
 <p><b>St. Cyril of Alexandria</b> 28 Walton St. Alexandria Bay, NY</p> <hr/> <p>Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 10:00 a.m.</p>	<p><b>The Catholic Community of Alexandria</b> 17 Rock St. Alexandria Bay, NY 13607 315-482-2670</p> <p><a href="mailto:pastor@stcyrils.org">pastor@stcyrils.org</a>   <a href="http://www.stcyrils.org">www.stcyrils.org</a></p> <p><b>Rev. Douglas G. Comstock, Pastor</b> <b>Bernard Slate, Deacon</b> <b>Joel Walentuk, Deacon</b></p>	 <p><b>St. Francis Xavier</b> 28685 Butterfield Lake Rd Redwood, NY</p> <hr/> <p>Sunday 8:30 a.m.</p>
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**Liturgy Schedule for Week of March 10, 2019**

- Saturday, March 9, 2019    *The First Sunday of Lent***  
5:00 p.m.                  Louis Amato by Cindy Beattie
- Sunday, March 10, 2019**  
8:30 a.m. (SFX)        Frederick and Helen Sourwine by Thomas & Sally  
10:00 a.m.                Anthony C. Folino by Tony & Kathy Folino
- Monday, March 11, 2019**  
8:00 a.m.                Our Parishioners
- Tuesday, March 12, 2019**  
**5:15 p.m.**                Marie Agrentieri by Bonnie & Gary Grauksgruber
- Wednesday, March 13, 2019**  
8:00 a.m.                The Intentions of Cindy Hutchinson by the Morning Mass Group
- Thursday, March 14, 2019**  
**5:10 p.m.**                Ira and Blossom Bruce by Murray & Shelly Bruce
- Friday, March 15, 2019**  
8:00 a.m.                Bill Thomas by Dick
- Saturday, March 16, 2019    *The Second Sunday of Lent***  
5:00 p.m.                Infant Joseph Ryan Dennison by Tim & Diane Kring
- Sunday, March 17, 2019**  
8:30 a.m. (SFX)        The Family of Emma George by her Estate  
10:00 a.m.                Judy Wade by Mary Ann Mattheews

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**Saturday                                  3:45 – 4:30 p.m. at St. Cyril of Alexandria Church**  
**Sunday                                    8:00 – 8:15 a.m. at St. Francis Xavier Church**

**Soup and Stations**

This Thursday we will celebrate the 5:15 Mass in St. Cyril of Alexandria Church, before gathering for Soup and Stations of the Cross.

Sign-up sheets for providing soup are found in each church. Come, join us!

**Our Stewardship**

March 2 - 3, 2019

Envelopes	\$1,465.00		
Plate	\$604.00		
Youth			
Electronic Giving	\$148.24	Fuel Collection	\$60.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,217.24</b>	Total Fuel Contribution to Date	18,365.80
Last Year	\$1,793.00	Total Fuel Cost Last Fiscal Year	\$20,210.43

## **CHARISMS: DISCOVERING THE GIFTS WE ALL HAVE TO SHARE:**

### **All Parishioners are welcome**

Please join us for “Charisms: Discovering the Gifts We All Have to Share” retreat on Saturday, March 23, 2019 at the Sisters of St. Joseph Motherhouse, 1425 Washington St., Watertown, NY.

Marika Donders, Director of the Diocesan Office of New Evangelization is our facilitator. **We begin with mass at 9:30 am followed by the workshop, 10:00-noon.** All parishioners are welcome! The cost of the workshop is minimal: free will donation at the door.

Please register prior to March 23 to ensure we have enough materials and light refreshments available.

It's easy to register, just click on the link below: <https://www.rcdony.org/formation/commissioned-lay-ministers/clm-event-registration.html> or call Jeannie Grizzuto at 315-393-2920.

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### **Lenten Prayer**

Lent should be more than a time of fasting; it should be a time of feasting as well, a time to turn to God.

This Lenten Prayer appeared in this column several years ago, but worth repeating again...and perhaps every year.

Fast from judging others; feast on the Christ indwelling in them.  
Fast from emphasis on differences; feast on the unity of all life.  
Fast from apparent darkness; feast on the reality of light.  
Fast from words that pollute; feast on phrases that purify.  
Fast from discontent; feast on gratitude.  
Fast from anger; feast on patience.  
Fast from pessimism; feast on optimism.  
Fast from worry; feast on trust.  
Fast from complaining; feast on appreciation.  
Fast from negatives; feast on affirmatives.  
Fast from unrelenting pressures; feast on unceasing prayer.  
Fast from hostility; feast on nonviolence.  
Fast from bitterness; feast on forgiveness.  
Fast from self-concern; feast on compassion for others.  
Fast from personal anxiety; feast on eternal truth.  
Fast from discouragement; feast on hope.  
Fast from facts that depress; feast on truths that uplift.  
Fast from lethargy; feast on enthusiasm.  
Fast from suspicion; feast on truth.  
Fast from thoughts that weaken; feast on promises that inspire.  
Fast from idle gossip; feast on purposeful silence.  
Fast from problems that overwhelm; feast on prayer that undergirds

Gentle God, during this season of fasting and feasting, gift us with your presence so we can be a gift to others in carrying out your work. Amen. [William Arthur Ward; American author, teacher, pastor; 1921-1994]

*Judy Pearson*