



# WE ARE CATHOLIC! LET IT SHOW!

March 28, 2010

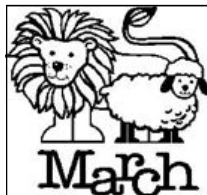
Mass Schedules For March 27, 2010 – April 4, 2010

## Immaculate Conception Mass Schedule

Sat	Mar 27	5:00pm	JAMES SEARLE by Tom Slavin
Sun	Mar 28	10:45am	CINDY SLOCUM by Family
Mon	Mar 29	8:10am	JUDITH FLORENTINE by Elizabeth Fenn
Mon	Mar 29	9:00am	ADORATION BEGINS
Tues	Mar 30	8:10am	COMMUNION SERVICE
Wed	Mar 31	8:00am	ADORATION ENDS
Wed	Mar 31	8:10am	PATRICK SPIKER by Maureen Cooper
Thurs	Apr 1	7:30pm	DICK KETCHNER ( 30th Day Remembrance) by Russell Knowles
Fri	Apr 2	12:00Noon	Stations of the Cross
Fri	Apr 2	3:00pm	Good Friday Service
Sat	Apr 3	3:00pm	Blessing of Easter Food Baskets
Sat	Apr 3	8:00pm	DONALD AIKEN by Family
Sun	Apr 4	10:45am	DUSTIN WASHER by Family

### St. Mary, Bolivar NY

Sunday Mass	9:00am	First Friday Mass	5:30pm
Monday Mass	11:30am	Holy Day Vigil Mass	7:00pm



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**Readings for April 4, 2010**  
**Easter Sunday**

**1st Reading: Acts 10:34, 37-43** *God has raised Jesus to life and allowed him to be seen by certain chosen witnesses.*

**2nd Reading: Colossians 3:1-4** *Our thoughts are to be on heavenly things for we have been brought back to true life with Christ.*

**Gospel: John 20:1-9** *In their experience of the empty tomb the disciples finally understand the teaching that Jesus must rise from the dead.*

**MARCH MEMORIALS**  
*Given in Loving Memory*

*Altar Breads and Wines:*  
*In Loving Memory Of Wells & Jeanne Stout*  
*By Family*

*Sanctuary and Altar Candles:*  
*In Loving Memory Of Stedman, Pacara & Scott Families*  
*By The Scott Family*

*Chapel - Adoration Candles*  
*In Loving memory Of Lloyd Winans*  
*By Steve and Francine Winans*

***Please Pray For The Sick:*** Paul Decker, Harold Murphy, Bea Hague, Genevieve Graveling, Sheila Roselli, Mary & Clancy Benz, Joyce Weimer, Beulah Martinez, Al Kibby, Betsy Lagonegro Hill, , Cheyenne Horton, Patrick Payne, Bridget Sullivan Druss, Robert Haas, Daniel Amesbury, Pam Antonacci, Dale Adams, MariLou Brown Lall, Patsy Walsh, Colleen Walters, Diane Mountain, Mary Janowicz, Frank Kuwamura, , Lorraine House Vossler, Jerry Sherman, Sue Sweeting, Melanie Doerr, Sr. Marilyn Brewer, Florence Skillman, Jack Colligan, Judy DeMarte, Art Moscardini, John Melaro, Lloyd Moyer, Irene Jusko, Avery Fisk, Jon DePratt, Julie Taylor, Baby Caleb, Donald Frungillo, Lynn Cooper, Bill Wonderling, Mark Andrew, Logan Culver, George Wagner, Eleanor Morris, Logan Ambuski, Our Nursing Home Residents, the sick of our parish and any one in need of our prayers.

***Please Pray For The Deceased:*** Paul Decker, Vincent Haas, Mary Lou Snyder, DeDe Whitwood

ICC/ICS CALENDAR			
Sun	Mar 28	10:00am	Choir Practice
Mon	Mar 29	7:00pm	Penance Service St. Patrick's. Belfast NY
Sat	Apr 10	6:30pm- 11:30pm	ICS 500 Club & Monte Carlo Night, Main Street Fire Hall
Sun	Jun 13		Parish Picnic

COLLECTION REPORT		
Mar 21	\$	5,260.50

Religious Education/Generations of Faith			
Sun	Mar 28	8:30am- 10:30am	Grades K-6 Class Grades K-2 attend Mass at 10:45am
Sun	Mar 28	6:30pm- 8:30pm	Grades 7-9 Class
Sun	Apr 11	8:30am- 10:30am	Grades K-6 Class Grades 3-4 attend Mass at 10:45am
Sun	Apr 11	3:00pm	Confirmation Retreat, Alfred NY

**When Christ Gets Personal**

The scribes, Pharisees, and Sadducees thought of Christ as a meddling trouble-maker. Were they right? Sometimes, when we turn from the will of God and Christ challenges our consciences, we may think of Him as bothersome too. Occasionally Christ seems to become quite personal and quite disturbing. Remember at the Last Supper how He said that someone was going to betray Him? Because each of those present had already had times when they were shaky in their relationship with Christ, each one asked, "Is it I?" Today Christ uses our consciences to get personal and concerned about our loyalty. By remaining open to His teachings, and faithful to His Word, we can prove our faithfulness and remain completely true to Him.



