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# Annunciation

12 W. Glendale Road, Webster Groves, MO 63119

Cultivating Faith, Community & Academic Excellence

FOURTH SUNDAY OF  
*Lent*

MARCH  
11  
2018

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,  
so that everyone who believes in him might not perish  
but might have eternal life.

John 3:16

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### Weekend Masses:

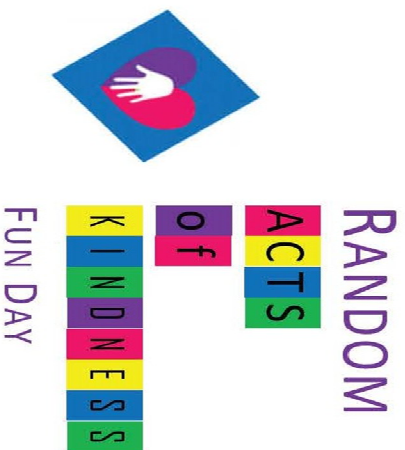
Saturday: 5:00 p.m. Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

**Weekday Masses:** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday  
at 6:30 a.m. & 8:00 a.m.

***This Friday we will not have a 6:30 a.m. Mass***

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays 4:00—4:30 p.m. or by appointment

**Rosary:** Every Sunday—Friday at 7:30 a.m. (before the 8:00 a.m. Mass)



**DESCRIPTION:** Meet new friends or join existing friends to work together to fulfill random acts of kindness. Teams of four will complete tasks in the Webster Groves area. Come with a team of four or we'll pair you up.

**SCHEDULE:** Check-in begins at 12:30 on Sunday, March 18 in the Annunciation MPH Room. At 12:45 you'll learn about the activities and the event will begin at 1:00. All teams will need to be back at the Annunciation MPH Room by 2:00 for refreshments.

**WHAT TO BRING:** You will be supplied with items needed to complete your tasks. We invite you to bring packaged goodies to distribute to fire/police. Also, we will be collecting cash or grocery card gift cards for parishioners in need, if you would like to contribute that day.

**DO I NEED TO REGISTER?** Please register by Wednesday, March 14, but walk-ins are most welcome.

Contact Toni Armstrong at (314) 805-4683 or email [toniarms@gmail.com](mailto:toniarms@gmail.com) for sign up or additional information. If coming with a team, please include the names of other team members.

**OPEN TO ALL AGES - FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT!**



## WOWA News:

### HAVE YOU BEEN TO A WOWA EVENT YET?

Remember, ALL women in the parish are already part of 'Women of Annunciation' and there is no annual dues or registration required. A great way to meet and stay connected to other women in the parish is to attend one of the social, spiritual, or service events offered. Information about events is found in the bulletin and sent out via email if you choose. Feel free to drop by and bring a friend!

WOWA is excited to expand the leadership team and is looking for a *Game Night Coordinator* and a *Historian*. *The Game Night Coordinator* would work with Ann Kelly and Mariann Wedel to offer some social game nights for the Women of Annunciation and their friends to attend. This is a volunteer role and is open to your creative ideas. The *Historian* would work with Ann Kelly, Tricia Beavin, and Susan Fitzpatrick to create and maintain a memory book of past WOWA events and a calendar of future WOWA events. This is also a volunteer role and is open to your creative input! This would be a fun way to utilize your talents and your love of photography and scrapbooking!! :) )

For any questions or more information, please contact WOWA President - Ann Kelly at [annkellyfamily@yahoo.com](mailto:annkellyfamily@yahoo.com) or 314-397-8834.

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### WOWA SPEAKER:

All women in our parish are invited to attend a speaker event, WOWA is sponsoring on Thursday, March 22, in the MPH room. We can gather there from 6:30 pm enjoying the drinks and snacks. Sr. Sharon Schwartz will be speaking from 7-8 pm on Hospice. Sister is a part-time Community Liaison at SSM Health at Home-Hospice. She is a former hospice nurse and feels many do not choose hospice as they really do not understand the meaning and how it can be helpful. Please come with questions and concerns for Sister. Please let me know if you are planning to attend.

