MARCH 25, 2018

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Welcome to Our Parish!
If you are new to Star of the Sea, we welcome you to our Parish family. We hope that you will feel at home here. Please pick up a registration card in the Church vestibule or call the Parish Office. If you are seeking answers, we invite you to visit www.CatholicsComeHome.org or call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment to visit with Fr. Lappe about the Catholic Faith.

Bulletin Information Deadline
Noon on Monday, in writing, by fax or email bulletin@starofthesea.net.

Assisted Listening Devices
Available in vestibule. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Sacrament of Baptism
For information on infant Baptism please contact the Parish Office. We encourage parents to arrange for Baptism before the birth of the child.

Sacrament of Marriage
If you are seeking to receive the Sacrament of Marriage at Star of the Sea, please contact the Parish Office.

Adult Reception into the Church
Classes of inquiry to join the Church are available throughout the year. If you are seeking to learn more or would like to become a member of the Catholic Church, we encourage you to contact Deacon Hamlin for more information.

Parish Staff & Ministry Directory
Go online at starofthesea.net

FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES
CALL PARISH OFFICE AT
360-479-3777 anytime

Natural Family Planning
Consultation and/or instruction call
Lucy at 360-271-3611;
clemenlucy@gmail.com

Communion for the Homebound
If you have been injured, ill, or had surgery, please call the Parish Office so that you can be put on the Communion list.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration
Our Church is open 24 hours a day for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. For info call Carolyn at 360-871-8447.

First Friday Evening Prayers
7:00 PM Evening Prayer with Benediction followed by Confession.

Prayer Line
Confidential prayer requests. Call Phyllis at 360-698-5384.

St. Vincent de Paul Assistance
1137 Callow Ave N, 98312
360-479-7017 | 10:30AM - 2:30PM M-T-TH-F (Closed Wednesday)

Recurring Gifts
Would you like to set up a recurring gift? Visit starofthesea.infellowship.com
March 25, 2018

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

Check out our website for parish events: https://www.starofthesea.net

For regular Mass & Confession times, see front of bulletin

Rosary: Mon-Sat 8:30 AM, Sat 4:30pm
Liturgy of the Hours: Mon-Thurs 7:30 AM; Fri-Sat 8:00 AM
Divine Mercy Chaplet: Saturdays after 9:00 AM Mass

Prayer Requests

In your kindness and charity towards others, please pray for the sick, the homebound, the imprisoned, the unemployed, all our military overseas, those waiting for test results, and those who are held in our hearts: Blair Tumwesigwa, Rogene Henderson, Anne Becker, Lisa Keim, Sr. Julie Codell, Alison Vermette, William Ferman, Jack & Shirley Tanis, Fr. Reuben Mubangizi, Jo Scheer, Melody Engberg, Baby Miller, Shelly Rock, Pablo Lozano, John Eagan, Keith Underwood, Ann Smith-Mandaquit, Justin Ellis, Clemintina Materne, Bill B., June Costello, Felix Fabellano, Bernadette Cylkowski, Scope Auction and the residents at Bay Pointe Retirement Center

For the repose of all the souls who have died. May God grant them the joy of eternal life and peace for their families.

“‘The Lord is on high, but cares for the lowly and knows the proud from afar. Though I walk in the midst of dangers, you guard my life when my enemies rage. You stretch out your hand; your right hand saves me. The Lord is with me to the end. Lord, your mercy endures forever. Never forsake the work of your hands!’”

- Psalm 138: 6-8

APR 8
Divine Mercy Sunday
Regular Mass schedule
Confessions 1-3pm
3pm Divine Mercy Chaplet & Novena
(see flyer for Chaplet & Novena schedule)

APR 8
JPII Youth Center
Anniversary Celebration
3:30pm in the youth center

APR 9
8am Mass (S)
Annunciation of the Lord

Thank you, Thank you for your time and your culinary talents. All of the effort put into the Wednesday’s Lenten Soup Suppers is greatly appreciated.

Encounter Lent: We prayerfully enter our own communities to encounter those who are hungry and thirsty, those who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Visit crsricebowl.org

Parish Stewardship

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Registered Families
Weekly Collection March 18, 2018
Our Tithe to God

- Envelopes $10,379.25
- Loose $1,236.37
- Mail In $2,270.00
- On-Line Giving $11,130.37

Total Contributions $25,015.99

Lighthouse CDs $152.00
Shrines $156.04
Mary’s Place $550.00
School Fund $540.00
Can you help with Brunch after 9:30am Easter Mass?
Call The Parish Office at 360-479-3777

Also, please bring finger foods to Camerman Hall before the 8:30pm Easter Vigil Mass for a Reception honoring our new Catholics!

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**Easter Season Flowers 2018**
*(Easter Sunday, April 1 through Pentecost, May 20)*

This year we are offering our parishioners an opportunity to order flowers in ‘memory’ or in ‘honor’ of a loved one for our Easter Season. Please return this form (with payment) to the parish office, the collection basket, via mail or in person.

*We will purchase the flowers for you* at a cost of $10 each. Please make checks payable to Our Lady Star of the Sea and indicate “Easter Flowers” in the memo area.

Purchaser’s Name: ________________________________

I/We would like to order #_____ pot(s) of flowers at $10 each.

They are:

- a) _____ simply a gift to the church, or
- b) _____ in Memory of ________________________________

- c) _____ in Honor of ________________________________

Donation information will be printed in the bulletin unless otherwise noted

Okay to print in the bulletin? _____ Yes _____ No
VIRTUE OF THE MONTH:
Star of the Sea has begun a school wide virtue program with the hope of teaching its students how to live a life of virtue and strive to become a saint. Each month we will be focusing on a new virtue. This month we will be focusing on...

