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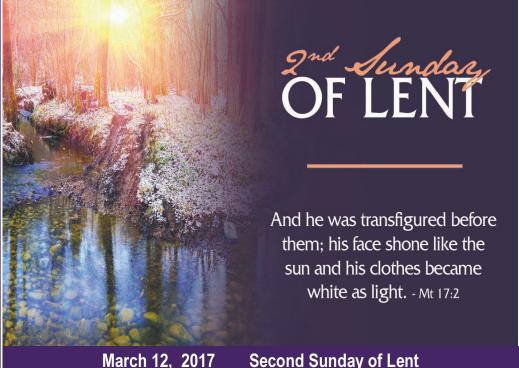
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Mass Schedule

Saturday - 4:00pm

Sunday - 8:00am and 10:30am

Monday 8:00am Communion Service

Tuesday - Friday 8:00am

Confessions

Saturday 3:00pm-3:45pm

Parish Center and Chapel Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00a.m. - 4:30p.m.

Fridays 8:00a.m. - 12:00 Noon

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Fri. 12:00 noon, 1 week prior

bulletin@holynamewausau.com

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact Fr. Bob for preparation classes. These are required for parents and recommended for godparents.

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact Fr. Bob 6 months in advance.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Contact Fr. Bob for Information

Anointing of the Sick:

If you would like the Anointing of the Sick before entering the hospital for a scheduled surgery, or if you're at home or nursing facility, please contact Judy. If you would like Fr. Bob or Fr. Dan to visit you during your hospital stay, make sure to leave our church name upon registration.

MASS INTENTIONS

March 13th - March 19th

13Monday8:00 am† Communion Service14Tuesday8:00 am† Larry Jackman15Wednesday8:00 am† Laurie Gregory16Thursday8:00 am† Joe and Theresa Tulickas

17 Friday 8:00 am † Clara Pontis

Third Sunday of Lent

18 Saturday
19 Sunday

4:00 pm † Evelyn Winter Family
† Marcella Dobeck
Living and deceased members of
Holy Name of Jesus Parish

10:30 am † David Martin

March 12th - March 18th

The Church Blessed Sacrament Candle:

Dedicated to Orville and Ruth Heinz

Dedicated from: Ruth Heinz

The Chapel Blessed Sacrament Candle:

Dedicated to: Blessings for Candy

Dedicated from: Fran



Second Sunday of Lent on the Transfiguration

Our Lord, along with the apostles, went from town to town preaching and healing. And while many were open to Our Lord and His message, the number of enemies were increasing, and they were becoming bolder in trying to ensnare our Lord into saying or doing something which they could publicly condemn Him for.

And so the tensions and the demands being made upon our Lord and the apostles by the ever growing crowds were increased each day. No normal person wants their life filled with anxiety, fear, sadness, disagreements, anger, bitterness and tension.

Certainly, we all have experienced moments, days, weeks and even months, when our life is burdened with some sort of anxiety, tension, trial, or sickness that really stresses us out. Most normal people can handle such moments of crisis and even extended situations of difficulty and stress, when necessary. Yet, people also need a certain amount of calmness and serenity in their lives to balance out these tensions and stress.

Flood, tornados, loss of a job, sickness, the death of someone close, being attentive to the many needs of children and caring for our older relatives, and financial issues, are just a few of the many things that can cause anxiety and unwanted stress. Most people want to get out of such difficult and trying situations and desire to get back into some sort normality in life.

And so it was completely normal that Peter wanted to build three tents on the mountain top. And that he wanted everyone to stay there to continue to enjoy the peace, the calm, and the spiritual joy which they were experiencing. Peter reflects the honest reaction that all of us have, which is that of wanting to hold on to the good times, the good experiences, and not wanting to enter or reenter into difficult situations of stress and tension.

But that is precisely what the lesson of today's Gospel touches upon, our willingness to face, accept and deal with those difficult moments in our lives. At those times, we need to bring with us the strength and assurances of our Catholic Christian faith, and our trust in Jesus Christ. We have to be willing to continue on in our life just as Our Lord and His apostles had to do, as they left behind them the peace and calm of Mount Tabor for the tumultuous and difficult journey to Jerusalem leading eventually to Calvary.

Today's Gospel of the Transfiguration teaches us that our union with Christ, along with a healthy prayer life are essential for our ability to act in a Christ-like manner; a true Christian in the face of trials and difficult situations. To be faithful to one's marriage, to be honest and upright in our dealings with others, to be faithful to the teachings of Christ and His Church, is possible only when we remember the glory of Christ on Mt. Tabor and His promise of eternal life in His kingdom.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? - CATHOLIC TRADITIONS EXPLAINED

Ouestion:

What are some good books for Lenten spiritual reading?