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 Mariann Wedel 314-961-3086 [mrjwedel@att.net](mailto:mrjwedel@att.net)

Dear Friends,

The Fourth Sunday of Lent is called Laetare Sunday. It takes its name from the first Latin word of the Entrance Antiphon for this specific Sunday. *Laetare* means *Rejoice*. The Entrance Antiphon is that which is recited and serves as the commencement or beginning of Mass. It is recited unless an Entrance Song is chosen in its place, which is what most commonly happens to begin all Sunday Masses and, in many cases, weekday Masses, as well. For this reason it may be something unfamiliar to most of us, but if you look in the hymnals in our pews and turn to where the Readings for the day are listed or printed you will also see the Entrance Antiphons for each Mass.

Laetare Sunday is when the Church takes a bit of breather from Lenten practice and opens Mass with the Entrance Antiphon, "Rejoice, Jerusalem ... Be joyful, all who were in mourning!" - taken from Isaiah chapter 66. For it is on this Sunday that we look with expectation to the great Solemnity of Easter for which we have been preparing ourselves as a Church during the Lenten season. By its anticipation of the joy of Easter, Laetare Sunday is meant to give us hope and encouragement as we slowly progress towards the Paschal Feast.

On both Laetare Sunday and Gaudete Sunday (the Third Sunday of Advent), a priest may wear rose (i.e. pink) vestments since the color rose is used as a sign of the joy that characterizes these two Sundays. The use of rose vestments probably stems from an ancient papal tradition of blessing golden roses that would be sent to Catholic heads of state in Europe on the Fourth Sunday of Lent.

As we move closer to the holiest days of the Sacred Triduum, may we continue being faithful and committed to our Lenten promises of prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

As reminders... this Wednesday Stations will be available to pray individually in church since our PSR students will be celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation at the same time we have been praying the Stations of the Cross.

This Saturday the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available all day from 9 AM through 3 PM at Seven Holy Founders church.

And, next Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> will be our second and final Fish Fry for Lent, so make sure you don't forget to come and have dinner out that night right here at Annunciation!

May peace and joy be yours this week!

Father Mike

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE FY 18		March 4, 2018							
SUNDAY ENVELOPES	\$13,569.00	YEAR TO DATE BUDGET FY 18 (7/17-6/18)	\$422,307.72						
LOOSE DONATIONS	\$314.00	YEAR TO DATE ACTUAL FY 18	\$461,044.00						
ONLINE DONATIONS	\$615.00	YEAR TO DATE SURPLUS/(SHORTALL)	\$38,736.28						
STOCK DONATIONS	\$0.00								
TOTAL	\$14,498.00	TOTAL NO. OF HOUSEHOLDS	697						
WEEKLY BUDGET	\$11,730.77	TOTAL NO. OF CONTRIBUTORS THIS WEEK	162						
WEEKLY SURPLUS/(SHORTFALL)	\$2,767.23	% OF HOUSEHOLD CONTRIBUTING	24%						
<b>SPECIAL COLLECTIONS</b>	SVDP	Review	Eastern Eur	Easter Flowers	Black/Native Am	BL Scholarship	Cath Relief	Home Missions	Holy Land
<i>Thank you</i>	\$305.00	\$30.00	\$45.00	\$30.00	\$65.00	\$97.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
<p><b>Did you know?</b> You can sign up for <i>Online Giving</i> by visiting our parish website <a href="http://www.goannunciation.com/annunciation-online-donations.html">http://www.goannunciation.com/annunciation-online-donations.html</a> You can also sent up automatic payments through your own bank too.</p> <p>To donation stock or securities to Annunciation, please contact Patricia Griffaw in the Archdiocesan Finance Office, Securities Department, at 314-792-7123.</p>									

MASS INTENTIONS		
Monday March 12	6:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m.	Buddy Smith Diane Marino
Tuesday March 13	6:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m.	Helen Sprick Dr. Henry Cleaver
Wednesday March 14	6:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m.	Louis Greco Nancy Schuster Natoli
Thursday March 15	6:30 a.m. 8:00 a.m.	Heather Rasmussen James McMullan
Friday March 16	8:00 a.m.	<b>No 6:30 a.m. Mass Today</b> Patrick McLearn
Saturday March 17	5:00 p.m.	Millie Hein
Sunday March 18	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	People of the Parish Elizabeth Chitwood

