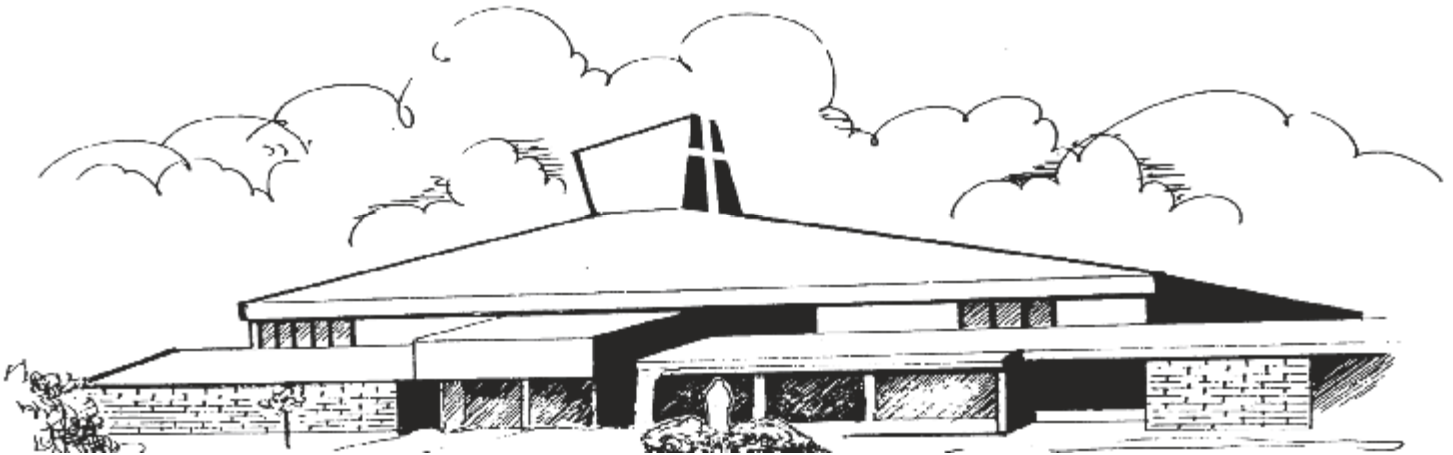


Pope John XXIII Church

8290 Soule Road, Liverpool, N.Y. 13090

March 24, 2019



Mission Statement

Pope John XXIII Parish is a Roman Catholic Faith Community in the Spirit of the Gospels and Vatican II that: proclaims the Word of God; celebrates our faith through the Sacraments of the Church; provides ongoing faith formation that fosters Christian values as a way of life; encourages belonging and ownership through activities, participation in ministry and stewardship; and builds an awareness of our membership in the Body of Christ through our local, diocesan and universal church.

Pastor: Msgr. James O'Brien
Deacon: Deacon Ralph Jahnige
Pastoral Associate: Elizabeth Fallon
Parish Secretaries: Kathy Przytula, Cathy Valente
Music Director: Christine Kennedy
Faith Formation Director: Elizabeth Fallon
First Communion Coordinator: Len Gass
Confirmation Coordinator: George Kulick
RCIA Director: Marcus Niessen
Youth Minister: Dawn-Marie Rau

Parish Office Hours:
Mon. - Thurs. 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Friday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon
Parish Office: 315.652.6591
Parish FAX #: 315.652.6631
Faith Formation Office: 315.652.1094

E-mail: johnxxiii@syrdio.org
Facebook: Pope John XXIII Catholic Church
Website: popejohnchurch.org

Eucharistic Liturgies:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:30 AM

Tuesday 7:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 PM or by appointment

Baptism of Infants:

Baptisms are scheduled twice a month, once during one of the Masses and once a month at 11:45 AM.

Please call Fr. O'Brien for arrangements.

Hospitalized Parishioners:

Please notify the parish office when a parishioner is in the hospital or would like the Sacrament of the Sick prior to surgery or hospitalization.

New Parishioners:

Welcome to Pope John XXIII Parish. Please introduce yourself to the parish staff and register by completing a census form available in the lobby or by calling the Parish Office.

Please inform us of any address change.

Faith Formation:

Serving 3 year olds through High School and Sacramental Preparation. For information call 315.652.1094.

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:

A process of inquiry into the teaching of the Catholic Church and formation into the Catholic Christian way of life.

Adults interested in becoming members of the Roman Catholic Church, call Parish Office for details.

Bequests:

In making out your will, kindly remember your church.

