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THE APOSTLE

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St. Andrew: by appointment

St. Fidelis: Wed. 7:00-8:00PM

St. Michael: Sat. 11:30AM-12:15PM

St. Paul: Sat. 8:40-9:30AM

St. Peter: by appointment

FAITH FORMATION

St. Andrew: Pre-K - 9 9:30 - 10:45AM

St. Fidelis: Sun. 9:45AM - 11:15AM

Sts. Michael/Paul/Peter: 9:15 -10:30AM

(St. Michael the Archangel School building)

RCIA

Adult RCIA classes: October to Easter

Vigil or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

St. Andrew, St. Fidelis, St. Michael, St.

Peter-request date with priest-deacon.

St. Paul -1st & 3rd Sunday of each month

after the 10:00AM Mass

Families can request baptisms during regularly weekend Masses.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact priest for arrangements 6 months prior to marriage.

DIOCESAN COORDINATOR FOR VICTIMS OF ABUSE:

1-888-808-1235

BULLETIN INFORMATION

A week in advance: standrewbutler@zoominternet.net.

PARISH STAFF:

Louise Emmett - Admin. Assistant 724-355-0612

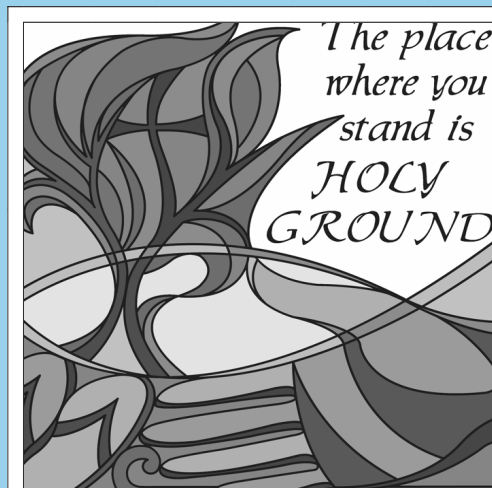
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March 24, 2019
Third Sunday of Lent

The Lord secures justice and
the rights of all the oppressed.
- Psalm 103:6

St. Andrew Parish Motto

"We have found the Messiah!"
(John 1:41)

St. Andrew Parish Mission Statement

St. Andrew Parish Family extends God's love and mercy to all on the path of Christian holiness, casting a wide net like our fisherman patron, St. Andrew. Under his patronage, with the guidance of the Holy Spirit and the help of Mary, our Mother, we seek to learn, love, and live Jesus.

A Note from Father Kevin

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Lenten Prayer Service at St. Peter Church on Wednesday, March 20. This is certainly an opportunity unique to Butler, and a great opportunity to come together as Catholics amongst the Christian community in our area to worship, pray, and be inspired by the Holy Spirit.

I am looking forward to participating again on Wednesday, April 3, as I have been asked to speak at the First United Methodist Church, with Pastor David Janz as the presider. This will be a new experience for me, and I am humbled.

Please keep in your prayers and offer your support for Melanie Eaton, Kim Hostetler, and Seirra Koebel, who are preparing for full reception into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil. Beginning today, March 24, at the 10:00am Mass at St. Paul, they will be recognized publicly by the priest in "The Scrutinies," a ritual of recognition affirming their faith journey. These rituals occur during the 3rd, 4th, and 5th Sundays of Lent. Let us thank them for their witness and courage!

I pray for you daily.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Kevin C. Fazio



JAL UPCOMING - EVENTS

On Thursday, March 28, the Middle School Youth Group (grades 8-12) will meet at St. Fidelis Hall in Meridian from 6:30-8:00pm. Come for pizza, pop, fellowship, and to learn a little more about Jesus.

St. Fidelis Parish Fish Fry will be held Friday, March 29, from 4:00-7:00pm. This is a good time for Confirmation and high school students to receive service hours. Sign up at www.butlercitycatholicparishes.org/jal.

SPECIAL COLLECTION

The Collection for Sunday

March 17

Offertory	\$3,356.00
Flowers	\$ 461.00

A second collection will be taken at Mass next week-end for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development, Catholic Home Missions Appeal, and the National Collection for Black and Indian Missions.

CALLED BY NAME

Called by Name, the Vocations Office annual event that invites teens to explore the call to holiness, will be held April 28, from 4:00-8:30pm at St. Paul Seminary. Included will be Mass, dinner, etc. Father Dan and Bishop David Zubik will be part of the event. No charge. Contact Theresa at tsullivan@diopitt.org.

