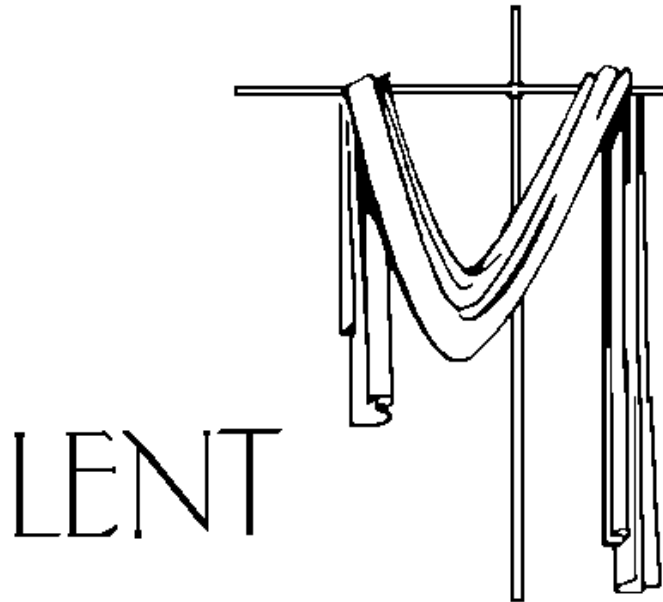


HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF FISHTOWN



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Prayer for Unity

**You have called us to be Your one Church. Make us one in our faith and hope,
and one in our loving service. Make us one in worship and in daily living.
Lord Jesus, send your Spirit to make us one as You want us to be.
Lord and our Saviour for ever. Amen.**

March 16, 2014 + Second Sunday of Lent

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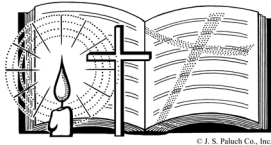
**REV. JOSEPH J. ZINGARO, Pastor
DEACON JOHN G. BOYLE, Permanent Deacon**

MRS. THERESA DOMBKOSKI, Director of Parish Services

**SATURDAY EVENING VIGIL MASS: 4:30 P.M.
SUNDAY MASSES: 9:30 A.M. Worship Site; 11:30 A.M.
HOLY DAY MASSES: 9:00 A.M. Worship Site; 7:00 P.M.
DAILY MASSES: 7:00 A.M. Mon./Tues./Wed./Thurs./Fri.
8:00 A.M. Saturday Communion Service
CONFESSIONS: Saturday: 3:30 P.M. to 4:15 P.M.
Sunday: 8:45 A.M. to 9:15 A.M. Worship Site**

**ST. LAURENTIUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL
School: 215-423-8834 Principal: Mrs. Elaine McKnight**

MARCH 16, 2014



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MONDAY – MARCH 17th

ST. PATRICK

7:00 a.m. +Frances Snihur req. by The Charles Valentine Family

TUESDAY – MARCH 18th

ST. CYRIL OF JERUSALEM

7:00 a.m. +Rosemary Whalen req. by M/M William Hiltwine

WEDNESDAY – MARCH 19th

ST. JOSEPH

7:00 a.m. For the Parishioners

THURSDAY – MARCH 20th

7:00 a.m. +Deceased Members of the Winn Family

FRIDAY – MARCH 21st

7:00 a.m. +Deceased Members of the Monaghan Family

SATURDAY – MARCH 22nd

8:00 a.m. Prayer & Communion Service
4:30 p.m. +Marian McNulty req. by Rita & Joe Sears

SUNDAY – MARCH 23rd

9:30 a.m. +Kate O'Shea req. by Daughter Kate Gabor
11:00 a.m. +Living & Deceased Members of the Lay Fraternities of St. Dominic

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Sunday: Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

MARCH 16th

Attendance: 481
Envelopes: 293
1st Collection: \$4,266.00
Children's Envelopes (36): \$67.65
High School Envelopes (2): \$2.00
Envelopes mailed to Rectory (15): \$509.00
2nd Collection (Rice Bowl) (95): \$879.34
Ash Wednesday (110): \$1,002.00
Votive Offerings: \$10.00
Grand Total: \$6,735.99

ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY SERVICES

Today we support our family and friends who have served this nation with distinction. The Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services will provide the Gospel, the sacraments and other forms of spiritual support to the men and women of the United States Armed Forces wherever they serve, no matter the circumstances. Please prayerfully consider a generous contribution to the first-ever national Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services.

GREAT NEWS

We have a new website address:
www.holynameofjesus-fishtown.org

We are still working on it,
but it is up and running.

The O'Donnell & Naccarato Presentation
of the façade of
St. Laurentius Church Worship Site
can be viewed on it.

We thank Patricia Ann Kinsman
for her help and assistance.

PREP PROGRAM

Holy Name of Jesus Parish PREP classes are held on Wednesdays, for all children who attend public, charter or non-Catholic school. Classes are held in the St. Laurentius Rectory (Worship Site) from 6:00 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. Please call Mrs. Dombkoski at Holy Name of Jesus Rectory 215-739-3960 or email at: tmdholyname@gmail.com for more information about PREP.

SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA LAY DOMINICANS

The Saint Catherine of Siena Chapter, Lay Dominicans invite all to community morning Prayer and Rosary at 10:30 A.M. on **Sunday, March 23rd** at Holy Name of Jesus Church.



Pastor's Corner

We thank all who responded by **e-mail and the paper form** regarding the façade of St. Laurentius Church Worship Site and the presentation by the engineering firm of O'Donnell & Naccarato on Tuesday, March 4th. We received 22 e-mails and 4 letter forms. Your responses will be discussed at the next transition team meeting this week. We will schedule another meeting for the parish next week. Check out our new website; www.holynameofjesus-fishtown.org. Pictures of the façade of St. Laurentius are there for you to view. We are still working on completing the website that we will all be proud of and will give information to those who seek it.

Last weekend I accompanied **our catechumen and 3 candidates** to the Cathedral-Basilica of Ss. Peter and Paul for their welcoming into the Elect of the Church as they become Catholics this Easter. Over 500 people and their Godparents and Sponsors were in attendance for the ceremony. And this was only one of three ceremonies! Over 1,500 individuals will become Catholic this Easter! Let us remember all of them in our prayers as they continue their journey to the sacraments during Lent.

We had **several plumbing issues** this week in our parish: one in the pre-k room in St. Laurentius School, one in the laundry room in the rectory and one in our boiler room. Pipes were leaking, water was flowing – it was a mess! But all is repaired. Undoubtedly, the cold weather and the age of the pipes had something to do with it.

Help our Parish and our School!! Buy a **Say Goodbye to Winter** chance for \$10.00. Your \$10.00 donation will enter you into a drawing for \$3,000.00, \$1,000.00 or \$500.00. You don't need to be present to win! Chances are available at the School, Rectory, a student or Ken's Corner!

Join us on **Saturday, March 29th** for our St. Laurentius School Development Committee **Say Goodbye to Winter School and Parish Spring Fling/Beef & Beer** at 7:00 P.M. in Holy Name of Jesus Church Hall. Beef n Beer tickets are \$20.00. Tickets for the Beef n Beer may be purchased through school or the Rectory.



REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the reposed soul of **Michael Kada**. May God grant **him** eternal rest in His presence.

INCREASED OFFERING APPEAL

As announced in detail from the pulpit this week, Holy Name of Jesus Parish has launched a Stewardship of Treasure/Increased Giving Campaign. The objective of the Appeal are three: 1) to encourage all parishioners to use the envelope system regularly or electronic giving; 2) to request a reasonable weekly increase in the offering by all members of the Parish, 3) to welcome and invite non-active parishioners back to church. We hope all parishioners will respond generously to this appeal.

SEEING THROUGH

Today's readings invite us to look more deeply, to catch a glimpse of Divine Reality hidden within the "stuff" of life. God challenged the elderly Abram and his wife to leave home for a land that God would show them. Their eyes would see the land, but only God could "show" it as a divine gift. Paul reminded Timothy that God's grace had always been available, but in Jesus Christ was made "manifest."

Jesus called Peter, James, and John up the mountain and was "transfigured" for a moment, the radiance of God shining through. Then, just as abruptly, the three looked up . . . and saw only Jesus.

During Lent we're invited to "see through" to God's presence in the stuff of life: prowling the supermarket, waiting in traffic, arguing with the kids, cleaning the bathtub. We wouldn't really have to "do" anything, if we could only glimpse divine love supporting us, holding us together.

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SANCTUARY CANDLES

There are special seven-day candles available at the Sacred Heart, the Blessed Mother and St. Joseph for those wishing to "light a candle" for an intention. The offering is \$10.00 for the week.

Week of 3/16

Blessed Mother

Mary Ellen Bradley (Daughter & Son)

St. Joseph

John Dailey (Sandra Dailey)

The Marianist Family Retreat Center, Cape May Point, New Jersey will have a Mother & (Adult) Daughter Retreat on May 9th-11th (Mother's Day Weekend). Eucharist, small group sharing, prayer experiences, socials and fun are included—beach walks too! The cost is \$125.00 per person. Sign up online at www.capemaymarianists.org or call 609-884-3829 for more information.

FROM THE DEACON'S DESK

A few years ago, Blessed John Paul gave us a magnificent reflection, called "The Day of the Lord" on the meaning of Sunday in our Catholic life.

He calls Sunday the fundamental feast day. On Sunday, he writes Easter returns to us week after week when we relive the experience of the disciples on the road to Emmaus where they came to recognize Jesus in the Scriptures and in the breaking of the bread. Every Sunday returns us to the center of world history and of human life, the Lord's Resurrection. Unfortunately, today Sunday gets absorbed into what is called the "weekend" and becomes a "catch-up" day, but it can be much more than that.

It is, first of all, a chance to experience the grand and majestic work of God's creation. It is a day to enjoy the fruits of our labor and to enjoy family and friends.