MASS	SERVERS	
Monday March 12	8:00 a.m.	No School Servers Today
Tuesday March 13	8:00 a.m.	No School Servers Today
Wednesday March 14	8:00 a.m.	No School Servers Today
Thursday March 15	8:00 a.m.	No School Servers Today
Friday March 16	8:00 a.m.	No School Servers Today
Saturday March 17	5:00 p.m.	Gabby M., Jillian M., Logan H.
Sunday March 18	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Miles S., Daniel P., Ava B., Ellie P., Caitlin B.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE			
DATE TIME	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	LECTORS	MARCH USHERS
Saturday Mar. 17 5:00 p.m.	S. & M. Disbennett, T. Bergmann, H. Place, M. Riganti	K. Goodman	B. Bretsch, K. Franklin, B. Halliday, K. Kujawa
Sunday Mar. 18 8:00 a.m.	J. Wessel, M. & K. Wilson, M. Wedel, M. Smith	T. Ritten- house	D. Braun, C. Henry, J. Picco, K. Wilson
Sunday Mar. 18 10:00 a.m.	T. & J. Corcoran, T. Beavin, J. Phillips, P. Teak	J. Useted	T. Domino, R. Nix., T. Strahan, C. Weis

WEEKLY ANNUNCIATION PARISH CALENDAR			
Monday March 12	12:40 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:30 p.m.	St. Patrick's Salad/Casserole Day Bible Study St. Vincent DePaul Adult Basketball Practice	128 E. Glendale Klocker House MPH Gym
Tuesday March 13	8:30 a.m. 8:30 p.m. 9:00 a.m. 2:50 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions Eucharistic Adoration (ends at 9 p.m.) Quilters Divine Mercy Chaplet Rosary for Religious Freedom Divine Mercy Chaplet	Church Church GlenElm Church Church Church
Wednesday March 14	10:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 9:00 p.m.	Peregrine Society PSR Bible Study Men of the Parish Pray the Rosary	MPH/ANN School Klocker House Outside Church
Thursday March 15	6:30 p.m. 8:30 p.m.	Adult Choir Practice Adult Basketball	Church Gym
Friday March 16	5:00 p.m.	RCIA	Klocker House
Saturday March 17	9:00 a.m.	Sacrament of Penance at Seven Holy Founders 9 a.m.—3 p.m.	Seven Holy Founders
Sunday March 18	10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	Liturgy of the Word for Children R.C.I.A. <b>Random Acts of Kindness</b>	Church Klocker House MPH/ANN

MONEY COUNTERS	
Mon., Mar. 12	Mon., Mar. 19
G. Burns J. McArthur M. Wedel	S. Lucas M. Disbennett S. Stock

# Growing in FAITH™

Discovering **hope and joy** in the Catholic faith.

March 2018

Annunciation Catholic Church

Fr. Mike Esswein, Pastor

## One Minute Meditations

### St. Margaret Clitherow

St. Margaret Clitherow was born in York, England in 1555. She was raised Protestant but became a Catholic soon after she married.

When Queen Elizabeth I outlawed Catholicism, St. Margaret continued to practice her faith, even hiding Catholic priests in her house so they could say Mass in secret. In 1586, Margaret was arrested. Instead of being afraid, she was serenely joyful during her time in prison. She refused to renounce her faith and died a martyr.



### St. Joseph

March 19th, the Solemnity of St. Joseph, honors the Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. He is the patron of the Universal Church and protector of families.

"You are praising God when you do your day's work. You are praising him when you eat and drink. You are praising him when you rest on your bed. You are praising him when you are asleep. So when are you not praising him?"

St. Augustine



## "Who, then, is my neighbor?" (Luke 10:29)

Jesus' parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25-37) challenges our idea of who is a stranger. As followers of Jesus, we know that it is not acceptable to care only for people who are like ourselves. Our faith calls us to look beyond borders and see all people as neighbors. "If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you?" (Luke 6:32).

**Who is a neighbor?** Jesus never directed us to like everyone, but he raised love of neighbor to the level of a Commandment. And he doesn't allow us to be selective.

**The snarky coworker or unpleasant older person who lives next door?**

Both are neighbors we are asked to love. Customers who harp on the tiny mistakes we make, or relatives who love to point out our flaws?

Neighbors. People from around the world whose values and behavior are foreign to us? Neighbors, all.

