

MARCH 1, 2009
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

MUSIC FOR THE WEEKEND LITURGY

FEBRUARY 28-MARCH 1, 2009

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Gn 9:8-15
1 Pt 3: 18-22
Mt 1: 12-15 (23)

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

MARCH 8, 2009

Gn 22: 1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18
Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10 (26)



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday	MARCH 2
6:30 a.m.	Leonard Waldhauser
9:00 a.m.	Special Intention of Josephine Biece Vu
Tuesday	MARCH 3
6:30 a.m.	Richard Jameson
9:00 a.m.	Joseph Mazzaferro
Wednesday	MARCH 4
6:30 a.m.	James Sfekas
9:00 a.m.	Ross Angelella
Thursday	MARCH 5
6:30 a.m.	Special Intention of Bernard Sikora
9:00 a.m.	Eric Logsdon
Friday	MARCH 6
6:30 a.m.	Elvira Henderson
9:00 a.m.	Mary Hilda Counselman
Saturday	MARCH 7
9:00 a.m.	Ivy Frederick
4:30 p.m.	Margaret Schlothauer
6:00 p.m.	John Holland
Sunday	MARCH 8
7:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
9:00 a.m.	Lisa Wiley
10:30 a.m.	William Staso
12:00 Noon	Owen & Irene Dougherty & Father Patrick Atkins, OSC



[NOTE: Hearing Loop receivers and hand missals are available for those who are hearing impaired. Please see an usher for assistance.]

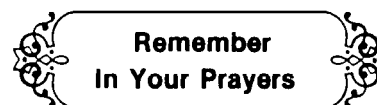
The Glory to God is omitted during the penitential seasons of Advent and Lent and we will sing the Kyrie; #137 in the hymnal.

Our hymns for the weekend are the following: #s 391, 406, 851 and 414. For the 9:00 Mass they are: 391, 414 and 593. We will be singing "Sent By the Lord Am I" for our closing song throughout Lent.

The text of the refrain for this weekend's responsorial psalm is: "To you, O Lord, I lift my soul, to you, I lift my soul."

The music for the Gospel acclamation may be found in our hymnal, number 224. The refrain is: "Glory to you, O Word of God, Lord, Jesus Christ."

The music for the Lamb of God may be found in our hymnal, number 321.



Geraldine Ader, Ana Cecilia, Angelo Alascio, Dr. Simeon Alvaran, James Autenburg, Judy Autenburg, Paul Bagley, Sarah Bowers, Fannie Bucci, Baby Myles Carr, Cynthia Cuzmanes, Lillian D'Amico, Kristen Derosa, Johanna Desautelle, Dolores DiBlasi, Melissa Eakle, Eleanor Eichelman, Bill Feild, Charles Ferrara, Baby Libby Grace Fischer, Joseph Gorman, Doris Hartke, Betty Hill, Monsignor Rob Jaskot, Paula Kassolis, Josephine Keyser, Dan Lafferty, Mary Lawson, Steve LeClaire, Teresa Levendusky, Tom Levendusky, Barbara Mansfield, Earl McLaughlin, Phyllis Michaels, Laura Muhl, Cathy Corley Murray, Lucy Nofziger, Joey Parker, Bill Parsons, Jonathan Poliszuk, Karen Scherer, Jeanne Shiptisky, LuAnn Soto, John Spindler, Michaela Stell, Luann Tumlin, Joseph Uhlhorn, David Wain, Connie Welsh,

AND FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Michael Claffey, Vearl Hutchinson, Jill Feller, Buddy Comegna.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

	ATTENDANCE	ENVELOPE	LOOSE
February 15	2,804	\$21,583	\$2,578
February 22	2,795	\$22,022	\$2,826
Poor Box		\$733	
Extraordinary Repairs		\$5,002	
Average envelope contributions for February 22			\$27

LITURGY AND WORSHIP

LENTEN SERVICES 2009

PENANCE SERVICE

Tuesday, March 10, 7:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

(The Light Is On) Wednesdays, March 4, 11, 18, 25 and April 1, 7-8:30 p.m.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday evening during Lent – 7:30 p.m. in the Church

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE DURING LENT

Monday through Friday 6:30 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. in the Church

EVENING PRAYER WITH LENTEN REFLECTIONS

The Lenten Season calls us to increase our awareness and practices of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. As the official prayer of the Church, the Liturgy of the Hours is the constant prayer for the world, through the psalms (the same prayers Jesus prayed in his life), readings, and intercessions. Please join us for prayer on Wednesdays at 7:30pm in the Chapel (4/4, 4/11, 4/18, 4/25, and 5/1). Reflection talks on the theme of "Into the Desert," surrounding the practice of prayer will begin later in the month. For more information, contact Fr. Mike.