ANNOUNCED MASSES



SATURDAY, March 23, 2019 **5:00 PM**

Vigil: Third Sunday of Lent

SUNDAY, March 24, 2019 **8:00 & 10:30 AM**

Third Sunday of Lent

Intentions for the Week of March 23 - 29, 2019

The people of Pope John XXIII Parish
 Bergan Family / Family
 Frederick Bressette / Lee, Kathy Przytula & Family
 Robert Gass, Sr. / Emily Beiswenger
 Mary & Therese Maher / Philippa & David Lutter
 Mary Pencek / Family
 William Ponca / Anna & Stan Ponca
 Leon Przytula / Steven & Jacqueline Bressette
 Christi-Leigh Richardson / Pope John XXIII Bereavement Ministry
 Edward G. Soulier, Sr. / wife

Intentions for the Week of March 30 - April 5, 2019

The people of Pope John XXIII Parish
 Robert Gass, Sr. / John & Gail Rau
 Huh Chi Joon & Yu Sun Ho / Family
 Virginia & Walter Mahunik / Family
 Lester & Mary Lawrence / Lawrence & Morgan Families
 David Morgan / John & Gail Rau
 Willard Nurnberger / Doug & Wendy Evans
 Michael Ryan / Mom
 Rene Roy / John & Helga Evans
 John & Esther Solazzo / Kathleen Reed

Daily Mass Schedule

Monday, Wednesday, Friday	8:30 AM
Tuesday	7:00 AM
Tuesday Evening Lenten Mass	7:00 PM

Stations of the Cross & Benediction

Friday evenings at 7:00 PM



OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday	9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Friday	9:00 AM - Noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sacrament of Reconciliation - Saturday **4:00 PM**
 (or by appointment)

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

March 16/17, 2019

Weekly Envelopes	\$ 5,775.00
Weekly Plate	\$ 770.79
Weekly Total	\$ 6,545.79
Additional Black & Native American Appeal	\$ 58.00

Thank you for your generosity to Pope John XXIII Parish!

GOING ON THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, March 23, 2019

7:00 - 8:30 AM Men's Fellowship Group
 4:00PM Children's Choir Rehearsal

SUNDAY, March 24, 2019

9:00 AM Bible Study (Meeting Room)
 9:00 -10:15 AM Grade 3 - 8 Faith Formation Sunday Group
 9:15 AM Grade 1 - Faith Formation Class
 6:00 - 8:30 PM Grade 9 - Faith Formation Class / Questions with Fr. O'Brien

MONDAY, March 25, 2019

7:00 PM "Praying for Our Children" (Parish Center)
 7:00 PM Father O'Brien's Celebration Planning Meeting (Meeting Room)

TUESDAY, March 26, 2019

9:00 AM Craft Making Get Together (Parish Center)
 7:00 PM Lenten Mass - "Series on Service"
 Reflection by Ms. Shelia Austin - Emmaus

WEDNESDAY, March 27, 2019

1:00 PM Adult Faith Sharing Group
 6:15 - 7:30 PM Grade 2 Faith Formation Class & Parent Session

THURSDAY, March 28, 2019

6:15 - 7:45 PM Grade 3 - 8 Faith Formation Classes

FRIDAY, March 29, 2019

7:00 PM Stations of the Cross & Benediction

SATURDAY, March 30, 2019

Catholic Men's Conference Ignite 2019 - SRC Arena
 4:45 PM Children's Choir

SUNDAY, March 31, 2019

9:00 AM Bible Study (Meeting Room)
 9:15 AM Grade 1 - Faith Formation Class

Readings for the Week of March 24, 2019

SUNDAY	Ex 3:1 - 8a, 13 - 15/Ps 103:1 2, 3 - 4, 6 - 7, 8, 11 8a 1 Cor 10: 1 - 6, 10 - 12/Lk 13:1 9
MONDAY	Is 7:10 - 14, 8:10/Ps 40:7 - 8, 8b - 9, 10, 11, [8a, 9a]/ Heb 10:4 - 10/Lk 1:26 - 38
TUESDAY	Dn 3:25, 34 - 43/Ps 25:4 - 5ab, 6 & 7bc, 8 - 9[6a]/ Mt 18:21 - 35
WEDNESDAY	Dt 4:1, 5 - 9/Ps 147:12 - 13, 15 - 16, 19 - 20[12a]/ Mt 5:17 - 19
THURSDAY	Jer 7:23 - 28/Ps 95:1 - 2, 6 - 7, 8 - 9[8]/Lk 11:14 - 23
FRIDAY	Hos 14:2 - 10/Ps 81:6c - 8a, 8bc - 9, 10 - 11ab, 14 & 17[cf 11 & 9a]/ Mk 12:28 - 34
SATURDAY	Hos 6:1 - 6/Ps 51:3 - 4, 18 - 19, 20 - 21ab [cf Hos 6:6]/Lk 18:9 - 14
SUNDAY	Jos 5:9a, 10 -12/Ps 34:2 - 3, 4-5, 6 - 7{9a}/ 2 Cor 5:17 - 21/Lk 15:1 - 3,11 - 32

Liturgical Publications

Lenten Series on Service



Mass - Reflection - Refreshments

Tuesday, March 25th

7:00 - 8:00 PM

Ms. Sheila Austin
"Emmaus"

Stations of the Cross & Benediction

The Stations of the Cross with Benediction will be celebrated each Friday of Lent at 7:00 PM.