Mercy
Caring for those who suffer
According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, “The works of mercy are charitable actions by which we come to the aid of our neighbor in his spiritual and bodily necessities” (#2447). When others suffer, we can imitate God’s own mercy through corporal & spiritual works of mercy.

SCHOOL EVENTS:
⇒ Friday, March 30
- Good Friday—Stations of the Cross at 9am
- Noon Dismissal
⇒ April 2—6
- Spring Break, No School
⇒ Friday, April 20
- Grandparents Day

ROBOTICS ASSEMBLY
Last Thursday, our students experienced an interactive journey from simple funny robots to complex (and super cute) humanoid robots. The assembly explored the Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) concepts that bring robotics to life! Our students got to interact and assist with robots on the cutting edge of technology and then see the robots carry out their commands.

WHAT THEY LEARNED:
- Sensing / Electricity – How do switches work? What is electricity? How do other senses sense?
- Programming – How do robots “know” what to do?
- Output / Motors – How can we turn electricity into motion, light, or other forms of energy?
- Feedback Loops – Self correction is what robots uniquely do. Don’t fall!

This assembly was made possible by our generous SCOPE donors to the 2016 Fund-It Item!

YOUNG WRITER’S CONFERENCE
This day-long conference for 1st through 6th grade students is designed to inspire young writers and provide a unique opportunity to interact with professional authors and other student authors from around the region. Students return from the conference with knowledge to improve their writing skills and strengthen their own creative talents.

Next Thursday, the following students will attend:
1st grade: Jaeda Fogle, Kolbe Buonomo, Gemma George, Xavier Cordoniz
2nd grade: Kai Comer, Sylas Paugh, Fiona Ogilvie, Elias Harmon
3rd grade: Molly Shurtz, Gabriel Cichy, Jonah Pantig, Miles McKinney
4th grade: Avari Harmon, Orion Holmes, Olivia Lozano, Kelani Comer, Quinton Van Houten
5th grade: Shannon McKinney, Luke Cichy, Bella Rosario, Michael Bobrowski
6th grade: Addie Crisfield, Carmelyn Legaspi, Kalia Comer, Emily Caraballo
OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC SCHOOL IS PROUD TO PRESENT
THE 23RD ANNUAL S.C.O.P.E. AUCTION:

OFF TO THE RACES!

FRIDAY, APRIL 20

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO A
SPECTACULAR EVENING
OF
FUN AND EXCITEMENT

SILENT AUCTION IN SCHOOL GYM
WITH COCKTAILS AND APPETIZERS
GYM DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

LIVE AUCTION IN CAMERMAN HALL
WITH PLATED DINNER AT 7:00 PM

- RESERVATIONS REQUIRED -

RSVP IS AVAILABLE ONLINE AT WWW.STAROFTHESEA.NET
Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

Adorers are needed for the following hours:

- Sunday, 2 pm
- Sunday, 6 pm
- Tuesday, 6 pm
- Wednesday, Midnight – 1 am
- Wednesday, 1 pm (partner needed)
- Wednesday, 10 pm
- Thursday, 4 am
- Friday, 4:30 – 5 am
- Saturday, 11 am
- Saturday 1 pm
- Saturday, 7 pm (partner needed)

If you can adore any of these hours, or would like another, please call Carolyn at 360-871-8447

Lord, we praise You, we bless You, we adore You, we glorify You, we give You thanks for Your great glory!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

Schedule for Praying the Chaplet and Novena: In the Church

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Parish Life

Altar Society: Join us Thursday April 5, 11:30 for a brown bag luncheon. Dessert and beverages will be provided. We will be meeting in Center rooms 1 & 2.

Sister and Mom’s Prayer Group: Tuesdays 11am - Noon in Center room 1, Moms are invited to join Sr. Maria Caeli to pray for our children, and encourage each other in our efforts in forming children of God. All Mom’s are welcome!

AHG: American Heritage Girls will be selling See’s Candies after the morning Masses during Hospitality. You can help support them the next three weekends, March 25, April 8 and April 15. Watch for them in Camerman Hall. Thank you!

Give with SCRIP earn Rebates for our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic School! Easter is right around the corner. We are in the thick of the Lenten season and eating out can be tricky during this time, so check out our popular seafood dining SCRIP retailers. If you’re itching for spring break, plan ahead and purchase the SCRIP you need before taking off on your vacation. SCRIP is a no-sale program that enables families to raise money for our school by paying for everyday purchases using gift cards in place of cash, check or credit. You purchase gift cards at face value and the school receives an instant rebate. Its really that simple. Contact Pat - pattoddt@yahoo.com

To Africa, With Love - Wish our Sister Parish a Blessed Easter season! Drop cards off in the Parish Office by March 28. Be sure to follow our Parish Ministry page on Facebook for updates & photos from Uganda!

Faux Flower Donations: Lena is making centerpieces for Mother’s Day celebrations. Donations of faux silk flowers can be brought to the parish office. Thank you!

Community Life

St. Vincent De Paul: our current needs are canned meats, canned soups, canned chili, Top Ramen, laundry soap, and dish soap.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration: Join us in adoration. Call Carolyn at 360-871-8447 to sign up for 1 hour a week.

Fidelis Fraternus
Wed Evenings 6:00
Sun Mornings: 9:30
Sun Evenings 6:15
Youth Center
JP2 Youth Center

Rachel’s Corner
Hope & Healing After Abortion
“Let the oppressed see it and be glad; you who seek God, let your hearts revive. For the Lord hears the needy and does not despise his own that are in bonds.” -Psalm 69:32-33
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