PLEASE CONSIDER THIS!

Continuing a long tradition at Resurrection parish, the dramatization of the Passion of Our Lord will take place during the gospel at the 6:00, 9:00, 10:30 and 12:00 Masses on the weekend of Passion Sunday. The dates this year are April 4-5. We need women, men, and children (ages 10 and older) to participate. This is a very spiritual way of experiencing the gospel of Our Lord's Passion and of helping others to feel the depth of the passion of Christ. There are a variety of roles that need to be filled. The time commitment is about seven or eight evening rehearsals which last about 1 1/2 hours and availability for the four Masses on Passion Sunday weekend. There is a core group who return each year, but there is ALWAYS the need for a group of additional folks who are

willing to try a new experience. We REALLY NEED about 25 people. There is a wonderful opportunity in this ministry for family members to participate together. Please consider joining fellow parishioners for the 2009 Passion dramatization. To volunteer call Patti Neidig at 410-997-2279.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION – HOLY HOUR

"Let us take time to kneel before Jesus present in the Eucharist...Let us deepen through adoration our personal and communal contemplation" Pope John Paul II. Come to listen to Christ, to understand Christ's love for you. Near Christ in the Blessed Sacrament you can rest from your work, pray for consolation and light in times of difficulty and discover anew God's mission and will for your life. Spend an hour with Jesus in the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, silent prayer, contemplation, and Benediction on the First Friday of every month in the Chapel at 7:00 p.m. Our next First Friday is March 6.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL

The Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal will be held at Resurrection on Monday evenings. We will pray the Rosary at 7:10 p.m., followed by the Novena and Benediction at 7:30 p.m. Please invite family and friends. All are welcome. We have experienced many special graces through this novena: relationships healed, hearts changed, and employment opportunities fulfilled. So let us pray: O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us that have recourse to thee!

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration will be every Monday from 9:30 a.m. until 7:30 p.m. when we will close with the Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal and Benediction. Please tell your family and friends to spend sometime in prayer in the presence of our Lord, praying especially for vocations and an end to abortion.

LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

We invite all children, ages kindergarten to middle school, to join us as we celebrate the Liturgy of the Word in the Chapel during the 4:30, 9:00 and 10:30 Masses. The children are escorted by adults from the Church to the Chapel to hear the Scripture readings and a homily that is presented in a manner that is designed to be easier to understand and therefore, more meaningful. They return to the Church to celebrate the Liturgy of the Eucharist with the rest of the congregation. To volunteer contact Mary Pat Cardoni 410-461-8416.

OPERATION RICE BOWL

First Week of Lent - Jesus' Temptation

In Mark's Gospel we read about Jesus being tempted by the devil for forty days. Lent provides us with time to reflect on the temptations we face and remember we rely on God for all things. Through our participation in Operation Rice Bowl, we put our faith into action; our prayers and alms help people in need around the world. As we continue our Operation Rice Bowl journey let us remember in **prayer** that the ability to work to earn a living is a right of all people. All workers have the right to a fair wage, to organize themselves, and to work in good conditions. May our **fasting** keep us mindful of the

workers who provide food for their families. May our **almsgiving** assist Catholic Relief Services as we **learn** about microfinance projects in Egypt.

Social Justice Committee members and friends will be distributing Operation Rice Bowl materials after all masses the first weekend in Lent. All Operation Rice Bowl contributions will be collected through Easter poor boxes.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

BAPTISM PREPARATION

Congratulations to all on the way to parenthood and to those who have recently become parents! The Church of the Resurrection rejoices with you. Our Baptism Seminar is scheduled for **March 17, 2009** at 7:30 p.m. in the conference Room. Please call 410-461-9111 ext. 201 to register for the baptism class.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Planning to be married, recently engaged? Resurrection's Winter/Spring Marriage Preparation session will begin on **Sunday, March 15**. The program runs on three Sundays and it is expected that the engaged couple attend all three meetings. This group program meets the requirements for Pre-Cana in the Archdiocese of Baltimore. If you are planning to be married later this spring, summer or fall, this may be just the program you need. To register or get more information contact Marty Bode at 410-461-9111 x 204

SCHOOL NEWS

25 WEEK RAFFLE

Tickets are available at the church office and school office or by contacting Colette Newton 443-668-7192.

