

**ST. JOHN MASS AND LITURGY INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**The Sanctuary Lights** burn March 12<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>

**Church:** In loving memory of Michael Houghtaling by Mom & Dad

**MONDAY, March 15**

Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54

- 8:00 a.m. St. John November Society
- 10:00 a.m. Dolores Week by Bob & Judy Washburn  
World Apostolate of Fatima Holy Hour of Prayer for World Peace

**TUESDAY, March 16**

Ez 47:1-9, 12/Jn 5:1-16

- 8:00 a.m. Thressiamma, (Fr. George's mother) 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary
- 10:00 a.m. Tom Bade by Evelyn Angel
- 5:00 p.m. 50 & Over Mass - Arthur Zdenek
- 7:00 p.m. Corpus Christi Prayer Group in Chapel  
- 8:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, March 17 - St. Patrick, bishop**

Is 49:8-15/Jn 5:17-30

- 8:00 a.m. Arnold & Dorothy Hinterman by Carol & Tom Mullally  
Joe Hernandez, 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary, by family
- 10:00 a.m. Steva Mucha by Virgie Dillon  
Helen Winiarski, 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary, by Marty & Chris Heintz
- 10:30 a.m. Stations of the Cross

**THURSDAY, March 18 - St. Cyril of Jerusalem, bishop & doctor of the Church**

Ex 32:7-14/Jn 5:31-47

- 8:00 a.m. Celebrant's Intention
- 10:00 a.m. John Drury by Jean Trierweiler
- 11:00 a.m. Eucharistic Adoration in the Chapel  
- 9:00 p.m.

**FRIDAY, March 19 - St. Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Day of Abstinence** 

2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

- 8:00 a.m. Hubert Elias by Joe & Veronica Serra
- 10:00 a.m. Ruth Benaway by Anita Brousseau  
Larry Stephens, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary, by Sheryl Stephens
- 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

**SATURDAY, March 20**

Jer 11:18-20/Jn 7:40-53

- 8:00 a.m. Word & Communion Service
- 3:00 p.m. Rite of Reconciliation
- 4:30 p.m. Charles Root, 9<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, by family

**SUNDAY, March 21 - Fifth Sunday of Lent**

Ez 37:12-14/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45

- 7:00 a.m. Howard Arens, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary, by family
- 8:00 a.m. Special Intention of St. John Preschool Teachers by John & Lisa Minto & family  
Corporate Communion - Men's Club
- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish  
RCIA Dismissal/Third Scrutiny
- 12 Noon Dominic Soulier by family  
Legion of Mary Acies
- 6:30 p.m. Communal Penance Service



Words from Fr. Andrew .....

Time moves on. Not only do we spring forward today and enter Daylight Savings Time, but we're in the pink! We've taken our Lenten purple and added an untold amount of Easter White – voila! Rose Sunday! Why pink? Well, Lent is half-over and we have just half way to go.

The half-way point gives us some encouragement and hope. Like the journey of a thousand miles that begins with the first step, so too our walk with the Lord. The half-way point gives us an opportunity to take stock of our Lenten promises. In the event that they haven't even begun to happen, NOW'S the time to start up. The best is yet to be!

If you are still in need of suggestions, may I recommend celebrating one of the daily Masses in Chapel as well as Stations of the Cross on Wednesday mornings and Friday evenings. In addition to two Lenten penance services coming our way (March 21 and March 24), checkout the services at surrounding parishes. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is also offered Saturdays from 3:00pm until 4:00pm. Of course, the Church and chapel are open for private prayer for fifteen hours every day!



Wednesday is good ole St Patty's Day! For many years many priests came from Ireland to serve in parishes in this country, especially on the East coast as well as in the South and Southwest. (They were known as the **FBI - Foreign Born Irish**). Not only was our founding pastor Bishop Kelley, but over the years we were served by Fathers Sheridan, Oik, Gallagher, Mayotte, Donohue, and Behan. Like the Polish, the Irish have stood up for our Catholic faith in good times and in not-so-good times. So, Happy St. Patrick's Day to all who are Irish and all who wish they were Irish!

