## **SCHOOL NEWS**

We just finished our Apex fundraiser! We are so grateful for the continued support of our families and parishioners! Take a look at our awesome pictures throughout the week







Shrek the Musical is performing March 18th at 2pm and 19th at 4pm at Cardinal O'Hara! The link for tickets is attached, we hope you can support them!



For tickets:

https://givebutter.com/Shrekjr

## SENECA ALLEGANY BUS TRIP

Thursday, April 20, 2023. \$30 per person; receive \$25 Free Slot Play upon arrival. Enjoy a fun filled motor coach tour to Seneca Allegany Casino & Hotel in Salamanca, NY. Boarding 10:30am at St. Timothy Parking Lot. Depart 10:45 am from St. Timothy Parking Lot. Arrive at Casino 12:30 pm. Depart Casino 6:00pm. Return 7:30pm. Make check payable to St. Timothy's Church; write "bus trip" on the memo line of your check. Mail or bring to rectory. Deadline is March 31, 2023.

Spring Craft Show on Saturday, April 22 from 9 am-2 pm at Cardinal O'Hara High School, 39 O'Hara Rd., Tonawanda. There will be more than 100 crafters and vendors. Proceeds from the fair will support Freshman Class activities. For more information, visit <a href="www.cardinalohara.com">www.cardinalohara.com</a> or call the school at 716-695-2600, ext. 312

Lenten Evening of Reflection on Tuesday, March 21 at 6:30 pm at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 115 O'Connell Ave., Buffalo. Presenter: Eileen Warner – Retreat Director and trained Spiritual Director. Are you looking to grow deeper in your prayer life this Lent? Eileen will explore ways we can understand how God speaks to us in prayer and offer insights on ways to deepen our prayer lives and our relationship with Jesus this Lent..

Word of Life-March 19: "To celebrate the Gospel of life means to celebrate the God of life, the God who gives life... In every child which is born and in every person who lives or dies we see the image of God's glory. We celebrate this glory in every human being, a sign of the living God, an icon of Jesus Christ."

## LENTEN LOTTERY WINNERS

Feb.21- Jennifer Roberto	March 8-Richard Rybski
Feb.22 -Dave & Michelle	March 9-Marcia Sliwinski
Tyran	March 10-Debra Kendzior
Feb.23– Sheldon Webster	March 11-Ed & Holly Hans
Feb.24– Mike DeMartinis	March 12– Carole Aronica
Feb.25– Wanda Higdon	March 13– Bill & Nancy
Feb.26-Augie Taboni	Swartzman
Feb.27-Jean Hendricks	March 14– Paul & Mary
Feb.28-Marie Golombek	Stachnik
March 1-Jan Braun	March 15-Elaine Brock
March 2-Mary & Anne	March 16– Kathy Sorce
Zirnheld	March 17– John & Joan
March 3- Maureen Reed	Kumor
March 4-Lloyd Irwin	
March 5-Daniel Zirnheld	
March 6-Carol Antonucci	

March 7-Carol Hoffstetter



## ST. ANDREW'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Reverend Matthew J. Zirnheld, Pastor

Mr. Michael Ficorilli, Deacon

March 19, 2023 Fourth Sunday of Lent



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### MASSES

Sat. 8:30 am & 4:00 pm Sun., 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 am & 5:00 pm Weekdays: M., T., W., F: 8:30 am & 12 noon

**Confession:** Sat.: 3:00-3:30 pm M, T, W, & F: 11:15-11:45 am

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Catholic Schools 'The Start of Something Great'

BINGO Thursday & Friday 7:30PM Sunday 7:00PM

PRAYER CHAIN (716) 873-6716 ext. 118

## **MARCH**

Ongoing...

First Monday of the Month 7:00-9:00pm <u>Marian</u> <u>Ministries</u> in McNulty Hall

Tuesday 9:15-11:30am <u>SVdP Food Pantry</u> in Loyola Room

Tuesday 12:30 pm –3:30 pm <u>Adoration</u> in Church Wednesday Before Noon Mass <u>Novena to Our Lady of</u> <u>Perpetual Help</u>

Wednesday 7:00-9:00pm <u>AA Meeting</u> in Loyola Room <u>Last Wednesday</u> of each month (except June, July, & August) 6-7PM <u>Evening</u> in <u>Church</u>

**Adoration & Holy Hour** 

Thursday 9:00am-1st & 3rd <u>SVdP</u> Meeting in Food Pantry

Thursday 7:30pm <u>Bingo</u> in McNulty Hall Friday 7:30pm <u>Bingo</u> in McNulty Hall Saturday 10am <u>Al Anon</u> in Faith Formation Meeting Room (Door #8) Sunday 7:00pm Bingo in McNulty Hall

St. Andrew's has partnered with neighboring parish family St. Timothy's for Faith Formation. Please contact Judy Papaj at the number or email below for any questions or concerns.

### **FAITH FORMATION**

Judy Papaj (716) 875-9430 <a href="https://sainttimothyparish.org/ff-program">https://sainttimothyparish.org/ff-program</a>

The next Sacramental Prep class for First Eucharist is Sunday, Mar. 19 th from 9:45-11:45 am and the last prep is Sunday, April 2 nd from 9:45-11:45 am. It is important that our students attend all of these classes to best prepare for their Sacraments.

The remaining dates for the Confirmation Prep classes are Mar. 26 th , Apr. 16 th ,and Apr. 30 th from 9:45-11:45 am in the school building. The full schedule of important Confirmation dates can be found on St. Timothy's website under Faith Formation (www.sainttimothyparish.org). Don't forget to work on completing your Confirmation Application, Sponsor Letters, and Service Letters.

