

2ND SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 12, 2006

The Readings for Sunday, March 19th The 3rd Sunday of Lent are:

Ex. 20: 1-17
1 Cor. 1: 22-25
Jn. 2: 13-25



Please Pray for



Sunday, March 12, 2006

8:00 Daniel Curran
10:00 Mass for the People
Noon Elizabeth Mattaliano
5:30 Stephen Maloney

Monday, March 13, 2006

12:15 Pilar Real
5:30 James & May Bowdring

Tuesday, March 14, 2006

12:15 Capobianco-Casaletto
Families & Judge
Margaret C. Scott
5:30 John Leo MacInnis

Wednesday, March 15, 2006

12:15 Mary Mannix Slaughter
& Francis Mannix
5:30 Joseph J. McGovern

Thursday, March 16, 2006

12:15 William J. O'Brien
5:30 Andrew Donovan (Recovery)

Friday, March 17, 2006

12:15 Herbert C. Hambelton
5:30 Pamela Kelley

Saturday, March 18, 2006

9:00 Vyolette Heitmann
4:00 Alice G. Finnegan

Lenten Reminders



LENTEN EVENING PRAYER- Join the parish community in song, prayer and reflection with presiding and preaching by members of the parish on **Monday evenings at 7:15 pm in the Lannon**

Chapel The April 3rd celebration will include a **Communal Reconciliation Service** providing the opportunity for private Confession.

PRAYING WITH IGNATIUS: Every week for the Lenten season, there will be a new prayer card, which you are invited to take with you to pray together with other members of our community. Make sure to pick up a prayer card, located in baskets at each of the church entrances.



LENTEN AND EASTER DANCES

Saltate et Jubilate (SJ Dance) is offered by members of the BLDE on Sundays in Lent and in the Easter Season. Why not enter into the experience of movement prayer as it reflects the dynamics of the liturgical seasons? No experience is necessary, only a desire to pray through the body is required.

Cost per class – Sundays 3:30 –5:00 pm – Brookline Academy of Dance. Please call Jamie Huggins at 617-552-6130 for more details. **Classes which began earlier in the year will continue and anyone interested is welcome to join during these special Lenten Easter Season classes.**

LENTEN PROGRAM – Marsha Mirkin, Ph.D.,



will present in the Friary Room on Saturday, April 8th from 10:00 –11:30 am, a program entitled, "Esther: Self Discovery and Change." We will explore this story from the Hebrew Testament noting Esther's movement toward self-discovery and action, based on that self-knowledge. She grows from a silent, obedient young woman who is not feeling a strong connection with her religious/ethnic community, or with herself as a woman, to a vocal, active woman with a strong commitment to her community. The lessons from the text will be applied to issues that arise in our lives so that this Lent may be a time for our own growth and action. Please contact Mary Dailey at supple_dailey@mac.com if you would like more information.

PROGRESS REPORT ON NEW HEATING SYSTEM

Anyone who has been to the lower church has seen some major work going on these past weeks. The work on the new heating system is moving along at a rapid pace. We were told yesterday that we were fortunate to get through this winter without a major breakdown of our more than 50 year old original system. The new system which will be much more efficient than the old is also giving us the opportunity to cool the church in the summer. I know participants in the many weddings we have at St. Ignatius in the summer months will be ecstatic about this. I am hopeful that our parishioners realize that this addition of air cooling is a benefit of the new system that was critically needed for heating. One of the other benefits of the new system is that the gas burners that will run the system are so small that they will be able to fit into what is now the room where the oil tanks have been. This will free up the present "boiler room" which we are hoping to convert into a music/choir rehearsal space for our wonderful music program. On another note ☺ the men's and ladies room in the lower church will not be available for use while this work progresses. We are fortunate that there are three individual rest-rooms in the church and additional ones in the rectory. I especially want to thank our gifted business manager, Richard Moynihan, for all that he is doing to oversee these important projects

Fr. Bob

General Reminders

LENTEN REGULATIONS 2006

ABSTINENCE:

Catholics over 14 years of age are bound to the obligations of abstinence. Abstinence is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent. The days of abstinence, meat may not be used at all.

