

Resurrection R. C. Church



1st Sunday of Lent

February 21, 2021
Mark 1: 12-15

MASS SCHEDULE

M-F: 8:30 AM
First Saturday of Month 8:30 AM
Saturday Evening Vigil: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 9:00 AM and 12 Noon

DEVOTIONS

Rosary: M-F 8:10 AM, Sunday 8:40 AM
Divine Mercy Chaplet after daily Mass M-F
Sacred Heart Novena after First Friday Mass
Adoration: 9:00 to 12 Noon (First Fridays)

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:15-3:45
First Friday's: 8:00-8:20

**ENCOURAGING ALL TO CHECK THEIR
TEMPERATURES. PLEASE CONTINUE
TO WEAR MASK AND KEEP SPACING
ESPECIALLY NOW IN FLU SEASON.**

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Rev. Michael K. Brown, Pastor
Deacon Ted May, Permanent Deacon
Rev. Robert Stolinski, Visiting Priest

OFFICE HOURS

Rectory closed. For all needs, please call, leave a message, email or drop a note in the mail. We will get back to you.

Mass Intentions

Monday 8:30 AM	+	February 22, Chair St Peter Mother's Day Intentions (Parish)
Tuesday 8:30 AM	+	February 23, St Polycarp Mother's Day Intentions (Parish)
Wednesday 8:30 AM	+	February 24, Lenten Weekday Mother's Day Intentions (Parish)
Thursday 8:30 AM	+	February 25, Lenten Weekday Pearl Baumgartner/Jerome Mazurek (George/Nancy Baumgartner)
Friday 8:30 AM	+	February 26, Lenten Weekday Mother's Day Intentions (Parish)
Saturday 4:00 PM	+	February 27, 2nd Sun Lent Vigil Anne Sysak (Christine & Harold Kausch)
Sunday 9:00 AM	+	February 28, 2nd Sunday Lent Eugene Najuch (Dzimira Family)
12:00 PM	+	Parishioners Intentions (Fr Mike)

****PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK****

Bernadette Coyner, David Borgioli, Sr., Helen Walkowiak, Diane Wasielewski, Rita Ross, James Wojcik, Sr., Justine Janora, Kenneth Gerspach, Chet Ross, Renee Hernandez, Vic Burgio, Doreen Radzikowski, George Bretl, Michele Sisti, Joe Pace.

SANCTUARY LAMP

Our sanctuary lamp is lit for Jack Loeffler by grandparents. Please pray for their intentions.

COLLECTION

Our weekly operating expenses \$7,300.
Last week collection: \$5400.

We Thank You For Your Generous Giving.
Please remember Resurrection Parish in your will.

Remember on-line giving as an option.
See parish web-site.

My dear parish family,

Happy Lent to everyone. We often think of lent in terms of what we give up or what we deny ourselves. Perhaps we look at our fasting, almsgiving, and penance as opportunities to purify ourselves in order to come closer to Love God and Love Neighbor. Each day of lent affords the opportunity to change ourselves for the better on our pilgrimage back to our God. Rejoice and be glad, God loves us and calls us to renewal each day of our lives. There is always hope and God's Mercy is there for the asking. Let's pray for each other this Lenten season as we strive to draw nearer to our God.

Thanks to all the parishioners who continue to support our parish. Your continued support is greatly appreciated by me and I am sure your fellow family members in the family at Resurrection.

God's Best to all of you.
Love and prayers,
Fr Mike

Easter Duty-after they been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, all the faithful are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year. This precept must be fulfilled during the Easter season, unless for good reason it is fulfilled at another time during the year. This obligation may be fulfilled between February 21, 2021 (1st Sunday Lent) and May 30, 2021 (Trinity Sunday).

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays in Lent at 12 Noon. Please come and pray the Way of the Cross as we ponder more deeply our Lord's passion and death.

PARISH SAFETY PLAN

Please join us this Thursday, February 25, 2021, at 7 PM in the Church for a presentation by Lt. Schmidt of the Cheektowaga Police Department. This meeting will give us ideas on how to plan an effective parish safety plan in the event of an emergency. Please remember, masks and proper spacing are required.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please remember in your prayers, +Cecilia Wlodarczyk, whose funeral Mass we celebrated this past week .

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

When you are troubled, we are here. Are you struggling with hybrid learning, trying to work remotely, having a hard time with the seemingly endless grey that is WNY in winter? If you are experiencing mental health, familial or marital problems we can help. Catholic Charities offers several different types of support including: marriage counseling, individual psychotherapy, family and group therapy, substance abuse treatment, diocesan counseling for church ministers, children's clinics, and individual, children and family counseling. To find out more, visit www.ccwny.org and click the "Counseling & Mental Health" tab under Services on the right-hand side. To begin the referral process, call 716-895-1033. If you are located outside of Erie County, call your local Catholic Charities office for counseling or go to www.ccwny.org/counseling for information and contact number. HOPE for all seasons.