Friday is St. Joseph's Day – a favorite of Sicilians, Italians, and Polish households. St. Joseph has also been a special patron of all of our building projects. In fact, it was on Friday, March 19, 1993 that the very first Mass was held in our new parish church. The gathering that night was truly memorable – standing room only and a crowd that came early and stayed late! St. Joseph is also the patron of carpenters, realtors, homeowners who are seeking to sell their homes; patron of persons seeking gainful employment; travelers; and those seeking a peaceful death. St. Joseph, pray for us!



Here's to a great week

*Fr. Andrew* frandrew@stjohndavison.org

Father Andrew O'Czajkowski

There will be an **Ushers Meeting with Fr. Andrew** on Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. in the Family Center, Small Hall. Refreshments will be served.



**NEED ENVELOPES ??**

Offering Envelopes There are still boxes of contribution envelopes that have not been picked up. If you received a box of 2009 envelopes last year and haven't picked up your 2010 set yet this year, call the office at 653-2377 or stop in to pick up your boxed set of envelopes from the bookkeeping office.

Also, if you are registered and haven't received envelopes, call Marlys, ext.221 to have your registration information updated to begin receiving envelopes. If you are not registered, call Veronica, Marlys or Robin for registration assistance.

Reminder: As of this date, all newly registered parishioners will receive contribution envelopes via mail every other month.

*Marlys Leslie, Bookkeeper*



**ST THERESA GUILD** will meet Thursday, March 18<sup>th</sup> in the Small Hall at 6:30 p.m. We will have speaker, Marlene Baker who will talk about our fabulous St. John Church Library. All are welcome.

**Needed: children & teen clothing.** Our supply is low and we would appreciate your donations. Please call St. John Parish office at 653-2377 and ask for Christian Service. Arrangements will be made for drop off. Thank you.

We have been asked to retrieve a wheelchair, that someone is currently using, and return it to the original owner. Please call the Parish Office, so that we can exchange it.

**YOUR RETURN FOR BLESSINGS RECEIVED**  
**Weekly Report: March 7, 2010**

Current registered households .....	3032
March 2010, Monthly Budgeted Income .....	\$86,538.47
March 6 <sup>th</sup> /7 <sup>th</sup> Actual Sunday Collected .....	\$23,461.00
March 6 <sup>th</sup> /7 <sup>th</sup> AOP (Direct Deposit) .....	\$6,931.50
Month to Date Sunday Collection Income 35.12%.....	\$30,392.50
Diocesan Loan Balance as of March 2010 .....	\$590,439.25
Monthly Mortgage Payment.....	\$29,535.00
March 6 <sup>th</sup> /7 <sup>th</sup> Debt Reduction Collection.....	\$404.00
March 6 <sup>th</sup> /7 <sup>th</sup> Debt Reduction AOP.....	\$1,028.00
Month to Date Debt Reduction Income.....4.85% .....	\$1,432.00
United Lenten Appeal .....	\$127.00
Christian Service.....	\$595.00
Easter Flowers.....	\$3,290.00
Profit from Scrip: .....	\$161.70

The blind man in today's Gospel was willing to let Jesus minister to him and willingly did all Jesus asked of him. The Pharisees were more resistant to His message, spending their time and energy to disprove the miracle. Which am I more like, the man born blind or the Pharisees?



**50 & Over Mass & Potluck**

**Tuesday, March 16**

Mass at 5:00 pm in the Chapel. Potluck to follow in Parish Hall. Meat provided. Bring a large dish to pass. Set up--Justin & Doris Piper, Ron & Diane Cook, Joan Lemery. Questions---Call Susan VanderKooy 636-3927

**Communal Penance Services**

**Sunday, March 14**

Blessed Sacrament, Burton at 3:00 p.m.  
St. Pius X, Flint at 3:00 p.m.

**Sunday, March 21**

St. Mark the Evangelist, Goodrich at 3:00 p.m.  
St. John the Evangelist, Davison at 6:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, March 23**

Holy Redeemer, Burton at 7:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, March 24**

St. John the Evangelist, Davison at 10:30 a.m.

**Thursday, March 25**

Holy Family, Grand Blanc at 7:00 p.m.  
SS. Charles & Helena, Clio at 7:00 p.m.