**What is neighbor love?** It starts by seeing those around us – truly looking past the outer appearance and learning names, personal stories, circumstances.

Praying for others – whether we know them personally or not – is a powerful way to love them.

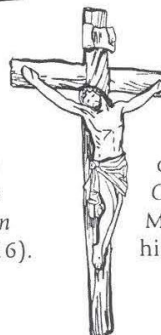
Neighbor love isn't blind to others' sin but it requires focusing on our own first. We love neighbors best by letting them witness in us the fullness of a life in Christ.



## Why Do Catholics Do That?

### Why do Catholics have crucifixes in church?

The crucifix – a cross with Jesus' body on it – reminds us of the price of our salvation and God's infinite love for us; "God so loved the world that he gave his only Son to death on a cross" (John 3:16).

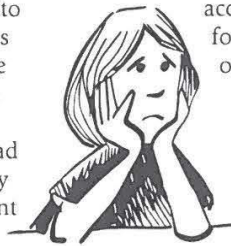


A crucifix helps us to remember that the sacrifice of Christ and the sacrifice of the Eucharist are one single sacrifice (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 1545). During Mass, Jesus, through the priest, offers himself to the Father for us.

## Why does God let bad things happen?

"If God is good, why does he allow bad things to happen?" In our hearts, we may know that God is loving and doesn't want us to suffer, but it can be difficult to see his plan when trouble strikes. The key is to stay close and trust his love.

Draw closer to him. Sometimes God allows bad things to happen because he knows that adversity can draw us closer to him. Take the Old Testament hero, Joseph, for example (Genesis 37-50). He was sold into slavery by his own brothers, falsely



accused by his master's wife, and unjustly imprisoned for years. Eventually he was released and became one of the most powerful men in Egypt.

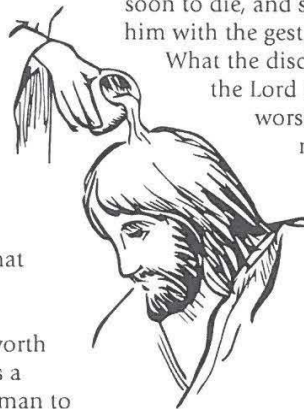
**Stay connected.** Throughout his suffering, Joseph kept his friendship with God strong so he could see God's hand in his life. When his brothers begged for forgiveness, Joseph was able to answer, *"Even though you meant harm to me, God meant it for good, to achieve his present end, the survival of many people."*

### from Scripture

#### Mark 14:1-15, 47, Waste or worship?

In this reading, we follow the march of events toward Jesus' death. It begins in Bethany with a woman pouring a costly ointment over Jesus' head and horrifying the disciples with a frivolous use of an expensive material. However, Jesus silenced them, pointing out that "she has anointed my body beforehand for burying."

The ointment was costly – worth about one year's wages. It was a significant sacrifice for the woman to make. Yet, unlike the disciples, the woman understood that Jesus was



soon to die, and she meant to honor him with the gesture.

What the disciples saw as waste, the Lord understood as worship. Jesus saw her material offering as "a beautiful thing." She took one of her most honored possessions and gave it to Jesus in an unusual act of devotion. Rather than

consider it a loss, Jesus felt honored by it.

### Q & A How do I make a good Confession?

The Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation (Confession) can sometimes feel like an obligation instead of an encounter with God's mercy, but it doesn't have to be that way. Try these tips for a more joyful Reconciliation.

Examine your conscience. Compare your actions to the principles of the Ten Commandments (Exodus 20) and the Beatitudes (Matthew 5). Bring to the confessional the significant ways you have failed to live up to them.

Confess the small ones, too. Participating in the Sacrament frequently means that you may only have venial (minor) sins to confess. Confess them anyway. Piling up venial sins can lessen our resistance and pave the way for mortal sin. Confessing keeps our consciences sharp.

Express contrition and resolve to avoid sin. Ask for the grace to continue growing in holiness and avoiding evil.

The point of the Sacrament is to reconcile us with the God who loves us more than we can imagine, and who is always eager to forgive us. Confession helps us come back and begin again.

### Feasts & Celebrations

**March 1 – St. David of Wales** (c. 600). St. David is the patron saint of Wales. He was born into Welsh nobility, but instead chose to become a priest. He was later consecrated a bishop. He is best known for founding an ascetic monastery and ridding the area of the Pelagian heresy.

