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Lenten Message 2018

My dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We are called to journey in our life to many destinations like work, school, activities, etc... but by far the greatest journey is to Heaven. The journey to heaven is comprised of many parts including a time of Lenten preparation. That preparation as part of Lenten disciplines of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving will offer the faithful the opportunity to transform their lives, and journey to a new and deeper relationship with God. This journey will call us to listen and respond to God, and trust and depend in His divine providence. The internal growth will strengthen us, and spring into a joyful Easter.

I hope that you will take advantage of the many opportunities for reconciliation, adoration, and prayer, in addition to the many various activities during Lent. Our spiritual journey will climax during Holy Week, with our Lord's Last Supper, Passion, Death, and the joy of the Resurrection.

May this Easter spring a new and profound joy in your heart, and a quest for a deeper and brighter relationship with God.

On behalf of our staff, I wish you my heartfelt prayers for this journey, and for the true joy of Easter!

In Christ,

Fr. Michael A. Rodak

Pastor



Lenten & Easter Schedule 2018

Mass:

Saturday ~ 5:00 p.m.

Sunday ~ 7:30, 9:00 & 11:30 a.m.

Monday - Friday ~ 8:45 a.m.

Additionally every Monday ~ 6:30 p.m.

Confession:

Mondays of Lent (except March 26th) ~ 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 24th ~ 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

Tuesday, March 27th ~ 7:00-8:00 p.m. (Penance Service)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mondays of Lent (except March 26th) ~ 7:00-8:30 p.m.;

Tuesday, March 27th ~ 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross

Fridays of Lent ~ 7:30 p.m.

Soup Supper and Bible Reflections

Wednesday, February 28th & March 7, 14, 21

6:30-7:30 p.m.

Easter Egg Hunt

March 24th ~ 10:00 a.m.

Palm Sunday, March 25th

Masses ~ 5:00 p.m., 7:30, 9:00 & 11:30 a.m.

Youth Re-enactment of the Stations ~ 3:00 p.m.

Holy Thursday, March 29th

Mass of the Lord's Supper ~ 7:30 p.m.

with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11:00 p.m.

Good Friday, March 30th

Seven Last Words of Christ ~ 12:00-2:00 p.m.

Service of the Lords Passion and Death ~ 3:00 p.m.

Adoration of the Cross and Stations of the Cross ~ 7:30 p.m.

Holy Saturday, March 31st

Blessing of Easter Food ~ 10:00 a.m.

Easter Vigil Mass ~ 8:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday, April 1st

Masses ~ 7:30, 9:00 & 11:30 a.m.

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Risen