**Behold Your Savior**

Behold your Savior, the suffering servant of Yahweh, who was crushed and bruised for your transgressions. The great high priest who has offered prayers and supplications to God on your behalf. He is the Master, made servant to all, who was denied, betrayed and deserted by his followers. The true king, crucified falsely judged and executed by those he came to save. Behold him, dying, that he might rise again with your ransomed soul in hand. Behold Him, our Lord.

**Palm Sunday Prayer**

Hosanna, Lord! Let the call ring from our lips, as we throw down before your feet our treasured robes, that material wealth so precious to us. This Palm Sunday, may we willingly cast off our desire for beautiful things, desiring instead the precious gift of our anointed Lord, the risen Christ and His salvation. Teach us, this, the meaning of Palm Sunday. Amen



Blessed are they who come in the name of the Lord! Am I being called to proclaim Jesus as a priest, deacon, religious brother or sister? If God is calling you, call Rev. Walter Szczesny at 716-847-5535.

**CONFESSION DURING LENT**

There will be a Penance Service at St. Patrick's in Belfast on March 29th at 7:00pm. Each Saturday until March 27th Fr. Vince will be in the Confessional at 4:00pm for those of you unable to go to the Penance Service. Monday March 29th is the last time before Easter that Confession will be available to you. LAST CHANCE!

**HOLY WEEK**

The Mass of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated Thursday, April 1st at 7:30pm. Stations of the Cross will be prayed on Good Friday, April 2nd at Noon. There will also be a Good Friday Service at 3:00pm. On Holy Saturday, April 3rd Fr. Vince will bless Easter Food Baskets in Church at 3:00pm. The Easter Vigil Mass will be celebrated at 8:00pm. There will be no 5:00pm Mass on April 3rd.

**500 CLUB**

Congratulations Early Bird Winners! March 15th Winners: Susan & Chet Norton #122; Angela Stout, 246; Fred & Colleen Pace #252. March 22nd Winners: Beth & Chris Rigas #289; Joe & Cindy Baker #163; Mary Benz, Bill Benz, Joe Benz, Bob Benz, Marty Benz #311. Do you have your ticket? If you don't have it, now's the time before they're sold out. Grand Prize on April 10th is \$10,000 plus lots of other cash prizes and raffles. Tickets are available at ICS & the Rectory.



**Gethsemane**

All those who journey, soon or late,  
Must pass within the garden's gate;  
Must kneel alone in darkness there,  
And battle with some fierce despair.

God pity those who cannot say:  
"Not mine but thine" who only pray:  
"Let this cup pass," and cannot see  
The purpose in Gethsemane.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES**

As we reach the culmination of Appeal Week 2010, ask yourself: *Is there someone you know who needs help? Or do you and your family need help?* Catholic Charities has 61 locations throughout Western new York where we provide basic emergency services (food, prescription assistance, housing or heating assistance) and/or counseling for a number of problems facing individuals, couples, children and families. Locally you can reach Catholic Charities at 268-5180 or in Buffalo, 716-218-1400. To donate: go to [www.ccwny.org](http://www.ccwny.org) or as a fan on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/ccbuffalo](http://www.facebook.com/ccbuffalo) or on Twitter at [www.twitter.com/ccbuffalo](http://www.twitter.com/ccbuffalo). Our Parish Goal this year is \$24,650 and as of 3/23/10 we have collected \$14,664. Many are served by Catholic Charities in the Buffalo Dioceses, Catholic and non-Catholic. Almsgiving is a part of our Lenten obligation and Catholic Charities takes great care of the poor and marginalized of society.

**GIFT CERTIFICATES & GROCERY CARDS**

You support ICS and local merchants by using our ICS Gift Certificates & Grocery Cards which are available after 5:00pm & 10:45am Masses, ICS, 593-5840 or call Louise Mattison, 593-5835.



**What Did He Say?**

On Good Friday, it is a common Christian practice to remember the events of the first Good Friday, We recall what was done to Jesus. Since we already know the events and can almost tell the story by heart, we might do well to focus on something beyond those terrible deeds. Consider the words Jesus spoke as the events unfolded. His words are as meaningful to us as to those who stood at the foot of the cross. Such simple statements, yet together they are nearly a summary of Jesus' entire ministry: who He is, how we should behave towards one another, and what the kingdom of God is really all about. As He died, Jesus said that He thirsted. Let us also thirst...for a closer relationship with Him.