

# FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

## Mass Intentions for Week 3/20 thru 3/28/2010

**Saturday** Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53

7:30 am St. Mary: Gerard Lamontagne†

4:00 pm St Mary: Rose Alix†

6:00 pm St Edward: All Parishioners

**Sunday** Is 43:16-21; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11

8:30 am St Edward: Harvey Beauchesne(2<sup>nd</sup>)†

10:00 am St. Mary: All Parishioners

11:30 am St Benedict: Marian deCastro†

1:00 pm Michaud Manor: Residents

7:00 pm St. Mary: Michael Robert†

**Monday** Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62; Jn 8:1-11

8:30 am St Edward: Healing for Maryellen Wright

5:15 pm St. Mary: Good Health of Jennifer & children through the intercession of Fr. Justin.

**Tuesday St Toribio de Mogrevjo** Nm 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30

8:00 am St. Mary: Domina Nolin†

11:00 am Meeting Place: Arthur Jr.† & Larry† Belisle

6:00 pm St Edward: Julio Perez †

**Wednesday** Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Jn 8:31-42

8:00 am St. Mary: Wilfred LeBlanc† & Intentions of Yvette LeBlanc

6:30 pm St. Benedict: Stations of the Cross

7:00 pm St. Benedict: Julie Knapp†

**Thursday Annunciation of the Lord** Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

8:30 am St Edward: Return of those who have left the Faith

5:15 pm St Mary: George Bonneau†

5:45 pm St Mary: Stations of the Cross-with CCD Students

**Friday** Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42

8:00 am St Mary Laurette Cookson†

6:00 pm St Edward: Youth of our Parish

6:30 pm St Edward: Stations of the Cross-with Knights of Columbus

**Saturday** Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56

7:30 am St. Mary: Andre Paradis†

4:00 pm St Mary: Auguste & Florina Sicotte†

6:00 pm St Edward: In Thanksgiving & Intentions of Fr. Thomas

**Sunday Palm Sunday** Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:1423:56

8:30 am St Edward: All Parishioners

10:00 am St. Mary: Arthur Jr.† & Larry† Belisle

11:30 am St Benedict: Gisele Major†

1:00 pm Michaud Manor: Residents

7:00 pm St. Mary: Holy Souls †

We pray in a special way for the soul of **Bill Hackett** † who has entered into Eternal Life.

### Pray For One Another

Prayers have been requested for the following people:

Pamela Anderson	Wendy Wooden	Cecile Arel Smith
Paul Bouffard	Peter Bouffard	Yves Brasseur
Ellen Brault	Cody Bussiere	Laurie Cheney
Melissa Chamberlin	Michael Cole	Bill Copeland
Angeline Davio	Louise Duckless	Agnes Fedele
Lawrence Fontaine	Fernand Forcier	Jennifer Gaudreau
Tom Graves	Dave LaPorte	Teresa LaPorte
Deacon John Gratton	Alain LeBlanc	Agathe Morin
Marielle Morin	Myrna Nadeau	Adrien Patenaude
Mario Paul	Jeannine Poulin	Peggy Poulin
Aline Raboin	Jean Riccio	Virginia Rice
Sydney Ring	Shirley Rivard	Beth Robinson
Annette Rowell	Suzanne Savoie	Theresa St.Onge
Bill Sullivan	Penelope Tice	Christopher Ward
Dan Westlake	Trisha Westlake	Maryellen Wright
	Kaye Young	

For a dedicated husband and father diagnosed with cancer.

*“Lord, look upon all the above with Mercy. May Your Healing Hand rest upon them. May Your life-giving powers flow to the depths of their souls, cleansing, purifying, restoring them to health of mind and body.”*

### St. Mary's 24-Hour Sanctuary Candles

**Chapel:** Special Intention

**Tabernacle Vigil Light:** Special Intention

*Thank you for your generosity.*

<u>Offertory Needed</u>	<u>St. B</u>	<u>St. E</u>	<u>St. M</u>
<u>To Meet Budget:</u>	<b>\$318</b>	<b>\$1,827</b>	<b>\$3,461</b>
Offertory received	\$279	\$1335	\$3114
Catholic R.S.	\$10	\$109	\$292
Repairs & Maintenance	\$38	\$65	\$109

**Communion for the Homebound is only distributed by Official Eucharistic Ministers. If you wish someone to receive Communion at home, please come to the Sacristy after Mass or call the Rectory.**

### Parish Family Masses on Television:

**NEK Ch 14:** Thursday 10:15 a.m., Sunday 11:30 a.m.

**Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction:** Fridays at 3:00 p.m. (except Holy Week).

**Tri-Parish Lenten Penance Service-**7:00 on Monday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> at **Sacred Heart Parish in Troy.**

## Palm Sunday Processions

St. Mary's Palm Sunday Procession will start at 9:40 am from the front porch of the Rectory. It will begin with the Blessing of the Palms. All are encouraged to attend.  
St. Edward's Palm Sunday Procession will start at 8:10 am from the Parish Hall. It will begin with the Blessing of the Palms. All are encouraged to attend.  
All other Palm Sunday Masses will begin at the usual times.

