

First Sunday of Lent

March 6, 2022

Saturday, March 5

St. Charles Borromeo Church

4:00 PM Frances Klinger
Living and deceased members of
the Stephanchick and
Kripplebauer Family

Sunday, March 6

St. Charles Borromeo Church

9:30 AM All Parishioners

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Regularly scheduled weekday Masses are in Ashland

St. Anne Chapel is the lower level of our Church.

Mon., March 7 – NO MASS

Tues., March 8

8:30 AM Kim Heiber
For Rose Hornung, in celebration
of her 90th Birthday, from Ellie and
Tom Dando

Wed., March 9– NO MASS

Thurs., March 10 – NO MASS

Fri., March 11

8:30 AM Larry Wood
Father Bambrick

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Saturday, March 12

St. Charles Borromeo Church

4:00 PM John Hornung (38th Anvers.)

Sunday, March 13

St. Charles Borromeo Church

9:30 AM John and Florence Moyer
Diane Jones Logerfo



Please pray for all our military men and women, our policemen and women, our sick at home and in the hospitals, and nursing homes, and also our deceased brothers and sisters in Christ, especially Clara Gaughan.

The Vigil Lights burn brightly this week:

1) In St. Charles Borromeo, in loving memory of, Sister Elaine Joyce, from JoAnne Leinenbach; 2) In St. Anne Chapel, in loving memory of the Klinger family, from family.

Our regular collections at all of our Masses last weekend amounted to \$4,078.83. Thank you for your generous contributions and may God bless you!

Spring Bazaar

Mark your calendars! Our annual Spring Bazaar will be held next Saturday, March 12th from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Letters and chances have gone out in the mail. If you do not receive a letter, please notify the Parish Office. Once received, chance returns may go in the weekend collection basket in an envelope labeled "Bazaar," or through the mail, or directly into the Parish Office. Homemade foods and soups, and baked good items will be available. **Donations for the "Rummage Sale (White Elephant)" can be dropped off at the Parish Hall anytime from 9 AM to 3 PM daily.** Please note: **NO** clothing or shoes or broken things will be accepted. We ask that all items be dropped off no later than March 9th. **We are also accepting donations of paper towels, napkins, condiments, soda, and water.** . If you would like to donate a baked item to this event, kindly bring it to the Parish Hall on Friday, March 11th, or on the morning of the Bazaar. **Bazaar cooking is on Thursday, March 10th.**

Lenten Dinner Sale

St. Charles will be having a Lenten Dinner sale, with Fr. Brian's homemade crabcakes, on Friday, April 1st, 2022. Please call the Parish Office to place your order. Single crab cakes will also be available for purchase during our Spring Bazaar on March 12th. As always, thank you for your support of our Parish!

March 12th Spring Bazaar

One Single Crab Cake - \$6.50
Crab Cake Sandwich - \$ 8.00

April 1st Lenten Dinner

1 Crab Cake w Mac N Cheese and Tom. - \$12.00
2 Crab Cakes w Mac N Cheese and Tom - \$18.00

Blind Pigeon Pre-Order Sale

We are taking pre-orders for Halupkies (Blind Pigeon), which will be available for pick up during the Spring Bazaar. Pigeons are \$3.00 each. All orders must be in the parish office no later than March 8th. Please call the parish office at 570-875-1521 to place your order.

Rice Bowl collections are now being accepted through April 15th and can be placed in the collection basket or dropped off in the Parish Office. These funds are then distributed to various Missions throughout the Diocese of Allentown.

LENTEN STUDY

During the weeks of Lent, Fr. Miller will conduct a Lenten Gospel Reflections group. It will take place on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. The first 3 classes are in Frackville and the second 3 classes are in Ashland.

Dates for SJWP are as follows:

- Tuesday, March 8th at 6:30 PM
- Tuesday, March 15th at 6:30 PM

*All classes are in the St. Ann Church location. *

Dates for St. Charles Borromeo in Ashland are:

- Tuesday, March 22nd at 6:30 PM
- Tuesday, March 29th at 6:30 PM

Tuesday, April 5th at 6:30 PM.

All classes are in St. Charles Parish Hall

Books are now available for this study, in the Parish Office..... \$5.00 each. "Lenten Gospel Reflections" by Bishop Robert Barron. *Questions, please contact the Parish Office 570-875-1521. Thank you!*

Stations of the Cross Schedule

Friday, March 11th - 7:00 PM St. Charles, Ashland

Friday, March 18th - 7:00 PM St. Charles, Ashland

Friday - March 25th - 7:00 PM St. Anne's, Frackville

Friday - April 1st - 7:00 PM St. Anne's, Frackville

Friday - April 8th - 7:00 PM St. Anne's, Frackville

EASTER EGG" TIME IS HERE!

St. Anne Guild has begun making their delicious candy "Easter Eggs". Making these home-made "Easter Eggs" happens in the Parish Hall on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, beginning at 9 AM each day! Candy "eggs" sell for \$1.00 each, and a dozen for \$12. Flavors are Peanut Butter, Cherry, Butter Cream and Coconut Cream. Orders can be placed by calling the Parish Office at 570-875-1521. *All pre-orders must be in the parish office no later than March 11th. Everyone is welcome to come and help!!*

2022 Sacramental News: Mark your Calendars

First Penance: Saturday, March 12th at 11 AM

First Holy Communion: Saturday, May 14th at 11 AM

We would like to SINCERELY THANK, St. Anne's Guild for purchasing six new roasters for our food sales. Thank you for everything you do for our parish!



There will be a special second collection this weekend for the Black and Indian Mission and Catholic Home Mission Appeals, at all of our Masses.

Pot of Gold!!

The Parish Leprechauns need your help! We will be raffling off a Pot of Gold at the end of March. We are asking each parishioner to donate a lottery ticket for the raffle. The ticket can be in any denomination you would like. We are also accepting monetary donations towards purchasing the tickets. You may drop them off at the parish office or place in the collection basket. All tickets must be in by April 18th. Revised Drawing date is now April 22nd. As always, thank you for everything you do for the parish!



St. Charles Fundraising Activities 2022

St. Charles Fundraising Committee met last week to discuss fundraising activities for 2022. Below are the tentative dates and activities that we have scheduled. Further details will be given when made available. If anyone would like to participate in any of these activities, please call the parish office. All help is needed to continue our fundraising activities!

Saturday, March 12th - Spring Bazaar

(Rummage Sale) 10 AM-2PM

Friday, April 1st - Homemade Devil Crab Dinners

(Pre-Order Only)

May - R & K Hoagie Sale

May 21st, July 16th and August 13th - Bleenie Sales

June 12th - Swing Dance

October 1st and 2nd - Annual Basket Auction

November 12th - Christmas Bazaar

Money Chances - September - December

Lottery Calendars- (continuing each month)

Cooks with Collars

Thank you to everyone who had donated to Cooks with Collars. We surpassed our goal with a total of \$1,715.00. Thank you for your support of Fr. Miller and our Parish!

A Prayer for Lent

O gracious Master, infuse in our hearts the spotless light of Your Divine Wisdom, and open our minds so that we may understand the teachings of Your Holy Gospel. Instill in us also a reverence for Your Commandments, so that having curbed all desires of the flesh, we may lead a truly spiritual life, both in thinking and in doing everything to please You. O Christ, our God, enlighten our souls and sanctify our bodies. We render glory to You, together with Your Eternal Father, and with Your all-holy, life-creating Spirit, now and forever.

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