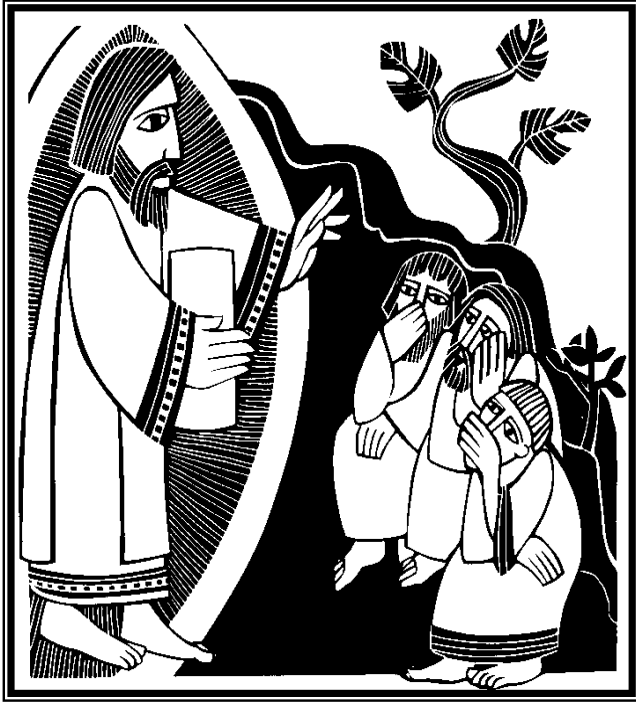


# Second Sunday of Lent

## March 1, 2015

*Jesus was transfigured before them, and His clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them.... Mark 9: 2-10*



### Pray for the Deceased

William J. Prusak  
Lois Hillenbrand,  
Sister of Doris Morsefield



*May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.*

### Poor Clares' Prayer Line

Do you need prayer today? Are your loved ones, co-workers or neighbors in need of God's loving guidance? Call the Poor Clares' Prayer Line at 216-361-0783.

### Mass Intentions - 2015

The Mass Intention Book for 2015 is open. You might like to remember the birthday or anniversary of your living loved ones, as well as the deceased. Mass stipends are \$10 each. Please stop by the Rectory office, or call the office at 226-5116 Monday thru Friday.

### Mountain Climbers

On this Lenten Sunday, we journey with Jesus and Peter, James and John up the mountain of the transfiguration. After our climb, in our exhaustion and weariness, we behold Christ in all His divinity – the divinity that is the source of His teaching, His healing, His feeling. We find ourselves part of the extraordinary connection between Father and Son, between prophecy and fulfillment, between spirit and flesh. In the Lents and Easters of our lives, as we make our way up our own Mount Sinais, our own Tabors, our own Calvaries, may God's light illuminate our way, may Christ travel with us, our guide and protector.

### Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday: Dn 9: 4-10; Lk 6: 36-38  
Tuesday: Is 1: 1-10, 16-20; Mt 23: 1-12  
Wednesday: Jer 18: 18-20; Mt 20: 17-28  
Thursday: Jer 17: 5-10; Lk 16: 19-31  
Friday: Gn 37: 3-4, 12-13, 17-28;  
Mt 21: 33-43, 45-46  
Saturday: Mi 7: 14-15, 18-20; Lk 15: 1-3, 11-32  
Sunday: Ex 20: 1-17; 1 Cor 1: 22-25;  
Jn 2: 13-25

### Lenten Fast and Abstinence



**Fasting** is obligatory for all who are between the ages of 18 and 60. Fasting allows a person to eat one full meal. Two small meals may be taken, not to equal one full meal.

**Abstinence** from meat is obligatory for all who are 14 and older.

**Good Friday** is an obligatory day of fast and abstinence. **Fridays** in Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

### **Mass Intentions for the Week**

Monday, March 2 - Lenten Weekday

5:15 PM

Tuesday, March 3 - Saint Katharine Drexel

8:00 AM

Wednesday, March 4 - Saint Casimir

5:15 PM Jim Pickering

Thursday, March 5 - Lenten Weekday

8:00 AM

Friday, March 6 - Lenten Weekday

5:15 PM John Sclementi

6:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 7 - Saints Perpetua & Felicity

8:00 AM

4:00 PM Earle Buck, Sr.