25 WEEK RAFFLE WINNERS

Congratulations to this week's winners!

Chris & Adam Schubert	\$250
Charlotte Rothenhoefer	\$150
Marie Mueller	\$100

ADMISSION INFORMATION

Resurrection-St. Paul School is currently accepting applications for the 2009-2010 school year. General information about the school may be found on our website, www.resstpaul.org or you may call the school office, 410-461-9111 ext. 241. We would be happy to talk to you about our strong academic program, state of the art facility and the before after school programs that take place in our Christ-centered learning environment. If you are considering educating your child in the Catholic tradition of excellence and values we hope that you will consider Resurrection-St. Paul School. We think you will be glad that you did.

LABELS FOR EDUCATION

Do not forget to continue to collect your Campbell's UPC's. Campbell's has changed what you cut and submit this year. This year UPC's and lids need to be submitted instead of the front label. Please visit www.labelsforeducation.com for more information. The school greatly appreciates your support of this program. A drop off container is located in the church foyer.

YOUTH MINISTRY

GENERAL YOUTH MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Youth Ministry Office will be sponsoring the Stations of the Cross on **Good Friday (April 10)** at 12:00 in the church. All middle and high school students as well as young adults are encouraged to help. There will be several practices (March 12, 24, 29 and April 5). If interested in participating, contact the Youth Ministry Office.

ARCHDIOCESE PILGRIMAGE

The annual Archdiocese Pilgrimage through the streets of Baltimore for Youth and Young Adults will be held on **Saturday April 4**. We will meet on the Resurrection parking lot at 11:00 am. The day will consist of a concert by ValLimar Johnson at St. Jude's Shrine, Adoration at the Basilica, the rosary at War Memorial Plaza and mass with Archbishop O'Brien at St. Casimir. We will return around 9:30pm. You need to bring your own food. Cost is \$20.00. This event is open to **8th graders to Young Adults**. For more details, please contact the Youth Ministry Office.

HIGH SCHOOL

(OPEN TO ALL 9TH TO 12TH GRADERS)

SUNDAY NIGHT YOUTH GROUP

This week (March 1) we will have a presentation on our sister parish in the Holy Land. Our guest will be Bob Kransnansky. We will meet from 7:00-9:00pm in the Chapel.

H.E.A.R.T. MEETING

The next meeting of the H.E.A.R.T. (Helping Execute Activities for Resurrection Teens) team will be on **Sunday March 1** from 5:00-6:30 in the Conference Room. Come and share your ideas for events and help plan them. Pizza will be served.

BIBLE STUDY

All High School students are welcomed to join in a Bible Study program beginning **March 1** (first Sunday of Lent). We will meet from 6:30-7:00 in the chapel before the Sunday Night Youth Group gatherings during Lent (except for March 15).

RESOURCE TEAM

Are you interested in planning the topics for the Sunday Night Youth Group gatherings? Have ideas to share? Join us on **Sunday March 8** from 5:00-6:30 in the Conference Room.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL
(OPEN TO ALL 6TH TO 8TH GRADERS)**

HEY 8TH GRADERS

The countdown is on until the big welcome into the High School Youth Group on **Sunday April 19**. In the meantime, join us for all the upcoming Middle School events. We look forward to seeing you!!!!!!!

MIDDLE SCHOOL MADNESS NIGHT

Join with other youth groups in the area on **Friday March 27** from 6:00pm to 12:00am for an evening of fun and prayer. We will have games and inflatables, snacks, and attend stations together. Cost is \$15.00. **Chaperones are needed. Permission slips are due by March 17.**

CRAFT NIGHT

All Middle School students are invited to join us for a craft night on **Friday March 6** from 7:00-9:00 in the Youth Room. Various activities will be available or bring your own. Invite a friend to join you. Snacks will be provided.

SPORTS

BASKETBALL MEETING

There will be an evaluation meeting for the season on **Tuesday March 24** at 8:00pm in the Multi-Purpose Rooms. Coaches, assistants, parents and anyone who would like to participate is encouraged to attend. Plans for next year will be discussed.

