletin for all the details!

Ladies of Charity will award three \$500 scholarships to high school seniors who plan to pursue a service orientated career which specifically makes a difference in someone's life. The scholarship is based on academic achievement, financial need, and service to school, church and community. Please see your school guidance counselor for an application. Deadline is April 29, 2016

8th Annual Green Tie Dinner-Dance, sponsored by the Catholic Education Foundation of the Southern Tier to benefit Catholic Schools of Broome County: Friday, March 11 from 6-10 p.m. at Traditions—Featuring cocktail hour, butlered hors D'oeuvres; dinner; music by the Revelers; Gold Smith jewelry raffle, games and prizes! The *Mirabito Excellence in Teaching Award* honoring a local Catholic School teacher will also be presented. Tickets are \$100. RSVP February 29. Call [607.348.0337](tel:607.348.0337) or email cmuscatello@syrdiocese.org for more information.

The 2016 Women's Lenten Retreat—will be held Saturday, February 27, 8:00am-1:00pm at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Endicott. Sr. Brigid O'Mahoney will offer a reflection on "The Joy of God's Mercy," with Mass to be celebrated at 8:30am by Rev. Peter VanLieshoust. Adoration, prayer, rosary, confession and breakfast will also be offered. RSVP by email to swc@syracusediocese.org or call Margaret at 761-2671 or Becky at 754-9408.

Stewardship: Lent calls us to prayer, fasting and almsgiving...to be good stewards of our time, talent and treasure, using our gifts for the building of the Kingdom.

Dates To Remember

Baptism Last Weekend: Logan Anthony Jenkins was welcomed into the Catholic Faith. We wish his family God's love and blessing.

Sunday, February 14—Second Collection is for Black and Native Americans.

Please Note: There is no Faith Formation because of Presidents' Day holiday.

8:00 pm—Rosary in the Adoration Chapel

Tuesday, February 16

6:00 pm—Discovering Christ meets in the Parish Hall

Wednesday, February 17

7:00 pm—Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, February 18

12:10 pm—St. John Vianney meets in the Hall

Friday, February 19

5:20 pm—Stations of the Cross

Saturday, February 20

10:00 am—Second grade Retreat in the Parish Hall

The 15th Annual St. Patrick's 4 Mile Road Race will be held on Saturday, March 12. Runners can register on-line at <https://fasttracktiming.com/races/03122016-st-patricks-4-mile-road-race-binghamton-ny/>. Volunteers will be needed on race day. Please contact Tom Ryan at 607-422-2630 if you are interested in helping out.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

NO Faith Formation classes on Sunday, Feb. 14. Classes will resume on Sunday, Feb. 21.

2nd grade retreat will be on Saturday, Feb. 20 in the hall at St. Patrick's school from 10:00 - 12:30. At least one parent needs to attend.

First Communion banners will be made. Don't forget your supplies.

10th grade retreat is Saturday, Feb. 27. The location; The Newman Center, *may* be changed. I will keep you posted.

5th and 6th grade students will have their class Mass on Sunday, Feb. 28 at the 11:30 Mass at St. Thomas Aquinas following Faith Formation classes.

Young Adults: Theology on Tap will feature **Bishop Cunningham** as speaker this month! Come out to Dillinger's Pub on State Street in Binghamton on Thursday, February 18 at 7pm. Questions call or text Kelly Soprano, Regional Coordinator, at 315-414-7139 or email: ksoprano@syrдио.org.

Year of Mercy As we can see in Sacred Scripture, mercy is a key word that indicates God's action towards us. He does not limit himself merely to affirming his love, but makes it visible and tangible. Love, after all, can never be just an abstraction. By its very nature, it indicates something concrete: intentions, attitudes, and behaviors that are shown in daily living. The mercy of God is his loving concern for each one of us. He feels responsible: that is, he desires our wellbeing and he wants to see us happy, full of joy, and peaceful. This is the path which the merciful love of Christians must also travel. As the Father loves, so do his children. Just as he is merciful, so we are called to be merciful to each other.

Stations of the Cross – Fridays of Lent

St. Thomas: 9:15 am & St. Patrick: 5:20 pm

Daily Mass Schedule – In addition to the 7:00 am & 8:45 am masses at St. Patrick's and St. Thomas, there will be an evening mass at **5:20 pm**. Monday – Friday at St. Thomas Aquinas.

Black Books – Lenten Black Books that contain daily reflections for the season of Lent available at all entrances this weekend. Purple Books for children also available.

Rice Bowls - As you begin your Lenten Journey, you may want to consider using an **Operation Rice Bowl** at home to focus on the needs of people living in poverty throughout our world. Cardboard Rice Bowls available at entrances.

Lenten Liturgies: – During the season of Lent, we will kneel during the sung Penitential Rite. We will also use the Eucharistic Prayers of Reconciliation 1 or 2, found on pages 23 & 24 in the missalette.

Pledge cards - for each of the weeks of Lent will also be passed out after communion

Lenten Sharing – The parishes of St. Patrick and St. Thomas are supporting **Samaritan House** this Lent. Donations will be accepted until Palm Sunday. Place items on the table in the front of the church. Monetary donations are also appreciated. Please place in an envelope marked Samaritan House and place in the collection basket or send to the rectory. Please see bulletin insert for suggested items needed.

Nocturnal Adoration Society....will meet at St. Patrick's Chapel next Saturday, February 20. St. Patrick/St. Thomas holy hour is from 7:00-8:00pm

NEXT WEEKEND—February 21

	LECTORS	COMMENTATORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
7:30 AM	Margaret Kotylo	Pat Harding	Sister Alma, Margaret Hanson	D. & E. Leighton
9:00 AM	Rosemary Arlequin	Florine Soltis	Caroline and Don Hall, Art Monaco, Pam McKedy	C. & C. Haynes, V. Arlequin, G. Kane

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