Sunday is also the Day of Christ when we hear the word of the Lord, apply it to our life in the light of Jesus' Death and Resurrection and recall that, in everything we do, we are called to be disciples of Jesus.

Sunday, is thirdly, the Day of Church when we are reminded that we are part of a community of faith, that our life is part of the Church's Life and that the Church's life, her concerns, problems and successes, should be part of our life.

Just as the heart pumps life into the rest of the body, so the Mass pumps Christ's life into the Church and into our life. The Day of the Creator, the Day of Christ and the Day of the Church: Sunday is all of these. It is our time on the mountain where we get a larger vision, put things into perspective and breathe a cleaner air. But, it takes effort to get here.

We are called every week to the mountain of prayer at Sunday Mass. Here we learn to leave behind the false gods as Abraham did in the Old Testament. Here we come to know the grace of a new and eternal life to which St. Paul refers. Here, we receive something of Christ's power to guide us in different days as Jesus says to us, as He does in the Gospel. "Rise and do not be afraid".

Jesus has no need any more to be transfigured or changed. He is now in glory.

We still need transformation. The Lord doesn't need Sunday. We do.

MEMORIAL SOCIETY

The second Tuesday of each month at the Miraculous Medal Novena Mass, we pray for all the members of the Memorial Society.

In Memory Of:

Michael Kada (Bernadette & Faith Paluszek)

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Congratulations to our JV Boys' Basketball Team who became Region 3's Champions for the 2013-2014 Season. Players include: Steven Gassman, Jason McCammy, Francis Burke Jr., Timmy Albert, Jimmy Tobin, Patrick Milligan, and Prince Palido. Coach: Francis Burke Sr.

The Student Council will be sponsoring 2 No Uniform Today days this Spring. Proceeds from these NUTS days will go to Catholic School Students for Catholic Charities. Any money collected by school children goes exclusively to support the schools of Special Education in the Archdiocese.

This week, all students grades K-8 will be taking the Terra Nova Test. This testing lasts a full week. Please keep our students and teachers in your prayers as testing time can be very stressful for everyone.

Our Third Trimester begins on Monday, March 17th. We can't believe we are coming to the end. We have had to make up 8 snow days this year. Needless to say, we have given back any day we possible could and made some ½ days whole days. Luckily, for us, school will be ending as scheduled on Friday, June 1, 2014.

Don't forget March Madness on Friday at Shissler Rec. Come on out and support our teams!

Have a joyous week. Mrs. McKnight

ST. LAURENTIUS SCHOOL

The ninth tuition payment is now due. Please use your Smart Tuition Account. Non-Smart payments may be made at the Holy Name of Jesus Rectory during normal business hours.



The St. Laurentius/Holy Name CYO is looking for responsible individuals for coaching (soccer, basketball, baseball, etc.) positions for the upcoming school year. These positions will need to be filled in order to continue our program. If you are interested in making a positive difference in the lives of our children, please contact Tim Breslin 215-764-9361.

STARS IN THE DOME

Memorial Stars are available in memory of a loved one. The one-time cost is a \$50 offering. Mass is celebrated each First Friday of the month for those remembered. If interested, please call the Rectory.

In Memory Of

Stephen Decky
Anna Decky
Louis Turner
Anna Turner

Requested By

Michael Decky
Michael Decky
Elizabeth Decky
Elizabeth Decky

TRANSITION TEAM NEWS

The Transition Team is committed to strengthening the bond of our parish community. We welcome your ideas and suggestions for building a stronger parish.

TRANSITIONAL TEAM MEMBERS

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Sick Relatives & Friends

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Also, please remember the lonely and the shut-ins.

Please call the Rectory to add a name to
or remove from our Sick List.

THE HEAVIEST LOAD

A chip on the shoulder is the heaviest load anyone can carry.

—Anonymous

RECTORY HOURS

Members of the Rectory staff are glad to assist you during the following business hours:

| | |
|--------------------|------------------------|
| Monday to Friday: | 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. |
| Saturday & Sunday: | Closed |

Anointing of the Sick

Please contact the rectory to make arrangements for anointing and Communion for the sick and dying.

Visits to the Sick and Homebound

The pastoral staff visits with the sick in their homes and in area hospitals. Please contact the Rectory Office to arrange a visit.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

RCIA prepares adolescents and adults for Baptism and full communion in the Catholic Church. For more information, please contact Father Zingaro.

Religious Education (PREP)

Religious instruction for grammar school students takes place during the school year.

Please contact Mrs. Dombkoski to register.

Baptism of Children

The Sacrament of Baptism is administered on Sundays. Times to be arranged at the Pre-Jordan Session. Parents are asked to register for Baptism by calling the Rectory to meet with Deacon Jack G. Boyle.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements for the Sacrament of Marriage must be made with Father Zingaro at least six months before the desired wedding date.

New Parishioners

New parishioners are most welcome, and are invited to register at the Rectory as soon as possible after moving into the parish

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