**Friday, March 26**

Holy Rosary, Flint at 7:00 p.m.  
Immaculate Conception, Lapeer at 7:00 p.m.

**Sunday, March 28**

St. Mary, Flint at 4:00 p.m.

**We're Open for Business Donations for Andy's Attic**



Starting this **Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup>**, please drop off clean gently used furniture, appliances, clothing etc. Only place drop offs under the barn lean-to, to protect the items from the weather. Any questions, contact Sue at 793-4409 or Nancy at 793-7453.

St. John Parish Hall and Family Center Banquet Facilities  
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- \*Friday Discounts
- \*Catering Kitchen
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**WEEK AT A GLANCE**

**SUNDAY**

**March 14**  
9:30 AM Eagles' Nest is open  
10:00 AM Sunday School  
11:00 AM RCIA Session  
2:00 PM Confirmation Class B  
5:30 PM Bingo  
6:00 PM Usher Meeting

**MONDAY**

**March 15**  
1:00 PM Legion of Mary  
4:30 PM Eagles' Nest is open  
5:00 PM St. John P.R.E.P. classes  
6:00 PM Faith Ringers  
6:30 PM CAFE' Team Meeting  
6:30 PM Familia  
7:30 PM Schola Cantorum  
**March 15-20 Altar Cleaning**  
Sharon Symons, Anna Nutt, DeAnn & Bob McDaniel

**TUESDAY**

**March 16**  
4:15 PM Stewardship Meeting  
4:30 PM Eagles' Nest is open  
5:00 PM 50 & Over Mass & Potluck  
5:15 PM St. John P.R.E.P. classes  
5:20 PM Lenten Series -"Why Do Catholics Do That"  
5:30 PM Singing Angels  
6:45 PM St. John P.R.E.P. classes


**WEDNESDAY**

**March 17**  
10:30 AM Stations of the Cross  
4:30 PM Eagles' Nest is open  
6:30 PM Bingo  
6:30 PM CAFE  
6:30 PM Celebration Choir  
7:00 PM Sunday Scripture

**THURSDAY**

**March 18**  
8:45 AM Scripture Study  
9:00 AM Soup Kitchen  
11:00 AM Eucharistic Adoration  
4:30 PM Eagles' Nest is open  
6:30 PM Bingo  
6:30 PM St. Theresa Guild  
7:30 PM Nar-non  
7:30 PM Narcotics Anonymous

**FRIDAY**

**March 19**   
7:00 PM Stations of the Cross  
7:30 PM AA  
7:30 PM Al-Anon

**SATURDAY**

**March 20**  
3:00 PM Reconciliation

**SUNDAY**

**March 21**  
9:30 AM Eagles' Nest is open  
10:00 AM Sunday School  
11:00 AM RCIA Session  
5:30 PM Bingo  
6:30 PM Penance Service  
**March 22-27 Altar Cleaning**  
Fran Taylor, Marge Pariseau, Anna Pariseau

Tear & Save

**Elaine Davis**  
 P.R.E.P. PreK/EI. D.R.E.  
 churchlady20@hotmail.com  
 653-4056 (ext. 236)



**Pre K -  
 GRADE 5**

**Registration** for all classes continues in the P.R.E.P. office (room 101a) in the Family Center.

All students, including Sunday School, Confirmation, Youth Group, St. John Middle School Edge and those attending Davison Middle School Edge program, must be registered before attending class. Scholarships are available. **Diocesan guidelines mandate that all children must have one full year of religious education before preparing to receive any Sacrament.** **Attendance** is a key element in determining participation in P.R.E.P.

Don't forget to help **Christian Service** with these "most needed" items from March 14 thru April 3: **toilet paper, shampoo & conditioner, paper towels, cleaning products, cleaning supplies.** Drop them at the Family Center in Penelope's basket.

Congratulations to **Samantha Odalovich** who completed her special Eucharist book. Bravo! Way to grow with Jesus. (Reminder: Special Eucharist books must be turned in to the P.R.E.P. office—room 101a—by **Thursday, April 15.**)

**Bunny Bags** will be assembled **this** Monday and Tuesday, March 15 & 16, for Christian Service and Outreach East. Help us reach our goal of **400** bags by donating Easter candy, small toys or money for materials. Drop items off at the P.R.E.P. office (room 101a) or my office in the Family Center A.S.A.P. Your help is greatly appreciated.

