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#### **SACRAMENTAL LIFE**

#### **Sacrament of the Eucharist:**

Weekdays: Mon.– Fri.: 7:30

Weekend: **Sat. Vigil:** 5:00pm **Sunday:** 8:00 am & 10:30 am

Holy Days of Obligation: 7:30am & 6:30pm (No evening Mass the day before Holy Day)

# Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):

Saturday: 4:00pm-4:30pm and *anytime* by appointment.

#### **Sacrament of Baptism:**

Please call our Parish Office to arrange Pre-Baptismal Instruction and the time of the ceremony.

#### **Sacrament of Matrimony:**

Preparation for marriage must begin at least six months before actual ceremony. Please call our Parish Office.

# Sacrament of the Sick and Ministry to the Sick:

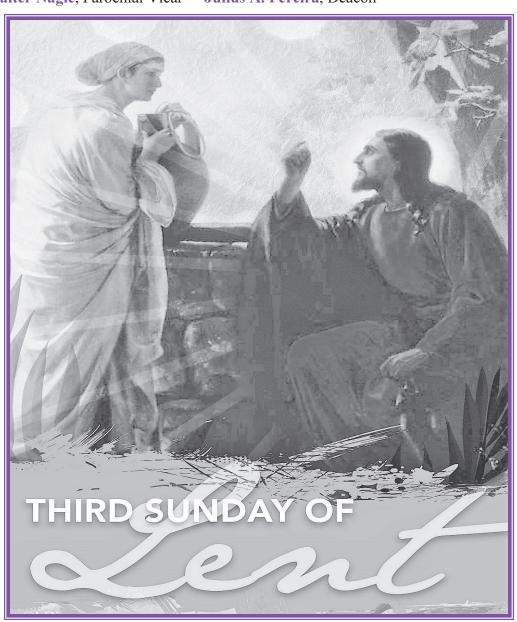
Please call the Rectory anytime a person is sick and would like to be anointed or visited.

#### **Sacrament of Holy Orders:**

Contact Fr. Joe Ashe or

Fr. Walter Nagle if you want to learn more about becoming a priest or a deacon, or contact Fr. Greg Galvin at the Vocations Office:860-887-9294.

**The Rosary** is prayed Tuesdays at 7pm in the parish library. Open to



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Sexual Misconduct Services: 1-800-624-7407

## MASS this week:

Sat. March 18 St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

5:00pm Patrick, Margaret, Brian, William, and David Reid r/b the Reid Family

Brian Chimes, 5th Anniversary r/b his sister

**SUNDAY March 19 Third Sunday of LENT** 

8:00am Agnes & Catherine Martin

10:30am Thomas Smegelski, Sr r/b Jan & Bill O'Meara

Thomas Keogh r/b Jane Kilmczak

In Thanksgiving to St Joseph r/b J. Janicki

Mon. March 20 St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin

7:30 am Siro & Ellen Toffolon

Tues. March 21
7:30am Henry Carey
Wed. March 22

7:30am The Parishioners of Christ the King

Thurs. March 23 St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop

7:30am Elaine Patterson

6:00pm Robert Rubelmann r/b his niece

Fri. March 24

7:30 am Eugene E. Lens

**Sat.** March 25 The Annunciation of the Lord 5:00pm Thomas, Mary & John Mather r/b Kathleen

8:00am Michael A. Tigno r/b the family 10:30am Robert Burns r/b Jane Klimczak

THE SANCTUARY LAMP FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH WILL BURN FOR THE TRIPP FAMILY



#### WHY DO WE DO THAT?

**Q:** What can I do to keep up the spirit and practice of Lent in my life?

**A:** Lent is an intense retreat, a forty-day period of reflection and penance that prepares us to celebrate the passion, death, and resurrection of Christ. Our communication with God and our awareness of him is the purpose of prayer. Setting aside extra time each day helps intensify the season. Prayer includes daily Mass, Stations of the Cross, communal penance services, and private confession.

Making restitution for sin as well as disciplining our hearts and minds to focus on God is the purpose of penance. It helps us restore a sense of balance to our souls, thrown out of kilter by sin. Penance includes personal sacrifice, self-denial, fasting, almsgiving, and charitable works.

Finally, spiritual practices help us sharpen our understanding and insight into the meaning and understanding of our faith. When you take your faith seriously, you do what is necessary to follow Jesus more closely, to integrate your life and your faith more carefully.

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#### St. Joseph,

Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary ...pray for us.

Feast Day: March 19 Observed March 20.

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS (John: 4-52)

When I think about the story of the Samaritan woman at the well, I think of my father. This Gospel reading that we use every year for the First Scrutiny of the RCIA was always my favorite to discuss with those who would be baptized in just a few weeks at the Easter Vigil. Not that many years ago, my father was one of those elect. That year, the story was more powerful than ever.

