



March 22, 2020 - Fourth Sunday in Lent

Emergency Information: In the event that the Church and Parish Offices are closed due to inclement weather or other unforeseen circumstances, please check our parish phone number, visit our website and check our Facebook page for updates and information. Please use your judgment when coming to Mass and remember that safety is the primary factor.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Mass Schedule:

Monday to Friday: 8:00 a.m.
 Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.
Holy Days: Mass times will be announced.

Reconciliation/Confessions:

Saturday: 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.
Sundays: 10:00 a.m.
 By Appointment: 732-370-0500

St. Vincent de Paul Assistance Hotline: 732-370-0098

If you require the emergency services of a priest, please call 732-370-0500 ext. 3

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Protecting God's Children - Making the Church a safe environment for all, particularly children and at-risk adults, is a major priority of the administration and staff of Saint Aloysius Church. Please take a look at the posters and "Safe Environment & Standards of Conduct Policy" that are posted on the bulletin board in the Gathering Space of the Church and on our website at <http://www.saintalloysiusonline.org/protecting-children>. If you have any questions or would like to learn more about how to make our church, homes and community safer, please contact Jen Petrillo at 732-370-1515 ext. 311 or jpetrillo@saintalloysiusonline.org.

To report the sexual abuse of minors call the diocesan hotline 1-888-296-2965 or abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org. *Please note:* The Diocese of Trenton reports any allegations of sexual abuse to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. Anyone with an allegation is also encouraged to provide that information to local law enforcement authorities.

INSTRUCTIONS CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) AND LITURGICAL PRACTICES

In light of the escalating concern about the spread of the coronavirus (COVID_19), **Bishop David M. O'Connell, C.M.**, has issued the following instructions on liturgical practices to be observed in **ALL parishes**, institutions and organizations within the Diocese of Trenton, effective immediately until otherwise notified:

1. People who have flu-like symptoms or who are otherwise feeling sick should not go to Mass or other Church gatherings;
2. Priests, deacons and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion should practice good hygiene, washing hands with soap and water or anti-bacterial hand sanitizer, before and after distributing Holy Communion;
3. People are *encouraged* not to receive communion on the tongue; worthy, reverent reception by hand is preferred until otherwise notified;
4. The practice of distributing the Precious Blood from the Chalice is suspended;
5. The practice of exchanging the sign of peace by any physical contact (handshake, embrace, kissing) is suspended.

We continue to encourage the faithful to stay informed through our diocesan communications online at :

<https://dioceseoftrenton.org/coronavirus>

www.TrentonMonitor.com/coronavirus

as well as through the Centers for Disease Control and prevention at:

www.cdc.gov/COVID19



Dear Parish Family-

I hope this message finds you well in these times of pandemic as the family of humanity fights the COVID-19 Virus.

By now you have read that our Co-Cathedral and neighbor, St. Robert Bellarmine in Freehold, is closed for the month of March. A family event took place there and two of those in attendance have died (as of this writing) and many more became infected, some critically.

It is so important for all of us to maintain good hygiene by washing our hands frequently with soap and water for 30 seconds and keeping our homes, work, cars, everything as sanitary as possible. Keep our hands away from touching our faces and practice "Social Distancing". Most important is not to have bodily contact with one another and avoid gatherings of more than 25 people. Fundamentally stay at home!

Our parish Church will remain open daily until 1:00pm for private prayer. Bishop O'Connell issued a decree on Monday March 16 prohibiting the public celebration of Mass until April 3 but mandating priests to fulfill all Mass intentions as a matter of justice. Therefore myself and Fr. Jim will offer private Mass daily and private Masses on the weekend for all the Mass intentions. Please consult our website as this decree may be extended depending on the public health threat.

Every Catholic in the Diocese of Trenton has been dispensed from the Obligation to attend Mass by Bishop O'Connell until further notice.

All parish activities, meetings and events are cancelled until further notice and our building, with the exception of the Church, are closed. Parish Offices will be closed to visitors from March 16 until March 27 however staff will be available by phone or e-mail during regular hours. Mother Seton Academy and St. Aloysius Religious Education are closed until March 27. All of these may be extended on short notice, please check our website for updates.

In the bulletin this weekend are two prayers you are invited to pray daily during this pandemic.

May the Mother of God watch over and protect us all!

Peace and Good – Fr. Bambrick



Message from Bishop O'Connell On Measures to Mitigate the Spread of COVID-19 March 16, 2020.