Answer:

The best Lenten reading takes us back to the fundamentals. If Lent is the time for the Church to be on retreat, then we should focus on the texts that help us deepen our understanding of our faith. Spend time reading one of the Gospels, and use a Scripture commentary to learn all you can about the passion of Jesus. Read about the lives of the saints, especially your patron saint and that of your parish. Perhaps there is some local candidate for saint-hood, like Father Walter Ciszek, SJ, who wrote several faith-inspiring books. Finally, you can use the "Catechism of the Catholic Church" to learn more about the Church's teachings and beliefs. The sections on prayer and the Mass are powerful and interesting reflections. Focusing on the basics really helps us take another step forward in our faith. We have not only a better understanding of what we believe and practice, but also why we believe. With that belief comes the confidence we need to be better, more faithful witnesses to Christ.

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St. Anthony Spirituality Center-Marathon, WI.

Lenten Day of Prayer (St. Paul) Wed, March 15.

(9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m..): Focus: St. Paul. The

morning will provide a historical focus to the circumstances surrounding Paul. In the afternoon, we will study Scriptural passages that will help us understand the importance of the spirituality that Paul brought to Christianity. Presented by Fr. Jim Bartleme. Cost of \$55 includes continental breakfast and a delicious noon meal.

Nothing Can Separate Us (Healing After Suicide)

March 17-19. During this retreat we will approach the mystery that is suicide, exploring some of its psycho-social and spiritual dimensions as well as addressing the grieving process. There will be a service of remembrance and healings for those who have been lost to us. The retreat will offer space for quiet reflection as well as connection with others. Presented by Catherine Kuschel (M.Div, MAC, LPCC, LADC-MN). Begins with Friday evening registration at 5 p.m. and will conclude by 1 p.m. on Sunday.

Aging and Disability Resource Center of Central Wisconsin:



Now accepting applications for ramps or low-rise long-tread steps for the 2017 building season.

Also: Looking for 1-2 Volunteers to help with designing ramps.

Meals on Wheels: Hot meal and a well check for homebound seniors (60+)

Also: Looking for a few Volunteer Drivers. Churches, groups or employers can also "Adopt-A-Route".

For more information about eligibility for ramps, Meals on Wheels or to volunteer call the ADRC-CW: 715-261-6070. Erin Wells - Community Resources Manager

Halfway Saints Young Adult Group

Are you looking for a group of other young adults (18-35) with whom you can grow in faith and love of God? If so, plan on coming to the Halfway Saints Young Adult Group. We meet in Francis Hall (the family center) at the Church of the Resurrection at 6pm on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Erin at eknight@uwalumni.com.

Readings for the week of March 12, 2017

Sunday-12	Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22/2 Tm 1:8b-10/
	Mt 17:1-9
Monday-13	Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8-9, 11, 13/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday-14	Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23/Mt
-	23:1-12
Wednesday-15	Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14-16/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday-16	Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 16:19-31
Friday-17	Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-21/Mt
-	21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday-18	Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-4, 9-12/Lk 15:1-3,
·	11-32
Sunday-19	Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5
-	-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

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In "Opening the Word" in Formed we reflect on the Transfiguration. The Apostles ,with Jesus, experience the Light of Faith and also doubt, just as we do in our lives. God calls us in the readings to listen to His Word and follow.

Feeling like you just never get this faith life right? Well, Formed offers a Lectio Divina (10) session Bible Study on St. Peter, a stubborn, impetuous, impulsive guy who answered Jesus call to follow Him and was rewarded by becoming the first pope and leader of His church. If Christ used Peter, he will do the same for us if we believe. Find out more about St. Peter in the (10) session Lectio Divina series in Formed. Open Formed, go to Programs, and scroll down to Lectio Divina Peter.

The Secular Franciscans of the St. James Fraternity,

Wausau, will meet for the regular monthly gathering on Sunday, March 12, 2017 at 2 p m at St. Michael's Krasowski Hall. There will be a guest speaker, Sister Veronica from St. Anthony's with the topic of Divine Mercy. Everyone is welcome to attend. Call Greg at 715-370-6901 for further information.

Attend Catholics at the Capitol March 28, 2017

Every two years, the Wisconsin Catholic Conference hosts
Catholics at the Capitol. Hundreds of Catholics from around the
state come to Madison for formation and legislative advocacy.
This year's speaker will be Colleen Stratton, a survivor of human
trafficking, she will share her painful but inspiring story.

