

# All Saints Roman Catholic Church

MARCH 10, 2024

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Daily at 8:00 AM as scheduled  
(See schedule on next page)  
Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM  
Sunday at 9:00 AM  
Holy Days at 8:00 AM and  
7:00 PM

Confessions:  
Saturday 3:30—4:00 PM  
or by appointment

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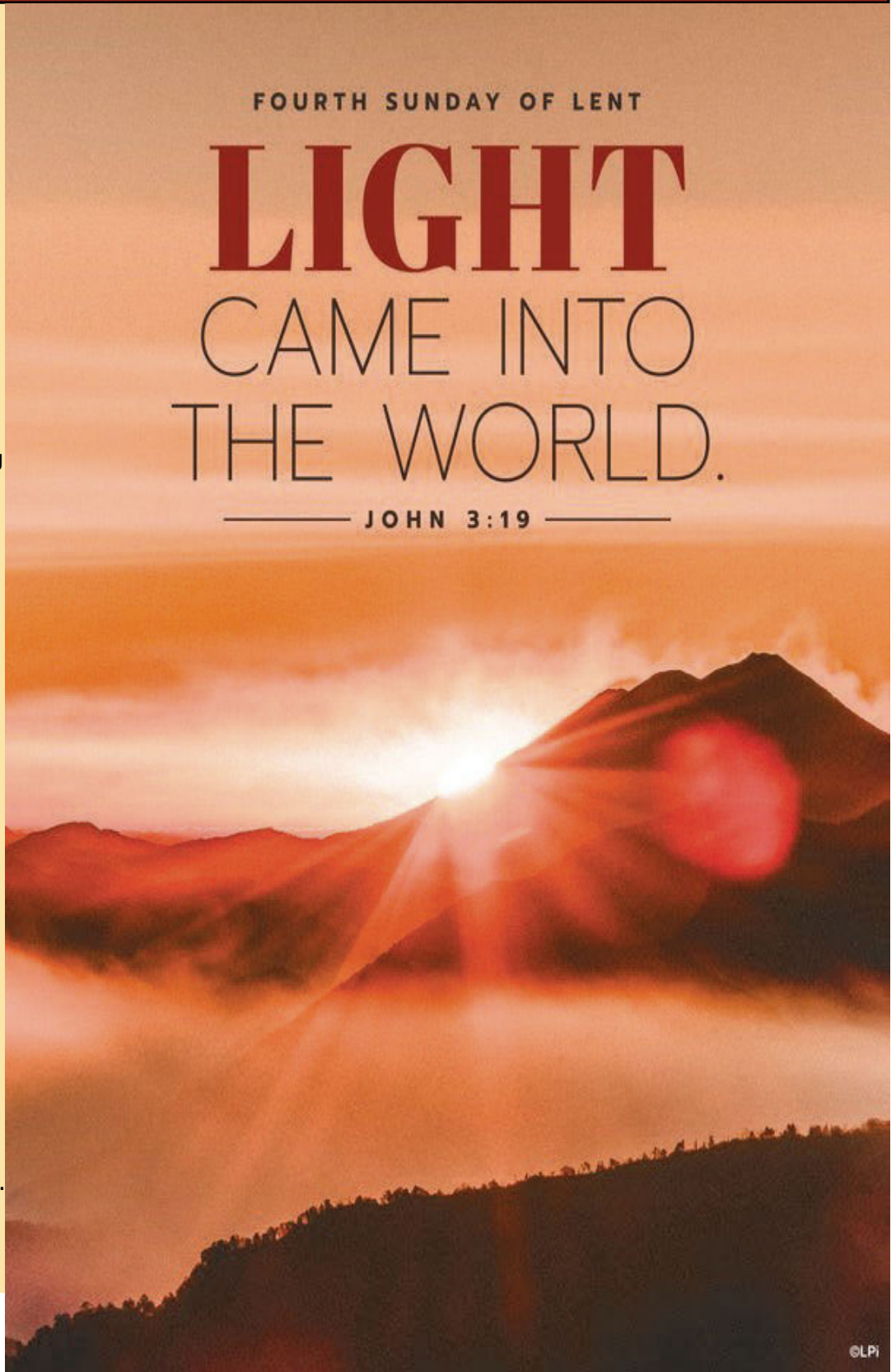
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10:00 AM Mondays, in writing, please.