FELLOWSHIP

FISH FRIDAY

Cue the "Jaws" music...it's coming faster than you think! Fish Friday begins March 6 and continues till April 3. Share the Lenten tradition of abstinence and almsgiving with the faithful and friendly at Resurrection Parish in the church hall, 6:00-7:15 p.m., for dinner of tasty baked fish or cheese pizza including side choices of homemade coleslaw, french fries or applesauce, plus dessert and beverage. Proceeds benefit the needy. Stations of the Cross will be held in the church at 7:30 p.m.

RIVER JORDAN COFFEE HOUSE

Four years after an unthinkable family tragedy, a man receives a note apparently from God telling him to return to the scene, an abandoned shack deep in the Oregon wilderness, to face his darkest nightmare. *The Shack* by William Paul Young wrestles with the timeless question, "Where is God in a world filled with unspeakable pain?" Join us for our discussion on **March 29 at 7:00 p.m.** of the book that everyone is talking about, described by a reviewer as "a guy-meets-God novel that has literary integrity and spiritual daring." Copies of our selections will be held at the Miller Branch Library under our group name for one month prior to the meeting. Even if you don't get a chance to read the book, please feel free to join our discussion in Multipurpose Room 1, while enjoying complimentary coffee and dessert. If you want to be notified of future Coffee House events, and be included in e-mailings

regarding our book selections, contact Anne at Talvacchio@verizon.net.

SIGN LANGUAGE CLASS TO BEGIN

Once again this year (if we can find at least ten participants), the Subcommittee on Access for Parishioners With Disabilities and Other Special Needs will sponsor a ten week sign language class for beginners. The class will be held on Sundays beginning March 15 and run through June 7 from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (Note: No scheduled class on Easter, Mother's Day, or Memorial Day weekend.) The cost of the class will be \$35 plus the cost of the book and video (we will probably be using a new text). Although all are welcome, we extend a special invitation to those who attend the 10:30 Mass, as this will be (starting March 1) the Mass that is interpreted for the Deaf. If we do not have enough interest this year, we will probably not be offering the class any more. Anyone interested in the class should contact Chris Duck right away at 410-465-9240 to reserve your place.

NURSERY FOR SUNDAY MASS

Supervised childcare is offered during the 9:00 and 10:30 Sunday Masses for children ages 1-5 in the nursery located in the classrooms under the gym, between the Choir and Youth Rooms. For the well-being of each child, the nursery will only accept five children per caretaker. At least two volunteer assistants (adults and/or teens) are needed per Mass to provide adequate supervision. Parents who use the nursery must be STAND trained and are asked to volunteer a few times per year. Please sign up in the nursery or call Helen 410-750-7382. Due to the new archdiocesan standards, ALL parents who assist at the nursery MUST be STAND trained. Please contact Helen at starzzmoonsun@Yahoo.com to arrange your STAND training.

ANNIVERSARY MASS

Best wishes to all of our ageless brides and grooms. Whether you have been married 1 year or 50 years, celebrate your wedding anniversary in a special way. The parish Fellowship Committee invites you to the 9:00 a.m. Mass in the Chapel on Saturday, March 7, 2009. Renew your wedding vows and stay for coffee and fellowship afterward. It is helpful if you call the parish office at 410-461-9111 if you plan to attend.

RANGER/SAILOR ROSARY MAKING GROUP

Chaplain Brian Tung writes from FOB Caldwell in Iraq: "We thank God for you! And we indeed are very thankful for all of the Ranger Rosaries. They are a really great item, and many have asked for one. We often get many transient faithful parishioners who pass briefly through our area of operations, and they are very blessed to receive a Ranger Rosary. There are others of the faith who keep them on their trucks, and there are still more who faithfully keep them in their pockets. . . . Please relay our sincerest love and appreciation for all of their faithful contributions to this endeavor. With the physical dangers real and near, the faithful definitely appreciate these strong reminders of their faith that they may carry with them where ever they go! God Bless You All So Very Much! Love in the Lord."

New volunteers, especially confirmandi and their parents, are always welcome. The daytime group meets on 1st and 3rd Wednesday mornings from 9:30 to 12 noon. The evening group meets on 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9:00. Both of these meetings are in Multipurpose Room #4. Pick up and drop off boxes are provided in the church office and the vesting sacristy.

