

Lent is here! Don't miss it!

The Great Fast is upon us. This is the most sacred time for us Catholics, in which we pay extra attention to our spiritual life. We spend these 40 days in prayer, doing the works of charity, and fasting. At the same time, we should do our best to remove ourselves from the cares of this earthly life, which very often envelop our lives, making us forget that this life is fleeting, and our true homeland is awaiting us after this short and trouble-filled life.

In our church we give you much opportunity to better your relationship with God, reflect on your life.

Go to Confession

God does not want you to carry the burden of your sin with you. Give it away to Him. There is no other way.

Attend Church services

We hold special services during Lent:

Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts, aka, Liturgy of St. Gregory the Great. It is truly beautiful ancient service, a combination of vespers and the Divine Liturgy, in which we reflect on our lives and repent of our sins.

All Souls Saturdays. During the Saturdays of Lent at 10:00AM, we pray for our deceased family, friends, and parishioners. After a person passes away, he or she needs our prayers more than ever. This is the most loving thing that we can do for our deceased loves ones.

Fast

Lent is the time of abstinence from certain foods and pleasures of this life. On Fridays of Lent, we abstain from meat. But this is the minimum, we want to go further. Try to give up something that brings you earthly pleasure, like social media and entertainment for the whole Lent or on certain days.

Lent, or as we call the Great Fast, is a holy time, take advantage of it. And you will see the spiritual fruits make a huge difference in relationships with God and others.

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**02/14/2021
Sunday of the Forgiveness**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Loca- tion</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Service / Intention</u>	
02/13	N. Cam.	Sat.	3:00PM 3:30 PM 4:00 PM	Confessions Holy Rosary In Memory of Mary, Regis & Alan	Beth Buterbaugh
02/14	N. Cam. Revloc N. Cam.	Sun.	9:00AM 11:00AM 5:00PM	In Memory of Vasil Fisanick Private Intentions For the People	Daria Vargo
02/15	N. Cam.	Mon.		In Memory of Dr. Ludimere Lenyo	Wesner & Campi Families
02/16		Tues.			
02/17	N. Cam	Wed.	5:00PM	Liturgy of the Pre-sanctified Gifts	
02/18		Thurs			
02/19	Revloc	Fri.	6:00PM	Liturgy of the Pre-sanctified Gifts	Garry & Barb Frantz
02/20	N. Cam.	Sat.	10:00AM 3:00PM 3:30 PM 4:00 PM	All Souls Liturgy Confessions Holy Rosary In Memory of Mary, Regis & Alan	Beth Buterbaugh
02/21	N. Cam. Revloc N. Cam.	Sun.	9:00AM 11:00AM 5:00PM	In Memory of Jane Zysek Private Intentions For the People	Joseph Zysek

Forgiveness Sunday

When the disciples of the Lord learned from the angel the glorious news of the resurrection and cast off the ancestral condemnation, they proudly told the apostles: “Death has been plundered! Christ our God is risen, granting to the world great mercy.”

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,
Now and forever and ever. Amen.*

O Master, Guide to Wisdom, Bestower of prudent counsel, Instructor of the foolish and Defender of the poor ones; make firm my heart and give it understanding. Give me a word, O Word of the Father: Behold, I shall not stop my lips from crying out to You: In Your mercy, have mercy on me who am fallen.

Prokeimen (Tone 8)

Pray and give praise to the Lord our God. Pray and give praise to the Lord our God.

verse: In Judea God is known; His name is great in Israel.

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Alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse It is good to give praise to the Lord, and to sing to Your name,
O Most High.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Verse To announce Your mercy in the morning and Your truth every night.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Communion Verse

Praise the Lord from the heaven; praise Him in the highest. Alleluia. (3)

Announcements

Income Report 02/07/2021

Sunday: \$1219.00 Loose: \$79.00 Holyday: \$5.00 Dues: \$50.00

Diocesan: \$10.00 Energy: \$1040.00 Initial: \$12.00

Total: \$2415.00 Building: 1010.00

All-Souls Services

We will be praying for all our deceased relatives beginning February 20th. Please, fill out the orange envelopes with the names of your loved you want to be prayed for by February 14th.

In the Catholic Church, we pray for our deceased loved ones for God to forgive them their sins and grant them eternal rest in Heaven.

Envelopes

The 2021 envelopes will be in front pews of the church. If you were missed, it was an accident or if you would like a box, please see Father and he will give you a box. Please complete the registration card that is in the front of the box and put it in the collection basket. Thank-you.

You can find the changeable parts of the Divine Liturgy in our bulletin. Please pick up a bulletin before Liturgy so you can participate.

Please remember the sick, shut-ins and deployed of the Parish and our community in your prayers, especially: James Scott, Herb Kirsch & Family, John Kerr, George & Patty Kotrick, Frank Farabaugh, Special Intention for a parishioner diagnosed with cancer (anonymous), Barb Sidwar, Sarah Kelt, Brody Dick, Dustin Kirsch, Joyce Dolges, Bob Manioc, Bill Knapik, Bob Kost, Gina Kuncelman, Paul Booterbaugh Sr. and Aiden Gray

Joke of the Week

A priest was using gardening terms to illustrate his message. “We are a lot like flowers — and God knows just how to make each of us grow,” he said. “For example, roses must be planted in the sun but impatiens thrive in the shade.” Afterwards, the priest was approached by a lady: “Your sermon did me some good,” The priest was happy that his sermon moved this lady. But she continued, “I always wondered what was wrong with my impatiens!”