March 28, 8:45 - 4:00 at Monona Terrace Community and

Convention Center, 2 blocks from the Capitol, you are invited to meet with their legislators. For information and to register www.wisconsincatholic.org, or contact the Office for Ministries and Social Concerns: ministries@diolc.org or 608-791-0161.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE March 18th and 19th Third Sunday of Lent

4:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM		
EM				
Dee DeLaporte	Jim Schroeder	Jodi Kurtzweil		
Linda Franke	Lois Murphy	Jeanne Lang		
JoAnn Heinz	Jim Cherek	Kathy Brengosz		
Mary Joswick				
Jan Klosinski				
Mic Klosinski				
Darlene Martin				
Lectors				
Doris Martin	Tim Murphy	Shirley Fosbender		
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Christopher Medvecz	XXXXXXXX	Barry Guss		
Thomas Medvecz	XXXXXXXX	Stella Harder		
Ronald Medvecz				
Ushers				
Steve Sleeter	Ron Brusky Phil Harder			
Marlene Zoromski	John Borowicz	Bernie Ford		
Pat Hiatt	Scott Lau	Mike Tomsyck		
Wally Legenza	XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXX		

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

March 12th - March 19th Children's Liturgy at 10:30 Mass Sun-12 DTS at Resurrection Church 6:30-8:30 Mon-13 Tue-14 Fr. Mass at Wausau Manor 3:00 Parish Council Meeting 6:00 PC Stations of the Cross 6:15 C Wed-15 Fr. Mass at Mount View 2:00 Shadow Stations by Religious Ed Students 6:15-7:30 C Thur-16 40 hours of Devotion from 7:30am – 9:00pm Penance Service 6:30 C Fri-17 40 hours of Devotion restarting at 7:30am (Continues through the night) Sat-18 40 hours of Devotion ending with 4:00 Mass Boy Scout Corn Beef Dinner 5:00 SH Sun-19 Children's Liturgy at 10:30 Mass Bible Study 3:00 SH



Join Fr. Dan as he continues to study the Holy Scriptures.

Classes focus upon the many prophecies Christ fulfilled in the Old Testament. Join anytime. Classes meet for one hour every Thursday evening in the Angelorum at St Matthew at 5pm. Thru April 6th. Please bring your Bible.



Tuesdays Fridays

Stations of the Cross at 6:15pm Stations of the Cross after 8:00am Mass

Holy Name of Jesus Lenten Penance Schedule

Confessions continually available during 40 hours of Devotion

Thursday, March 16th, 9:00am -9:00pm Friday, March 17th, 9:00am -9:00pm Saturday, March 18th, 7:00am -3:30pm



Communal Penance Service

Thursday, March 16th, 6:30pm - 8:45pm Several Priests will be available for individual confessions.

Country Store is ready for your donations.

Country Store now accepting donations. We are off to a good start, so keep bringing your gently used items. Drop off at school Wed. 3:00-6:00 or call Parish Center for assistance. Any questions call Kathy Oelke 715-359-8274.

Items Welcome: Household and Kitchen Items, Knick Knacks, Books, Tools, Jewelry, Religious Items, Holiday Decorations, Toys.

Items NOT accepted: Clothes, Exercise Equipment, Old Tv's, Microwaves, Printers, Computers, Christmas Tree's over 4 feet tall, Tree Stands, Paint or Chemicals of any kind.



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		9,564.35
2nd Collection (Debt Retirement)	\$	476.83

Annual Appeal as of March 6, 2016

Remaining\$19,905.50	
Pledged\$35,038.50	l
Our Target \$54,944.00	l

Contribute by Direct Deposit

Parishioners of Holy Name of Jesus, we invite you to consider making your weekly contribution by electronic transfer. Your contribution is transferred monthly, for the amount you designate. You will continue to receive envelopes to put in the collection basket. Write EFT for the amount if you chose to. You can find the ACH form on our website home page. Or for more information, please call the Parish Center at 715-842-4543.

Easter Flowers

We are now accepting donations for Easter flowers. If you would like to give a donation in memory of a loved one, please clearly print their name on your envelope or insert a piece of paper with their name on it. Thank you!