God has not abandoned us and is present among us. As we learn each day of the growing concern surrounding the spread of the coronavirus in our communities, we need to have faith and confidence in God, especially in times like these, praying that He will see us through the present adversity safely.

Mindful of the Lord Jesus' own words in St. Luke's Gospel, "If anyone wishes to come after me, he must deny himself, take up his Cross daily, and follow me (Luke 9: 23)," the coronavirus pandemic has placed such a Cross before us.

In response to the latest guidelines from national and state health authorities aimed at stopping the spread of the disease, I have directed the following:

MASSES, SACRAMENTS AND OTHER CHURCH SERVICES

- All public Masses throughout the Diocese of Trenton will be temporarily suspended through April 3, 2020. That date is subject to change as the coronavirus pandemic evolves.
- Baptism, funerals and weddings may continue based on the judgement of pastors, with the caution that crowds should not exceed 50 persons as mandated by the State of a New Jersey.
- Social distancing practices (3-6 feet of space between participants) should be observed for any event inside church spaces.
- Churches should remain open for prayer, private devotion and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Pastors are asked to consider Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament during the day. Praying in large groups, however, should be avoided.
- Attention should be paid to the cleanliness of our church facilities.
- Televised or online celebrations of the Mass and other religious programming are available for use of the faithful during this time.
- All scheduled Confirmations in the Diocese will be temporarily postponed until after Easter and will be re-scheduled after that time.
- The Sacrament of Penance should remain available according to need, but public Penance Services are not to be conducted.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick should also remain available for true emergencies. Hospitals and nursing homes may be on lock-down and priests are advised to check on their status beforehand.

SCHOOLS, RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND OTHER CLOSURES

- All Catholic schools in the Diocese will remain closed as mandated by the State of New Jersey. Directions for academic work have been provided by the Superintendent of Catholic Schools in coordination with Catholic school administrations.
- All religious education programs are suspended with at-home work provided by the local parish leaders where possible.

The Chancery offices will be closed March 16 through March 23 and staff will work remotely during that time. A limited number of staff will be present in the office on an as-needed basis to provide essential services.

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- Pastors should make appropriate judgments regarding parish offices. Other regular parish activities and previously scheduled events should be postponed or canceled.

Catholic social and charitable outreach programs and services in the Diocese should be adjusted to meet directions mandated by the State of New Jersey.

The Catholic faithful of the Diocese — priests, religious and lay faithful — are advised to keep informed and updated regarding the progress of the coronavirus pandemic during this national and state emergency. You will find links to national, state and local agencies on our webpage: dioceseoftrenton.org/coronavirus.

We will continue to evaluate new information that could impact these directives and will post regular updates to dioceseoftrenton.org/coronavirus; TrentonMonitor.com/coronavirus and on the Diocese's social media pages.

FINALLY, avoid crowded areas, observe careful hygiene, keep appropriate distances outside the home and if feeling sick, stay at home. I ask that all of the faithful remember the elderly and other persons at risk in their families and communities, and reach out to them by phone to see if help is needed.

A CALL TO PRAYER

An Act of Spiritual Communion is proposed for the faithful who are temporarily unable to receive the Eucharist:

"My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen."

For a list of streamed or recorded Masses available online, or television stations airing the Sunday Mass, go to dioceseoftrenton.org/coronavirus

As we all face what has become a grave and growing health risk, it is important for all the Catholic faithful to "persevere in hardship and keep praying regularly (Romans 12:12)." As Bishop of the Diocese of Trenton, I invite all the Catholic faithful to join with me in prayer:

O Mary, loving Mother, you always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and of hope. We entrust ourselves to you, who at the Cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm.

You, Salvation of Your People, know what we need, and we are sure you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee, we may return to joy and to feasting after this time of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who has taken upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows to lead us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection.

Be present to all those suffering from coronavirus and to those who care for them: families, friends, neighbors, doctors, nurses, staff, government officials, pastors, priests and all who seek to do God's will. Bring comfort and calm to the elderly, to those at risk and to all who are afraid. Be for us all a beacon of hope, lighting our path once more to the heart of your beloved Son, the Divine Healer and Health of the Sick.

*Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God. Deliver us from every danger,
O glorious and blessed Virgin.*

Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS**Sunday, March 22, 2020**

7:00 a.m. **Michael Anderson**, r/o MaryJane and Brian
 8:30 a.m. **Anthony LiPuma**, r/o Vicky, Andrea and Valerie
 10:30 a.m. **James Dierking**, r/o Aida Dierking
 12:30 p.m. **Barbara Vitta**, r/o Rita Bonamo

Monday, March 23, 2020

8:00 a.m. **Mollie Attardi**, r/o Mr. and Mrs. Michael Cinque

Tuesday, March 24, 2020

8:00 a.m. **John P. Riso**, r/o Riso Family

Wednesday, March 25, 2020

8:00 a.m. **Nunzia Scotto Rinaldi**, r/o Francesco and Rosaria Spinelli

Thursday, March 26, 2020

8:00 a.m. **Henry Stanziale**, r/o Mr. and Mrs. Ricardo Pedone

Friday, March 27, 2020

8:00 a.m. **Dolores Stoia**, r/o Scott Family

Saturday, March 28, 2020

5:00 p.m. **Edward Grabowski, Sr.**,
 r/o Jeanne and Thomas Moscardini

Sunday, March 29, 2020

7:00 a.m. **Parishioners**
Mr. and Mrs. Carol Poznanski,
 r/o Jennifer, Greg, Mike and Kathy
 8:30 a.m. **Alexander and Patricia Sawchuk**, r/o Family
 10:30 a.m. **Edward Grabowski, Sr.**,
 r/o Gloria and Fernando Dino-Guida
 12:30 p.m. **Florence Lordi**, r/o Lucy Gonnella

St. Mary's Seminary – Uganda

Monday, March 23, 2020 – Catherine Bloomfield,
 r/o Mr. and Mrs. Michael Morrissey
 Tuesday, March 24, 2020 – Catherine Bloomfield,
 r/o Christy and DJ Giordano

Sunday, March 22:

7:00 a.m. *Mass (Church)*
 8:30 a.m. *Mass (Church)*
 10:00 a.m. *Confessions*
 10:30 a.m. *Mass (Church)*
 12:30 p.m. *Mass (Church)*

Monday, March 23:

8:00 a.m. *Daily Mass (Church)*

Tuesday, March 24:

8:00 a.m. *Mass (Church)*

Wednesday, March 25:

8:00 a.m. *Daily Mass (Church)*

Thursday, March 26:

8:00 a.m. *Daily Mass (Church)*

Friday, March 27:

8:00 a.m. *Daily Mass (Church)*

Saturday, March 28:

4:00 p.m. *Confessions*
 5:00 p.m. *Mass (Church)*

Weekly Readings

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b; Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53

Sunday: Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 or Jn 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45



Collection for weekend of March 7 & 8: \$5,230.55, Diocesan Assessment \$1,425.00

Online Collection: \$3,069.00, Online Givers: 759

Please consider online giving or mailing in your donations while Masses are suspended.



Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper - April 9 at 6:00pm
Good Friday Passion of the Lord - April 10 at 3:00pm
Holy Saturday - Blessing of Food - April 11 at 11:00am
Easter Vigil Mass – April 11at 8:00pm
Easter Sunday Mass Schedule - 7:00am, 8:30am, 10:30am and 12:30pm

Confessions are heard Saturdays at 4:00pm and Sundays at 10:00am, which include Palm Sunday.



Pray for the Elect during Lent. The following Catechumens (those who have not been baptized) and Candidates (those who have been baptized in a Christian faith) intend to be received into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil. We ask the community to pray for them during Lent as they make their final preparations: Douglas Kauffelds, Kelsey Kauffelds, Dean Mars, Mitchell Mars, Devika Nash, Tracy Siegell

Loving Lord, you call all people to you. Thank you for helping these Catechumens and Candidates to hear your call. Keep them faithful to Your word as we draw close to the Easter Sacraments. Bless the families, Sponsors and all who support them in their faith. Let this Lent and Easter be a time of spiritual growth and awareness of your Presence. We ask this in the name of our Lord. Amen



We welcome George & Alexis O'Malley and Lisa Mongal who recently joined Saint Aloysius Parish.



