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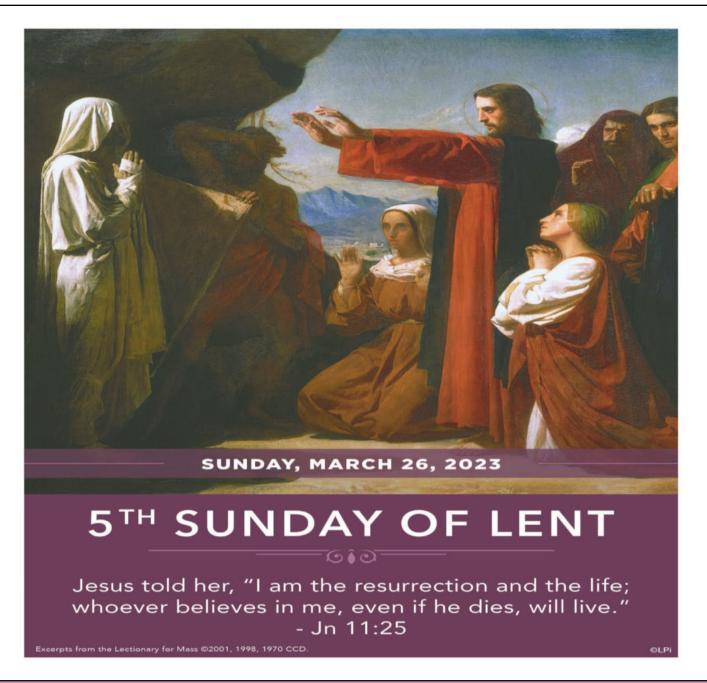
ST. GERTRUDE PARISH

303 Franklin Ave. Vandergrift, PA 15690 sgcatholic.org



CHRIST THE KING PARISH

125 Park Road Leechburg, PA 15656 ctkleechburg.org



Parish Council Mission Statement ~ We, the partnered parish communities of St. Gertrude and Christ the King, are faith-filled Catholics who have been called by our Baptism and empowered by the Good News of Jesus Christ to be Church for all. Although made up of multicultural faith communities we are ever united by our common faith.

We are committed to "building up the Body of Christ" through Word, Worship, Evangelization, Leadership, Service, Stewardship, and Fellowship. Dedicated to deepening our love of Christ and one another, together we strive to become a living reflection of Christ for our region.

We willingly accept our obligation to be the "Light of the World" for others and in that spirit we promise to use our resources to practice gospel justice, to heal divisive wounds among God's people and to join with all people of good will in addressing the spiritual and physical needs of all.

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Carol Rzewnicki	

Mass Times

Monday
8:30 AMSt. Gertrude
Tuesday
8:30AMChrist the King
Wednesday
8:30 AMSt. Gertrude
Thursday
8:30 AMChrist the King
Second Thursday of the month (Anointing Mass)
12:10 PMChrist the King
Friday
8:30 AMSt. Gertrude
9:00 AM – 10: 00AM (Holy Hour)
Saturday
8:30 AMChrist the King
9:00 AM – 10: 00AM (Holy Hour)
4:00 PMSt. Gertrude
5:30 PMChrist the King
Sunday
8:00 AMSt. Gertrude
9:30 AMChrist the King
10:30 AMSt. Gertrude
Confession / Reconciliation
Saturday, 3:15 PM-3:45 PMSt. Gertrude

(or by appointment) SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Saturday, 9:00 AM......Christ the King

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance of the anticipated date.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism Preparation Class Second Saturday of the month at 11:00 AM at Christ the King. Must be scheduled in advance.

All bulletin submissions must be and turned into the parish office by Tuesday, 12:00 noon.

