

March 12, 2017 Second Sunday of Lent

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 11

5:00 p.m. Parishioners of Saint Theodore Church

Sunday, March 12

8:00 a.m. Parishioners of Saint Theodore Church

10:30 a.m. +Corrado and Jennie Tridente
By Sam and Marietta Tridente

Monday, March 13

8:45 a.m. +John DeGenova
By Kathleen Hague

Tuesday, March 14

8:45 a.m. In Honor of the Madonna of Health
By Angela Gross

Wednesday, March 15

8:45 a.m. +Salvatore Saldino
By Henry Rebinski

Thursday, March 16 NO MASS

Friday, March 17 Saint Patrick

8:45 a.m. +John Hague
By The Hague Family

Saturday, March 18

5:00 p.m. +Anna Weber
By Jim and Eileen Mattison

Sunday, March 19

8:00 a.m. +Rose Kane
By Susan Reynolds

10:30 a.m. +Frank Sabota
By Gloria La Grassa

- A partial indulgence of ten years for every Station made if one was not able to finish the Stations.

The conditions for gaining them are:

- Walking from Station to Station when making the Way of the Cross privately; when making it publicly, it suffices for the priest with the altar boys to do so.
- Meditate at each Station on the sufferings of our Lord.
- These two conditions are essential. No oral prayers are prescribed; yet they are profitable.

In the Stations of the Cross we celebrate and remember how much our Savior loved us - to the very end. As we profess at Mass, His dying destroyed our death, and His Rising Again restored our life.

Before each station, pray "We adore you, O Christ, and we praise you [genuflect] because by your Holy Cross you have redeemed the world." Advice from St. Alphonsus Liguori: "The pious exercise of the Way of the Cross represents the sorrowful journey that Jesus Christ made with the cross on His shoulders, to die on Calvary for the love of us. We should, therefore, practice this devotion with the greatest possible fervor, placing ourselves in spirit beside our Savior as He walked this sorrowful way, uniting our tears with His, and offering to Him both our compassion and our gratitude."

The Traditional Stations of the Cross:

1. Jesus is Condemned to death
2. Jesus carries the Cross
3. Jesus falls the first time
4. Jesus meets his Mother Mary
5. Simon of Cyrene helps Jesus to carry the Cross
6. Veronica wipes the face of Jesus
7. Jesus falls the Second Time
8. Jesus meets the Women of Jerusalem
9. Jesus falls the third time
10. Jesus is stripped of His garments
11. Jesus is nailed to the Cross
12. Jesus dies
13. Jesus' body is taken down

The Stations of the Cross



The Stations of the Cross is a devotion consisting of 14 different parts - called stations - of Christ's passion and death. The devotion holds many great rewards attached to it including a plenary

indulgence.

Indulgences are:

- A plenary indulgence every time the devotion is completed.
- An additional plenary indulgence if one receives Holy Communion on the day.
- Also an additional plenary indulgence if one performs the devotion ten times and receives Holy Communion within a month after so doing.

14. Jesus' body is placed in the tomb

A plenary indulgence* is granted to the faithful for making the Stations of the Cross under the normal conditions:

- one is free from all attachment from sin
- one receives the Sacraments of Penance and the Eucharist (I believe 7 days before or after)
- one prays for the intentions of the Pope

*A plenary indulgence is the removal of all punishment due to sin. Even though you are forgiven in Confession, the punishment remains unless an indulgence is granted.

Holy Week and Easter Sunday Schedule

Palm Sunday: Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 8 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Holy Thursday: 7 p.m.
Good Friday: 5 p.m.
Easter Vigil: Saturday 8 p.m.
Easter Sunday: 7:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.



Stephen, Anthony Vitale,
Bridget M., Savannah Paine,
Bobby Gross, Michael Dante,
Keira Hedges, Maryann
Vaughan, Robert Dicheck,
Peter, Zachary, Logan Peter Saksa, Anna Paine,
Maryann Vaughan, Anna Saksa, Lauren Lane,
Jay Mildrum, Philip Kinney, Mary D., Kerry
Kraft, Cathy Moncello, Peter S., Helen Dicheck,
Mary Supple, Mary Rupell, Patty Mahoney,
Susan Reynolds

Church & Religious Education Schedule

Every Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.- Bible Study
Every Friday during Lent, 7 p.m.- Stations
March 13, 6:15 p.m.- Grade 3 in church
March 18-22: Parish Lenten Mission
March 20, 6:15 p.m.: All Rel. Ed. students with
their parents in church
March 26, 8 a.m.: 2nd Grade to attend Mass (First
Penance will follow Mass)
April 8, 10 am: filling of Easter Eggs for the
Hunt.
April 8, 10:30; Grounds Clean-up
Confirmation Rehearsal: April 29, 6 p.m.
Confirmation: May 5, 7 p.m.



Our church will be holding a **Parish Lenten Mission** from March 18 through March 22, conducted by the Superior of the Salvatorians in Florida, Fr. Christopher Bugno. Fr. Bugno is the Pastor of St. Theresa

Church in Titusville, FL. I encourage you to join us in this spiritual journey during the solemn season of Lent. The Schedule is as follows:

March 18: 4 pm Confession; 5 pm Mass & Conference for Parishioners

March 19: 7:30 am & 10 am: Confessions; 8 am & 10:30 am: Mass & Conference for children, youth and parents

March 20: 8:15 am, 5:45 pm & 7:15 pm Confession; 8:45 am & 6:15 pm Mass & Conference for children, youth and parents

March 21: 8:15 am & 6 pm: Confession; 8:45 am & 6:30 pm: Mass & Conference for Parishioners

March 22: 8:15 am & 7:30-8:30 pm: Confession; 8:45 am & 6:30 pm: Mass & Conference for Parishioners



Our new Paschal Candle will be blessed and lit at the Easter Vigil. The donation for the candle was made by **Molly, Kevin, Katherine, and Kevin McLaughlin in Loving Memory of Albert McLaughlin**. We sincerely thank the McLaughlin family for their generous donation.



Non Chocolate Candy and plastic eggs are needed for our annual Easter Egg Hunt. Please drop off your donations before April 8 (our youth will be filling the eggs in the Parish Center at 10 a.m. on this date).



HELP NEEDED! Spring Cleaning of the Church Grounds: April 8, 10:30 a.m. Please bring your rake.