

Our Lady Queen of Angels Parish

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Third Sunday
Of Lent

Worship Sites

Church (Sacred Heart)

738 Sunshine Avenue

Chapel (St. John)

162 Wheeler Street

Holy Masses:

Daily

Church (Sacred Heart) 8:00AM

Saturday Vigil

Church (Sacred Heart) 4:00PM

Sunday Morning

Church (Sacred Heart) 8:00 AM

Chapel (St. John) 10:30 AM

Church (Sacred Heart)

Saturday 3:00 PM – 3:45 PM

Chapel (St. John)

Sunday 10:00 AM – 10:15 AM

Anytime upon Request

Mass Intentions

March 5	<i>Lenten Weekday</i> NO MASS
March 6	<i>Lenten Weekday</i> NO MASS
March 7	<i>Lenten Weekday</i> NO MASS
March 8	<i>Lenten Weekday</i> NO MASS
March 9	<i>Lenten Weekday</i> NO MASS
7:00	Stations of the Cross - Chapel
March 10	<i>Vigil - Fourth Sunday of Lent</i>
4:00 PM	Libby Ciccone, Birthday Remembrance (Req. Beth & Darrell Humphrey) - Church
March 11	<i>Fourth Sunday of Lent</i>
8:00 AM	Albert McKolosky (Req. Tom & Bonnie Jarvis) - Church
10:30 AM	For the Parish (Missa Populo) - Chapel

DYNGUS DAY TICKETS - Tickets are now available for Dyngus Day celebration. Rooted in Polish culture, Dyngus Day is the day of merriment after Easter. While typically on Easter Monday, our celebration has been moved to the Saturday after Easter for greater accessibility. Tickets are \$25.00 each and include a buffet dinner of pierogi, halupki, haluski, kolbasi and sauerkraut, desert, roll, and drinks (beer included). Polka music will be provided by Lil'John Nalevanko and the ATM Band. Throughout the evening there will be many games of chance. Tickets are \$25.00 each and are now on sale. Last year the crowd talked about the event for months afterward, make sure to get your ticket early. **BASKETS ARE NEEDED FOR THE BASKET RAFFLE PORTION OF THE EVENING - PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING A THEME BASKET!** If you wish to purchase tickets or donate a basket please phone the rectory or see Fr. Aron.

SUBSTITUTE PRIEST THIS WEEKEND - Father Aron will be away in Jerusalem the next two weekends. Covering for him will be Fr. Emmanuel Obimma Afunugo, S.T.D. A native of Nigeria, Fr. Afunugo teaches moral theology at St. Vincent Seminary. A priest of the Diocese of Amarillo, Texas, he was ordained on May 26, 1983. He earned a Master of Divinity degree from Kenrick Theological Seminary, St. Louis, Missouri in 1982; a Licentiate in Canon Law from the University of St. Thomas Aquinas (Angelicum), Rome, Italy, in 1987; a Licentiate in Sacred Theology from The Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C., in 1994; and a Doctor in Sacred Theology degree from The Pontifical John Paul II Institute for Studies in Marriage and Family, Washington, D.C., in 1997 (a licentiate is a Roman degree that is less than an American doctorate but more than a masters). His work in the Diocese of Amarillo has included serving as Consultant in Canonical Affairs from 1987 to 1991 and as Defender of the Bond, Appellate Court of the Archdiocese of San Antonio, Texas, from 1987 to 1991. He also researched, compiled and drafted guidelines for preparation and reception of the sacraments for the Diocese of Amarillo from 1989 to 1990. Father Emmanuel's parish work has included serving as Administrator of St. Mary Catholic Church, Umbarger, Texas (1997-1999); Parochial Vicar of St. Vincent de Paul Church, Pampa, Texas (1987-1991); Pastor and Chief Administrator of St. Ann's Church and St. Theresa Mission, Bovina and Friona, Texas (1984-1985); Parochial Vicar at St. Joseph Church, Amarillo, Texas (1983-1984). He was also a teacher of Adult Education and Religion and soccer coach at Alamo Catholic High School, Amarillo, Texas (1981-1984). Father Emmanuel has conducted in-depth research on the hiring of African Americans in the Catholic colleges and universities of the United States and, in conjunction with the National Conference for Interracial Justice, conducted research on the hiring of minorities in all the Catholic dioceses in the United States. He has many published works in academic journals and has been on the seminary faculty at St. Vincent since 1999- Please offer him a warm welcome.

YOU'RE SO VAIN YOU PROBABLY THINK THIS BULLETIN ENTRY IS ABOUT YOU - How can you tell the difference between narcissism and self-esteem - both narcissism and self-esteem are ways of seeking, in some way, to legitimize one's own existence. So, where is the difference? Why are they so easily confused? Let us say that while narcissism seeks self-affirmation through a good image, self-esteem does so through simply existing, unconditionally. Consequently, we can say that narcissism and self-esteem consist of contrary ingredients, taking into account their motivations and the behaviors they generate.