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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT  
**LIGHT**  
CAME INTO  
THE WORLD.  
— JOHN 3:19 —



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# MASS INTENTIONS

March 9, 2024 – March 17, 2024

Sat.	03/09	4:30 PM	Mark Borowy (Lois Borowy)
Sun.	03/10	9:00 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish
Mon.	03/11	8:00 AM	In memory of Joseph Tomczak on his birthday
Tues.	03/12	NO Mass	
Wed.	03/13	8:00 AM	Scarlett Berdis (Papa and Nana Berdis)
Thur.	03/14	8:00 AM	Ann Spelling (Elaine and Roger)
Fri.	03/15	8:00 AM	Kirsten May (Elaine and Roger)
Sat.	03/16	4:30 PM	Sammy Church (Grandma D.)
Sun.	03/17	9:00 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish



Marlene Kuzma, Mary L., Patty Stebick, Christine Beers, Joe Mazur, Mr. G., Cindy Welka, Donna Welka, Janet M., Dave P., Betty Jones, Casen Hall, Sue B., Dean Haupt, Sandy Williams, Fr. John Moineau, David S., Margaret, Jeannette Briggs, Barb Englert, Rita Bidwell, Deacon Bill Spinks, Dan McArw (To add or delete from the list call the parish office)

**And for those serving our country:** SPC E-4 Riley Schack, National Guard; Cadet Alexis Johnson, Army; PFC Matthew R. Johnson, USMC; Garrett Dahn, Navy; Paul Scott, Army; Rebeckah DelSignore, Airforce; Anthony DelSignore; AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard; AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard; Cortlen Surrena, Army; Commander Michael T. McArw; Violet Brashier, Coast Guard; Ben Krumpe, Air Force; Sam Riley, Army; Keith Riley, Army; Autumn and Jason Ayers; Sarah Manross; Lucas Loggins, Army; Zane Loggins, Army; CPL Luke Davis, Army National Guard (Call Pam McArw, 814-397-1490)

## QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

### FIRST READING 2 CHR 36:14-16, 19-23; 137

We hear how God reacted strongly against Israel's disobedience and infidelity, ultimately sending them to exile in Babylon. But God also showed mercy to Israel in sending king Cyrus of Persia to rescue them. As we enter the fourth Sunday of Lent, for what do you need God's mercy in your life?

### SECOND READING EPH 2:4-10;

Paul taught the Ephesians that by God's mercy and grace, we have been saved through Christ for the good works that God has prepared for us. Where in your life do you feel like you are doing God's work?

### GOSPEL READING JN 3:14-21

Jesus taught Nicodemus that God loves the world and desires to save it. In what ways do you show love and respect for our world? ©LPI

## LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK 4th Sunday of Lent

Our national pastime isn't baseball. It's what the Bible calls "condemning the world." We generally enjoy pronouncing curses upon those whom we see as trouble, wrong, or evil. Don't believe me?

Listen to almost any podcast, cable news network, or social media platform to hear it. It will be some version of: "We all agree that if they are eradicated, things will be great." Condemning is almost always clothed in virtue. It basks in its good intentions. That's why it is so attractive. Condemning seems like our best path to saving what is good.

What a shock, then, to hear Jesus announce: "*For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him*" (Jn 3:17). He comes to save the world, as we all want, but he will accomplish it without an act of condemnation. How hard it is to accept this! Condemning feels godlike. I judge who and what must be lost to protect the good. But in the light of Jesus' endless mercy and love, this is the least godlike thing we can do.

*Lenten challenge: This week, I invite you to give up the delicious experience of condemning whomever in the world you most would like to see gone. Perhaps write down their names. Secondly, I invite you to consider fasting from any media that feeds the tasty but deadly tendency to condemn.* — Father John Muir ©LPI

## FROM BISHOP PERSICO:

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Between Palm Sunday and Divine Mercy Sunday, parishes in the Diocese of Erie are asked to give generously to the **Pontifical Collection for the Holy Land**. This collection is the most important source of support for Christians in the Holy Land. Christians continue to be hit especially hard with the war between Hamas and Israel. The money collected helps the Franciscans and others to minister in parishes, provide Catholic education, and aid the Catholic community with housing, food, health care and employment.