Wedding Banns: Matthew Hegedus and Julie Dizenzo (3)



ALL Parish activities and meetings have been cancelled until further notice. The Parish Office also remains closed to visitors. However, we are responding to all calls and emails. Religious Education and Mother Seton Academy have cancelled classes with a tentative re-opening on Monday, March 30. Diocesan events have also been cancelled. Please refer to the Parish website www.saintaloyisiusonline.org for updates and more information. For Daily and Sunday Mass schedules please refer to Fr. Bambrick's letter on Page 2. Please also visit our website www.saintaloyisiusonline.org to see Virtual Mass with Fr. Bambrick and Fr. Jim.

Have you considered Online Giving? Due to the COVID-19 Virus, we are asked to remain home and away from large groups which prevents our community from attending Mass and impacts our Sunday collection. However, the parish and Church remain open with heat or air conditioning being used, salaries and a mortgage to pay, and a myriad of other items in the budget. Only through your donations are we able to pay these expenses. If you haven't considered giving online before, perhaps now is the time. Online giving is an easy, secure way to support the parish and help us meet our financial obligations. Go to our website www.saintaloyisiusonline.org and select the "GIVING" tab to get started. We are always here to help if you have any questions. Thank you for your continued financial support of the parish.

As always, if you have any questions regarding rescheduled meetings give us a call. We are here to help you during these trying times.

ANNUAL ENROLLMENT: Rose Hubit, James and Natalie McMahon, Francesco Oliveira, Tom Ferullo and the Ferullo Family, Joseph Moroney, McCarthy Family, Boryschuk Family, Louise Jones, Joseph Romaszka, Kristen Kim Hurley, Patricia Sullivan, Mary Ann & Joseph Lipari, Jack Campbell, Sam Sorce, Tina Fiore, David Brown, Frank Campbell, Michele Stabile, Lisa Trecozzi, Cataldo Loidice, Carol Casciotta, Gaetano Lazzaro, Lourdes DeCastro, Anne Adamo, Karen Maniscalco, Anna DeZego, Gloria Ariemma, Jill Jeffrey, Robert Biachino, Albert DeGano, Arnold Parker, John O'Connell, Geraldine Dohanyos, Ted Wojton, Helen Teehan and Mary McCarthy, John Stasny, Evelyn & Coach Fred Hill, Stephen Caruso, Buster Koch, Ruth Valentino, Robert Perry, Frances G. "Skip" Schuber, III, Spencer Callahan, John Condon, Charles J. Salvatore, Richard Wood, Santiago C. Lim, Lydia Durano Rodriguez, Julia Talarick, Michael Seyglinski, Ellen Ciufu, Consuelo & Sal Remigio, Bernadette & Dr. Thomas McTighe, Tim McTighe, Eva Martinez, Margaret Echols, Maura Quinn, Salvatore Vino, Marion & Joseph Stanzione, John Riso, Gregory Hanson, Kathleen McGlynn, Frances Curatolo, Roseann Provino, Merced Loterena, Cleen Serafini, Betty Meyer, Matthew Sanitate, Christina Constantineau, Agnes Oleniak, Julius Witzczak, Anthony Witzczak, Nellie & John Olesnski, Adrienne Croos, Marrash Family, Nestor Ribaya, Jeffrey Skukdinas, Stanley Frederick, Phyllis & Coach Mike Sheppard, Sue & Coach Ed Blankmeyer, Theresa Poggi, Patricia Slot McGovern, David Murray, John Connelly, George Kovalik, Bonnie Large, Linda Alm, Francis J. Brauner, Natividad V. Pasquariello, St. Valerie Paccone, Conie Russo-Riley, Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Ashkar and Genevieve Phelan, Emanuel Colonna, Margaret Cirile, Desmond Fitzgerald, David Fitzgerald, Stephen Janzekovich, Diane Cross, Teddy Domanski, Albert Holl, Cassai & Tardio Families, Eileen & George Graziano, John Syarto, Adeline Mauro, Joseph Mauro, Carmela Cetta, Michael Cetta, Vincent Cetta, Frank Cetta, Angie Albano, Carmela Vicidomini, Marie Pompa, Jimmy & Karen Jandoli & Family, Lawrence Keffer, Brady Dmytrow, Manuel Oliveira, Domingos Oliveira, Maria Oliveira, Jeanette Iacono, Edith Lane & John Wilkins, Andrea Runk, Jesus Castaneta, Sophie Johnson, Agness Rottkamp, Susan Cucolo, Antonio Esposito, Gina Maria Nelson, Joseph A. Pizzuto, Mrs. Kathleen Lampman, Sal Amatuzzo, Cathy Lindner, Troise, Marino & Emery Families, Flavin & Ottendorf Families, Mark N. Kelly, Michael Kelly, Edward Brown, Edward Brown, Jr., Bob Paneque, Rose Frank, Anne Rotonda, Lorraine & Wally Gojdzis, Andrew Kuminski, Stephen Pirniak, Vivian Owen, Rosemary Marzano, Ivan Sriwardena, Phyllis & Harry Gunasekara, Peter Miluk, Fred Strina, Victoria Rizzi, Susan Whiting, Timothy Ryan, Mary Glennon, Douglas Schultz, MaryAnn Russo, Eric Laviscount, Richard Iacono, Marie McIntire, Thomas Fitzsimmons, Mary Monetti Lordi & the Monetti Family, Alfred Malangone, Theodore Monetti, Jr., Rose & Sam Malangone, Baber & Kammel Family, Thomas Cetnar, Carol Markulin, Anthony Giammona, Larry Houlihan, Bob Chojnacki, Jr., Kathleen M. Kelley, Marion Scaramuzzo, Peter Kennedy, Ely D'AGrosa, Terrance Bazlewicz, Armando Sablo, Coach Jack Nagy, Pitkethley & Kuhl Families, Quillinan & Walters Families, John Ariozzi, Mrs. Bobbie Bowie Smith Soldano, Adele Soldano, Members of the Knights of Columbus, Thomas Sweeney, Chad Saner, John Lombardi, Marjorie Gordon, Joseph DeMasi, Armando Sablo, Coach Jack Nagy, Pitkethley & Kuhl Families, Quillinan & Walters Families, Angel M. Ramos, Dennis Pacyna, Arlene Hassler, Richard Iacona, Josephine Libratore, Michael Syglinski, Kate Elizabeth Spillane, Rosemary Donnelly, Stanzione Family, Neil Sullivan, Charles Panattieri, Adolfo Arias, Sophie Popieniek, Agnes Kale, Infant son, Sean Diver Callaghan, McCarthy Family, Boryschuk Family, Louise Jones, Cecilia Araba Nyamekye, Frank Yackinous, Helen Dubog, Andrew Hudson and Family, Mazie Bostinto, Denise Mullin, Cheryl Lee Bonocore, Joseph C. Romaszka, John Prigarro, Joseph LaScala, Larry Heller and Family, David C. McPolin, David K. McPolin, James Newell, Vincenzo Scotto DiCesare, Margaret Werner, George A. Sudol, John R. Demspoy, Thomas Ventriglio, John and Barbara Caramelli, Jennifer Schaming, Anthony Garamella, Sr., Anna Christian, Fredrick Morina, Rudolf Augustin, Sr., Nellie Yeager, Jean DeDuca, Gerard Duwe, Maryann Smith, Veronica Margiotta, Amildo Petroceli, Elizabeth Walters, Anna Marrapodi, Victoria Rissi, Roberta Rosen, Michael Polidori, Jack Bollentin, Helen Ludowig, Thomas O'Brien, Mary Suchan, Elaine Smith, Daniel Stolz, Pauline Murphy.