FAST:

Catholic over 18 and up to the beginning of their 60th year are bound to the obligation of fasting. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are the days of fasting. On these days, only one full meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids, including milk and fruit juices are allowed.



ATTENTION: EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND LECTORS –

Please stop by the sacristy to let us know whether you can serve at the liturgies for Holy Week and Easter. The sign up sheets are posted on the bulletin board, together with important information regarding mandatory rehearsals. Help is especially appreciated for the liturgies on Easter Sunday.



SHOPPING AND COOKING –

The parish is still looking for someone to shop and cook one night a week (Tuesday). Anyone who might be interested in applying should call Betty McLaughlin at the rectory, 617-552-6102.

THE 2006 BOSTON CATHOLIC DIRECTORY is now available in the rectory. The cost is \$25.00.

**THE RETURN OF THE PRODIGAL SON -
HENRI NOUWEN STUDY AND
REFLECTION LENTEN MEETINGS -**
Thursday, March 16th, 23rd - Rectory Chapel 7:15
PM to 8:45 PM



In a year when WGBH introduces the life and vision of Henri Nouwen to the greater Boston community, our parish community begins its fourth spring of gathering to read Nouwen's writing. Joining study groups using resource materials from the Henri Nouwen Society, we choose for a second time to read *The Return of the Prodigal Son* for its interweaving of the beauty of Rembrandt's art, for its message of belovedness, and its call to live with the unconditional love of the Father. Time for prayer and for sustained gazing at Rembrandt's painting will mark our sacred time together. Copies of *The Return of the Prodigal Son* will be available for purchase at the St. Ignatius Church rectory. Led by Steve Sheehan and Patricia Fazzone.

**SACRED HEART SCHOOL CLASS OF 1973
(8TH GRADE) REUNION** – The reunion will be held on **Saturday, April 8th**. Please contact Darcy Morales-Zullo at 617-965-7219 or dmzr15@aol.com or Maura Fitzgerald at 617-327-4816, plant91@hotmail.com for details.

BEST KEPT SECRETS! One of the best-kept secrets in the Archdiocese of Boston is the Archdiocesan Pastoral Council (APC), a predominantly lay advisory group which meets with the Archbishop (now cardinal-designate) several times a year. You can find out more about the APC at www.apcboston.org. Here you will find a list of members and their terms, minutes of APC meetings, the APC statutes, and a clickable map of all the regions and vicariates in the Archdiocese of Boston. St. Ignatius is in Vicariate II in the West Region. The APC representatives for West Vicariate II are: Jane Devlin (St. Ignatius, Chestnut Hill), Dr. Edward Gotgart (St. John the Evangelist, Wellesley) and Suzanne Robotham (St. Joseph, Belmont).

THE CHURCH IN THE 21ST CENTURY - Just a short walk from St. Ignatius, you'll find a treasure trove of free or low-cost programs from the Church in the 21st Century initiative. For details of time and place, see <http://www.bc.edu/church21/programs/> and during the Month of March you'll notice:

Monday, March 13, 2006

Colloquium: Faith for a New Generation: Trends in Youth Ministry with Tom Dunne

Thursday, March 16, 2006

Lecture: The Promise of Interreligious Dialogue for a World in Conflict with Archbishop Michael Fitzgerald, President of the Pontifical Council for Interreligious Dialogue

Friday, March 17, 2006

Lecture: Pastoral Implications of Interreligious

Dialogue for Parish Life with Archbishop Michael Fitzgerald, President of the Pontifical Council for Interreligious Dialogue

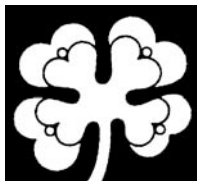
Thursday, March 23, 2006

Anniversary Lecture: Teilhard De Chardin: Missionary to the Modern World with Thomas King, S.J., Georgetown University

Saturday, March 25, 2006

Workshop: With Open Eyes: How, Then, Might We Speak of God? with Gloria Ulter.