Christians in the Holy Land have great need of your prayers and financial help. The wars, unrest and instability there have been especially hard on them. Please take this opportunity to reach out to those Christians who suffer persecution and hardship in the very land where Jesus lived. I wish you and yours a blessed and joyful celebration of the Easter Triduum.

Sincerely yours in Christ,  
The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, JCL  
Bishop of Erie



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**FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE**

**Sunday, Mar. 10, 10:00 AM Gr. Pre/K-5 and 2nd & 3rd grade parents**

**Wednesday, Mar. 13, 6 PM Stations practice before 6:30 PM EDGE**

**Sunday, Mar. 17, 10:00 AM Gr. Pre/K-5 and 2nd & 3rd grade parents**

*Please pray for our 9<sup>th</sup> graders who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on March 14<sup>th</sup> at St. Luke's at 7:00 PM.*



*Jake Beer  
 Aidan Cihon-Schoenfeldt  
 Katelyn Froess  
 Gabby Galbraith  
 Sydney Merry  
 Isla Mitchell  
 Val Reinsel*

**On March 17, our youth will be leading our Mass! We will have our newly confirmed 9th graders as Lectors and they will be presenting the gifts. Also, our talented middle school youth will lead us in song!**

**On Palm Sunday**, after a long and meaningful Mass, let's gather for some fellowship and fun! **ALL parishioners** are invited to join us as some of our families lead us to make palm crosses and Resurrection Rolls!



**THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD—** Sunday's during the 9:00 Mass, gathers young children, ages 4 to 10, for an age-appropriate experience of sacred scripture. We sing and hear God's word in a joyful environment for children.

**BOOK OF PRAYER INTENTIONS**

Look for this small book located in the Holy Family Shrine on the North side of the worship space near the prayer intention candles. Write in your general prayer requests (no names please) and they will be raised in prayer with you.

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:**

Sunday, 3/10	9:00 AM Sunday Mass—Children's Liturgy
Sunday, 3/10	10:00 AM Faith Formation Gr. Pre/K-5
Tuesday, 3/12	NO Mass
Wednesday 3/13	6:00 PM Stations practice
Wednesday, 3/13	6:30 PM EDGE
Friday, 3/15	Fish Dinner 4:30 - 7:00 PM
Saturday, 3/16	4:30 PM Mass
Saturday, 3/16	6:15 PM BINGO - doors open 5:30 PM

**Prayer Shawl Ministry:** Prayer shawls are a beautiful way to support someone who is sick, grieving or struggling in any way. Companions on the Journey has handmade shawls which were prayed over by our group and blessed by Father Greg. We have them for men as well as women. You can call Jennifer 814-864-4303 or Sandra 814-864-6850 or see us at Mass.

**Next Saturday, March 16th!**  
 Doors open at 5:30 PM, first game starts at 6:15. Invite your family and friends to come with you and have fun! Must be 18 to attend.

Cost is \$25 per person for a 12-on, 10 page bingo book or \$20 per person for a 6-on, 10 page bingo book. Additional books are \$5 each. Special bingo games will be played on special papers available for \$1 each - these games are a 50/50 split. Instant games, jug numbers, and a jackpot coverall add to the fun!

Kitchen is open with hot dogs, sloppy joes, snacks, some homemade desserts, and beverages for sale.

Hope to see you there!

**LENTEN FISH DINNERS AT ALL SAINTS**  
**Mar. 15 & 22 4:30 pm to 7:00 pm**

\$15 for adults, \$5 for children under 12, and toddlers will eat free. Call 814-796-3023 after 4:30 PM on Fridays for takeout orders. Thank you to all who have supported this fundraiser by purchasing dinners and to those who have helped in all aspects of preparation, serving the dinners, and cleaning up!



**Readings for next Sunday, March 17, 2024**

**JER 31:31-34; PS 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15; HEB 5:7-9; JN 12:20-33**

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So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.  
*Corinthians 4:18*  
*In memory of Robbie Heard (1988-2009)*

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