Lenten Acts of Charity - 2019

Each Sunday during Lent we will be asking for different items we need to stock the Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support and generosity to Pope John XXIII Food Pantry.

The following are suggestions only ... everything is welcome and appreciated anytime!

Rice	Soup	Mac & Cheese
Pancake Mix	Pancake Syrup	Instant Potatoes
Canned Fruit	Tuna Fish	Cereal

Vocations

Third Sunday of Lent
March 24, 2019



You may notice a theme in this week's readings. God's reaches out to us in our lives and accompanies us on the journey. He even calls some of us, like Moses, to lead his people in a special way. If you feel he is calling you, do not be afraid. Follow him. For help in discerning God's call, please visit www.vocations-syracuse.org.

Celebration Committee -Volunteers needed!

The Celebration Committee in honor of Msgr. O'Brien's retirement will be holding a planning meeting on Monday, March 25th at 7:00 PM in the Parish Meeting Room. Anyone interested in helping with the Celebration is welcome to attend!



IGNITE 2019 - Catholic Men's Conference



Attention men of the parish, the theme for the Annual IGNITE Men's Conference is *EXALT: O God be Merciful to me a Sinner*. You can be part of it on Saturday, March 30th at the SRC Arena & Event Center for an amazing day that will have tremendous impact on you.

Featured speakers:

Eric Muhl, former NFL player, Chris Padgett, speaker, musician & author, Dr. John Bergsma, Professor of Theology. Conference will include Mass with Bishop Cunningham, confession, continental breakfast and lunch. Parking is free.

\$70 at the door. You can register for IGNITE 2019 Catholic Men's Conference online at www.ignitecatholicmen.org Limited seating available.

Catholic Relief Services Appeal

Next week, our parish will take up the Catholic Relief Services Appeal. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support to the displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the collection, and help Jesus in disguise.

Five Day Candles

Due to an increase in cost for the Five Day Candles, it has become necessary to increase the donation from \$2.00 to \$3.00 per candle or two for \$5.00. The increase will be effective on April 1st. The donation for a candle has been \$2.00 for the last fifteen years. During that period there have been small raises in the cost per candle that necessitates this increase. Your understanding is appreciated.

Great Day for a Craft!



When: Tuesday, March 26th 9:00 AM

Where: Parish Center

Cost: \$10 for supplies

RSVP and questions call Cathy at 315-345-7759
We will be making Mason Jar Tissue Holders!
Sign up a must! Your choice of Sage, Beige, Maize or Slate Blue jar and black or white lettering! Great opportunity to socialize and meet new friends!



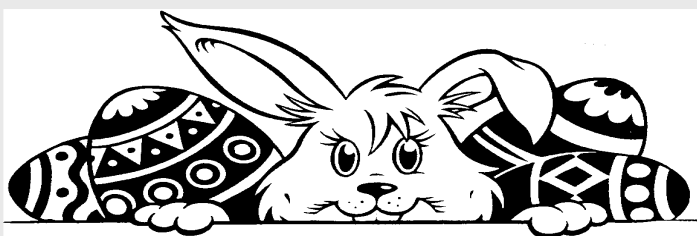
10th Grade Retreat

The 10th Grade Retreat will be held on Saturday, April 6th from 12:00 Noon - 6:00 PM at Pope John XXIII Parish. Please bring a snack or beverage to share.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 14th at 11:30 AM

See next weeks bulletin for more details and information!



Parents are reminded that children must always be accompanied by an adult if they leave the worship area during Mass. Please be aware this is a public building and this policy is enforced for the safety of the children. Thank You!



Please Join Us to Pray for Our Children

Please join us Monday's at 7:00 PM for opening prayer, bible reading, rosary and petitions. Doors open at 6:50 PM. Enter by the parish center door. Questions call Mike King 315 - 622 - 1045.

Thank You!

On behalf of the Linkage Committee for Christ the King and Pope John XXIII, we send our appreciation out to all who attended the Town Hall meetings. Your voice is important to us as we move through this process. The suggestions and comments are being taken into consideration and a committee member may contact you with some more questions. I personally ask everyone from the parishes to please pray for each other as we grow in our faith together.

Fr. Zach Miller
Administrator
Christ the King Parish, Liverpool, NY.



Mark Your Calendars!