We have many options for a long term remembrance of a loved one. Please call the Parish Secretary, Pat Mulholland, at the Parish Office for additional information.

Annual Enrollment – 12 Masses celebrated the 1st Friday of each month at 8:00am (\$25.00 donation for 12 Masses).

The Gift of Bread and Wine – Can be offered for one week (Sunday through Saturday) for a donation of \$50.00.

Devotional Lamps are silent sentinels lifting up our prayer intentions to the Lord even when we cannot be physically present in the church. You can honor or remember a loved one with one of the Devotional or Shrine Candles in the Church.

Sanctuary, Blessed Mother and Holy Family Devotional Candles will be lit in honor or memory of your loved one (\$25.00 donation for one week)

Shrine Candles – Located at the entrance of the Church, these candles will be lit in honor or memory of your loved one and includes a label listing your loved one's name for a period of **one year** (\$250.00 donation per year)

Stars of St. Aloysius – Honor or remember someone who may have been a light in your life with a light pendant in the church. There are a limited number of lights available in several areas of the church (\$500.00 donation).



Prayer to Our Lady Health of the Sick

O Mary,
you always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and of hope.

We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the cross
took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm.

You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need, and we are sure
you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee, we may return to joy and to
feasting after this time of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who has taken upon himself our sufferings
and carried our sorrows to lead us, through the cross,
to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.

Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God.
Do not disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial,
but deliver us from every danger,
O glorious and blessed Virgin.

Amen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE MEN AND WOMEN IN OUR ARMED FORCES ESPECIALLY:

OS2 David W. Beem	ClpL Eric Streiter USMC	WO1 Michael Lynch	MSGT Darryl Guppy
GYSGT Chris O'Shea	CPT Thomas Dirienz	SGT Nicole Marchitto	LCPL Ryan Barbato
LC Sean Ippolito	LT2 George Wolchko	LCPL Nicholas Clemente USMC	IC2 Christy Rabell
PVT Donald C. Cleaves	CPT Chris Mision	SSGT Andrew Monigan	MJR Daniel P. Brady
SPC John E. Daly	MJR Daniel Murphy	LCPL William Nelson	SGT Michael Perez
LCPL Matthew Tracy	CPL Keith Arway	Sgt Christopher Roitzsch USMC	OS3 Steven Chennells
AIC Ryan Johnson	SSGT William Jansen	PVT John Jad DeStefano	LCDR Matthew W. Smith
CPT Patrick Horan	SGT Daniel Sanchez, Jr.	SGT Michael R. Collins USMC	CPT Michael Loconsolo
1st LT. Ross Trampler	CPL Robert P. Kocsis USMC	PVT Sean Brenner	CPT Robert Murphy
CPL Alex Raney	SSGT Philip Raimondo	LCPL Matthew Ribera	CPL Brandon A Densmore
SGT Craig Bauerlein	PFC Timothy Rodman Sheeran	SGT Thomas J. Crennan, Jr	MJR Scott Davis
SPC Daniel Beagan	SPC Martin M. Kabba	CPT Laura A. Newman	SFC Raymond Ostrowsk
SFC Matthew Brickley	PVT Angel Louis Merced, Jr	CPT Patricia McDonald	LT2 Robert F. Farrell
PFC Adam Felibrico	SN Robert Titus	H.M. James S. Cooney, USN	SPC Joe Lovallo
PVT Kyle Haren	HTFA Kevin Thompson	CDR Matthew James Bowen USN	MSGT Leo VanMiert
TSgt Anthony Capasso	EM3 John Questel	CPO Christopher McCormack	LT Karen Scasani
Lt. Marco Jon Barral	CPT Jason DiDomenico	SGT Johanna Lovallo Medero	SGT Leonard Medero
LT2 Air Force Cameron Lindsey		LT2 Air Force Nicholas James Accardi	
CPT Eric Dixon	SSGT Conor Neil	SGT Justin Silk	Lt2 Scott Maraldo
Sgt. Evan Myhren	Sr. Airman Patrick Robert McCloskey		MJR Kenneth Brady
Capt. Robert F. Farrell			

In Memoriam

Raymond Pavelka, Michael Sichenze, Rosemarie Ruby, Frank Farrar, Rose Basile, Josephine Loretta

Please remember in your prayers these friends of our Parish who have recently died. Please also pray for all the deceased members of our Parish, the Souls in Purgatory, and those who died in the Service of our Country. May they enjoy peace in new life with Christ Jesus.