Help make Rosaries

Come and help us make rosaries for the Missions at the Parish Center on Thursday, March 23rd at 1:30. We will have an instructor and all supplies you need. It's a lot of fun getting together and accomplishing a good thing at the same time! The more the merrier ~ Elaine Meyer

Mass for Health and Healing

St. Matthew Catholic Church Sunday, March 12th Confessions 2:00-3:25 and Mass at 3:30



Lenten Meals

Church of the Resurrection

Lenten Soup Lunches on each Wednesday of Lent, 11:30–1:00. A freewill offering will be accepted.



St. Matthew Soup Suppers, Wednesdays in the school cafeteria from 4:15 to 6:30 PM. A freewill offering will be accepted. St. Anne Wausau: Fish and Shrimp Fry, Fridays of Lent, serving 4:00 -7:00 pm. For carry outs please call 715-849-3930. St. John's Catholic Church, Edgar, Fish and Shrimp Fry, All Fridays of Lent, 4:00-7:00. For carry outs please call 715-352-3111.

St Patrick's Fish Fry-Halder: Fish and Shrimp Fry, all Fridays of Lent, serving 4:00-8:00 pm. For carry outs please call 715-693-2765.

NEWMAN SCHOOL NEWS

Religious Education

2016-2017 Religious Education Schedule

Classes on Wed. 6:15-7:30 (unless otherwise noted)

Mar 15 Rel Ed & Living Stations

Mar 22 Rel Ed

Mar 29 NO CLASSES—Enjoy your Spring Break!

Rel Ed & Reconciliation Service (Gr 3-10) Apr

12

19 Rel Ed Apr

26 Rel Ed, Living Rosary and Crowning of Mary Apr

Rel Ed—Last Night Party May



Parents Mark Your Calendars

No Religious Ed ~ March 29th

Have a great time on your Spring Break!

Shadow Stations of the Cross

Wed, March 15th at 6:15 pm presented by Religious Education

Please join the Religious Education students as they present their first ever, Shadow Stations of the Cross for our parish.



All families, parishioners and guests are invited to join us . Your participation and support is always appreciated for by the students.

We hope that you will join us!

Kids in PreK to 4th Grade are invited to join Paco, Riko, Charo, Lola & Senor Pescado LOLA

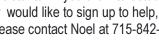


as they **Discover God's Good Gifts** with a Passport to Peru! August 7-11, 2017



This summer it will take a village, a Peruvian village, to help kids grow in their Catholic faith. Volunteers needed are: Leader for the Opening/Closing celebration, Bible Study and Mission areas are still needed. As well as Crew Leaders and







DEAD THEOLOGIANS SOCIETY Next meeting: Sunday, March 12th from 6:30pm-8pm at Resurrection Parish

NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

Need registration information?

Call and come visit your Newman Catholic Schools: **Licensed Child Care**

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St. Mark: 602 Military Road, Rothschild, 715-359-9662 St. Anne: 604 N. 6th Avenue, Wausau, 715-845-5754

<u>Grades 6 – 12</u> Newman Catholic MS/HS: 1130 W. Bridge Street,

Wausau, 715-845-8274 **Central Office** – 715-845-5735 www.newmancatholicschools.com



Wisconsin Parental Choice Program

Eligible families may attend NCS tuition-free through the Wisconsin Parental Choice Program. The WPCP application window for the 2017-2018 school year is February 1 – April 20. **Enrolling Now for 2017-2018 School Year!**

Newman Catholic Schools is a shared ministry among area Catholic parishes. Our schools and centers are places where faith and education come together. We are blessed by the leadership and support of our pastors of our area Catholic parishes. They are engaged with our students through liturgies, prayer services, retreats, classroom visits, and various school and parish activities. Our students receive an outstanding education rich in faith formation and excellent academic preparation. Families from area Catholic parishes and all faiths are welcomed to attend our schools and early childhood centers.

Need registration information?

Visit NCS website at www.newmancatholicschools.com or call and come to visit your Newman Catholic Schools:

First Communion Reminder

EUCHARISTIC FAIR—April 1st from 8:00 am to 12:30 pm at St. Matthew's

meet in the Church.



I Parents and children preparing for First Communion in April are expected to attend. If you have any questions, please call the Rel Ed office at 715-842-4543.



Religious Ed Lenten Giving Class to Class Challenge

Students have started to bring in their donations. The challenge this year is to exceed last year's \$400.

Parents, keep reminding your children the importance of helping others especially during the Lenten season. Every dollar makes a difference in the lives of other children. This year the donations will go to the Missionary Childhood Association (MCA) and the Diocese of LaCrosse Juan Pablo II Casa Hogar orphanage in Peru. Go to www.homeajpm.org and learn more about the orphanage in Lurin, Peru.





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