If you need help with a First Communion outfit (or know of someone who does) please let me know A.S.A.P. If you would like to help sponsor a child for First Communion, please let me know A.S.A.P. **Together** we can do great things with God.

Penelope is hungrier than ever! **"Feed me/help others"** is her cheer. (All monies collected will go to the United Lenten Appeal.) God bless you for all of your efforts.



**One kid, one can, one week.** Blessed are those who feed the hungry.

**Parenting Pointers**

*What do you do when your child ignores a request from you? If this is a common problem, use the SET UP strategy:*  
**S**toop – to get on your child's level  
**E**ye – make eye contact  
**T**ouch – your child's shoulder to make physical contact  
**U**se – direct language, "I want you to..."  
**P**raise – acknowledge your child's cooperation when he/she complies.

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**MIDDLE SCHOOL /  
 YOUTH MINISTRY**

**COLLEGE STUDENTS**

**Fr Andrew will be our speaker for Theology On Tap** for the Newman Center. It will take place

at Churchill's located on Saginaw Street, down town Flint across from the University of Michigan Pavilion. The topic of his talk will be 'Confessions of a Catholic Priest'. Call your friends and be sure to attend. It will be a great time. Free pizza and pop. You must purchase other beverages.

**TEENS**

**Thank-You** for all of your work on the Fish Fry. It is so great to see all of you working together to make everyone feel right at home here at St. John.

**Lock-In for Haiti** will take place this Friday, March 19, from 10:00 p.m. until 6:00 a.m. at the Family Center. Join us for basketball, volleyball, dance, foosball, ping pong, movies, live bands and so much more. Cost is \$10.00 per person and includes pizza at 12:00 midnight. Call your friends and help make a difference for those still in great need.

**The next 2o3** will take place at St. John Vianney, Sunday, March 21, from 6:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. Join us for praise and worship, hospitality and so much more. We will leave St. John the Evangelist parking lot at 5:30 p.m.

**Our Baby Bottle Drive Continues.** We have 124 bottles still out. At last count we have collected \$5,973.46 for new born babies and young families in the Lapeer, Genesee County areas. You can bring your bottles to Church next Sunday or during the week at the Family Center and the Parish Office. We are just \$826 from last year's total.

**YOUNG ADULTS**

**The Michigan Catholic Young Adult Conference** will take place in Lansing this year in March. If you are between the ages of 18-39, single or married, there will be speakers and workshops for you to deepen your faith and learn life skills. The conference takes place on **Friday, March 19, and Saturday, March 20.** Come for part or all of the conference. If you would like more details or would like to register to attend with other young adults from St. John the Evangelist, please call Paul at 240-7879 or 658-2875.

**Paul Schlegelmilch**  
 Coordinator of Middle School Religious Education &  
 High School Youth Ministry  
**Phone: 810-658-2875 or 810-240-7879**  
 pauls@stjohndavison.org



**SCRIP**

We have prepaid cards for gas, groceries, discount stores, department stores, fast food restaurants and fine dining **available in the Parish Office, Weekdays, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., at the Family Center on Tuesday nights, after all Masses every first weekend of each month or online at www.shopwithscrip.com. Our enrollment code is FA7D4D1829.**

**Volunteers for Scrip needed.** If you are interested in lending a helping hand, on especially, Tuesday nights between 5:15 to 7:30 PM please call Rose at 810-742-4313.

**Catholic Heart Work Camp** will be at St. John the week of July 18-24. Please call Paul at 658-2875, as soon as possible, if you have a project.



To all those who sent cards, made calls or said prayers for me, thank you a million times. I especially want to thank the 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade P.R.E.P. class who sent handmade Get Well Cards, along with their prayers. You too, Elaine.  
 Sincerely, Miss Judy Dargis

## Respect Life

Are you interested in the pro-life movement but don't know how to get involved? Come to the all new St. John Respect Life Guild. The meetings center around prayer, education and taking action. Our next meeting will be Thursday March 25<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in the Family Center. If you have any questions please contact Todd Babiasz at 658-7525.