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS *Lord of Life, you desire wholeness for your people. Be with those who ask for help. Please bring health, healing and hope to those in our community who ask for our prayers. Amen.* Timothy Dolan, James McMahon, Kathleen McMahon, Diane Carriero, Susan Gardner, Christine Church, Maria Petrocelli, Ercolina Petrocelli, Caryn Cohen, Tony Rosselli, Cathie Lovuola, Curtis Hart, Vinnie Gagliardi, Jen Arico, Margaret Yousses, Vocation Awareness, Janis Bell, Christopher Hunt, Brian Venables, Joyce Dempsey, Andrea Virella, Harriet & Robert Milne, Logan Martucci, Cyril Weaver and Baby Nicholas, Kimmie Luke, Paige Luke, Stephen Maraldo, Christine Vivona, Karen Cassidy, Owen Leccese, Signe Koval, Hank Lilienkamp, Walter Heublein, Kelly Pierfy, Jimmy, Sammy, Melissa Whitehead, Vincent Carucci, Kyle Johnson, Carlos Ascevido, Noreen Harold Fell, Lois Roby, Mary Stewart, Richard Reba, Dan Licknack, Rachel Lynn Franek, Frederick Negrathan, Sr., Kevin Barone, Kathryn Ghnouly, Carol Joseph, Ed Long, Michael Willie, Ricky De Blois, Anastasia Aserdziez, Pat Gallagher, Pete Albany, Louis Tanini, Sophia, Mike DiS., Michael Murawski, Donna Maglio, A Special Intention, Joey Rubino, Chase Joseph Ruggiero, Bonnie Ruggiero, Ray Perez, Elmiere Buannic, Jerry Cohen, Ann Cramer, Annamarie DeLeonardis, Linda Leccese, Ryan Nodine, Kristen Sotack, Aunt Mary, Marvin Bernstein, Lydia Gonzalez, Nicholas Lacitignola, Nicholas DeVito, Irene Cohen, Chris Bligh, Tara Gaffney, Ed Skok, Koren Dubbs, Judy Saal, Ayesha Hordugoda, Susan Scalzo, Barbara McCoy, Talia Nielsen, Christine Spedding, Sonny Panattieri, Family & Friends, Peace on Earth, Raymond Mamazza, Sr., Baby Benso, Ronnie Perry, John Ghnouly, Deirdre Sriwardena, Bernadette Malter Reed, Charles Sharo, Peggy Murphy, Colleen Owens, Brian Camera, Judy Weaver, Roger Kliemisch, Karen Shines, Joe Scalzo, Jaclyn Mooney, Greg Rinaldi, Andrew Harsanyi, John Harsanyi, Marge Sabo, Jacqueline Krutulis, Bertha Vihonsky, Maggie Wright, Anthony DiPaolo, Luka & Amanda Zrno, Richard Pancredi, Peter Rodriguez, Baby Adam Mastrianni Sorge, Paula Ricciardi, Trevor Finamore, William Raimondi, Lauren Brescia, Steve Blecki, Theresa Chowdhury, David Buckley, John Longo, Dana Baker, Denis Campbell, Aida Dierking, Bernadette Clifford, Baryt Schone, Jody Fletcher, John Salvatore, Bob Horriagan, Angela Hardie, Melissa Banard, Diane Fitzgerald and Samuel Catalino, Dana Baker, Barbara Scarpetti, Michele Fletcher, Owen McCabe.

Thank you for your prayers for all those on our intercessory and armed forces prayer list.

To add or change information please contact the Parish Office.

The Sacraments at St. Aloysius Parish

- † **Baptisms:** We generally baptize at 2:00 p.m. on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sundays of most months. If you would like to arrange your baby's Baptism please call the Parish Office. A baptism prep class is required. Baptism prep classes are held on the first Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. **The next class is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, April 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. You must call the Parish Office to register for the class.**
- † **Marriage:** Couples should make arrangements and start Marriage Prep with the Parish Office at least one year in advance of the planned wedding date and **before** finalizing any social plans. Couples must be registered at least six months before booking their wedding. **If you are thinking of having a "destination wedding", please call us first. We can offer some helpful information.**
- † **Anointing of the Sick:** *No Longer Last Rites! If you are suffering from a terminal illness, have a chronic illness or will be having surgery soon you can receive the Anointing of the Sick.* There is no reason to wait until near death, please call 732-370-0500 ext. 3.
- † **First Communion and Confirmation:** Please call Religious Education at 732-370-1515 ext. 311.
- † **Adult Sacraments of Initiation (RCIA & Adult Confirmation Class):** Please call Fr. Jim; ext. 207 or Joey; ext. 202.
- † **Reconciliation/Confessions:** Saturday 4:00-4:30 p.m. & Sunday: 10:00 a.m. By appointment call 732-370-0500.

Sponsor Certificates: Only registered parishioners who have received all Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation) and, if married, a marriage recognized by the Catholic Church, can be given certification to be a sponsor for Baptisms and Confirmations. Please call the parish office if you need a Sponsor Certificate or are unsure of your parishioners status.



*Keep Praying
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A Coronavirus Prayer

Jesus Christ, you traveled through towns and villages “curing every disease and illness.” At your command, the sick were made well. Come to our aid now, in the midst of the global spread of the coronavirus, that we may experience your healing love.

Heal those who are sick with the virus.

May they regain their strength and health through quality medical care.

Heal us from our fear, which prevents nations from working together and neighbors from helping one another.

Heal us from our pride, which can make us claim invulnerability to a disease that knows no borders.