BUTLER CATHOLIC CORNER

Butler Catholic School is now accepting applications for the 2019-2020 School Year in all grades, Preschool (age 3) through 8th grade. Limited spots are available, so apply early. We welcome families to come and visit BCS. For more information, visit <https://www.butlercatholic.org/admissions/>. To schedule a private tour, call the school office at 724-285-4276.

2 JOB OPENINGS AT BCS

BCS has two openings for part time positions. One is Janitorial service (flex time - 4 hours with "light work"). The other is in our After Care Program, Monday-Friday 2:15-5:15pm (when school is in session). Clearances are needed. Call the office at 724-285-4276.

CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES LAW

If you suspect a child is in imminent danger, call 911 immediately. Mandated reporters having reasonable cause to believe that a child has been subjected to child abuse shall report immediately to the following agencies:

Children & Youth Services: Butler County
724-284-5156

Children & Youth Services: Allegheny County
412-473-2000

Abuse Hotline: 800-932-0313

MASS INTENTIONS - BUTLER AREA CATHOLIC PARISHES

Saturday **March 23 - Lenten Weekday**
 4:00PM St. Michael - Joann Billek (John & Sherri Gibson)
 Harry Leyland (Richard Rider)
 5:00PM St. Fidelis - Michael Warren & Millie DeMarco (Mark & Mary Warren)
 6:00PM St. Paul - Living & Deceased Parishioners

Sunday **March 24 - Third Sunday of Lent**
 8:00AM St. Paul - William E. Young Jr. (Andrew Dulya & Family)
 8:30AM St. Fidelis - Paul Pieroski (France & Joe Benzy)
 10:00AM+ St. Paul - Gertrude "Gerti" Werth (Mary & Pete Cherry)
 11:00 AM St. Peter - John S. Fennell (Mrs. Pauline Fennell & John)
 11:00AM St. Andrew - Joe Reep BD (Parents, John & Norma Reep)
 11:30AM St. Fidelis - Margaret Davidson (Harry & Sandy Corson & Family)
 7:00PM St. Paul - David Hudak (Patrice & Joe Erkman & Family)

Monday **March 25 - Lenten Weekday**
 8:00AM+ St. Paul - Wilmer & Lucille Geibel (Jeff & Margaret Adams) Robert Hofer (Paul Haughey)

Tuesday **March 26 - Lenten Weekday**
 8:00AM+ St. Paul - Jeff Minehart (Mr. & Mrs. William L. Burns)
 12:05PM St. Michael - Mary Hawn (David & Mary Moore)
 Catherine Cipollone (Joe & Linda Quidone)

Wednesday **March 27 - Lenten Weekday**
 8:00AM+ St. Paul - Henry J. & David R. LeRoy (Elizabeth M. LeRoy)
 6:30PM St. Fidelis - John Tarcha (Gene & Pat Rock & Brian & Mary Beth)

Thursday **March 28 - Lenten Weekday**
 8:00AM+ St. Paul - James Fisher (Gabe & Carlos Albert) Evelyn Rodgers (Bob & Cindy Ridley)
 12:05PM St. Andrew - Patricia Stehle Artman (Skip Shuler Family)

Friday **March 29 - Lenten Weekday**
 8:00AM+ St. Paul - John & Dona Schrott (Mark & Lisa Schrott)
 12:05PM St. Peter- Ben Schmidt (James Dilucia)

Saturday **March 30 - Lenten Weekday**
 8:00AM+ St. Paul - Charles Hinchberger (Denny & Brenda Cornibe)



Bob, Joann, Karol Halin, Dolores, Earl, Angela, Michele, John Gibson, Fr. Bill Keil, Jan, Frankie IV, Stephanie Lubinsky, Erma Fontaine, Terri Lynn, Dennis, Debbie Gibson, Dasha Doyle, Becky Ray, Rick Cupps, Dawn, Victoria, Nancy, Hailey Ball, Jill, James, Walter, Joe Foster, Harry Boben Sr., Mary Lou Boben, Debbie, Anne Boben, Frank, Bernie, Joseph Smith, Rick, Bob, Noah, Rose, Jay, Bill, Jim, Joan Elizabeth, Mary, Margaret Albert, Geno Spohn, Nancy & Bob Mikan, Aida Baker, Jack McKain, Louise, Marlene Fisher, Chuck, Kristina Gerten.