The woman went frequently to the well looking to get the water that would sustain her body. But in the story, Jesus tells her of a different kind of water, one that gives life and quenches even the driest of thirsts. The story tells us that she put down her water jar and ran to the town telling of her encounter with the One who may be the Christ. She left that jar at the well. She did not need it anymore.

I encounter people all the time that spend their days going up the hill to draw water. They are tired and spent. My father was one of those. But with the gift of baptismal water, that constant chore is now over. There is no need to travel up that hill.

This Lent, if you are one of the baptized, reclaim the gift of your baptism. Stop climbing that hill in search of something that can only quench your thirst temporarily. You encountered Christ and have the everlasting, living water already. Put down that water jar. Your new life has only just begun.

-- Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

#### Scripture Readings 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 **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

<u>Tuesday</u>: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6, 7bc, 8-9/Mt 18:21-35 <u>Wednesday</u>: 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**: Is 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

## TWO Retreat Opportunities!:

## To the Men of Christ the King Parish:



Have you considered attending a Holy Family Weekend Retreat in West Hartford from April 7th to the 9th?
You will have the opportunity to be

renewed and inspired by the "paradox of simplicity" and the gift of faith. For additional info contact Mike Kaczorowski @ 860-581-8102 or Bill O'Meara @ 860-434-1143. or log onto <a href="https://www.holyfamilyretreat.org">www.holyfamilyretreat.org</a>.

See the poster in the narthex!

#### To the Women of Christ the King Parish:



Have you considered attending the Catholic Women's Conference/
One-Day Retreat: - "YOUR
GRACE IS ENOUGH"? You will be refreshed, inspired, and filled with God's grace to live out your

baptismal call as a witness for God's *Love* in everyday life. **Sat, April 8, 30am-3:30pm**.

Registration: \$35 (\$30 before March 17), students \$15. Call 860 848 2237 ext.304. Held @ St Bernard School, Uncasville

See the poster on the bulletin boards!

#### 24 Hours for The Lord

#### Come! Be reconciled with God.

In the Old Saybrook Deanery, 24 Hours for the Lord,



will be held at Saint John Church, 161 Main Street, Old Saybrook, beginning on Friday, March 24 at 3pm through 10pm, and resuming on Saturday, March 25, at 8am through 12:00 Noon. There will be two priests available for you each hour.

#### Fr. Joe 's Book Discussion :

Do you want to learn more about your Catholic faith? Are you curious about the teachings of the Church?



Fr. Joe's current book pick is

Catholicism: A Journey to the Heart of
the Faith by Robert Barron. The next class
meets Monday, March 27 @ 7pm.

NEWCOMERS WELCOME! Books still

available at the office for \$14.

Norwich Diocesan Council of Catholic Women ...will hold the 37th Annual Layette Program on Sunday, March 26 @ 2pm at St. Mary Church Hall, 45 Freestone Ave, Portland. Baby clothes from newborn to toddler 3, as well as blankets, diapers, etc are needed. All items will be donated to Catholic Charities of Norwich for mothers and families in need.



#### MUSIC CORNER-LENT

Over the next three weekends at the 10:30am Mass, the choir will be singing a song cycle written by our Director of Music Ministries, Bill Thomas.

The pieces were written as meditations on the Cycle A gospel readings for the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of Lent. "Living Waters" (1996) recounts the story of Jesus and the woman at the well; "Open Our Eyes, Lord" (1999) is a meditation on the story of the man born blind; "Take Away The Stone" (2014) is a reflection on the story of the raising of Lazarus.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday in Lent at 7PM

Come to church to pray and meditate on On Lord's Passion and The Way of the Cross. It is a beautiful Lenten devotion.

#### Lenten Weeknight Mass & Soup Supper

Every *Thursday* in Lent!

Next supper: March 23rd—ALL are welcome!
Mass at 6:00pm immediately followed by soup supper in the hall. If you're attending mass, bring your soup to the kitchen before mass.

If you don't have a soup to bring, come and enjoy others' soups.

It's a great time to start, or continue, praying a family rosary.

#### STEUBENVILLE NYC-JULY 21-23, 2017

This summer, join over 3,000 other Catholic teens at Steubenville NYC conference on the campus of St Johns Univ. and experience the joy of following Christ and being ELAVATED By HIS Love.

Teens

The Diocese of Norwich offers youth the opportunity to take advantage of this fun and spirit filled conference with

ease. For \$345, The Diocese of Norwich will provide youth and chaperones with Steubenville registration fee, sendoff mass with Bishop Cote and lunch, transportation to and from the Diocese, and 3 t-shirts for each day at the Conference. If you are interested in this life changing opportunity, contact your Youth Minister or Liza Roach at (860)848-2237 ex. 305 or <a href="mailto:live.neggetchaper: 1pt supplies: 1pt suppl

# \* Do you want to register with the parish?\* *Welcome!*

Help us keep our records up-to-date!
Have you changed your address, moving out of the parish, or like to receive envelopes? Please call the office, 860-434-1669. Or, you can fill out the following and return via the basket, drop it at the office, or mail to:

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Church Sunday! Bring a friend, family mem!

you on Sunday, March 26,

**2017** and share your faith with someone who is important to you! Spend some personal time away from the world and all its stress in a worshiping community where God loves unconditionally. Receive a blessing just for you!