Sunday, March 8 - Third Sunday of Lent

9:00 AM For the People of the Parish

11:00 AM Louis Kerekes

### **Lakewood Catholic Academy Parishioner**

#### **Tuition Meetings with Fr. Workman**

For those families requesting to receive approval for parishioner tuition rate, they are required to attend one informational meeting with Fr. Workman. As part of Fr. Workman's policy in regards to receiving approval, he meets with at least one parent or guardian every other year. At this meeting, the families will be given the 2015-2016 Parishioner Agreement for Approval of the Parishioner Tuition Rate. Fr. Workman will notify the school of those families who have been approved. The meeting dates are as follows:

#### **Saint James in the Parish Office:**

Saturday, February 28th at 1 pm

Tuesday, March 3rd at 6 pm

#### **Saint Clement in the Church Hall:**

Sunday, March 1st at 1 pm

Thursday, March 5th at 6 pm

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

The Thursday, March 5th meeting date is a change. The meeting had previously been scheduled for Wednesday, March 4th.

### **Liturgical Ministers**

#### **Lector Schedule**

Saturday, March 7:

4:00 pm J. Wagner

Sunday, March 8:

9:00 am M. Smith

11:00 am J. Cudnik

#### **Eucharistic Minister Schedule**

Saturday, March 7:

4:00 pm R. Merritt, J. Dippong, L. Dippong,  
R.M. Janesz, T. Janesz, M.K. Kolenz,  
A. Johnston

Sunday, March 8:

9:00 am M. Kotansky, B. Andrews, L. Andrews  
11:00 am D. Stark, G. Rick, J. Walsh

#### **Server Schedule**

Saturday, March 7:

4:00 pm B. Janesz, L. Janesz, L. Kolenz

Sunday, March 8:

9:00 am R. Duffy, C. Andrews, M. Andrews  
11:00 am I. Cudnik, M. Dineen, P. Triesel

### **Diocesan-Wide Sacrament of Penance**

On Wednesday, March 4th, all churches in the Diocese of Cleveland will offer *"An Evening of Confession"* from 5pm-8pm. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be held at Saint Clement Church. As Pope Francis says, *"God never tires of forgiving us; but we sometimes tire of asking Him to forgive us."* Bring your family and invite friends who may have been away from the Church. For more information, go to:

[www.welcomecatholics.com](http://www.welcomecatholics.com).

### **"Can You Spend Some Time With Me?"**



On the **Fridays of Lent** we will have a special time of Adoration. Beginning with the **Rosary** at 12 noon, we will have **Exposition of the Holy Eucharist** during the afternoon. This is a great opportunity to spend some private time with Jesus as you journey through Lent. At 3 pm we will recite the **Divine Mercy Chaplet**. Mass will be offered at 5:15 pm with **Stations of the Cross and Benediction** beginning at 6 pm. All are welcome to visit the Lord during this special time. To insure the safety of the Church and Holy Eucharist, volunteers are needed so that there is always someone present in the Church. Sign-up sheets are in the Gathering Area and the Rectory.

### **Lenten Mission - Save the Date(s)**

The Catholic Communities of Saint Clement, Saint Luke, Saint James and Transfiguration invite you to our annual Lenten Mission, Sunday, March 22nd through Wednesday, March 25th, from 7pm-8pm. Brian Sinchak, President of Lakewood Catholic Academy, will be the speaker.

Please see next week's bulletin for further information regarding the mission and where the sessions will be held.

### **Living Stations**



The Living Stations is a live action version of the Stations of the Cross featuring current music from artists of today, and presented annually on Good Friday at Saint Mark's Church. We are looking for students like you to be part of this production.

Who: All students - grades 7-12

Where: St. Mark's Church

When: Sunday, March 1st - 4pm - 6pm

For more information, contact Jason Mravec at 330-807-8332.

### **Pot of Gold**

(\$25) John Nekl, Mary Chura,  
Fr. Workman, Michael Struhar,  
Sondra Smith, Rachel Rice



### **Jesuit Retreat House Upcoming Programs**

*In the Holy Land: A Video Pilgrimage through the Footsteps of Jesus* - March 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th. Being in the Holy Land is to see the Gospels come to life. They call the experience the "Fifth Gospel." Because of the situations in the Middle East, some people are reluctant to travel there. This is a lecture series by Fr. Donald Senior, C.P., a New Testament teacher. He has led study tours in the Holy Land for over 25 years. This series will take us (by video and maps) to the desert, to the seas, the river and to the mountains. Fr. Don will discuss how geography of the Holy Land influences the writing of the Gospels. Presented by Fr. Matt Roche, S.J., who will lead a discussion with each DVD. The program will be from 9:30am to 11am. Cost is \$10/session.

To register, contact the Jesuit Retreat House at 440-884-9300.

### **Saint Clement & Saint James Family PSR Where Families Journey in Faith Together**

The first/third group meets on 3/2 for textbook night.