MATTERS OF SEXUAL MISCONDUCT INFORMATION

If you have any suspicion about the sexual abuse (or any other type of abuse) of a minor child by anyone — please contact PA ChildLine immediately at 1-800-932-0313. If the alleged abuser is functioning in a parish, school or diocesan position as clergy, religious, paid staff or volunteer you are also requested to contact the Bishop's Delegate for Matters of Sexual Misconduct after you have called the ChildLine number and made the report. The Bishop's Delegate may be reached at 724-837-0901, ext. 1221.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-INS OF OUR PARISHES.



St. Gertrude Parish

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, March 27

8:30 AM Jeffrey Gorencic

by Maria and Kevin Vokish & Family

Wednesday, March 29

8:30 AM Joseph Fontana

by Ben and Gloria DeBiasio

Friday, March 31

8:30 AM Bernadine Gemza and Patricia

Sharp

by Everett and Regina Radcliffe

10:10 AM Stations of the Cross

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

Saturday, April 1

4:00 PM Bonnie Bober

Sunday, April 2

8:00 AM For the Parish

10:30 AM Chester and Mary Rukas

by John and Joann Kuruc

Memorial Candle: Week of March 19

In Memory Of: John T. Lucas

by Wife Ida

	MINISTR	RY SCHEDULE	
April 1 & 2 & 6	(EM)	(L)	(AS)
Saturday	Nick	Fran	Gary
4:00 PM	Pityk	Gail	Lightner
Sunday	Patty	Christine	Anthony
8:00 AM	Kiebler	Gert	Guerrera
Sunday	Gerri	Crystal	Dom/
10:30 AM	Michela	Barb	Rachel
Holy Thursday 7:00 PM	Nick Pityk	Crystal Dellemonache	Dom/ Rachel

WEEKLY COLLECTION

March 18 & March 19

Weekly Offertory	\$ 4,558.00
Loose	\$ 2,765.00
Utilities	\$ 166.00
Restoration	\$ 53.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 475.00
Votives	\$ 148.00

CDA CANDY BARS

The CDA will be selling Sarris candy bars for Easter at St. Gertrude's Masses on 3/18, 19, 25, 26, and 4/1, and 4/2 and at Christ The King 9:30 AM Mass, and at the Spaghetti Dinners at St. Gertrude's.

CDA members that still need to pay their dues can do so by mailing them to Mary Daldoss, 324 Sycamore Street Vandergrift PA 15690. Dues are now \$26 annually and should be paid in full by April.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

Spaghetti dinner totals for 3-16-23: Eatin dinners 173 adults, 14 children, Take out dinners 118 adults, 8 children; 79

extra meatballs, 6 quarts of sauce sold. Spaghetti dinner profit was over \$2500.

The next spaghetti dinner will be held on **Thursday**, **April 13th**. Anyone who would like to help with the next dinner please contact Ron Majeran 724-568-2185.



RACE NIGHT

St. Gertrude Church Social Hall

April 22, 2023

Come and enjoy a night at the races Racing starts 6:00PM Doors open at 5:30 PM Tickets are \$20.00

This Price Includes Food, Beverages and a Horse

The Men's Club will be selling Night at the Races tickets after all masses next weekend.



Christ the King Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, March 28

8:30 AM Deceased Members of the Joy and

Elizabeth Family by Johnson Family

Thursday, March 30

8:30 AM Dr. James Bonello

by Wife and Family

Friday, March 31

6:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Saturday, April 1

8:30 AM For the Parish

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

5:30 PM Al Aiello

by Family

Sunday, April 2

9:30 AM Anthony Moravec

by Carolyn and Jeffrey Hooks

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

April 1,2,7	(H)	(L)	(EM)
Saturday	Susie George	Linda Fedorchak	Mary Jane
5:30 PM	Pam Pastiva	Valerie Zanotti	Gruber
Sunday	John Lucjak	Kevin Ceraso	Carol
9:30 AM	Tony Buyny	Margie Stull	Ferretti
Good Friday	Jack Canzano	Don	
2:00 PM	Melissa Anderson	Marco	



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Be sure to check out the "Building the Domestic Church" kiosk located at the entrance to the church. It is sponsored by the

Knights of Columbus

and contains 15 booklets on the topic of Christian life. Feel free to take any of the titles that may interest you.

