

MUSIC SELECTIONS: March 8, 2020
 ENTRANCE HYMN 343
 PREPARATION HYMN 341
 COMMUNION HYMN 710
 RECESSIONAL HYMN 715

PSALM 33: SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR A



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*It is the tradition of the church not to exit before the final hymn has been sung.

9:00 AM – Children’s Sending: May your holy word take root in them (us). May your holy word bear fruit in them (us). Plant your word within them (us), so that they (we) may grow.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF
 MARCH 7TH THROUGH MARCH 15TH, 2020

If you are having a Mass offered, please contact an usher before Mass and let them know you would like to bring up the gifts.

3-7	4:00 PM	Harold Woodworth – John & Shirl Crane Rose Newcomb – The Family Gloria Colucciello McDonald – Perina Guzzo & Family
3-8	9:00 AM	Harman Swits – Kathy & Larry DeMarco Allan Johnson – Concetta Grasso Salvatore Grasso – Concetta’s Intention (50 th Wedding Anniversary) Dick Brazell (12 th Anniversary) – The Family
3-9	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
3-10	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
3-11	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
3-12	7:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
3-13	7:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
3-14	4:00 PM	Mary DePasquale – The Family Frank Leffler – The Family
3-15	9:00 AM	Barbara O’Leary – Bev Barberis Richard Warner – Nephew, Bill Evans

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – MAR. 14TH AND MAR 15TH, 2020

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM
LECTOR	A. Gregoire	J. Raymond
CUP 1	J. Masi	L. Wilson
CUP 2	D. Mayer	H. Burke
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant
BREAD 2	T. Neals	K. Sroczynski
BREAD 3	Deacon	Deacon
BREAD 4	D. Lippiello	A. Schnore
CUP 3	L. Neals	D. Stec
CUP 4	C. Kukan	D. Schoch
SERVER	TBD	W. Schnore
SERVER		R. Jackson
GREETER	K. Brooks	P. Johnson

FINANCIAL STATISTICS 2/24-3/1/20

OFFERTORY	\$2,954.17	ENVELOPE USERS	107
DEBT REDUCTION	15.00	ATTENDANCE	279
MEMORIALS	510.00		
EVANGELIST	15.00		
MASS STIPENDS	270.00		
DONATIONS	311.00		
BLDG. RENTAL	600.00		
TOTAL INCOME	\$4,675.17	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$3,119.05*

*Some larger expenses include: Pr. Exp. \$1,122/YM Exp. \$648/Phone & Utilities \$496

Last weekend’s Diocesan collection for **Black, Native American & Latin American Missions** amounted to \$604.00. Thank you for your generosity.



Remember in your prayers those members of our parish who are sick or suffering in any way, as well as those in hospitals and nursing homes and all of our shut-ins. We also pray for family, friends and those who have died recently, especially **Joe Crane**, brother of Deacon John (Shirl) Crane, and **Mary M. Bradley**. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.



The Scotia-Glenville High School Drama Club presents the production of Disney’s **“High School Musical”** on March 20th & 21st at the High School. There is a poster in Holy Family Hall with all the details.

~Sanctuary Candle~

Lit in Memory of **Joe Crane**
 Req. by Andy and Claudia

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The Week Ahead	
Tues. 3/10	Sandwich Making – 11AM - PC
Tues. 3/10	Soup Supper – Speaker Mike Saccocio, Exec. Director at City Mission – 6PM Supper – 7PM Presentation - C
Wed. 3/11	Adult Education ‘Encountering Christ’ – 7-8PM - OLG
Fri. 3/6	Stations of the Cross – 7PM - C



Thank you to everyone that helped with Coffee Hour last Sunday. Many hands make light work!



Our next **Lenten Soup Supper** is scheduled for **Tuesday, March 10th at 6 pm**. This soup supper will be followed by a presentation by **Mike Saccocio**, Executive Director/CEO of the City Mission in Schenectady. If you would like to attend the dinner portion of the evening, please call the office (518-346-2316) to let us know you plan to attend (no reservations are needed for the speaker portion of the evening).



Easter Memorials ~ If you would like to make a donation in memory of your loved one(s), please use the envelope that is included in your boxed set of envelopes. The name(s) of those you wish to remember should be **clearly printed** on the envelope and be submitted by **March 30th** for inclusion in the Easter Memorial publication.



Just a reminder regarding our upcoming **Tag, Treasure & Bake Sale** which will be held on **May 15th & 16th** at the Parish Center. We are currently accepting **Jewelry, Books & DVD's** only. You may bring these items to the Parish Center during regular office hours (Monday-Thursday, 9 am – 3 pm). Bringing these items NOW greatly helps the sorting process (these are the only items that we can accept at this moment due to space constraints). Be sure to ask your family, friends and co-workers if they have any items that they would like to donate. Please mark your calendar NOW for this event & plan on getting involved (watch future bulletins for details).



Our next order for Hannaford Gift Cards & reloads is scheduled for **Tuesday, March 10th**. All orders must be at the Parish Office by **Monday, March 9th at 10 am**. Order forms for cards & reloads are available on the bulletin boards in Holy Family Hall & the back entrance.

Youth Ministry Reminders

Grade 9 Retreat at St. Joseph’s on Saturday, March 14 from 9AM to 5PM.

Confirmation session at St. Joseph’s on Sunday, March 15 from 6PM to 8PM.

Class for Grades 6-10 at St. Joseph’s Parish Center on Sunday, March 22 from 6PM to 7:30PM.

Attention Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors: Please contact Lori DeSieno at 518-372-3509 or ldesieno06@yahoo.com as soon as possible but before March 16th with schedule requests for the period Apr. - June 2020.

Greeters and Altar Servers: Please contact Lisa Hall at the Parish Office at 518-346-2316 or stjosephschurch@albany.twcbc.com as soon as possible but before March 16th with schedule requests for the period Apr. – June 2020.



Just a gentle reminder during the cold & flu season ~ please be sure to wash hands often and avoid touching your eyes, nose & mouth. We have hand sanitizers around the church for your use as well. At this time, the Bishop and Presbyteral Council is asking everyone to take a common sense approach when deciding to shake hands at the sign of peace or to receive from the cup. If you are not feeling well, please refrain from both or even consider staying home until you feel better.



Don’t forget our special **SOCK & FOOD DRIVES** that are going on during the month of March. The Social Concerns committee is spearheading these two drives and is asking for your assistance. Please pick up a **Food Drive Bag** in Holy Family Hall and return it to the collection box (note: donations of reusable bags would be greatly appreciated as well). Donations will be distributed to our local food pantry. There is a **“Sock Box”** in Holy Family Hall for your donation of new adult socks which will be donated to Catholic Charities for the homeless.



This is the last weekend to sign a birthday card for **Phil Bremser**. Mr. Bremser will be celebrating his 100th birthday on Tuesday, March 10th and we would like to send him some birthday wishes. For those of you who would like to send a personal card, his address is 204 First St. in Scotia.



Bakers – please mark your calendars! We will be having our annual Palm Sunday Bake Sale before & after masses on the weekend of April 4th & 5th and we need your baked goods to sell! We usually have many visitors on this weekend and would like to have a nice variety to offer.