The Confirmation Retreat is Saturday, April 29 th from 1:00-5:30 pm in St. Timothy Church.

### **HOLY NAME NEWS**

Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 – 7:30 McNulty Hall-Our ANNUAL SPORTS NIGHT

Come hear inside stories on local sports, ask the experts your questions and be WOWED! Always interesting and well attended. All are welcome – food and refreshments to follow. More info to follow.



# THE ADVENTURES OF FATHER, FRANKIE & FORREST

This week the calendar says we usher in Spring. You can feel the change in the air-days are lighter longer, the temperature is somewhat warmer-snow doesn't stay on the ground as long, plants and flowers are starting to peak out of the ground, and you can hear the "sound of the season"-birds are chirping, motorcycles are racing and dogs are barking and howling. Two of the rectory residents are howling and barking because of the motorcycles and birds! Of course there is anticipation for Easter. Lenten Reflection: *During the Season of Lent contemplate your heart & look at our world with Hope.*"



God Bless Us all, Stay Safe & Be Well

### SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Phone: (716) 873-6716 option #3 ext. 311

"When I was hungry; you gave me to eat, when I was thirsty, you gave me to drink."



The pantry is in need of canned soups, spinach, beets, sweet potatoes, mayo, and sugar.
Thank you &

God Bless us all.

Pantry is open on Tuesday from 9:15am-11:15am. Message can be left by calling (716) 873-6716 ext. 311. Please leave name, address, and phone number.

#### MARIAN MINISTRIES

Please join us at our next meeting on Monday, April 3, at 7pm in McNulty Hall. Our program will include a short lenten reflection, "Living the Easter Message". Join us to hear Jay Withey tell how he found Easter at Christmas in his incredible blizzard survival story. After, we will partake in some religious trivia followed by coffee/tea and dessert.

Our next Marian Ministries mass will be Friday, April 14, at noon which will be in memory of living & deceased members of Marian Ministries.

Also, please remember to bring a bottle of shampoo (any kind) which we will be collecting to donate to the Ken-Ton Closet.

## **SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

Saturday, March 18

Lenten Weekday

Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

**8:30** Paul Rellinger by Family

4:00 Sam & Fran Shuse by cousin, Jacky DellaPenta

Sunday, March 19

Fourth Sunday of Lent

7:30 Maureen & Bill Bunny by Family

**9:30** Living & Deceased Members of The Kawliche Family by Family

11:30 John, Joe, Sean, & Thomas Heffron by Family

**5:00** Josephine Jankowski by son, Mike

Monday, March 20

Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**8:30** (Birthday) Geri Serba by Family

12:00 Daniel Kramer by Wife & Daughter

Tuesday, March 21

Lenten Weekday

**8:30** St. Andrew's Parishioners

12:00 Lyn Rybski by Bill & Mary Lembke

Wednesday, March 22

Lenten Weekday

8:30 (School Mass) Roger Novits by Estate

12:00 Janice LoBuglio by Friend

Thursday, March 23

Lenten Weekday

Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop

8:30 No Masses or

12:00 Confession Today

Friday, March 24

Lenten Weekday

**8:30** Paul Power by Family

12:00 James Powers by Carol Ortolano

12:45 Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 25

The Annunciation of the Lord

8:30 Sam Ricchiazzi by Friends

1:00 First Reconciliation

4:00 Sam & Fran Shuse by Phyllis Lawida

Sunday, March 26

Fifth Sunday of Lent

**7:30** John & Josephine Dolce by Family

9:30 Kathleen Daley by Leonard Maurer

11:30 Kathleen Daley The Aronica Family

5:00 Ron Nuchereno by Friends

Area Penance Service on Mon., March 27th at St. John the Baptist Church, Kenmore, NY at 7PM.

Fourth Sunday of Lent – March 19, 2023 No one expected Samuel the prophet to choose the smallest, youngest son. But that boy became King David. God's call can surprise us. Find out more at the Vocations Office. Contact Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 or visit buffalovocations.org



The Sanctuary Lamp is lit in memory of

Josephine & Leo Jankowski

by son, Mike

### LENTEN LECTURE SERIES

### "St. Paul the Apostle"

Come to the fourth session of the Lenten Lecture Series where Andrew Pitisi, Pastoral Associate of Evangelization and Catechesis at St. Benedict's will speak about the journey from Sinner to Saint of St. Paul the Apostle. The lecture will be on Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. at St. Timothy's Church, 565 East Park Dr., Tonawanda, NY 14150. No cost! No reservations required! Come and bring a friend!

Catholic Charities operates nine food pantry and outreach centers in Western New York – seven in Erie County (Central, East and South Buffalo, Getzville and Lackawanna) and one each in Allegany County in Wellsville, and in Cattaraugus County in Franklinville. Each location has emergency food pantry service and offers information and referrals to other needed services to those who are food insecure, free of charge. Your support of Appeal 2023 helps ensure these vital basic necessities and programs are there when needed. Give today at <a href="https://www.ccwny.org/donate">www.ccwny.org/donate</a> or text GIVEHOPE23 to 44321.



# Stewardship in Faith March 12, 2023

Regular Collection-\$5,805.51 Monthly-\$312.00 Easter-\$50.00 Flowers-\$178.00 Catholic Home Mission-\$10.00 Black & Indian Mission -\$10.00 HolyLand-\$5.00 HolyDay-\$25.00

Catholic Charities-\$50, 687.00

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going to: standrewsrcchurch.weshareonline.org