March 19, 2017

3rd Sunday of Lent



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Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God and who is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." —Jn 4:10

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

PARISH STAFF

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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

<u>Christ the King Worship Site</u> Saturday 3:30 - 4:20 PM <u>Sacred Heart Worship Site</u> Saturday 8:30 - 9:00 AM - Our Lady of Czestochowa Chapel

CONFESSION

(English & Polish) <u>Christ the King Worship Site</u> Monday - Friday 6:30 AM; Saturday 3:30 PM <u>Sacred Heart Worship Site</u> Wednesday & First Friday 6:30 - 7:00 PM Saturdays 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM & 4:45 - 5:45 PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9:00AM to 3:00PM. Office closed on Thursdays. Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointment.



P MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, March 20 (Poniedziałek) Joseph, Spouse of Mary CTK - 7:00AM + Josephine Warzybuk r/o family SH - 8:00AM †Czeslaw & Boleslaw Wojcik r/o family SH - 11:00AM † Joseph Redmond r/o Czudecki Family CTK - 12:00PM Rosary & Divine Mercy Devotions SH - 7:00PM English Retreat Service Tuesday, March 21 (Wtorek) CTK - 7:00AM +John Day r/o Deb & Mike Knitowski SH - 8:00AM +Wladyslawa Samoraj r/o son & family SH - 11:00AM Mass and OLPH Novena in English CTK – 7:00PM English Retreat Service Wednesday, March 22 (Środa) CTK - 7:00AM + Joseph Redmond r/o Shamy Family SH - 11:00AM + John & Anna Luszcz r/o grandson, Robert & Carol Luszcz SH - 7:00PM OLPH Novena in Polish CTK – 7:00PM Retreat Closing Mass Thursday, March 23 (Czwartek) **Turbius of Mogrovejo** CTK - 7:00AM + Frank Fedorczyk Sr. r/o wife & children SH - 8:00AM †Frank Wozniak r/o Wayne Zedowski SH - 11:00AM †Dorothy Tomasko r/o godson, Edward Mus Friday, March 24 (Piatek) - Bl. Oscar Romero **CTK** - 7:00AM **†**Marykutty John r/o Shanta George SH - 11:00AM + Sophie Zygiel r/o Edward Baginski & familv SH - 11:30AM Divine Mercy Devotions CTK - 4:30PM Stations of the Cross in English SH - 6:30PM Stations of the Cross in Polish SH - 7:00PM +Mark Salko r/o wife, Ania Saturday, March 25 (Sobota) Annunciation of the Lord SH - 8:00AM +Zdzislaw Jackowski r/o wife & children **CTK - 9:00AM First Reconciliation** SH - 11:00AM †Zdzislaw Wyszatycki r/o Joanna Wyszatycki CTK - 4:30PM + John Stroka r/o Barbara Gural SH - 6:00PM +Babcia Henryka r/o grandson & family 4th Sunday of Lent, March 26 (Niedziela) SH - 7:00AM †Stefan & Janina Walkukiewicz r/o siostra, Krysia CTK - 8:30AM + Ray larkowski r/o wife, Marge SH - 8:30AM For the People of the Parish SH - 10:00AM †Dorothy & Michael Tomasko r/o Ronnie Wolenski CTK - 10:30AM + Joseph Tabbit r/o Galasso Family SH - 11:30AM +Living & Deceased Members of the Blessed Virgin Mary Society SH – 5:00PM Gorzkie Żale in Polish SH – 5:45PM †Tatiana Yarigin & Zdzislawa Bialobrzeska r/o Ann Piotroska The Sanctuary Lamp in Sacred Heart will burn

this week for the repose of the soul of **Mary & Stanley Gruszka** at the request of his sons. The Altar Bread & Wine in Sacred Heart is consecrated this week for God's Blessing on **Natalia Bak** at the request of her mom & sister.



The Samaritan woman said to him, "How can you, a Jew, ask me, a Samaritan woman, for a drink?" Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God and who is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." - Jn 4:9a, 10

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

"But the hour is coming, and is now here, when true worshippers will worship the Father in Spirit and truth." Are we true worshippers? Do we praise and honor God the Father in the way Jesus described to the Samaritan woman at the well?