#### Attention Lectors, Altar Server Families, and Eucharistic Ministers:

The next Liturgical ministry schedule is being formed. Please notify Margaret in the office of any special scheduling requests for the months of April, May, and June 2017, including Holy Week, Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday. Phone: 860 434 1669 or email: ctkoldlyme@aol.com. THANK YOU!

CHURCH SUPPE March Pot Luck: In lieu of a potluck dinner on March 31, we encourage everyone to attend the Soup Supper on Thursday, March 30, immediately after the 6pm Mass. Bring a soup, bread, or dessert to share!

#### Save the Date-Sat. 4/1 @6pm—Syrian Dinner

Please come help celebrate the addition of the Syrian Refugee Family, the Hamous, to the Lyme/Old Lyme community on Saturday, April 1st at 6:00 PM in our parish hall, following the 5pm Mass. A traditional Syrian meal will be lovingly prepared by Yaldiz Hamou and her assistants for us all to savor. Reservations can be made by calling the parish office. Donations will be collected at the door. Treat your taste buds to some new and delicious flavors and enjoy the fellowship of friends old & new.

#### FREE Webinar March 22, 11am-12pm "Why Couples that Pray Together Stay Together"

You've heard the saying "the family that prays together, stays together." Well the same holds true for married couples. Join Teresa Tomeo and the Couple Prayer movement as they provide great suggestions to jump start your prayer life and also encourage you in the final weeks of Lent. Go to: http://bit.do/Couples

#### 2nd Annual Ecumenical Good Friday Walk

April 14, 9:45am at St Ann Episcopal Church Please join Christ the King Parish, St Ann Episcopal, Lyme & First Congregational of OL, and South Lyme Union Chapel for this annual Good Friday Ecumenical event to help the hungry in our towns. The route follows Route 156/Shore Road to Johnnycake Hill to Lyme Street past Christ the King Church to First Congregational Church of Old Lyme and then back again. You are welcomed to bring non-perishable foods, or even raise money for the cause! Envelopes will soon be in the narthex. If you would like to make a contribution but are unable to walk that day, just grab an envelope and mail it in! Checks are to be made out to: The Shoreline Soup Kitchens and Pantries.

#### Save the Date! Imaculee Ilibagiza -Friday April 21

**7pm.** Christ the King, Old Lyme. Come see Rwanda Genocide survivor and bestselling author Imaculee Ilibagiza share her amazing story of forgiveness and hope! Admission is free. There will be a free will offering. An opportunity to meet Imaculee and have her sign books will immediately follow the presentation.

The 2017 Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) campaign, "Our Faith Calls US To ACTION" is coming! Let's respond and help others make a difference in our Diocese. Pledge weekend is March 25 & 26. Visit www.norwichdiocesedevelopment.org.

#### **Retrouvaille** of Connecticut

If your marriage has become troubled and stressed, unloving or uncaring; even if you are divorced or separated but want to try again, the Retrouvaille program can help. Retrouvaille provides



tools to communicate better, resolve conflicts fairly, and re-discover why you fell in love. The next Retrouvaille weekend is **April 21-23, 2017**. For information, call confidentially 1-800-470-2230. email

3001@retrouvaille.org or go to our

website www.helpourmarriage.com

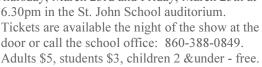


**RCIA** is a lay led program to bring people into full communion with the Catholic church. Whether you are just inquisitive, or wish Baptism, First Communion or

Confirmation, the Rite of Christian Initiation program here at Christ the King Church can assist. Call the parish or Bob Staab 860 434 5872 for information.

#### St. John School Drama Club presents "The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe

March 23 & 24 @6:30pm: St. John School presents C.S. Lewis' "The Lion, the Witch & the Wardrobe" on Thursday, March 23rd and Friday, March 25th at



Saint John School, Old Saybrook is having Winter Open House on Thursday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 9-11am and 6.30-8.30pm.

You are invited to hear about "Educating the Whole Child" from PreK3 to Grade 8. See our facilities, talk to our staff and learn about our challenging curriculum, enrichment programs and after school sports and clubs. Fall registration for 2017/18 academic year is now in progress. For more information see our website, www.saintjohnschoolos.org. To arrange private tours or a shadow day for your child, call the school (860) 388 0849. All are welcome!



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