MINISTERS SCHEDULE, SUNDAY, MARCH 31

11:00 AM

Lector: Sharon Stevens
 Servers: Jaeden Malacaman, Tori Cupps
 Ushers: Dennis Dancik, Don Fuechslin Paul Kengor, Harry Savisky

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Karen Minehart, Pat Bernot, Jim Shope
 Chapel: Mothers Room, St. Andrew front row
Gloria Kengor, Carol Shope

Saturday **March 30 - Lenten Weekday**
 4:00PM St. Michael - Lorraine Karenbauer (Doug & Lori Lawson & Family)
 5:00PM St. Fidelis - Mary Grace Weber (Russ & Colleen Weber)
 6:00PM* St. Paul - Living & Deceased Parishioners

Sunday **March 31 - Fourth Sunday of Lent**
 8:00AM St. Paul - Shirley Stutz (Tim & Patty Andreassi)
 8:30AM St. Fidelis - John Tarcha (Sue Birch)
 10:00AM + St. Paul - Rose M. Dorcy (Kathy & Mike Gallagher)
 11:00AM St. Peter - Debbie Geibel (Paul & Jane Slater)
 11:00AM St. Andrew - Soheil Malekzadeth (George Lloyd Family)
 11:30AM St. Fidelis - Emil & Dorothy Markich (Joe, Mary Ann, and Paul)
 2:00PM St. Paul - Spanish Mass
 7:00PM St. Paul - Mickey Bellis (Jim & Cooky Diamond)

+Mass televised on Channel #10
 * Mass broadcast WISR (AM 680) 9:15AM Sunday

For the Lenten & Easter schedule please go to www.butlercatholicparishes.org.

Fr. Will Wuenschel - Chaplain

724-482-2690 ext. 250

For a sacramental emergency (Last Rites), please call 724-482-2690 ext. 251 or 724-996-9760.



Our deepest sympathy to Katherine Flood, Charles Bussick Jr., and family, Harry Sr. (Helen) Boben, and family, on the death of Katherine's mother, Lillian Stapel, and Harry's brother, Kenneth Boben Sr. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

BUTLER AREA BAPTISM SEMINAR

A Baptism Seminar is scheduled for Sunday, April 7, at 12:30pm at St. Andrew Church (724-287-7781). Call the office to register. You only need to attend one class. We encourage you to attend a seminar before your baby is born. Call you parish office to schedule a baptism.

BUTLER AREA MARRIAGE PREPARATION RETREAT

Two Saturday sessions of the Butler Marriage Preparation Retreat will be held March 30 and April 6, from 10:00am-5:00pm, at St. Michael the Archangel Parish Hall. Both Saturday sessions conclude with Mass at 4:00pm at St. Michael Catholic Church. Mass attendance is part of the Pre-Cana Program and satisfies the Sunday obligation. Call 724-991-2639 or email cweiland@zoominternet.net.

FLOWERS FOR EASTER

To help decorate the church for Easter fill out the form below and drop it in the collection basket or return to the rectory by March 28. Intentions will be published in the bulletin for Easter. Please indicate if the person the intention is for is living (in honor of) or deceased (in memory of).

FLOWERS FOR EASTER

Intention: _____

Requested by: _____

Donation: _____ **Envelope No.** _____

**St. Andrew Office Hours
Will be Monday & Thursday: 8:30AM - 4:00PM
Beginning April 1.**

If assistance is needed at other times, contact St. Fidelis office at 724-482-2690 or St. Paul office at 724-287-1759 during their office hours and someone will assist you.

**“NEW VISION”
ECUMENICAL LENTEN SERVICE**

March 27 - 7:00PM

Theme: Radical You - Service

Host Church: St. Andrew Presbyterian Church
200 E. North St., Butler

Presiding: Pastor Merry Meloy

Preaching: Fr. Mark Brown

LEGION OF MARY ACIES

The Legion of Mary will gather for their consecration ceremony, Acies, on Sunday, March 31, at 12:30pm at St. Andrew Church.. Father Dan Waruszewski, Spiritual Director, will officiate. All are invited. There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, prayer, rosary, and Benediction. A social will follow in the CCD Hall.

CONFESSION, MASS CHANGES

There will not be Confessions on Saturday, April 6, at St. Paul Church due to Confirmation. Confessions will be held at St. Michael Church on April 6, from 11:30am-12:15pm.

There will not be Stations of the Cross at St. Fidelis Church on Wednesday, April 10, due to Confessions that evening for “the Light Is On For You!”

Confessions will be held at all churches at the following times on April 10: the Light Is On For You:

St. Andrew Church: 2:00pm-5:00pm

St. Michael, St. Paul & St. Peter Churches:
6:00pm-9:00pm

St. Fidelis Church: 7:00pm-9:00pm

There will be a 6:30pm Mass at St. Fidelis Church, Meridian on April 10.

There will not be a Sunnyview Mass on Wednesday, April and 10 or 17.

There will not be a 6:30pm Mass or Confessions at St. Fidelis Church, Meridian, on Wednesday, April 24, because of the Healing Mass at 7:00pm at St. Fidelis Church.