Jesus Christ, you traveled through towns and villages “curing every disease and illness.” Come to our aid now, that we may experience your healing love.

Jesus Christ, healer of all, stay by our side in this time of uncertainty and sorrow.

Be with those who have died from the virus. May they be at rest with you in your eternal peace.

Be with the families of those who are sick or have died. As they worry and grieve, defend them from illness and despair. May they know your peace.

Be with the doctors, nurses, researchers and all medical professionals who seek to heal and help those affected and who put themselves at risk in the process.

May they know your protection and peace.

Be with the leaders of all nations. Give them the foresight to act with charity and true concern for the well-being of the people they are meant to serve. Give them the wisdom to invest in long-term solutions that will help prepare for or prevent future outbreaks. May they know your peace, as they work together to achieve it on earth.

Whether we are home or abroad, surrounded by many people suffering from this illness or only a few, Jesus Christ, stay with us as we endure and mourn, persist and prepare.

In place of our anxiety, give us your peace.

Jesus Christ, heal us.

Prayer composed by Kerry Weber, Executive Editor, America Magazine

2020 Family Lent Calendar				
26 Ash Wednesday	27	28 <i>Abstain from Meat</i>	29	1
Fast and abstain from meat Check online for Ash Wednesday schedule	Give up sweets today	Soup & Stations 6 pm	Say an Our Father for young men to answer the call to the priesthood.	Say the Lenten Prayer as a family
2	3 <i>St. Katharine Drexel</i>	4 <i>St. Casimir</i>	5 <i>Sts. Perpetua and Felicity Martyrs</i>	6 <i>Abstain from Meat</i>
Pray a Hail Mary for our Elected Officials	Pray the Glory Be	At dinner say 3 things you are thankful for	Give up TV today	Spend 5 minutes in silent prayer Soup & Stations 6 pm
7	8	9 <i>St. Francis of Rome</i>	10	11
Drink only water today	Say the Lenten Prayer as a family	Say a prayer asking God for more vocations	Pray for our Parish Priests	Pray for the conversion of sinners
12	13 <i>Abstain from Meat</i>	14	15	16
Say a Hail Mary for Pope Francis	Compliment someone Soup & Stations 6 pm	Ask Mother Seton's intercession for Catholic Education	Say the Lenten Prayer as a Family	Give up electronics today
17 <i>St. Patrick</i>	18 <i>St. Cyril of Jerusalem</i>	19 <i>St. Joseph</i>	20 <i>Abstain from Meat</i>	21
Do a chore with a happy heart	Ask the Holy Spirit for wisdom	Ask St. Joseph to intercede for all dads	Spend 5 minutes in silent prayer Soup & Stations 6 pm	Say an Our Father for Bishop O'Connell
22	23	24	25 <i>Annunciation</i>	26
Say the Lenten Prayer as a family	Skip snacks between meals today	Say a prayer of thanksgiving today	Pray a Hail Mary for your mom	Pray for all unborn babies
27 <i>Abstain from Meat</i>	28	29	30	31
Soup and Stations 6 pm	Do not listen to music in the car today	Say the Lenten prayer as a family	Skip dessert today	Take a short shower today
1 <i>St. Francis of Paola</i>	2	3 <i>Abstain from Meat</i>	4 <i>St. Isidore</i>	5 <i>Palm Sunday</i>
Give up television	Pray an Our Father, a Hail Mary and a Glory Be	Soup and Stations 6 pm	Give up electronic games	Say the Lenten prayer as a family
6	7	8	9 <i>Holy Thursday</i>	10 <i>Good Friday</i>
Give a compliment	Call or visit someone who is sick or homebound.	Pray for those who want to convert to Catholicism	Read Matthew 26: 26 - 30	Stations of the Cross & Fast and abstain from meat
11	12 <i>Easter Sunday</i>			
Pray for those receiving sacraments in the RCIA program				

Lenten Prayer

Almighty and Everlasting God, You have given the human race Jesus Christ our Savior as a model of humility. He fulfilled Your Will by becoming Man, and giving His life on the Cross. Help us to bear witness to You by following His example of suffering, and make us worthy to share in His Resurrection. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son. Amen.

(from Catholic.org)

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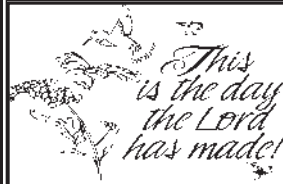


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