One reason why the abortion industry is so powerful is because of the money it generates from so many different sources. It comes from the business of abortion and contraception, from our tax dollars and other private companies that support it. Consider the following shocking and disturbing quote from Planned Parenthood founder, Margaret Sanger, "The most merciful thing a large family can do for one of its infants is to kill it." This is how the abortion industry views life and the utter disrespect it shows of God's creations.

So what can we do to combat the funding for this type of violence? Life Decisions International has put together a list of these organizations who have made contributions to the largest anti-life group in the country (Planned Parenthood), and it is available for purchase. Many members of Respect Life have found this list to be invaluable in deciding how and where to spend, invest and donate. If you are interesting in participating in a group buy of the Boycott Lists, please email Stephanie Murphy [teffer@charter.net](mailto:teffer@charter.net).

Year of the Priest **Traveling Vocation Cross.** If you would like to take the cross home for a week, please contact Lisa Kudwa at 810-653-8303 or sign up in the bride's room.

# ICE

25 lb bag \$3.00  
Call 653-2377

to place your order.

Pick up M-F 9 am - 3:30 pm

Please pay for your order in the Parish Office.

The **Reflections of Italy Trip with Fr. Andrew** on November 7-17, 2010 is full. If you would like to put your name on the waiting list, stop by or call the parish office. Brochures are available in the Parish Office or on our website.



### St. John Travel Club

The Kewadin trip on April 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> is full but we are taking a waiting list. For people signed up: your money is now due. Please pay at the office or mail the check to me. Note: my new address is 12 Peach Tree Dr. Davison, MI. My phone number remains the same, 810-653-7980. Remember, Money must be paid by March 12. Thanks Maxine.

**The St. John ComputerLab/HUP will be closed temporarily**, so that we may make improvements to better serve you.

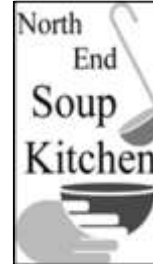


*Bernie and Rosie Tholl, and Marji Theodoroff*



### Coffee and Faith Enrichment

Join us for the next Coffee and Faith Enrichment event on Wednesday March 17<sup>th</sup>. Our topic "**The Greening of America**" will explore the Church's position on conservation, and taking care of our planet. Deacon Dan Fairweather is our facilitator. We are now located in the Family Center Room, 101B. Light refreshments will be provided. For more information contact Marji Theodoroff at 810-654-0028 or [marjithe@aol.com](mailto:marjithe@aol.com)



Thursday, March 18 is the day that our parish is called upon to serve at the North End Soup Kitchen.

Join us for 8:00 a.m. Mass in the chapel, and we'll carpool it over to NESK, located in the north end of Flint on Stewart Avenue and North Saginaw. We will return by 1:30 p.m.

## Lenten Events

### Why Do Catholics Do That?

St. John CAFÉ Team is hosting a Lenten Educational Series. The next installment, **Seeing with God Eyes, Man born Blind** will be on Tuesday, March 16, from 5:20 p.m. - 6:20 p.m. in the Family Center. Join us for just one or the entire six weeks, whatever fits your schedule! This program is free of charge and open to all adults. Bring a friend!



**Pierogi** available to purchase \$8.00 per dozen  
Monday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> Noon - 5:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> 8:00 a.m. until gone in the Parish Hall (450 Building)  
Helpers are needed on Monday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

### Men's Club Kolachy Bake

When you think spring think Kolachy! The Men's Club annual spring Kolachy bake will be Tuesday, **March 23<sup>rd</sup>**. Order forms can be found around campus, in today's bulletin and on our website, [www.stjohndavison.org](http://www.stjohndavison.org), home page, news items.



# Golabki

Available to purchase on **Tuesday, March 30<sup>th</sup>**  
9:00 a.m. until gone

\$8.00 ½ dozen,  
\$16.00 dozen. Helpers are needed on Monday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall.



Live performance, free admission

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Fri. April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 12 Noon & 7:00 p.m.

See full schedule at

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### St. John Mom's Club Second Annual Scrapbook Marathon

Saturday, April 17<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

in the Parish Hall (450 Building)  
Cost is \$35 for parishioners,  
\$40 Non-parishioners.