**St. Benedict Labré will not have the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for the month of April since it would fall on Holy Saturday & Easter Sunday.**

### St. Mary Star of the Sea Easter Flower Decorations:

*Envelopes are available in the church this weekend for Easter flower donations. Remember your deceased loved ones in a special way during the Easter Season by having their name(s) included in our Easter Memorial published in the bulletin the weekend after Easter. Please put an envelope in the collection basket and clearly mark your intention.*

### **ST. MARY'S ALTAR SERVERS**

We are looking for you to come and serve Holy Week at St Mary's:  
Palm Sunday 10:00 am & 7:00 pm  
Holy Thursday 7:00 pm      Good Friday 7:00 pm  
Saturday Easter Vigil 8:00 pm      Easter Sunday 10:00 am & 7:00 pm  
**THERE WILL BE A PRACTICE** for these days on Saturday, March 27<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm. Please try and come. Please let us know which service you are able to attend. Thanks and may God's Blessings be with you always. Kevin or Tina Messier 334-8248.

♫ **St Mary's Senior Choir- Practice** Tuesday 7:00 pm  
♫ **St Mary's "One Voice" Practice** Thursdays 7:00 pm

"Desperately Seeking" Summer replacement choir director for St Mary's Senior Choir June 6<sup>th</sup> - Sept 12<sup>th</sup>. Great opportunity for college music students!

**St. Edward's Senior Choir Rehearsal** March 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 for Holy Week and Easter. New members are welcome. Anyone can join.

### St. Edward Ladies Altar Society Easter Flowers

To purchase a lily in memory of a loved one at Easter, please write "Lillies" on any envelope with your donation and drop it in any collection basket; make checks payable to **St. Edward Altar Society**. Ladies will be collecting at the doors to decorate the Church after the Masses on March 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>. FMI Evelyn Gilbar at 766-5119.

### St. Benedict Labre Easter Flowers St.

Benedict's will have a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection for Easter Flowers on Palm Sunday, Mar 28<sup>th</sup>.

## ST. BENEDICT'S 200 CLUB

Winners for the 4<sup>th</sup> week are:

\$25.00 - Marcelle Gosselin

\$15.00 - Steven Perkins

\$10.00 - Bard Wiesen



## **One Minute Wisdom**

The old Master instructed the unhappy young man to put a handful of salt in a glass of water and then to drink it. "How does it taste?" the Master asked. "Awful," spat the apprentice. The Master chuckled and then asked the young man to take another handful of salt and put it in the lake. The two walked in silence to the nearby lake and when the apprentice swirled his handful of salt into the lake, the old man said, "Now drink from the lake." As the water dripped down the young man's chin, the Master asked, "How does it taste?" "Good!" remarked the apprentice. "Do you taste the salt?" asked the Master. "No," said the young man. The Master sat beside this troubled young man, took his hands, and said, "The pain of life is pure salt; no more, no less. The amount of pain in life remains the same, exactly the same. But the amount we taste the 'pain' depends on the container we put it into. So when you are in pain, the only thing you can do is to enlarge your sense of things ..... Stop being a glass. Become a lake!"

### BOTTLE DRIVE TO BENEFIT THE STEUBENVILLE EAST TRIP:

The teens need your assistance to help them get to Steubenville East this year. Simply drop your bottles off at Buzzy's Redemption on East Main Street in Newport, and tell them you would like to donate your bottles for the youth trip to Steubenville. The proceeds will help make it easier for the teens to pay for their trip. Every little bit helps! **Thank you!** Ann Gonyaw

### Ongoing monthly meetings:

1<sup>st</sup> Tues. 6:45 pm St. Edward Parish Council

1<sup>st</sup> Wed. 7:30 pm St. Benedict Parish Council

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs. 7:00 pm Ultreya (St. M)

1<sup>st</sup> Thurs. 7:00 pm Daughters of Isabella (St. M)

2<sup>nd</sup> Tues. 6:30 pm St. Edward Altar Society (St. E)

2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus (St. M)

3<sup>rd</sup> Tues. 6:00 pm St. Mary Parish Council

4<sup>th</sup> Tues. 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus (St. E)