**March 17 – St. Patrick of Ireland** (c.461). Born in Scotland, St. Patrick was kidnapped and brought to Ireland as a slave. He escaped but later returned to become the bishop of Ireland and is credited for having established the

Church there.

**March 19 – St. Joseph, Husband of Mary (1st Century).** Jesus' earthly father and husband to the Blessed Mother, St. Joseph is a model of fatherhood and a protector of families.

**March 25 – Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion (1st Century).** On Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, we recall Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem, when he was greeted by crowds waving palms and cheering. This Sunday marks the beginning of Holy Week.

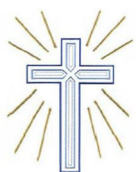


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**MAY THEY REST IN PEACE**

We pray for the repose of Dennis Diel, brother of Joann Corcoran. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. May the families know the compassion and comfort of the Risen Lord. Amen.



*Rest In Peace*

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**MARCH GIVE-A-MEAL-A-MONTH MENU:** Canned chicken, rice product, peas, cream of chicken soup, cookies. *No glass containers.* Optional items: dish detergent, deodorant, shampoo



RCIA will meet in the Klocker house after the Sunday 10:00 A.M. Mass. This week's topic is **LAST FOUR THINGS...**Death and Judgement, Purgatory, Heaven and Hell. Feel free to join us.

A special thank you to Seminarian, Jacob, for teaching the last two weeks.



The Coalition for Life's spring 40 Days for Life event is ongoing through March 25, and anyone is welcome to visit and pray outside Planned Parenthood any time during the days that remain in the campaign. Annunciation's Pro-Life organization recently sent a contribution to Coalition for Life to support the important work they do in helping young women with crisis pregnancies understand the life-saving options that are available. Another contribution was made to Thrive St. Louis Express Women's Healthcare. This organization has mobile units, one of which is generally available to women across the street from Planned Parenthood, offering pregnancy testing, ultrasounds and pregnancy counseling.

This Tuesday, March 13, is Show Me Life Lobby Day in Jefferson City organized by Missouri Right to Life. Call 573-635-5110 or go to [missourilife.org](http://missourilife.org) for more information. Buses are leaving from several places around the archdiocese.

**THE ANNUNCIATION GRIEF SUPPORT'S NEXT MEETINGS ARE:** Tuesday at 7pm in the Klocker House on Mar. 20, Apr. 3 & 17, May 1 & 15. All are welcome, please join us. Jeanne Place, [jeanne.place@gmail.com](mailto:jeanne.place@gmail.com) or 314-918-0783, or Mary Hittler, [mhittl@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mhittl@sbcglobal.net) or 314-277-5116



**LENTEN DEVOTION:** The Stations of the Cross: An Interactive Journey. The Worship Committee of Sts. Teresa and Bridget Church, 2401 North Grand Blvd, will present a live version of the Stations of the Cross, as seen through the eyes of Mary, the mother of Jesus. The program will be held on Sunday, March 18, at 1:00pm. All are welcome to attend and participate in this moving experience.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH**

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|------------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Ruth Henry             | Mike Vonderharr    | Patty Cabot    |
| Margit Vincenz         | Robert Janecek     | Joann Wills    |
| Mary Strauss           | Pat Rebman         | Mark Forrester |
| Richard Timmerman      | Julie Gibson       | Cassie Gorecki |
| Drew Hittler           | Sue Knoll          | Robin Hittler  |
| Molly LaBarge Sublette | Holly Stoltz Smith | Olivia Fenton  |
| Mary Frolichstein      |                    |                |

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**EMAIL PRAYER TEAM:** If you have any requests for the Email Prayer Chain, call Cheryl Braun, [prayers@goannunciation.com](mailto:prayers@goannunciation.com) or 314-712-0966. (For name in the bulletin, please call or email the parish office)

**ST. LOUIS LIFE TEEN ATTENTION ALL HIGHSCHOOLERS!** Please join us this Wednesday, March 14th from 7-9pm at Bishop DuBourg High School as start our new series and join together in prayer and community. Please see [saintlouislifeteen.org](http://saintlouislifeteen.org) for more information!