LENTEN LUNCHEON THANK YOU

Thank you to the parishioners who volunteered at Christ the King's hosting of Leechburg Ministerium's Lenten Luncheon on Friday, March 17th. The offering of your time and talent was so much appreciated. Thanks also to those from Christ the King who attended the luncheon.



2023 PARISH EASTER BAKE SALE PASKA BREAD



Pick-up: March 28th & March 29th between NOON - 4 PM [Orders not picked up by March 29th will be sold.]



We would like to thank everyone for your generous donations of 36# of Crisco, 79# of sugar and 114# flour for our bake sale. So very much appreciated!

CEMETERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

In preparation for mowing season, we are looking for volunteers to help clean up St. Catherine Cemetery. If you would like to help, please report to the cemetery on Saturday, April 15th at 9:00 AM. Thank you.

ST. CATHERINE CEMETERY

If you wish to retain your Christmas decorations from your loved ones graves, please remove the decorations before April 15th.

Anything left in the cemetery past April 15th, as a courtesy to you, will be discarded by cemetery staff. Thank you for your cooperation.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

March 18 & March 19

March 10 & March 17	
Weekly Offertory	\$ 2,806.00
Monthly	\$ 20.00
Loose	\$ 158.00
Votives	\$ 121.00
Utilities	\$ 30.00
Accent	\$ 10.00
Cemetery	\$ 67.00
Easter Flowers	\$ 35.00
Holy Thursday	\$ 10.00
Good Friday	\$ 10.00
Easter	\$ 35.00
Holy Land	\$ 10.00



COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICES

March 28 - Tuesday - 1:30 PM - Our Lady Queen of Peace - East Vandergrift

March 29 - Wednesday - 7:00 PM - St. Gertrude - Vandergrift

March 30 - Thursday - 7:00 PM - Saint Joseph - New Kensington

April 3 - Monday - 1:30 PM - Saint Margaret Mary - Lower Burrell







April 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2 Mass 8:00 AM Mass 10:30 AM Faith Formation Youth Ministry 6:00-7:30 PM Divine Redeemer Ford City	3 Mass 8:30 AM Penance Service 1:30 PM St. Margaret Mary Lower Burrell Men's Club Meeting 6:00 PM (CH)	4	5 Mass 8:30 AM SVdP Meeting 6:30 PM (CH)	HOLY THURSDAY Mass of the Last Supper 7:00 PM	7 GOOD FRIDAY Stations of the Cross 12:10 PM (CTK) Passion of the Lord 2:00 PM (CTK)	Confession 3:15 PM Mass 4:00 PM 8 Breakfast/ Egg Hunt (CTK) 10:30 AM Easter Basket Blessing 11:10 AM (Both Parishes) EASTER VIGIL 8:30 PM (CTK)
9 Mass 8:00 AM Mass 10:30 AM	10 Mass 8:30 AM	CDA Meeting 6:00 PM (CH)	12 Mass 8:30 AM	13 Anointing Mass 12:10 PM (CTK) Spaghetti Dinner 4-7 PM (CH)	14 Mass 8:30 AM	15 Confession 3:15 PM Mass 4:00 PM
Mass 8:00 AM Mass 10:30 AM Faith Formation Youth Ministry 6:00-7:30 PM (SGPC)	17 Mass 8:30 AM	18	19 Mass 8:30 AM	20 Mobile Market Noon-1:00 PM	21 Mass 8:30 AM	Confession 3:15 PM Mass 4:00 PM Night at the Races 6:00 PM (CH)
23 Mass 8:00 AM Mass 10:30 AM Youth Ministry 6:00-7:30 PM (SGPC)	24 Mass 8:30 AM	25	26 Mass 8:30 AM Knights of Columbus Social Time 5:45-6:30 PM Meeting 6:30 PM (AH)	27	28 Mass 8:30 AM	29 Confession 3:15 PM Mass 4:00 PM
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