

Saint John the Baptist Latin Mass Community

An Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter

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Sunday: 7am and 11am

Mon. & Tues.: 7:15am

Wed., Thur., Fri.: 6pm

Saturday: 8am

Holy Days of Obligation:

7:15am & 7pm

*Confession offered 30 min. before
all Masses or by appointment*

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Weddings: Please inquire 6 months
prior to intended date.

Schola: Thursdays after 6 PM Mass

Choir: Sundays after 11AM Mass

BULLETIN WEEK 10**2016****Liturgical Calendar and Mass Intentions**

Sun. Mar 6	Fourth Sunday of Lent (1st cl.)
7:00 am 11:00 am	Pro Populo Souls in Purgatory
Mon. Mar 7	Feria of Lent (3rd cl.)
7:15 am	Souls in Purgatory
Tues. Mar 8	Feria of Lent (3rd cl.)
7:15 am	Souls in Purgatory
Wed. Mar 9	Feria of Lent (3rd cl.)
6:00 pm	Mother Mary of Jesus OCD+
Thurs. Mar 10	Feria of Lent (3rd cl.)
6:00 pm	Sister Teresa of Jesus OCD+
Fri. Mar 11	Feria of Lent (3rd cl.)
6:00 pm	Theresa Siefker
Sat. Mar 12	Feria of Lent (3rd cl.)
8:00 am	Most Reverend Albert Fletcher+
Sun. Mar 13	Passion Sunday of Lent (1st cl.)
7:00 am 11:00 am	Pro Populo Dorothy Couvillon

***WELCOME visitors!** St. Edmund Campion missals/hymnals are available in the back of the church. At the traditional Mass, Holy Communion is received on the tongue, and kneeling, if possible. There no need to respond 'Amen'. Chapel veils to borrow are available in the foyer of the church. If you would like to register to join the community, fill out a census form, found on the table in the back of the church, and turn in to Fr. Magiera.*

By the Numbers For the Week of February 21, 2016

Sunday Mass Attendance: 7:00 am: 24 11:00 am: 132 Total: 156

Sun. Collections: Reg: \$2,049.88

Aid to Church in Central & Eastern Europe: \$445.55

Total Deposit: \$2,495.43

Daily Mass attendance for week: 41

Confessions for week: 23

Propers for Today's Mass: The Propers for The Fourth Sunday of Lent can be found on page 120 of the Campion Missal/Hymnal.

Second Collection Today for Catholic Relief Services. This was formerly called American Bishops' Overseas Appeal. This fund provides humanitarian aid, pastoral support, and disaster relief to suffering individuals and families around the world.

March 6 Sunday Brunch: Our Brunch for the month of March happens today, the first **Sunday of March** also known as Laetare Sunday and is hosted by Warren O'Leary. The **Theme is casseroles**. Hope you've brought your favorite recipe to share.

Anti-Abortion Petition: The ushers will have copies of an **Anti-Abortion Petition** for you to sign after Mass. Though all abortions are an abomination, dismemberment and partial birth abortions are, by far, the worst. Make our esteemed leaders aware of your position on the horror of dismemberment abortions. Petitions will also be available for you to sign at the brunch in the hall.

Stations of the Cross: We pray the Stations every Friday in Lent immediately following the 6:00 pm Mass.

The Feast of St. Joseph: the Feast of St. Joseph falls on Saturday, March 19. We will celebrate this feast day with a sung Mass at 9:00 am. Refreshments will be served in the rectory after Mass.

Ignatian Retreat Opportunity: Experience an Ignatian Silent Directed Retreat at St. John Center, Little Rock beginning Thursday March 17 with dinner at 6:00 pm and ending Sunday, March 20 after lunch. Cost is \$300 which includes 3 night accommodations, 9 meals, and daily individual sessions with a retreat director. For more information call 664-0340, ext. 323.

Please Remember these Prayer Intentions:

For the living: June Gardner (health), Gary Crouch (health), Members of the Kozlowski families, Jolanta Widuch, Diane D. Wolfe (full recovery), Linda Barry (health), Crawford Family, Peter Orłowski Family, Penny Witter (health), Gail Demerest (health), Eric Couron Family (Special Intention).

And for the dead: John Andrew Makovec, Sue Whitehead, Janet Sorrels, David Crockett, Shawn Trusty, Donald Greer, Gail Brooks, Patrick W. Kordsmeier, Scott Shiplett, James Steven Moore, Vergie Crimmins, Bill Barry, John Tully, Ron Prince, Lenora Price, Dorothy Lochner, Myrtle Powers, Gregory Backus, Billy-Joe Campbell, James Honeycutt, Sandra Friedl, Isadore L. Sonnier, John Farrel, Jean Murry, Bonnie McDonald, Marie Honeycutt, Catherine Sparks, Carolyn Bruich, Earl Bradberry, Fr. Venantius Preske, Joseph Max Bulmanski, Justice Antonin Scalia.

Dear Community Members,

This Sunday is *Lætáre Sunday* and marks the approximate half-way mark through the season of Lent. This is also called “Rose Sunday” because the priest may wear rose vestments to celebrate Mass. Flowers are permitted on the altar and the organ can be played without the restriction of merely supporting congregational singing. Following today, beginning and including Monday, there are 21 days until Easter Sunday, the 27th. Time flies, right?

I must congratulate you and express my special gratitude for the response to the newly reactivated Building Fund collection. Over two Masses, \$3,361.00 was collected. To be fair, though there was great participation on the part of many, we have three people – who will remain anonymous, of course – to thank for \$2,500.00 of that total.

I have made the decision to make our money work more for us than it has in the past. As you know, the Building Fund account is interest bearing. I’m told that it does better than some of the other investment possibilities out there. Our checking account pays no interest. So, I have decided to move the bulk of our checking account assets into the building fund account. What this means is that we now have a whopping amount that will start paying significant (well, significant for these days) interest. You’ll remember that the December 31 Building Fund balance was \$53,151.92. Well, in addition to the amount collected yesterday, I moved an additional \$150,000.00 over. So, our Building Fund balance now is \$206,512.92. Interest should be much increased.

A church’s checking account is required to contain, three months’ worth of expenses. So, we still have more than enough in the checking account to cover this. As always, I will provide you with all relevant balances when the fiscal quarter ends on 31 March.

This being tax time, perhaps our Building Fund might benefit a bit further. I’m sure you’ll all receive staggering refunds from the IRS. Perhaps, some of those refunds might find their way into the fund, right? By donating that extra bit, you’ll be working on next year’s refund. Makes sense, don’t you think?

To end, we agree that all abortion, regardless of method or timing, is wrong. To help our leaders hear us a bit better, I will have petition blanks for you to sign both after Mass and at the Pot-Luck. I do hope to see you all there, my children and my friends.

Father Magiera