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Second Sunday of Lent March 16, 2025

Sunday, March 16, 2025

Second Sunday of Lent

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18; Philippians 3:17-4:1;
Luke 9:28b-36

Monday, March 17, 2025

St. Patrick

Daniel 9:4b-10; Luke 6:36-38

1:00 PM – Al-anon – Parish Room

Tuesday, March 18, 2025

St. Cyril of Jerusalem

Isaiah 1:10, 16-20; Matthew 23:1-12

Wednesday, March 19, 2025

St. Joseph

2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a,

Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22; Matthew 1:16, 18-21

6:00 – 7:30 PM Faith Formation K-6

6:30 PM – Stations of the Cross - SPN

Office Closed

Thursday, March 20, 2025

Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31

Friday, March 21, 2025

Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a;

Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46

9:00 AM – Daily Mass - Rectory

9:30 AM – 11:00 AM – Bible Study – Pius Room-

The Daughters of Mary

Saturday, March 22, 2025

Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

4:00 – 4:30 PM-Reconciliation - St. Philip Neri

5:00 PM Mass at St. Philip Neri Church

†Charles Davenport by Irene Taylor

Pick up Potatoes after Mass

Collection Report

March 8, 2025

St. Philip Neri/St. Anne

Envelopes (39)	\$3,030.00
Loose	\$555.10
Wkly. Budget	\$3,000.00
O/ (U) Budget	\$585.10
YTD Budget	\$105,000.00
YTD Collections	\$100,157.00
	(\$1,257.90)

Schedule of Ministers

St. Philip Neri – 5:00 PM

March 22, 2025

Eucharist:	Bob Shepler
Eucharist:	Joe Strube
Eucharist:	Irene Balowski
Word:	Lynne Kreger
Hospitality:	Jan Sims
Hospitality:	Richard Karns
Hospitality:	Ed Suckow
Hospitality:	Kay Suckow

Holy Week Schedule

Holy Thursday - 6:00 PM – St. Philip Neri

Good Friday - 12:00 Stations of the Cross – SPN

1:00 Veneration of the Cross - SPN

Good Friday – Noon Stations 1:00 PM Service –

St. Agnes

Saturday Vigil – 5:00 PM – St. Agnes

Easter Sunday – 8:00 AM – Sacred Heart

Easter Sunday – 10:00 AM – St. Philip Neri

Happy 51st Anniversary to Thomas and Mary Klimek on March 16th.

Faith Formation News

A reminder about the upcoming **Lenten Retreat: One Touch. One Miracle. One Act of Faith.** There will be a Lenten retreat on Saturday March 29. The retreat is at St. Philip Neri in Reed City from 9 am until noon. Father Eugene Batungbacal, from the diocese, will be our presenter. This retreat will delve deeply into the profound story of the woman who received healing through a simple yet powerful touch of Jesus' garment (Mark 5:25-34). Her quiet yet resolute act of faith—when she boldly declared, “if I but touch his clothes, I shall be cured”—transformed her life. This narrative is a testament to the power of faith and its ability to bring about miraculous change.

As we gather, we invite you to contemplate your own journey. What act of faith can you embark upon to seek your own healing and wholeness? Are you willing to step out of your comfort zone to encounter Christ in a profound way? Consider how far you are prepared to go ---emotionally, spiritually, and physically—on this path toward healing and transformation. Together, let us seek inspiration and strength from this account and open our hearts to the possibilities that faith holds. Everyone is welcome.

The retreat is a great gift to yourself midway through Lent! When was the last time you set aside several hours to focus on your relationship with Jesus? I encourage you to save this date and time to entrust yourself to the process of renewal and hope in your relationship with Jesus.

This weekend in the Gospel we hear about the Transfiguration of Jesus. The line that stood out to me as I was reflecting on the Gospel: “Peter and his companions had been overcome by sleep, but becoming fully awake, they saw his glory and the two men standing with him.” Fully awake! How often are we asleep or half asleep in our relationship with Jesus? What would it mean if we were Fully Awake in Christ! My experience has been when I am fully awake, I can hear what Jesus is telling me, loving me, and what he is asking of me. I can also hear the direction of the Holy Spirit in my life. When I am asleep, I follow my voice and my way. Let's strive to stay fully awake!

In the hope of Lent, Beth Dake Director of Faith Formation

Msgr. Victor Gallagher Council 12668



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BAKED POTATO SALE

March 22, 2025

COST: \$ 9.00 / POTATO

Toppings Included at no cost

(Butter, sour cream, green onions, grated cheese. bacon bits)

PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW!

Order forms for baked potatoes can be found at the entrance of church. Orders for the baked potatoes can be dropped in the Sunday collection basket or dropped off at the parish office.

The baked potatoes can be picked up after Mass on March 22th until 6:30 pm. For more information call Richard Karns at 231 832-4474 or 231 388-4314

Fish Fry's

St. Mary's – Big Rapids

4:30 PM – 7:00 PM

Fried Pollack, french fries, green beans, mac and cheese, coleslaw, dinner roll, dessert.

Christ the King – Howard City

4:30 PM – 7:00 PM

Fried and Baked fish, french fries, green beans, mac and cheese, dinner roll, dessert.

St. Anne Senior Center-Baldwin

4:00 PM – 6:30 PM

Fish, french fries, vegetable, dessert