It seems that this woman was caught up in logistics about WHERE to worship more than HOW to worship. Her people worshiped in one place, the Jews in another. She was puzzled by this and, even though she could see that Jesus was a prophet, she challenged him because she thought perhaps he wasn't a true worshipper of God. The Lord's response to her was to shift the focus away from a particular physical location for honoring God. In essence, he told her that what mattered was that we worship God by being filled with his Spirit, "the Spirit of truth, [who] will guide you to all truth," as Jesus will say later in John's Gospel (16:13). This woman, whose life was marked by such a sad string of broken relationships, had been missing the point.

Worshipping God means more than merely practicing a community ritual or frequenting a sacred site. If we don't come to truly know God by welcoming his Spirit into our hearts, then our worship will be empty and our lives will always be missing something. The deep fulfillment that is meant to come from following the Lord is a fruit of being filled with his Spirit. Without drinking fully of this "living water" that is available to all of us through the waters of baptism, we will always be seeking something more, like this poor woman. Instead, may we be true worshippers, who drink with satisfaction from the Lord's own "spring of water welling up to eternal life."



Monday, March 20

GUITAR LESSONS FOR CHILDREN – Sacred Heart auditorium – 4 - 6PM. A small fee will be due.

THURSDAY, MARCH 23

ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE – 7:30PM in Sacred Heart Church.

SATURDAY, MARCH 25

FIRST RECONCILIATION - Christ the King Church - 9AM.

- CHILDREN'S CHOIR PRACTICE 4-5PM in Sacred Heart Church. New MEMBERS ARE VERY WELCOME.
- **"WOULD YOU STAY ONE HOUR WITH ME?"** Monthly Eucharistic Adoration will be available from 7-8PM in English and from 8-9PM in Polish.

NEXT WEEKEND, MARCH 25 & 26

THE SECOND COLLECTION taken up after Holy Communion will be for **EASTER FLOWERS**. Please be generous.

NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 26

FOOD DRIVE - 10-3PM in front of WalMart to benefit the Caritas Program. We are low on supplies so please help if you can.

Ogłoszenia Parafialne

Poniedziałek, 20 marzec

LEKCJE GITARY - godz. 16.00; próba polskiej scholi dziecięcej - godz. 18.00.

SOBOTA, 25 MARZEC

PIERWSZA SPOWIEDŹ - Kościół Chrystusa Króla - 9:00 AM.

"Nie mogliście jednej godziny czuwać ze mną ? " / Mt. 26,40/ Comiesięczna adoracja Najświętszego Sakramentu odbędzie się w sobotę w godzinach: 7-8 PM po Angielsku i 8-9 PM po Polsku

NIEDZIELA, 26 MARZEC

DRUGA TACA PRZEZNACZONA jest na Easter Flowers. Bóg zapłać za złożone ofiary.



Christ the Redeemer Summer Camp. Save the dates!! July 10th-14th



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES LEKCJE KATECHEZY

There are no Religious Education Classes this week. Children are expected to attend the Retreat.

Nie będzie zajęć katechezy w tym tygodniu. Dzieci wezmą udział w rekolekcjach.

PARISH RETREAT IN ENGLISH

DAY	Christ the King Worship Site	SACRED HEART WORSHIP SITE
Sunday, March 19 th	8:30AM – Mass & Sermon 10:30AM – Mass &	10:00AM – Mass & Sermon 7:00PM – Retreat
	Sermon	Service
Monday, March 20 th		11:00AM - Mass & Sermon 7:00PM – Retreat Service
Tuesday, March 21 st	7:00PM – Retreat Service	11:00AM – Mass & OLPH Novena
Wednesday, March 22 nd	7:00PM – Closing Mass	11:00AM – Mass & Sermon

PARISH RETREAT PRAYER

God, Our Father, we offer you praise and thanksgiving for all the many gifts you have given us through Jesus, Your Son. We thank you especially for the gift of our Parish Retreat.