33 Day Consecration to St. Joseph beginning February 15 – March 19.

To learn more: <https://www.buffalodiocese.org/consecration-to-st-joseph>.

Reconnecting . . . Virtual Diocesan Youth Conference:

All high school youth are invited to participate on February 26-27. Since we cannot have the Diocesan Youth Convention this year, we will Reconnect virtually instead. National Catholic Speakers Paul Kim and the Doug and Dave Show will challenge and inspire us. Friday night includes time for online small groups. The highlight of our event is Mass with Bishop Michael Fisher on February 27 at 4:30 pm, livestreamed from St. Joseph Cathedral. More information may be found at www.icyouthea.org or you may contact Denise York at youth@icchurchea.org

ANOINTING OF SICK

Anyone facing surgery and wishes to be anointed, please seek anointing a few days or even a week before surgery, whether AFTER a weekend Mass or weekday Mass. Please simply wait on the either side of the sanctuary on the church floor. I will see you there when I am back in the sanctuary to clean-up after Mass. Please let me know that you wished to be anointed.

HELP FOR YOUR MARRIAGE

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times. For more information call 716-474-9371 or visit at www.HelpOurMarriage.org. The next weekend is February 26-28, 2021. All calls are confidential and pre-

Registration is required. Space is limited.

Fish Fry / Shrimp Dinner

On March 12 from 4-6 pm at Our Lady of Czestochowa, 57 Center Ave., North Tonawanda. Dinner includes: fish / shrimp, potato salad, coleslaw, tartar/cocktail sauce, bread & butter. Pre-sale / take-out only. Tickets available in the Ministry Center during regular business hours. Call 716-693-3822 for more information and ticket pricing.

Drive-thru Spaghetti Dinner

On March 14 from 11:30 am-2:30 pm at Our Lady of Pompeii Parish, 129 Laverack Ave., Lancaster. Dinner includes spaghetti, 2 meatballs, salad and Italian bread. Pre-sale only; tickets available at the parish office during business hours.

PRO-LIFE EVENT

ALL are invited to come and pray for the great gift given us by our creator, life.

Wednesday, March 10, 2021

Doors open 6:30 PM

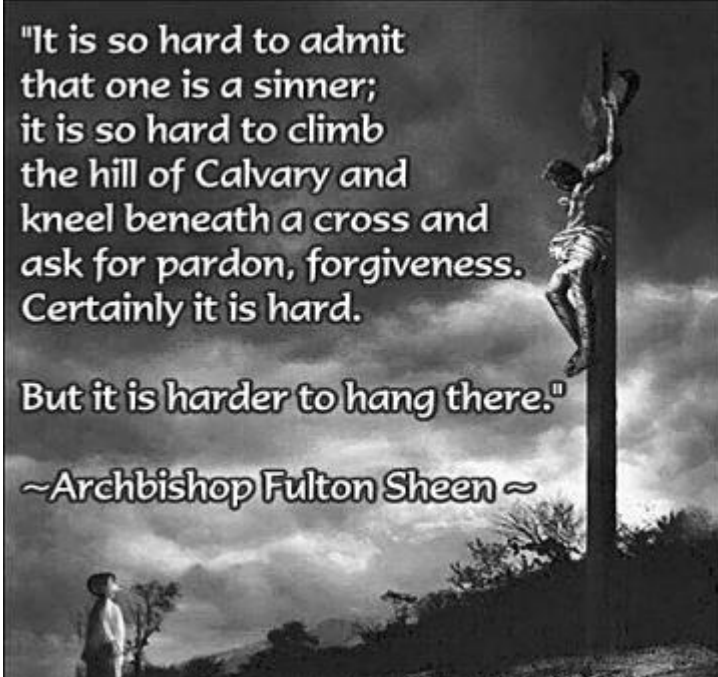
Rosary: 6:40 PM

Mass: 7:00 PM

Adoration of Eucharist Following
Mass

Benediction: 8:15 PM

Members of pro-life committee will be present. Afterwards, they can answer any questions you may have and perhaps join the committee.



"It is so hard to admit
that one is a sinner;
it is so hard to climb
the hill of Calvary and
kneel beneath a cross and
ask for pardon, forgiveness.
Certainly it is hard.

But it is harder to hang there."

~Archbishop Fulton Sheen~

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