Continental Breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks available. Goodie bag for everyone, hourly door prizes, swap table and grand prize. To register or for more information call Jen Auger (810) 265-3440 or [jenauger@charter.net](mailto:jenauger@charter.net)

Today, we take up the Catholic Relief Services Collection. You are invited to give hope to Jesus in disguise. Give hope to the community that has lost it's livelihood to a crop disease. Give hope to the refugee child. The Catholic Relief Service Collection gives hope. Please be generous in today's collection.

**United Lenten Appeal 2010**

The NEW Life Center and After-School Program exist to assist single-parent mothers & grandmothers in raising children to become self-sufficient providers for their families and not victims of the economy and environment in which they live. St. Luke is asking you to help. Please give generously to the United Lenten Appeal and help us to help those who need it most. We also hope that you will support us with your prayers.

**Welcome, New Members**

Catherine Amboy & son, John of Lapeer	Mary Schroeck & daughters, Daniela, Katie & Melissa Of Burton
Joseph & Kimberly Cicalo & children, Sarah & Adam of Davison	Helen Simerau Of Flint
Perry Dupuis of Lapeer	Gordon Smith & Karen Lipe Of Burton
Thomas & Tammy Hoffa, Jr. & children, Katelyn, Kristopher & Thomas of Davison	John & Elizabeth Spohn Of Davison
Diana Nichols Of Davison	



A one-man live drama production performed at various locations throughout the Lansing Diocese.  
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Saturday, March 27<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m.  
Holy Spirit Catholic Church, Brighton  
Tickets: 810-231-9199

Monday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 PM  
Holy Redeemer Church, Burton  
Tickets: 810-743-3050

Tuesday, March 30<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m.  
St. Robert Church, Flushing  
Tickets: 810-659-2501

*Area Events*

**St. Patrick's Day Box Lunch**  
from Catholic Charities!  
Wednesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>  
Only \$6 and includes a corned beef and swiss cheese sandwich on rye, chips, coleslaw, pickle and a cookie!  
Order in advance at 810-232-9950 ext. 129

**MOM2MOM Resale**  
Holy Redeemer, Burton  
Saturday, March 20  
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
For table rental information or for further details, call 810-743-5423

**Annual Spring Craft Bazaar**  
St. Robert Church, Flushing  
Saturday, March 20<sup>th</sup>  
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Free Admission  
Lunch available  
Please, No Strollers

**Annual Lenten Cantata**  
"Once Upon a Tree"  
St. Pius X Church, Flint  
Friday, March 26<sup>th</sup>  
Doors open at 6:30 p.m.  
Performance starts at 7:00 p.m.

**Tenebrae Service**  
St. Mary Catholic Church, Flint  
Good Friday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>  
8:00 p.m.  
The purpose of a Tenebrae Service is to recreate the betrayal, abandonment and agony of the Passion story.

**St. John, Davison Corpus Christi Prayer Group Spiritual Pilgrimage**  
Wednesday - Saturday  
April 21 - 24, 2010  
The Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament, the Eternal Word Television Network Call. Call Dan Schmier at 800-818-3739



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The traditional name for the Fourth Sunday of Lent is Laetare Sunday. This title comes from *Laetare Jerusalem*, "Rejoice, Jerusalem". As we have reached the midpoint of Lent, we anticipate the joy of Easter with several options for softening our worship environment: rose-colored vestments, extra music, some floral enhancement. By Marion Eagen © 2002 Resource Publications, Inc. All rights reserved.



**NEED HELP? CALL THE PRAYER LINE:**

Ruth DuCap, 653-5089  
Donna Duffy-Ward, 658-1882

**TRANSPORTATION:**

Judy Hogg, 653-4964

**BINGO AT ST. JOHN PARISH HALL**  
450 Building

**Electronic and Paper Played SUNDAY**

Doors open 4:00 p.m.  
Early Bird 5:30 p.m.  
Regular Games 6:00 p.m.



**WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY**

Doors open 4:30 p.m.  
Early Bird 6:30 p.m.  
Regular Games 7:00 p.m.

**Bingo Hotline:**  
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John 14:2

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Dianne Campbell

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