Loving and gracious God, quiet our minds and hearts, That we may be open to the gift of your truth.

Grant that our Retreat may be:

A time of Grace of all, A time of growth for the young,

A time of refreshment for the old, A time of renewal for families,

A time of healing for the broken, A time of joy for the sorrowing,

A time of challenge for the complacent, A time of forgiveness for the sinner, A time of strength for the holy, A time of homecoming for those who have been away.

Grant, most loving God that our Retreat may bring down your richest blessings on each and every member of our parish community.

We pray through the intercession of Mary, Our Mother of Perpetual Help, in the name of Jesus who lives with you and the Holy Spirit forever. Amen



The next First Saturday Devotions to Our Lady of Fatima will take place on April 1st after the 11:00AM Mass at Sacred Heart Church.

EASTER BAKE SALE – Palm Sunday, April 9th. Butter Lambs will be available for purchase at the SH location. The bake sale will be set up at the entrance to the auditorium at Sacred Heart and in the vestibule of Christ the King.

The next Altar Rosary Society Mass will be held April 16th at 10:00AM followed by their meeting.

PRAYER & PRAISE GROUP

There will be no March meeting. The next Prayer & Praise Group Meeting will be held on April 17th in Christ the King Church at 1:00PM.



Knights of Columbus #6573

St. Paul's Captivity Epistles will be a 13 week study with Dr. Timothy O'Donnell on video. Participants will received the Captivity Epistles-Catholic Commentary on Sacred Scripture for \$30/person (checks made out to

KofC #6573) March 23rd- "Philippians: The Letter of Joy" (conclusion) Phil 2:19-4:23

- Video w/ Dr. Timothy O'Donnell

March 30th- "Phiemon: Onesimus, The Man Who Fled to Rome"- Video w/ Dr. Timothy O'Donnell

If anybody just wants to "pop-in" and see what it's like-no charge, but we suggest to read that weeks readings and bring your Bible (or one can even be provided). For more info check out the new Facebook page for the Bible Study- https:// www.facebook.com/kofc6573biblestudy/ Or contact Anthony Scarpantonio- 917-494-8141, ascarp@live.com

COMEDY SHOW - April 21 - Doors open at 6:30PM; show begins at 8PM.

60'S PLUS CLUB GOOD FOOD. GOOD CONVERSA-TION. GOOD FRIENDS.

All Parishioners aged 60 and over are invited to a complimentary dinner Every Third Sunday of Every Month Time 2pm-4pm St. John Neumann Center The next gathering will be on March 19th.

IOLY NAME SOCIETY

The next Holy Name Society Meeting will be held on April 3rd in the St. John

Neumann Center at 6PM.



Meets once a month on the 2nd Monday at 7pm. Call Mary Carol Niezgoda at 908 575-2797 for location and details. New members always welcome.

We will teach anyone interested how to crochet and/or knit. If you would like to be a member but prefer to work at home we would be happy to pick up your item (s); just contact Mary Carol. Donations of yarn are always appreciated especially "baby" yarn, i.e., yarn approved for baby items. If you prefer to donate cash we will purchase yarn for you. All item(s) we make are donated to various local charitable organizations, i.e., Pregnancy Aid Center...



SHARING MINISTRY

The Caritas Team collects food every week at the church. Bins are located in the back of the church. We are in need of the following items. Food: Beef Stew, Spinach, Canned Chicken, Tuna & Ham, Canned Spinach, Corn & Potatoes, Oatmeal, Granola Bars, Canned Fruit, Pasta and Pasta Sauce, Cereal, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Individual Snack Packs: Pretzels & Chips Crackers, Pudding, Beef Broth, Tomato Soup & Sauce. We are in particular need of the following items. These items are requested each week. There is always an urgent need for them: Health and Beauty Aids, Toilet Paper-Large Demand, Paper Towels-Large Demand, Razors, Shampoo, Body Wash

The Caritas Team also collects monetary donations and gift cards to local grocery stores. Please place all donations in the collection basket at Mass in an envelope marked Caritas. You can also donate on line at www.ctrmanville.com under the Caritas link. Thank you for the generous donations we have been receiving with the on-line program and at the church.

