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CELEBRATION

OF THE EUCHARIST

WEEKEND—Saturday 4:00 pm

—Sunday 9:30 am

WEEKDAY—Tuesday 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from

3:30 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

TUESDAY—THURSDAY

9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 11, 2024



You can make me clean

THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS:
LEVITICUS 13:1-2, 44-46
1 CORINTHIANS 10:31-11:1
MARK 1:40-45



No one who sought Jesus out was refused his help. Even the untouchables and the outcasts of Jewish society found help in him. Unlike the people of Jesus' time who fled at the sight of a leper, Jesus touched the leper who approached him and he made him whole and clean.

Why was this so remarkable? Lepers were outcasts of society and driven from their homes and communities. Their physical condition was terrible and were regarded as "already dead". This leper approached Jesus confidently and humbly, expecting that Jesus could and would heal him. Jesus not only grants the man his request, but he demonstrates the personal love, compassion, and tenderness of God in his physical touch. Jesus met the man's misery with compassion and tender kindness. He communicated the love and mercy of God in a sign that spoke more eloquently than words. He touched the man and made him clean - not only physically but spiritually as well.



Ash Wednesday

February 14, 2024

Mass with the

Distribution of Ashes:

6:00 P.M. at Saint Frances X. Cabrini.

9:00 A.M. at Saint Therese's.

Scripture Service with the

Distribution of Ashes:

8 a.m. and Noon at Saint Frances X. Cabrini.

12:10 P.M. and 5:30 P.M. at Saint Therese's.



WHEN: Launches this Tuesday, February 13 running to March 26, 2024 and watch Fr. Joe in Cabrini's sizzling kitchen.

He needs our parish support.

WHERE: On any screen or mobile device.

PRESENTED BY: The Hawk Family Foundation

WHAT'S NEW: The largest pastor chef roster with 35+ priests and Catholic young people!

WHY: Because all sponsorship dollars support the anti-hunger and anti-homelessness initiatives of Catholic Social Services of the Diocese of Scranton.



The chancellor of the Diocese of Scranton asks the faithful who have reached the age of 14 to be aware of Diocesan Statute No. 41, which addresses the penitential aspect of Lent.

FASTING is to be observed on Ash Wednesday, February 14 and Good Friday, March 29, 2024, by all Catholics over 18 years of age to the beginning of their 60TH year. On days of fasting, one full meal is allowed. Two smaller meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's needs, but together should not equal another full meal, unless dispensed or excused.

ABSTINENCE from meat is to be observed by all Catholics who are 14 years of age or older. Ash Wednesday, all of the Fridays of Lent, and Good Friday are days of abstinence.

COLLECTION AT ALL SERVICES ON
Ash Wednesday
IS FOR THE CHURCH IN CENTRAL AND
EASTERN EUROPE

DIOCESE OF SCRANTON
KINGSTON DEANERY LENTEN HOLY HOUR
WITH BISHOP BAMBERA

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15,
AT 7:00 P.M.

HOLY FAMILY PARISH
574 Bennett Street,
Luzerne, PA 18709





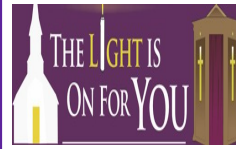
Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday	02/13	9:00 a.m.	George & Victoria Zaledonis	Requested By: Joe & Roseanne Gates
Wednesday	02/14	6:00 p.m.	Anastasia Marie Morgan	Leonard & Alice Krispin
Saturday	02/17	4:00 p.m.	Edward Novak	Bob & Rita Kurtinitis
Sunday	02/18	9:30 a.m.	Joseph & Nettie DeMark	Michael & Lorraine DeFrancesco



THE WEEK OF
FEBRUARY 11, 2024 TO FEBRUARY 17, 2024:
THE LIGHT OF THE SANCTUARY
CANDLE IS BURNING IN MEMORY OF:
LORRAINE ULICHNEY
REQUESTED BY: SHARON LEHMAN

THE LIGHT OF THE MARIAN SHRINE CANDLE
IS BURNING FOR:
LIVING & DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE PARISH



Confessions at Saint Therese's Church:

Mondays: 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

(Also Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the main Church.) The main and ramp room doors will be open for those wishing to attend.

All are welcome.

"A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR":

St. Therese's 8 a.m. mass is livestreamed and may be viewed on FACEBOOK at The Church of Saint Therese. It can also be viewed on our Website at www.sfcbsp.com after 11 a.m.

Sunday morning. GOD BLESS, *Father Joe*

WEATHER CANCELLATION

INFORMATION-

IF TRAVELING BECOMES HAZARDOUS, DUE TO WINTER WEATHER CONDITIONS PLEASE CALL:

570-696-1144, EXT. 13 AFTER 7:30 A.M.

FOR ANY WEEKDAY OR WEEKEND MASS CANCELLATIONS.

COMMUNION TO THE HOME BOUND

Do you or someone you know require communion brought to your home?

If so, please contact Diane at 570-696-3737 and we will arrange for one of our Eucharistic Ministers to bring the Body of Christ to your home.



Remember in Your Prayers

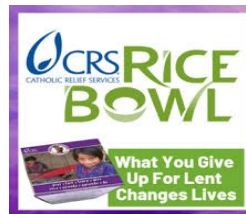
Please pray for Don Hunter Sr., Bernard F., Sister Jan Marie Kalyan, Joyce Kishbaugh, Florence Mickley, Christopher Mortensen, Denis Perugino, Tom Roarty, Benjamin Szoscak, Jim Starbuck & Lilly Stroud.

TAX STATEMENTS:

Itemized statements of contributions for tax purposes will be issued to any parishioner requesting one by calling Diane in the parish office at 570-696-3737. Thank you for your cooperation.

MEN'S GROUP

Saint Therese's Men's Group meets every Saturday morning from 8 am to 9 am at 65 Davis Street, Shavertown. Each session provides participants with an opportunity for prayer, scripture, faith sharing, reflection and song. There is no requirement to attend every week. All men of St. Frances Cabrini and St. Therese's Parishes are welcome to "Come and See".

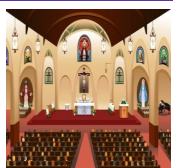


DIOCESAN COLLECTION

Operation Rice Bowl
throughout the entire

Season of Lent

Thank you for your support.



SAINT FRANCES X. CABRINI PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

We welcome all who wish to join our parish. Please contact the parish office, at your earliest convenience by calling 570-696-3737 during our office hours. We also would like to remind parishioners to please use your weekly envelopes, notify the office of any changes of address, phone number and email addresses. Thank you.

COMMITMENT OF TREASURE

Give and it will be given to you. A good measure will be poured into your lap. For the measure you use, it will be measured to you. Luke 6:68

WEEKEND COLLECTION OF
02/04/2024

\$ 3,380.00