Narcissists have an exaggerated perception of themselves

The main difference between someone who is narcissistic and someone who has good self-esteem is their self-image. That is to say, the former gives himself exaggerated and truly distorted importance; the latter enjoys a much more interior and less inflated self-satisfaction, with more reasoned foundations. A narcissist seeks well-being and security by means of an exaggerated image, which in reality is a distorted self-perception. That is to say, narcissism actually reveals an interior emptiness in which an insecure person is hiding. By way of contrast, a person with good self-esteem bases his well-being on satisfactory relationships. In other words, he doesn't give his image more importance than it really has. Since he has self-confidence, he doesn't need to exaggerate or over-emphasize his triumphs when dealing with other people; he simply enjoys celebrating them.

Assertiveness vs. a need for attention

A person with high self-esteem is assertive. He knows how to listen, how to pay attention, and how to choose the right moment to speak, and he knows what he is talking about, always making a valuable contribution with his words. That is to say, he has emotional intelligence, and the patience that comes from knowing that he will be able

to express his opinion when his turn arrives. A narcissist, on the contrary, given his inordinate cult of his own image, needs attention. That is to say, he will always try to be in the limelight. Consequently, he will try to become the “life of the party” and will make sure everyone knows he’s there. He needs other people to be admiring him constantly.

Arrogance instead of compassion

While narcissists never show compassion for anyone, except perhaps for themselves, people who really have healthy self-esteem are aware of the value of the beautiful challenge of helping other people. Narcissists, in their arrogance, are generally aggressive and envious, and feel a need to dominate others in order to feel good about themselves. Rarely will they accept criticism or learn from their mistakes, because they have great difficulty in perceiving—and above all, accepting—their weaknesses and failures. *A narcissist and someone with healthy self-esteem could, at first, seem similar. However, as time passes, and the two personality types develop, we can see how the similarity between narcissism and self-esteem vanishes like a mirage. Empathy is the greatest quality that shows the difference between these two kinds of personality. People with healthy self-esteem can always grow in their capacity for empathy towards others, fostering sentiments of collaboration and love for others. A narcissist, as such, cannot develop this quality.*

MARCH/EASTERCALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 5 - NO Polish Class
March 7 - St. Vincent DePaul Meeting - 7:00 PM - Activity Center
March 9 - Pierogi Sale - 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM - St. John
March 9 - Stations of the Cross - 7:00 PM - St. John
March 10-11 - Fr. Afumugo covers for Father Aron
March 11 - Holy Name Society Corporate Communion
March 12 - Polish Class (Easter Egg Decorating) - 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM - Activity Center
March 13 - Society of Angels Meeting - 6:30 PM - St. John
March 16 - Pierogi Sale - 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM - St. John
March 16 - Stations of the Cross - 7:00 PM - Sacred Heart
March 18 - Special Second Collection for West Virginia Work Crew - All Masses
March 18 - All You Can Eat Breakfast - 9:00 AM - Noon - St. John
March 18 - 2nd Grade Trip to Loretto - Depart Noon - St. John
March 19 - Polish Class (Easter Customs) - 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM - Activity Center
March 19 - New Baltimore Penance Service - 7:00 PM - Multiple Priests Available for Confession
March 23 - Pierogi Sale - 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM - St. John
March 23 - Stations of the Cross - 7:00 PM - St. John
March 23 - Extended Confessions - 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM - St. John
March 24 - First Confessions for 2nd Graders - 2:45 PM - Sacred Heart
March 25 - Fr. Aron in New Baltimore, Benedictine Priests Cover Sunday Masses Only
March 25 - Gorzkie Zale - Fr. Eli Bremmer Homilist - 3:00 PM - Sacred Heart \\\nMarch 25 - Extended Confessions - 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM - Sacred Heart
March 26 - Practice for Holy Thursday Altar Servers - St. John’s 6:00 PM
March 28 - Practice for Easter Vigil (Servers 6:00 PM. Candidates 7:00 PM) - New Baltimore
March 28 - K of C Meeting - St. John
March 29 - Holy Thursday Mass - 6:30 PM - St. John
March 30 - Practice for Good Friday - 10:45 AM - Sacred Heart
March 30 - Good Friday - Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion - Noon - Sacred Heart
March 30 - Living Stations of the Cross - 1:00 PM - Sacred Heart
March 31 - Blessing of Easter Foods - Noon - St. John
March 31 - Easter Egg Hunt - 12:30 PM - St. John Rectory Yard
March 31 - Easter Vigil - 8:30 PM - New Baltimore
April 7 - Mass with Polish Hymns - 4:00 PM - Sacred Heart
April 7 - Parish Celebration of Dyngus Day - 5:30 PM - 10:30 PM - Activity Center
April 8 - Confirmation for Parish Students - 4:00 PM - St. Peter Church - Somerset

PALMS NEEDED - This year the parish used its supply of ashes for Ash Wednesday. The ashes for Ash Wednesday come from palms from Palm Sunday (we burn our hypocrisy and have the ashes put upon our head in penitence). Prior to Palm Sunday if you have any old palms please drop them in the baskets provided at the entrances of both churches. They will be burned and made into ashes for Ash Wednesday next year.

