



## St. Catherine Church

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### SATURDAY, March 15: VIGIL OF SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

**5:00 p.m. MASS** – † George and Anna Bodnar by Dan and Suzanne Brown

### SUNDAY, March 16: SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

**9:00 a.m. MASS** – Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

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**Monday, March 17:** Lenten Weekday (Saint Patrick, Bishop)

**8:00 a.m.** – † Joseph S. Danish by Joe and Maria

**Tuesday, March 18:** Lenten Weekday (Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop)

**8:00 a.m.** – † **NO MASS**

**Wednesday, March 19:** SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

**8:00 a.m.** – † In Honor of Fr. Joe by SVdP

**Thursday, March 20:** Lenten Weekday

**8:00 a.m.** – † For Vocations

**Friday, March 21:** Lenten Weekday

**8:00 a.m.** – † People of the Parish

**7:00 p.m.** – Stations & Benediction

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### SATURDAY, March 22: VIGIL OF THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

**5:00 p.m. MASS** – † Andy Ketner by Louise and A.J.

### SUNDAY, March 23: THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

**9:00 a.m. MASS** – Living and Deceased Members of Saint Catherine of Siena Parish

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**The 2025 Catholic Ministries Drive** begins throughout our diocese this weekend. This year's theme, "Follow Me" (Mt 16:24), invites us into a deeper relationship with Christ, as we share in His mission of love and service, proclaiming the Good News to all.

Our Catholic Ministries Drive supports 10 ministries throughout our diocese, which all fall into one of our three main focuses of evangelization, serving those in need, or formation of our priests and deacons.

Please reflect on Bishop Mark's invitation when it arrives in your mail, and prayerfully consider supporting our diocesan ministries. You may return your pledge card and donation through the mail. **Please mail it directly to the Diocese.**

All contributions received beyond our parish goal will come back to the parish. Thank you for supporting the Catholic Ministries Drive and our diocese's vital ministries.

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 16, 2025

## Schedule of Liturgical Ministries for March 22/ 23, 2025

MASS	Lectors	Altar Servers	Hospitality Ministers (Greeters)	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
<b>Saturday 5:00 p.m.</b>	Dayton Shugarts	Volunteer	Volunteer	Mary Lyons Maria Danish
<b>Sunday 9:00 a.m.</b>	Suzanne Brown	Nolan Starr Jax McCartney Dane Varner	Volunteer	Marcia Slates Volunteer

### Stewardship Reflections

**March 16, 2025**

2<sup>nd</sup> **Sunday of Lent**

In last week's Gospel, we followed Jesus into the desert where He fasted and prayed. This week, He leads us up a mountain to witness His

Transfiguration. Why these

experiences? Because He is preparing us to go with Him in a few short weeks to a hilltop, Golgotha, where He will lay down His life for our sake – and finally He will take us to an empty cave where He triumphed over sin and death once, and for all.

Jesus perfectly understands our humanity. He knows we need to experience times of self-denial and testing, in order to arrive at mountain – top moments when we see and feel His glorious presence in our lives. The reason for all of our fasting and prayer and almsgiving during lent is to be reawakened to all God has done for humanity and to all that He has done for each of us personally. While there is nothing sinful in complacency in our daily routine, as Christian stewards we are called to so much more!

We need to train ourselves, or allow Jesus to train us, to say 'Yes' to His will and to offer our lives back to Him. In doing so, we too become 'transfigured.'

This is what it means to live fully awake; this is a stewardship way of life and it is glorious indeed.



SANCTUARY CANDLE:

The Sanctuary Candle acknowledging The Real Presence of Christ in the tabernacle is burning this week for



**Poor souls**

**COLLECTION COUNTING SCHEDULE for:**

**Sunday, March 16, 2025:** Dennis Drake

**Sunday, March 23, 2025:** Kathy Lantz



Ethan Clemens, Caden Feather, Sloane Hancock, Abram Weirich, Louis Minisci

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (CCD) –**

Regularly scheduled classes will be held every Sunday from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.

**Pro Life**

**March 16** -“Every crime against life is a blow to peace especially if it strikes at the moral conduct of the people...with horrible and often legal ease, as in the case of the suppression of incipient life by abortion.” Pope Paul VI

***Marian Devotions:***

Approximately 30 minutes before each Mass begins with the recitation of the Holy Rosary.

***Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick:***

Request the Anointing of the Sick when you know the date of an upcoming medical procedure or the beginning of the medical treatment by calling the Parish Office. The peace that the Sacrament offers can be yours during the days you prepare for the medical appointment.

**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 16, 2025**

March/April 2025 Schedule for Liturgical Ministries at Saint Catherine			
Date/Mass	Readers	Altar Servers	Ministers
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 15, 2025	Louise Ketner	Maggie Stiffler	Louise Ketner Kevin Muha
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 16, 2025	Beth Lear	Quinn Weirich Abe Weirich Julian Weirich	Volunteer Will Crouse
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 22, 2025	Dayton Shugarts	Volunteer	Mary Lyons Maria Danish
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 23, 2025	Suzanne Brown	Nolan Starr Jax McCartney Dane Varner	Marcia Slates Volunteer
5:00 p.m. Saturday March 29, 2025	Ed McGarvey	Guy Kumpf	Andrea Christoff Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday March 30, 2025	Louise Ketner	Branson Gipe Kasen Gipe	Louise Ketner Beth Lear
5:00 p.m. Saturday April 5, 2025	Cathy Wilson	Guy Kumpf	Kevin Muha Mary Lyons
9:00 a.m. Sunday April 6, 2025	Beth Lear	Bella Starr Maria Mellott	Will Crouse Marcia Slates
5:00 p.m. Saturday April 12, 2025	Maggie Stiffler	Ann Bonson	Maggie Stiffler Maria Danish
9:00 a.m. Sunday April 13, 2025	Suzanne Brown	Julian Weirich Quinn Weirich Abe Weirich	Beth Lear Volunteer
8:30 p.m. Saturday April 19, 2025	<b>Easter Vigil</b>	<b>Easter Vigil</b>	<b>Easter Vigil</b>
9:00 a.m. Sunday April 20, 2025	<b>Easter Sunday</b>	<b>Easter Sunday</b>	<b>Easter Sunday</b>
5:00 p.m. Saturday April 26, 2025	Dayton Shugarts	Maggie Stiffler	Andrea Christoff Volunteer
9:00 a.m. Sunday April 27, 2025	Dennis Drake	Dane Varner Nolan Starr Jax McCartney	Will Crouse Marcia Slates