An Irish Blessing



*May the road rise up to meet you,
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face
and the rain fall soft upon your fields.
And until we meet again, may God
hold you in the palm of his hand!*

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, March 12 th	Contemporary Music Ensemble – Upper Church	4:30 pm
Monday, " 13 th	Lenten Evening Prayer – Lannon Chapel	7:15 pm
Tuesday, " 14 th	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting – Friary Room	7:15 pm
Wed., " 15 th	Children's Carol Choir – Choir Room	4:30 pm
" " "	Parish Choir – Friary Room	7:15 pm
" " "	Little Rock Bible Group – Lannon Chapel	7:15 pm
" " "	Young Adult Discussion – Rectory 2 nd Floor	7:30 pm
Thursday, " 16 th	Henri Nouwen Study & Lenten Reflection – Rectory Chapel	7:15 pm
Friday, " 17 th	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Lannon Chapel	12:45 pm
" " "	Yoga – Friary Room	5:30 pm

Outreach Ministries



OPERATION RICE BOWL ... The opportunity to think and act locally and globally!

Rice Bowls and Home Calendar Guides (with some great recipes) are on tables in the gathering space and outside the Lannon Chapel. Other materials, including Stations of the Cross, Lenten Prayer Eggs, placemats and a Hunger Awareness Quiz, are also available. And check out the ORB website: www.crs.org/orb. Throughout Lent, **PRAY, FAST, LEARN** and **GIVE** through Operation Rice Bowl.

SENIORS SOUP AND STATIONS:



You are invited to join Senior Parishioners from Corpus Christi and St. Bernard Parishes for a time of Lenten prayer and camaraderie. Stations of the Cross will begin at 11:30AM at Corpus Christi Parish, Ash Street in Auburndale, followed by a simple lunch of soup and bread in the church hall downstairs. The date is Thursday, March 30th. RSVP Sr. Diane by March 24th at 617-552-6107.

55 DAYS AND COUNTING... SUNDAY, MAY 7th!!

Look for Project Bread WALK FOR HUNGER registration materials in the gathering space. Not too soon to begin your training! And keep an eye out for information on a TEAM IGNATIUS meeting.



CATHOLIC GAY AND LESBIAN CONCERNS In an effort to facilitate conversation for our Gay and Lesbian parishioners, as well as parents and family members of Gay and Lesbian Catholics, we are providing an informal context in which people feel free to talk about their questions and concerns. If you are interested in coming together for support, education and faith-sharing, please contact Fr. Bob at the rectory or robert.vereecke@bc.edu



Music Ministry

MUSIC SELECTIONS for the Upper Church liturgies for the month of March can be viewed on our website at http://www.bc.edu/bc_org/prs/stign/calendar.html.

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THE CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

SUNDAY UPPER CHURCH 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON, 5:30 PM

LOWER CHURCH (Sept.-June) 10:00 AM, Family Liturgy

WEEKDAY LOWER CHURCH 12:15 PM, 5:30 PM

SATURDAY LOWER CHURCH 9:00 AM, UPPER CHURCH 4:00 PM (Vigil)

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

LOWER CHURCH FRIDAYS 12:45 - 5:00 p.m.

THE SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Adults are baptized at the Easter Vigil as part of the Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults. Infant and child baptisms are by arrangement.

FIRST EUCHARIST

Preparation occurs in Grade 2 and includes classes, retreat and home instruction.

CONFIRMATION

Our Confirmation program begins in the 10th grade. Students are confirmed in the Spring of the 11th grade. Young adults who have been catechized but are not yet confirmed should contact the rectory for an alternative program.

MATRIMONY

Must be registered as a parishioner six months prior to beginning Marriage arrangements.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:15 - 3:45 PM Upper Church or by arrangement

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