OLD FASHIONED COUNTRY BREAKFAST - Our neighbors in New Baltimore are having their annual buckwheat pancake breakfasts this and next weekend (March 4th and March 11th). The menu is ALL YOU CAN EAT and includes buckwheat pancakes, whole hog sausage, pure maple syrup (made by a parishioner), apple sauce, and beverage. The cost is \$8.00 for adults, 12 and under \$4.00, and under 4 free. The neighbors from New Baltimore have been VERY good about supporting our breakfast each month (they put theirs during weeks we don't have ours out of respect), please support their breakfasts, served from 10:00 AM until 1:00 PM.

PIEROGI SALE - Every Friday during Lent, our parish will be making and selling pierogi at the St. John site. Homemade potato/cheese, sauerkraut, and prune are available hot with butter and onions and ready to eat or frozen. They are \$8.00 per dozen for Potato/Cheese, and \$9.00 per dozen Sauerkraut and Prune. For hot with butter and onions add one dollar per dozen. Orders can be placed by calling the rectory or by completing the form in the bulletin and dropping it off at the rectory by Friday morning.

FISH FRY - As the priest with a weight problem, I (Fr. Aron) feel that I can speak with some authority on Lenten fish fries. Why would one forego a buffet for a mere fish dinner? This is America, a land of liberty and prosperity. With the lofty concepts of choosing your own fish entrees and with the ability to eat as many as you wish (without succumbing to gluttony) I am officially endorsing the All You Can Eat Fish Buffet at St. John the Baptist Church in New Baltimore and am declaring it the best value going on a Friday during Lent (it doesn't hurt that I am their priest as well). Continuing every Friday of Lent (March 9th, 16th, & 23rd) an all you can eat bonanza of baked & fried fish, fried shrimp, fried clams, soup, baked potato, vegetables, salad & desert bar and beverage is available in the parish hall from 3:30 PM until 6:30 PM. At \$14.00 for adults, \$4.00 for ages 5-11, and free for under \$5.00, you will feel like you are on a schooner in the Atlantic, the brisk wind and cool saltwater blowing against your skin (actually that sounds rather awful).

PRAYER LIST - Jennie Sielczak, Frank Murawski, Constance Gruca, Lillian Koleszarik, Marie Metsker, Sandy Wechtenhiser, Ethan Rohlf, Rachel Moslak, Ann Guyer, Alice Zelenski, Shirley Taylor, Carol Hancharik, Kay Hintosh, Charlie Field Jr., David P. Bonus, Lauren Barnes, Andrew Straka, Fern Lasut, Agnes Palya, Trish Rullo, Stanley Carl Tomaszewski, Patrick Munro, Tom Hudak, Quincy Oglie, Charles Field Sr., Mike Dixon, Mya Polito, Madelain Mauger, Sue Frank, Caroline Amato, Joseph Shelko, Shirley Roman, Mary Ethel Sanzo, Leon Bonus, Joyce Delasko, Larry Krestar, Andrew Muha, Andrea Sesack, Ricky Gerena, Shelly Delasko, Lionel Berkebile, Mary-Ann Sgavoo, Mary Ann Naret, Barry Stuft, John Harchick Jr., Vincent Bestvina, Izzy Bihun, Jeff Yanosky, Mary Clark, Rhonda Bittner, Kara Palumbo, Dave Andolina, Mary Ann Stavlo, Jeff Naugle, Debra Farley, Eugene Topka, Carla Ayres, Zoe Taylor, Rodney Shaffer, Adrian Popig, Casey Duffield, Mike Stefanik, Georgianne Matava, Rose Maga, Michelle Moore, William Sunderhaus

WEEKLY OFFERING - February 24th and February 25th Adult Envelopes - \$2,536.50; Loose - \$315.10; Fuel - \$26; Student Offering - \$49.25; Miscellaneous - \$30; Total -2,956.85. - Thank You!

SERVER SCHEDULE

March 10 - 4:00 PM - T. & M. Mabon, J. Bihun
March 11 - 8:00 AM - R. & C. Pongrac, A. Deneen
March 11 - 10:30 AM - M. Moslak, C. & L. Galish

POLISH CLASS - There will be NO Polish class this week. Class will resume on March 12th at 6:30 PM in the activity center.

SOCIETY OF ANGELS - The Society of Angels will meet on March 13th at 6:30 PM at the St. John site.

NOTE THE CHANGES - The Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday has been moved to 6:30 PM, the server practices have changed as well from the dates originally published in the bulletin on February 11.

COOKIES NEEDED - We are in need of 150 dozen cookies for Dyngus Day, if you care enough to help you parish please call the rectory this week and let the office know how many dozen you are able to make for the event on Saturday April 7 (cookies need to be dropped off before 4:00 PM Mass on April 7).