A special thank you to Grade 3A in our Religious Education Program for collecting food donations for our program. Great job guys!

	Minister Schedule for March 25 & 26							
	4:30PM CTK	6:00PM SH	7:00AM PL-SH	8:30AM CtK	8:30AM SH	10:00AM SH	10:30AM CtK	11:30AM PL-SH
Lectors	F. Beller	L. Genovese	K. Choncer E. Poplawski	M. Cebula	J. Snow	C. Cigler	T. Drury	M. Maziarz J. Linda
Eucharistic Ministers	J. Pschar S. Liszczak	R. Jablonski N. Makowski S. Pribish	A. Niecikowski B. Nowak	B. Amato K. Tartaglione D. Finlan	J. Heffernan S. Kosensky M. Urbaniak	S. Klein B. Stefany A. Szczecina	F. Batula J. Zunski E. Zunski	H. Brandt M. Wojtach



We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially: Jeff Andrew, Toni Antonelli, Evelyn Appenzeller, Baby Isabel Therese Bailey, John Bartley, Billy Bird, Jean

Blazejewski, Paul Bobe, Shawn Brickley, Lorraine Burkoski, Bill Caswell, Margaret Cebula, Chester Cejnowski, Luke Chartowich, Palo Cizmar, Pat Cobo, Allison Collins, Kaiden Crothwer, Dorothy Dinsmore, Mary Evancho, Frank Fiduk, Marian Gano, Helen Gazo, Dorothy Gluch, John Gubernot, Dolores Hart, Marvann Hughes, Marge Iarkowski, Raul Jaime, Joanna Jasontek, Edward Knitowski, Dennis Koslowski, Theresa Kraska, John Krasnansky, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Ken Lake, Janice Lallev, Rosemarie Lazar, Cheyenne Licardi, Joe Matisak, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Ed Nawracaj, Mai Nguyen, Hunter Norz, Dolores Novicky, Donna Parlier, Robert Petsko, Skip Picciano, Marie Piorkowski, Steven Pirello, Mark Pschar, Carolyn Puia, Dorothy Rembelles, Normand Rivard, Marie Rogusky, Robert Roman, Jerry Russell, Jr., Irene Shelcusky, Pat Sherwood, Eric Slaight, Victoria Soika, Tina Soltis, Albert Stanski, Rose Tabbit, Virginia Tamburini, Joe Tomko, Michelle Tranter, Marilyn Trilone, David Urban, Pauline Vantaggi, Peter Viola, Irena Walczak, Natalie Walkoviak, Cindy Weigel, Peggy White, Raymond Wisniewski, Barbara Wrigil, Michael Zamorsky, Edward Zujkowski, Maria Zurawiecki, and Regina Zydalis.

God of all consolation give life and health to our sisters and brothers for whom we pray in your Holy Name. Amen.

Our Men and Women in the Service

Please pray for all of our men and women serving in the Armed forces, especially

> Corporal Matthew T. Bowden USMC Corporal Jacob R. Caswell USMC Staff Sergeant Francis Fiduk III Pvt. Christopher Foley PFC Joshua Hussey Major James A. Jablonski Jr. Gunnery Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC PFC Joshua Rivard Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr. PFC Steven Ubry CMA Mark J. Walyga Senior Airman Lindsay Zaccardi PFC Brian J. Zarnowski

Please let us know if you have a family member who is serving in the military and we will acknowledge them in our weekly bulletin. Please share the good news with us when one of the above soldiers returns home!

2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal Ambassadors for Christ

Thank you to all who have given so generously to the 2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal. If you have not made a pledge, there is still time to participate. Mail your gift to: Diocese of Metuchen, Bishop's Annual Appeal, PO Box 4000, Metuchen, NJ 08840-4000 or give online at <u>www.diometuchen.org/BAA</u>.



