

† Masses this week at St. Michael's -March 15-22, 2026

"I am the light of the world." -John 9.1-41

Fourth Sunday of Lent -Year A

Saturday, March 14 5:00 pm † Marcellienne Rowe -Sr. Mary & Sr. Linda

Sunday, March 15 9:00 am Missa Pro Popula
11:00 am † Bill & Sadie Barr -Fred & Collete Stegmayer

Mass Intention

Requested by

Monday, March 16 12:05 pm † John O'Connor

-David & Jeannie Thomas

Tuesday, March 17 12:05 pm † Kathleen Gallivan

-Peter & Suzanne Delanty

Wed., March 18 10:00 am Mass at Streamway Villa
12:05 pm † Pat Franko

-Sr. Mary & Sr. Linda

Thurs., March 19 12:05 pm † Giuseppe Cutro

-Lena & Family

Friday, March 20 10:00 am Mass at Legion Village
12:05 pm † Johnny Vinkle

-Harper Family



Friday, March 20 6:10 pm The Stations of the Cross is a Lenten devotion...
take the opportunity to come together with others to pray and follow the 'way of the cross'.

Sixth Sunday of Lent

Saturday, March 21 5:00 pm Missa Pro Popula

Sunday, March 22 9:00 am † Rodolfo Santos -Kupczyk Family 11:00 am † Gary Thompson -Jean Walters



St. Michael's CWL Council invites all members of the Parish to celebrate the **St. Patrick's Day on March 17** - with a soup and bun and bread luncheon after the 12:05 Mass in the Parish Centre. Since March 17 is NOT on a Friday, we will not be limited to all soups being meatless but there will be one or two for sure. Free will offerings will be gratefully received. Celebrate Lent and St. Patrick's Day together at the church.



Give of Yourself Daily life also offers countless opportunities to give of yourself to others (alms), and most don't involve dipping into your wallet. Give encouragement to the doubting, give a word of praise to the insecure, show kindness to someone who could use a friend, and offer a word of thanks to those whose service of others often goes unappreciated. Give the gift of your attention to someone who simply wants to be noticed. Tell your children stories about people whose values you admire when you gather at mealtime. Don't be stingy with your smiles—give them freely to everyone you meet. And most important, give your love to those close to you. Hug them, hold them, and tell them what they mean to you. In this way you open your heart to God and others. So no matter how busy your are in life, with some greater awareness and new perspectives you can consciously pray, fast, and give of yourself this Lent—and you will be ready to celebrate when a joyful dawn breaks upon you Easter morning.

Message of Pope Leo XIV for Lent 2026 The 2026 Message of Pope Leo XIV for Lent is titled "Listening and Fasting: Lent as a Time of Conversion." In his message, the Holy Father writes: "Lent is a time in which the Church, guided by a sense of maternal care, invites us to place the mystery of God back in the center of our lives, in order to find renewal in our faith and keep our hearts from being consumed by the anxieties and distractions of daily life." *Full message available on the Vatican website.*