

MARCH 31, 2019
FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

+ SCRIPTURE REFLECTION THIS WEEK +

As we journey with our Elect and Candidates to the Sacraments of Easter, we encounter the man born blind who is healed by Jesus. The Second Scrutiny of our Elect is celebrated today as we pray that God remove from their hearts all that might blind them to goodness and God's grace. Seeing with the eyes of faith can change our view of the world and of one another. May this grace help us all to prepare more eagerly for the great Feast of Easter soon to come!

YOUR SACRIFICE THIS WEEK

Thank you for your sacrificial gift for our church. Our goal to meet our budget is \$5,000.00. Thank you for your generosity!

SUNDAY OFFERING: 3/24/19 \$5,366.00
SECOND OFFERING: Catholic Relief \$212.00
Designated Offering Today: Church in Europe
Designated Offering Next Week: Charity of Parish

TETELESTAI (IT IS FINISHED)

Is the drama of the Passion of Jesus that will be performed at our church on the weekend of April 5-7, 2019. Our very own Syan and Kyllan Hughes auditioned and have a part in this year's production. Well done, Syan and Kyllan! How can we all get involved? Come to one of the performances, help to host and offer hospitality, but most especially pray for the success of the weekend as a time of spiritual renewal and preparation for the celebration of Easter!

SUPER MASS CHOIR FOR EASTERTIME!

All voices are encouraged to come and be part of the Super Choir for Holy Week and Easter here at SAOLF. Rehearsals are on Tuesdays at 6pm until 8pm. Come and share your gifts as we prepare for the great Feasts of Lent, Holy Week, and Easter. For more information, see Terrie McElroy.

FIRST COMMUNION AND RECONCILIATION

Register for the preparation of the sacraments of Reconciliation and 1st Communion. Parents of the children receiving 1st Reconciliation and Communion Please contact Mrs. Mack or any of the staff to register your child(ren). First Holy Communion is set for May 5 and Confirmation is set for May 26.

Please See Mrs. Mack, Toni Smith, or Melissa McCall today!

**MASS INTENTIONS AND
SCRIPTURES THIS WEEK**

Mar 31 FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

**Jos 5:9a, 10-12 Ps 34:2-7 Cor 5:17-21
Lk 15:1-3, 11-32**

5:00 pm For the Parish
8:30 am Toussaint Zoumalde, OFM Cap. dec.
10:30am Josh Harper, dec.

April 1 Lenten Weekday

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

April 2 Lenten Weekday

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

April 3 Lenten Weekday

Is 49:8-15 Ps 145:8-9, 13c-14, 17-18
Jn 5:17-30

April 4 Lenten Weekday

Ex 32:7-14 Ps 106:19-23 Jn 5:31-47

April 5 Lenten Weekday

Wis 2:1a, 12-22 Ps 34:17-21, 23
Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

April 6 Lenten Weekday

Jer 11:18-20 Ps 7:2-3, 9b-12 Jn 7:40-53

April 7 FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

**Is 43:16-21 Ps 126:1-6 Phil 3:8-14
Jn 8:1-11**

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

Since 1987, March has been named National Women's History Month. Over the next weeks, we will note the accomplishments of women who have raised generations, served our communities, transformed industries and broken barriers to leadership and inclusion in our nation. The Women's Group will sponsor a Women's History Fair in the Hall today after both Masses.

LENT 2019 IS HERE!

All Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence. This means no meat on these days. **Good Friday is a day of fasting**, meaning those who are 16 to 59 years old are asked to eat only one full meal and two lesser meals with no snacks in between. Water is allowed!

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Each Friday of Lent at 6pm (Except April 5). Please come and pray the last journey Jesus made for us.