**JOIN SPIRIT AND TRUTH** this Thursday at 7pm for Eucharistic adoration & fellowship at St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Mehlville. All young adults are welcome! Details, visit [spiritandtruthstl.org](http://spiritandtruthstl.org), or like us on Facebook at [fb.me/spiritandtruth.stl](https://fb.me/spiritandtruth.stl)

**ST. LOUIS FRIENDS OF BIRTHRIGHT 17TH ANNUAL RUN FOR LIFE AND LEARNING.** Please join us on Saturday, March 31, 2018 for a 6k Chip-Timed Run and Walk, 1 Mile Fun Run, and ¼ Mile Youth Run with Fredbird. Register online today at [run4lifeandlearning.eventbrite.com](http://run4lifeandlearning.eventbrite.com). Check-in starts Saturday morning beginning at 7:30am at the Tremayne Shelter in Sailboat Cove at Creve Coeur Park. For more information email - [run4lifeandlearning@gmail.com](mailto:run4lifeandlearning@gmail.com). Funds raised in support of the event are used for education of Birthright clients through scholarships as well as housing expenses for our Birthright clients.

**SAVE THE DATE!!** Vacation Bible School at the OLP campus July 9-13 from 9 a.m. to noon.

**FIAT WOMEN'S GROUP** All women are invited to Kenrick-Glennon Seminary (5200 Glennon Drive, 63119) on the third Thursday of each month for prayer & talk. The next meeting is March 15. Fr. Paul Hoising, Dean of Seminarians at Kenrick-Glennon Seminary is the speaker. The Rosary at 8 am., & Father speaks 8:15- 9 am. Coffee will be offered afterwards in

Eucharistic Adoration is every Tuesday following 8 a.m. Mass until 9 p.m. This quiet meditative, prayerful time is open to all for visits. For more information or if you would like to sign-up for an hour of adoration weekly, bi-monthly or monthly, please contact Debbie Kujawa, 397-4970, or email [debbiekujawa2@gmail.com](mailto:debbiekujawa2@gmail.com).

**Feed My People Trivia Night**

Saturday, April 7, 2018

**Immaculate Conception Church**

2300 Church Rd., Arnold, MO

Doors Open at 6PM, Trivia Starts at 7PM



For details and to reserve your table of 8, online: [www.Feed-My-People.org/events/](http://www.Feed-My-People.org/events/)  
Or contact Sara: 314-631-4900 x 313 or [Sara.Becker@Feed-My-People.net](mailto:Sara.Becker@Feed-My-People.net)  
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UPCOMING NEIGHBORING PARISH FISH FRIES:  
Our Lady of Providence: March 16 (4-7)

# ANNUNCIATION PARISH FISH FRY



**MENU:**

**Large Cod Dinner..... \$10.00**  
*2 cod fillets, pasta, coleslaw,  
2 hush puppies and dessert*

**Small Cod Dinner ..... \$7.00**  
*1 cod fillet, pasta, coleslaw,  
2 hush puppies and dessert*

**Pietro's Pasta Dinner..... \$8.00**  
*Pasta, coleslaw,  
2 hush puppies and dessert*

**Kid's Dinner..... \$5.00**  
*Cheese pizza, Go-Gurt,  
and dessert*

**Extra Sides..... \$3.00**  
*Cod Fillet  
Pasta  
Hush puppies (6)*

**Slice of Cheese Pizza ..... \$2.00**

**Drinks**

Coffee & Lemonade..... **Free**  
Soda & Bottled Water..... **\$1.00**  
Beer and Wine..... **Donations Accepted**

**March 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**4:30 – 7:00**



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## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

This Wednesday Stations will be available to pray individually in church since our PSR students will be celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation at the same time we have been praying the Stations of the Cross.

Every two seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood.

So, I want to thank everyone from Annunciation that donated at this weeks blood drive. We collected 22 units of blood!

The next blood drive will be  
Monday October  
15, 3-7pm.



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**SAVE THE DATE**  
MAY 23, 2018 • 7 PM

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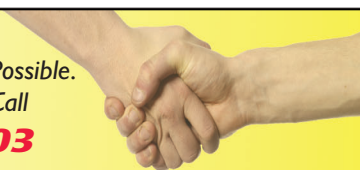
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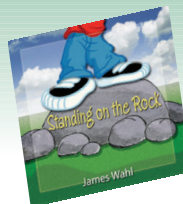
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