

**Fifth Sunday of Lent:  
March 17, 2024**

**Masses for the Week**

**Sunday, March 17, 9:00 AM**

+ Al Lagerman

(60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Memorial)

+ Lisa LaForme

**Tuesday, March 19, 8:00 AM**

Living and + Deceased Members of Immaculate  
Boone Family

**Thursday, March 21, 8:00 AM**

+ Jacob and Mary Deroba

**Sunday, March 24, 9:00 AM**

+ Eleanor Koproski (Birthday Memorial)



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**9:00 AM Liturgy**

**Bishop Timothy Senior will celebrate our  
Patronage Mass today.**

All are invited to come to the Parish Hall following  
Mass to greet Bishop Senior and enjoy some light  
refreshments.

**9:45 – 10:45 AM Religious Education Classes**

Today is the end of the **Baby Bottle Blitz.**

**2024 Diocesan Annual Campaign  
Nourished by Faith**

Our goal this year is \$16,525.91.

We have 128 active households = \$129.10/family  
Paid over 10 months = \$12.91 per month/household

Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday we will have a 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection  
for the DAC.

During March & April we will use envelopes provided  
in the pews and beginning in May the monthly  
envelope will appear in the regular box of envelopes.

**Northumberland Deanery Lenten Penance  
Services**

Monday, March 18 – 7:00 PM – Holy Angels,  
Kulpmont

Tuesday, March 19 – 7:00 PM – Divine Redeemer,  
Mt Carmel

**CONGRATULATIONS.....** to Courtlynn "Teresa"  
Dale who made her Confirmation at Our Lady of  
Hope on Saturday, March 16.



**The Parish Office is open  
Monday – Thursday from 10 AM to 5 PM.**

**Ministry Schedule**

**Sunday, March 24, 9:00 AM**

**Lector:** Melissa Sitlinger

**Extraordinary Ministers:** Mike Mazer, Linda  
Young

**Servers:** Jaden & Landen Myers, Xavier Sitlinger

**TITHING REPORT**

**Collection: 3/10/2024: \$1637.00**

**Bulletin Ads, \$300.00**

**Ash Wednesday, \$5.00**

**Maintenance Fund, \$80.00**

**Memorial Fund: \$10.00**

**Offering to Defray Heating Costs, \$5.00**

**Lottery Calendar Profit, \$1,125.00**

**Easter Flower Offering, \$395.00**

## **Announcements**

### **Friday, March 22**

6:00 PM Stations of the Cross

### **Sunday, March 24**

Ham Raffle Drawing will be held in the parish office after Mass this morning.

#### **OLOH Yuengling Baked Haddock Dinner**

Friday, March 22 from 4 to 6 PM

Donation: \$12 Take-out only

The dinner will include Yeungling baked haddock, mac & cheese, stewed tomatoes, roll and dessert.

Tickets available after weekend masses at OLOH or by calling their parish office at 570-648-4432.

#### **Trevorton Community Easter Egg-stravaganza**

Saturday, March 23....1 PM at the Recreation Area

Ages 0 – 10 (Split into age groups)

RAIN OR SHINE

Refreshments will be available after egg hunt.

Sponsored by Trevorton Fall Festival

#### **Cemetery Cleanup**

Please remove all fall or Christmas decorations that you wish to keep or they will be discarded.

#### **Easter Flower Offering**

The Easter Flower Offering may be placed in the collection basket any time during the month of March.

Save the date for.....



**St. Patrick Cash Bingo**

**Sunday, May 5**

**Tickets are available NOW!!!**

**Call the office at 570-797-8251 or  
text Deb at 570-274-0264.**

## **Deacon's Corner**

During the Lenten season, on Tuesday, March 19, we celebrate the **Solemnity of St. Joseph**, the husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary. St. Joseph is a model of humility and obedience to God's will. He faithfully followed God's instructions and took Mary into his home as his wife; protected Mary and Jesus in Bethlehem and during their journey to Egypt; and provided for his family as a carpenter in Nazareth. In 1870, Pope Pius IX named St. Joseph patron of the universal church.

In his apostolic letter, "With a Father's Heart," Pope Francis tells each one of us that "we can discover in St. Joseph, the man who goes unnoticed, a daily, discreet and hidden presence, an intercessor, a support and a guide in time of trouble. St. Joseph reminds us that those who appear hidden or in the shadows can play an incomparable role in the history of salvation." We too can make a difference in our unseen actions and words of Christ's love and mercy with other people in our daily lives.

On this feast day, we can celebrate this solemnity by attending daily mass, praying the "Litany of St. Joseph" (<https://www.usccb.org/prayers/litany-saint-joseph>), performing a corporal or spiritual act of mercy in his name, reading about him in such books as "Through the Heart of St. Joseph" or participating in a popular tradition known as St. Joseph's Altar and St. Joseph's Dinner.

(<https://www.simplycatholic.com/setting-a-table-for-st-josephs-day>).

#### **First Penance/Communion Information**

**April 27** – First Communion Retreat at OLOH Parish Center...9 AM – 1 PM for candidates and parents.

Children will receive their First Penance at the end of the retreat

May 1 – 5:00 PM Practice for St. Patrick students

May 5 – First Communion and May Crowning at St. Patrick

Patrick

Tickets are now on sale before Mass on Sunday or from individual sellers for our "last Saturday of the month" Lottery drawing. March drawing will be held on March 30.