Mrs. Malgorzata Kellis is returning to perform a Lenten Program on April 1st in Sacred Heart Church. She is a Doctor of Musical Arts in Vocal Performance and performed our Christmas Concert this past year. She is an international Polish

American soprano who performs around the world, including the prestigious Carnegie Hall in New York City.

Readings for the Week of March 19, 2017

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/ Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

- Monday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
- Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6, 7bc, 8-9/Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-11ab, 14, 17/ Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: ls 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:3-4, 18-21ab/ Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Next Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-6/ Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

Please visit our parish website: www.ctrmanville.com

up-to-date information, schedules, church bulletins, pictures from parish events and much more...

Be sure to check out our video reflections on the Sunday Readings each week. This week Mary Lou Cebula will be presenting the reflections and next week Angelo Corradino will be the presenter.

Report of Sunday Offerings in Support of our Parish The Christ the Redeemer collection for the weekend of March 12, 2017

Weekly budget needed:	\$	16,000.00
Weekly Collection: Offertory/Building & Grounds Mail-Ins We Share On-line Giving Children's donations Total	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	8,716.00 1,827.00 390.00 <u>137.00</u> 11,070.00
Budget vs. Collection: Surplus/(Deficit)	\$	(4,930.00)
Collection for the same week last year	\$	13,287.00
Catholic Relief Fund Collection	\$	2,202.00
Thank you for your generosity and support. you.	Мау	God bless Fr. Stan

"Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again." JOHN 4:13

Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us for long. When we build our lives around material possessions we always want more. True Joy and Peace only comes when we follow Jesus; when we become more "God-centered" and less "selfcentered".

OUR CHILDREN'S GIFTS TO CHRIST THE REDEEMER PARISH

My Good Deed was when I: helped my uncle Mynor clean up	the table from a party
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vacuumed the kitchen.	Alex
helped my brother with soccer.	Michelle
helped my friend Maggie at ccd.	Isabel
brought milk.	Adam
helped my sister put on her shoes	. Julian
washed the dishes.	Julia & Krysztof
cleaned my room.	Ólivia
helped my cousin.	Emely
helped make cupcakes.	Maggie
picked up recycling on the ground	
read my book.	Alexa
helped others.	Michael, Maria & Michael
	r
helped my dad collect firewood.	Sophia
told a boy in my class what the right	
	Victoria
went to the Jesus Day Retreat.	Jayden
cleaned my dad's car windows.	Dylan
cutting bread for dinner.	Sara
gave candy to my sister.	David
helped mom clean.	Andre
helped mom I the kitchen.	Brunon
prayed.	Damian
did not fight with my sister.	Chloe
listened.	Ella
held the door for a woman.	Thomas
neiu the ubbi for a wollian.	Thomas

Please remember to put your first and last names and your grade on your envelope.



Butter Lamb Order Form \$5.00 each

Name

Phone

Quantity

Pick-up on Saturday or Sunday – April 8-9. For more information call Dolores at 908-281-7267.

We are in need of donations of butter. If you would like to donate butter for the lambs, please drop it off at the parish office.



Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule

Sunday:	Kelly Baccarini
Monday:	Josephine Pschar
Tuesday:	Roger & Diana Sieberg
Wednesday:	K.K.
Thursday:	Theresa Evans & John Strollo
Friday:	Gerald Pepe & Mary Carol Niezgoda
Saturday:	Betty Rybski

CATHOLIC SCHOOL 2017-2018 TUITION ASSISTANCE ONLINE APPLICATION PROCESS OPEN

Families interested in applying for tuition assistance to attend an eligible Diocese of Metuchen Catholic elementary or high school may do so beginning **January 30, 2017**. The application process is online through FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment. Online applications must be completed (including supporting documentation) by no later than **Friday, March 31, 2017**. Applications are available in English and Spanish.

Families that need assistance completing the online application, or need access to the technology to apply, may register for one of the five Application Workshops, which will be held in four locations within the Diocese in February and March by going to <u>www.diometuchen.org/tuitionassistance</u> and following the Workshops link.