Do you know someone who is in the military for whom we could pray? Please submit that person's name and branch of service to Andrea Clancy by email at adclancy@comcast.net or by phone at 410-480-3641. Also, submit your name and contact information. The parish military prayer list is posted on the bulletin board at the main entrance to the Church.

SOCIAL JUSTICE

LENDING LIBRARY

The Lending Library is open for your use. Stop by the link after the 9 AM and 10:30 AM Masses every Sunday. All members of Resurrection's parish are invited to make use of this informative, yet enjoyable, feature of our parish. If interested in becoming involved in the Lending Library please contact Don Grskovich at donaldgr@comcast.net or (410) 730-0126.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

MEN'S CLUB – PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Mark your calendar! The Resurrection Men's Club will sponsor an "all you can eat" Pancake and Sausage Breakfast on Sunday, March 8th, from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon, at the parish church hall. Breakfast will cost \$4.00 per person, with a family maximum rate of \$20.00. Children ages 6 and under will be admitted free.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

The next meeting will be Thursday March 5, 2009 for Court Howard 1882, in the Chapel of the Church of the Resurrection at 7:30 p.m. The Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary will begin at 7:15 p.m. Please come!

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS ANNUAL COMMUNION BREAKFAST

The Annual Communion Breakfast will be held Sunday March 8th, 9 a.m. Mass at the Church of the Resurrection. A Pancake Breakfast will follow in the church hall honoring St. Patrick. Please join us!! Carolyn Widitz 410-465-1925.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

After the 4:30 p.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 10:30 a.m. Masses a nurse will be available in the classroom off the church foyer for Blood Pressure Screening and to provide a variety of health care information. Please stop by March 7/8.

SIGHT AND SOUND

On **March 28, 2009**, we will have a bus trip to the Easter show, "**Behold the Lamb**," at **Sight and Sound Theatre** in PA. The show will be followed by dinner at **Hershey Farms**. Cost is: \$110 (ages 19+); \$88 (ages 13-18); \$65 (ages 3-12). Cost includes transportation, show ticket and dinner. The bus will leave the parking lot at 10:00am and return around 8:00pm. **This trip is open to all parishioners.**

RESURRECTION LITURGY MEDICAL ALERT TEAM

For any medical emergency during Mass, please notify the usher who will activate the Medical Alert Team Volunteers who are present at Mass. CPR may be initiated while awaiting response to our 911 call.

STAND

All volunteers who will work with children and youth must take this training and complete all necessary paperwork before they start their service to the church. Next Training: Monday, March 9 – 7:00 p.m. Please call Ginny Ryan to schedule your training (410-461-9111 ext. 223).

IRS TAX FILING

If it is important to you to have documentation of your donations to our church for tax purposes, please always use some kind of an envelope with the amount of the donation and your name on it. We only record donations submitted in a marked envelope. Thank you.

RESPECT LIFE

Post-Abortion Retreat: Do you know someone hurting from abortion...mother, father, sister, brother or friend? Help save a life! **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat** can help heal the wounds of abortion. Retreat dates are: **March 6-8, 2009** and **May 1-3, 2009**. Costs: \$150-\$200 (scholarship assistance is available). For more information visit www.projectrachel.net <<http://www.projectrachel.net/>> or call 1-800-286-4224. The National Rachels' Vineyard hotline is 1-877-HOPE-4-ME or visit www.racheslvineyard.org.

30th Annual Maryland March for Life: Monday, March 9th beginning at St. Mary's Church, 109 Duke of Gloucester Street, Annapolis MD 21401. The evening begins at 6:00 pm with a concurrent Mass (celebrated by Archbishop O'Brien) in the Church and Prayer Service in the Auditorium. The March begins at 7:00 pm from St. Mary's Church and processes through the streets of Annapolis to Lawyer's Mall at the State Capitol. At Lawyer's Mall, we let our voices be heard that we Support Pregnant Women. Master of Ceremonies: **Tracey Tiernan**, WRBS On-Air Radio Personality. The evening concludes with refreshments back at St. Mary's Auditorium. For more information, or to carpool from Resurrection, contact Lynda Kouroupis at 410-750-2809.

Pregnant, Need Help? Call the Gabriel Network – 1-800-ANGEL-OK

Suffering Post-Abortion Stress? Call Project Rachel – 1-800-286-4224