7th Annual Lasagna Dinner



When: Saturday, April 13th

Time: 6:00 PM

Where: Parish Center

Cost: \$5.00 per person

Enjoy an evening out to dinner, conversation and music, all for \$5.00! Pope John XXIII Church will hold 7th Annual Lasagna Dinner. Dinner will consist of lasagna, salad, bread, beverage and dessert, accompanied by soft dinner music. Eat-in only: no take-outs! Tickets are \$5.00 per person and may be purchased after Masses on March 23, 24, 30, 31 and April 6, 7. Advance purchase is required. Profits will be used to offset Pope John XXIII Food Pantry costs. Email Mike at fordlep@yahoo.com with questions.

Post-Abortion Hope & Healing Retreat

"My spirit was broken. I was consumed with feelings of remorse. During the retreat ... for the first time in 34 years, I felt connected to God. Through the depth of my pain, I began a lasting relationship with God..."

The pain of abortion haunts many. Retreats offered by Project Rachel Ministry can help women and men find hope, healing, and forgiveness after abortion.

If you or a loved one is suffering from post-abortion pain, contact Project Rachel about upcoming *Entering Canann Hope & Healing Day Retreats* for women and men.

Day of Hope & Healing is: April 27th, 2019

For more information, call Project Rachel toll free at 855-364-0076 or email: hopeandhealing@svrдио.org. All inquires are confidential.

Peace starts here.

Your Prayers

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of former parishioner Charlie Venus, whose soul recently returned home to the Lord.





Fourth Sunday of Lent



March 30/31, 2019

	LECTORS/ COMMENTATORS:	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:	GREETERS:	ALTAR SERVERS:
5:00 PM	Commentator: John McMakin 1st Reading: Eileen Holodak 2nd Reading: Paul Predmore	M. Cecilia, A. Stevens, D. Natoli, B. Natoli, J. Todora, J. Pauldine, M. Young, F. Sylvester, G. Kulick	Kayla Cecilia Madison Cecilia Edith LaFave Joan Wells	Mikayla Perry <i>volunteer</i> Brandon Stevens
8:00 AM	Commentator: Greg Griffin 1st Reading: John Rougas 2nd Reading: John Rougas	L. Ryder, M. Tarby, L. Hallowell, Sr. Jane, J. Bressette, A. Steffen, M. Rinefierd, M. Gilbert, T. Lemmo	Shirley Julian Mary Anne Hall Pam Evans Genevieve Pieniazek	Henry Steffen Sophia Steffen
10:30 AM	Commentator: Bob Lombardi 1st Reading: Len Gass 2nd Reading: Kevin Van Ness	J. Saarie, J. Horbas, B. Horbas, A. Ciravolo, J. Ciravolo, ML Mingolelli, G. Perrin, B. Messina, L. Messina	Sharon Woznick <i>volunteer</i> John O'Neill Jack Hayes	<i>volunteer</i> <i>volunteer</i>

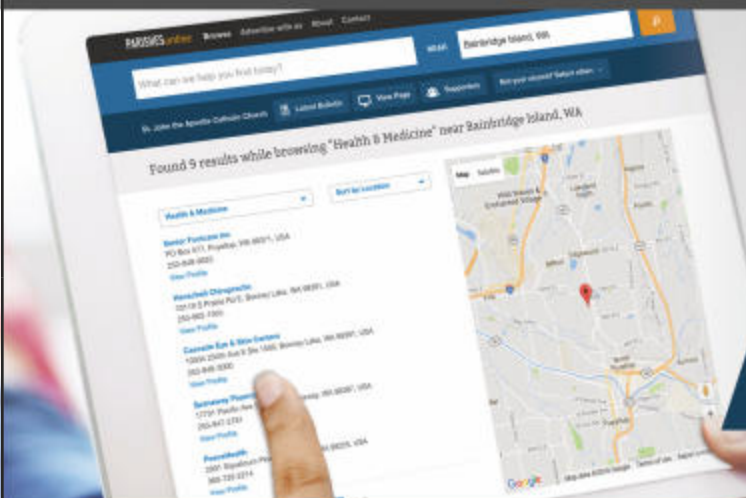
ALTAR LINENS: Debra Kline - Monday, March 25, 2019

CLEANING CREW: Ippolito Crew - Saturday, March 30, 2019

ALL MINISTERS - remember to check in before Mass on the bulletin board outside of the Sacristy. Arrive at least 15 minutes before the scheduled Liturgy so that we are aware of any shortages. (Greeters should arrive at least 20 minutes before the Liturgy begins.) Please remember that if you are unable to serve at your scheduled time, you will need to get a substitute. Thank You.

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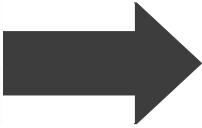


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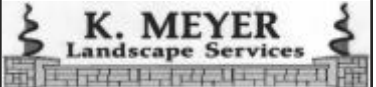
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