### **Soup & Bread Night - March 21st**

Get out your favorite soup recipe and join us on Saturday, March 21st, at 5:30pm for Soup and Bread Night. What better way to warm up on a cold winter night than with a bowl of homemade soup? Bring a pot of your favorite soup, or a loaf of bread to share, and bring your family and friends!!



### **Saint Clement Online Offertory Giving**

You can see reports on your contribution history and generate tax statements at each year's end. Visit: [www.osvonlinegiving.com/1735](http://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1735) to get started, or click the icon located on Saint Clement Parish's main website [www.stclementlakewood.com](http://www.stclementlakewood.com).

### **40 Days for Life**

The 40 Days for Life Campaign began almost 2 weeks ago and continues through March 31st. So far, 26 babies have been saved since the beginning of Ash Wednesday. When you spend time in Adoration on Fridays, as well as each day during Lent, please pray and fast for an end to abortion. If you would like to join us to pray the Rosary as a witness to those entering Preterm, please contact Judy at 216-671-4981. [www.40daysforlife.com/cleveland](http://www.40daysforlife.com/cleveland)

### **Coffee & Donuts**

Please join us after the 9am & 11am Masses for coffee, donuts and fellowship in the church hall.



### **Finance Corner:**

Collection for weekend of February 22nd - \$7,336.00

Monthly Collection - \$ 1,065.00

Online Giving - Monthly - \$255.00 - Weekly \$333.00

Ash Wednesday - \$931.66

Cleveland Mission/El Salvador - \$243.00





Candlemas - \$191.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity for the parish.





## March 2015

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday  | Friday  | Saturday   |
|--|--|--|---|---|---|--|
| <b>1</b><br>10:00 am Coffee & Donuts<br>12:00 pm Coffee & Donuts<br>1:00 pm LCA Parent Tuition Meeting   | <b>2</b><br>6:00 pm Liturgy<br>7:00 pm Family PSR<br>7:00 pm Parish Life   | <b>3</b><br>11:00 am Kiwanis Meeting   | <b>4</b><br>5:00 pm Confessions<br>7:00 pm RCIA   | <b>5</b><br>10:45 am Scripture Treats<br>5:30 pm Children's Choir<br>6:00 pm LCA Parent Tuition Meeting | <b>6</b><br>6:00 pm Stations of the Cross<br>7:00 pm Gratitude Group  | <b>7</b><br>9:00 am Spiritual Development<br>3:00 pm Confessions |
| <b>8</b><br>10:00 am Coffee & Donuts<br>12:00 pm Coffee & Donuts<br>1:00 pm Communications   | <b>9</b><br>7:00 pm Family PSR   | <b>10</b><br>11:00 am Kiwanis Meeting<br>7:30 pm Knights of Columbus   | <b>11</b><br>7:00 pm RCIA   | <b>12</b><br>10:45 am Scripture Treats<br>5:30 pm Children's Choir<br>7:30 pm Adult's Choir             | <b>13</b><br>6:00 pm Stations of the Cross<br>7:00 pm Gratitude Group | <b>14</b><br>3:00 pm Confessions                                 |
| <b>15</b><br>10:00 am Coffee & Donuts<br>12:00 pm Coffee & Donuts  | <b>16</b><br>7:00 pm Family PSR  | <b>17</b><br>11:00 am Kiwanis Meeting<br>6:30 pm St. Vincent DePaul  | <b>18</b>   | <b>19</b><br>10:45 am Scripture Treats<br>5:30 pm Children's Choir<br>7:30 pm Adult's Choir             | <b>20</b><br>6:00 pm Stations of the Cross<br>7:00 pm Gratitude Group | <b>21</b><br>3:00 pm Confessions<br>5:30 pm Soup & Bread Night   |
| <b>22</b><br><br>10:00 am Coffee & Donuts<br>12:00 pm Coffee & Donuts | <b>23</b><br><br>7:00 pm Family PSR | <b>24</b><br><br>11:00 am Kiwanis Meeting | <b>25</b><br><br>Time T.B.A. | <b>26</b><br>10:45 am Scripture Treats<br>5:30 pm Children's Choir<br>7:30 pm Adult's Choir             | <b>27</b><br>6:00 pm Stations of the Cross<br>7:00 pm Gratitude Group | <b>28</b><br>1:30 pm Adult's Choir<br>3:00 pm Confessions        |
| <b>29</b> <u>Palm Sunday</u><br>10:00 am Coffee & Donuts<br>12:00 pm Coffee & Donuts   | <b>30</b><br>7:00 pm Family PSR  | <b>31</b><br>11:00 am Kiwanis Meeting  |   | <b>Special Event:</b><br><b>March 22-25</b><br><b>Cluster</b><br><b>Parish</b><br><b>Mission</b>        |   |  |