+PRAY FOR THE SICK+

Ogechi Achunine Mary Avery Georgia Atkinson Kalima Assami Joyce Baker David Baker Bessie Bolles Joyce Blanton-Smith Darryl Blanton Donna Blythewood Warb Boykin, Jr. Anna Broadhead Christine Byrd William Byrd Marcella Caffie Rosemarie Criniti Marion Campbell Kathy Clayton Terrell Cole Robin Davis Edna Evans Margaret Ferguson Catherine Ford Richard Gayle James Nakima James Forte Della Gholson Myron Gholson Adriene Hall JoAnn Hinson Althea Hite Ursula Hite Patricia Heard Estelle Hodges Kyllan Hughes Valada Hutchinson Maxine Jackson Andrea Johnson Joseph Jones Brianna Jones Evelyne Jones Reaber Jones Craig Kelly Lynne Kelly Janie Kincaid Francesca Lehu Dolores Malby Elizabeth Malby LaVerta Marshall Joseph Mangham Bill Miller David McClain Chantel McConnell Chaquita McClinton Sharon McDuffie Robert McDuffie Sr. Terri Mohr Verendez Moore Marjorie Murphy Theda Nichols Lounette Payne Erma Pollard Ernestine Poole Nisha Presley Sue Scott Regina Shanklin Jerry Shelton Kevin Sipp Mary St. Clair Joyce Sparks John Strozier David Smith Barbara Sudberry Janice Thompson Hubert Watson Desiree Webb Aris White Catherine Young James Keifer Kathy Heard Eboni Edwards Fredrick Ross II Monique Johnson Margie Jones Barbara Marshall Brown Fay Grady Rachael Glaster Odessa Marshall Jame Hoyle Judy Guzy Dean Hodges Sr. Latina Thomas Constance Durrah Mary Roberts Donald Leftwich James Jackson Marcia St. John Leola Wilson Sabrina Wilson Betty Moore Ophelia Swain Soloman Fidela Lozada Evelyn Morson-Eddie Alonzo Givens Carrie Freeman Juanita Carter Regina Woodard Serah Beverly Greene Reed Jahiem Wilson Ali'Bey Warren Family

Pray for the service women and men of our country!

PRAY FOR OUR ELECT AND CANDIDATES

Please keep in your prayers these our brothers and sisters as they make their final preparations to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist at Easter:

Rayshawn Alliston	Shcarra Benn
Robin Allen	Oyekunle Olowu
Daislane Brown	Alisha Brown
Liyah Wright	Rashaun Ringwall
Keniya Ringwall	Kenneth Ringwall
Regina Woodard	Aria Johnson

EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS

It is time to prepare our church for Easter. If you wish to remember a loved one with an Easter plant in the sanctuary, please use the envelopes provided in the Narthex and Gallery Hallway. Donation is \$15.00 per plant. Names are due in by Sunday, April 14. Thank you for your generosity and support.

MASSES WEEKEND OF APRIL 6/7

Due to the Tetelestai performance, please consider attending the Saturday Vigil Mass or the Sunday 8:30 Mass due to equipment and space. There will still be mass at 10:30 am. Thank you!

NO SWAGG

On Sunday April 7 or on Sunday April 21.

BR. AKOLLA TO BE ORDAINED A PRIEST!

The date that has been set for the ordination of Br. Akolla to the priesthood is June 15 in Pittsburgh. There will be buses going that morning and returning in the afternoon. Cost of the bus is \$25.00. Please sign up on the sheets in the narthex and gallery hallway. Seating is limited and available on first come first serve basis. For more information see Toni Smith or Br. Bob. Directions will also be available for those who wish to drive on their own.

SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday April 14: Mass 5pm, 8:30 am, 10:30am
Palms at all Masses
Procession at 10:30am
Chrism Mass April 16: 7pm at St. John Cathedral
Holy Thursday April 18: 7pm Mass/Prayer until 10pm
Good Friday April 19: 5pm Stations of the Cross
6pm Toasted Cheese Supper
7pm Service of the Passion
Holy Saturday April 20: 7:30pm Easter Vigil
Easter Sunday April 21: Masses at 8:30 and 10:30am

GOOD FRIDAY SUPPER

We will have our regular Good Friday Supper of toasted cheese sandwiches, tomato soup, and salad between the Stations and the Service of the Passion. Donated items may be brought to church by Wednesday, April 17. Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex and Gallery Hallway. Thanks for your contribution to our simply Good Friday Supper!

RICE BOWLS AVAILABLE

Thank you for your response to Thomas Awiapo last Sunday on behalf of Catholic Relief Services. There are additional Rice Bowls available, and they can be brought to church on Holy Thursday. Bring the change in your Rice Bowl, or use the envelope to write a check. Make payable to St. Agnes + Our Lady of Fatima with Rice Bowl in the memo line. Thank you – your gift no matter how small makes a difference!

SUGGESTION BOX

Just a reminder that the suggestion box is available to make your ideas known. All questions will be answered in the bulletin. Let your voice be heard!

Suggestion received:

Address the use of the Father Judge Chapel for children who may be having difficulties.

This was addressed at Mass two weeks ago, and a reminder is offered each Sunday by the commentator. Know that ushers have been instructed to assist in directing folks to the Father Judge Chapel as needed.

Offer the Alpha Faith Sharing Program in the parish.

This process of faith sharing is being included in the Strategic planning process and will hopefully be offered in our parish this fall.

ELECTRONIC GIVING OPPORTUNITY

Electronic giving is an option for your support of St. Agnes+Our Lady of Fatima. Go to our parish website at www.saolf.org and click on the tab marked "Make a Gift." Instructions are given there for electronic giving as well as a number for giving by text message. Thank you for your cyber generosity!

MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Mar 31	SWAGG	8:30am SH
	Woman History Exhibit	After both Mass SH
April 1	Bokwa Exercise	6:30pm SH
	Penance Service	7:00pm CH
April 2	Hot Meal	5:30pm SH
	Super Mass Choir Rehearsal	6:30pm CH
April 3	Confirmation Meeting	6:15pm MA
	NA Meeting	7:00pm SH
April 4	Leaders Meeting	7:00pm SA
	Bokwa Exercise	7:30pm SH
April 5	Office Closed	
	Station of the Cross	6:00pm CH
April 6	Line Dance	3:00pm MA

SCHUBERT HALL UPDATE

The Requests for Proposals from architects were sent out and we received three responses. They were given the scope of work, our budget, and particular needs for the project. Thank you for your continued prayers as we move forward. The architects who have been contacted are:

Robert P. Madison International	<i>responded</i>
Sandvick Architects	no response
AODK Inc.	<i>responded</i>
Hengst Streff Bajko Architects	no response
Moody Nolan Architects	<i>responded</i>

+++ LITURGICAL MINISTRIES +++	
Today Sunday Mar 31, 2019	
5:00 Mass	Ministers to be determined
8:30am Mass	
Commentator:	Sabina Conroy
Lector:	Tyler Hughley
Eucharistic Ministers:	Elizabeth Pendleton Dianne Phillips
Usher:	Lonnie Smith Jacquelyn Hite- Jackson
Greeter:	Theresa Hughley Kyle Hughley
Server:	Sharla Durand
10:30 Mass	
Commentator:	Taniqua Harris
Lector:	Doreatha Stover Felicia Ivery
Eucharistic Ministers:	Bianca Campbell Cecile Gayle Laquisha Andrew Gyta Martin
Usher:	Sheila Griffin McCoy Antoinette Smith Toni Griffin France Eboni Mikel Michelle Booker Linda Weatherspoon
Greeter:	Karen Bradley Myla Montgomery Debbie James Stephanie Montgomery
Server:	Nicole Onuorah Syan Hughes Clarice Banks
Next Sunday April 7, 2019	
5:00 Mass	Ministers to be determined
8:30 Mass	
Commentator:	Pamela Pendleton
Lector:	Vanessa Campbell
Eucharistic Ministers:	Shimeaker Hampton Byron Washington
Usher:	Shirley Tucker Lazarus Oranugo
Greeter:	Donna Dix- Washington Karen McWilliams
Server:	Uzuchukku Oranugo
10:30 Mass	
Commentator:	Terrence Marsh
Lector:	Chidubem Onuorah Dr. Grace Brown
Eucharistic Ministers:	Felicia Ivery Janice Kushner *Laquisha Andrew Davenna Woodson
Usher:	Jeremiah Robinson Antoinette Smith Michelle Booker Donzell Andrew Jr. Linda Weatherspoon Billy Cardwell
Greeter:	Karen Bradley Debbie James Erik Smith
Server:	Jeremy Mangum Ronald Onuorah
Ministers are respectfully reminded to be present at least 10 minutes before Mass begins!	
SEE MINISTRY SCHEDULES AT www.saolf.org	

LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE

Monday, April 1st at 7:00pm. There will be two other priests besides Br. Bob and the option to confess anonymously or face to face. Consider using this opportunity for confession before Easter and getting our hearts and minds right with the Lord.

St. Agnes+Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church



MISSION STATEMENT

*Saint Agnes + Our Lady of Fatima Church
is a visionary Catholic Christian Community.*

As a diverse parish, we embrace

Africentric worship,

Christ centered hospitality,

and missionary service.

Sustained by the wisdom of our elders

and energized by the spirit of our youth,

we come together in faith

as a church family

to give witness to the liberating message

of the Gospel

Schubert Hall Rental

Call the parish office
For available dates and
Rates

Fatima Family Center

6600 Lexington Ave.
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216-391-0505

6800 Lexington Avenue
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PARISH INFORMATION

Office: 216-391-1655
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Website: www.saolf.org

Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 5:00 (Vigil) 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Weekday: As Scheduled
Holyday: 7:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays 4:00 pm or anytime by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism for Infants:

Arrangements made in advance with Carolyn Mack. Godparents must be practicing Catholics.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Preparations begin with priest or deacon BEFORE setting a date and six months prior to intended date. Contact Brother Bob or Deacon Martin before setting a wedding date.

Sacrament of the Sick and Home Visits:

Please contact the parish office.

Parish Registration: Welcome to our parish. To register, please contact the parish office.

PARISH STAFF:

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Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at 12 noon

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