JESUS SAVIOUR PARISH NEWPORT, RI

Mass for the Intentions Week

Saturday, March 9th Vigil of Fourth Sunday of Lent

Sunday, March 10th Fourth Sunday of Lent

8am For all the Members of the Jesus Saviour

Parish Family

Monday, March 11th

8am **‡**Frank Rosa Sr.

Tuesday, March 12th

Wednesday, March 13th

Thursday, March 14th

8am #James D. Dougherty

Friday, March 15th

Saturday, March 16th

Saturday, March 16th Vigil of Fifth Sunday of Lent

10am For all the Members of the Jesus Saviour

Parish Family

This week one Sanctuary Lamp will burn for Joseph & Carmel Parvo and one Sanctuary Lamp will burn for Dorothy Parvo Mello.

Collection Summary - March 3rd

<u>2013</u>

Budget \$3,763.00 \$5,058.00 Maintenance \$3,309.00

We Need Your Help!! Please do your best!



Stations of the Cross will be held on Friday evenings at 7pm during Lent. We encourage all to participate in this event.



Liturgical Roles for March 16th & 17th

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sat. 5pm------Aida D'Andrea/Dan Cleary Sun. 8am------Ann Rosa/Patricia Terlisner Sun. 10am------Paul Reynolds/Lydia Reynolds

<u>Lector</u>

Sat. 5pm-----Ray Roy

Sun. 8am-----Jose Costa/Grace Carvalho

Sun. 10am-----Pete Paranzino

Readings for the Week of March 10, 2013

Sunday: Jos 5:9a, 10-12/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Monday: Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54 Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12/Jn 5:1-16 Wednesday: Is 49:8-15/Jn 5:17-30 Thursday: Ex 32:7-14/Jn 5:31-47

Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jer 11:18-20/Jn 7:40-53

Next Sunday: Is 43:16-21/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11



Religious Education Office Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 11am-3pm

Religious Education Classes Wednesday, March 13th Grades 1-8 ~ 3:45-5pm Evening Classes 6:45-8pm

OPEN HOUSE

Bishop Hendricken High School will hold an Open House on Sunday, March 10th from noon-3pm. Information on the academics, college placement, athletic and extracurricular activities will be available. The entrance exam for prospective freshmen and sophomore transfers will be held on Saturday, March 23rd at 8:30am. For more information or to pre-register, please call the Admissions Office at 739-3450 x162.

Weekly Schedule

Wednesday, March 13th

3:45-5pm **Rel Ed 1-8**

6:45-8pm **Evening Classes 6:45-8pm Parish Penance Service** 7pm

Friday, March 15th

8:30am-5pm Adoration

Stations of the Cross 7pm

A Teaching Moment

4th Sunday of Lent

Last October forecasts were predicting higher pork prices in the spring and summer, based on a larger than normal sow slaughter in the fall. Market analysts viewed the trend with some trepidation. They saw the greater than average weekly slaughter as a sign of some herd liquidation, a result attributed to the higher feed prices brought about by last summer's drought. With pork producers unwilling to foot the bill for the increased cost of feeding, there was a surge in animals brought to market. While consumers realized an initial benefit with lower prices in the fall and winter, the lack of feeder animals in the production pipeline means higher prices at the grocery store this spring. The Easter ham may be a little more expensive this year. This weekend's Gospel is so familiar that most of us could probably relay the events the parable recounts by heart. The younger son ends up hiring himself out to a hog farmer, a particularly despicable trade in the cultural context of Jesus' time, since swine were considered unclean according to Jewish law. In his suffering the young man longed to eat the food that he was feeding to the pigs. He finally came to his senses, realizing that he needed to change his life. His profligate spending and former life of excess had brought him to a low point from which he needed to recover. The economic situation of the past few years might serve as a reminder to all of us that life is more than a healthy bank account. A year ago spring, it looked like farmers would have a bumper crop. Then the drought came, affecting food prices and a lot more. Even when we think we have it all, we are still dependent. In the Gospel, the younger son turned back to his father in his need. The older son needed to turn back to his father because he had forgotten that he was always there.

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Seven Castles Scholarship Fund Raiser

Spaghetti Dinner

Thursday, March 21, 2013

Middletown/Newport Knights of Columbus Fresh Garden Salad Garlic Bread Spaghetti w/sauce Mrs. Ferreira's homemade meatballs

Dessert and Coffee

Dinner served from 5pm-7pm

Tickets \$8.00 adults - \$5.00 children, under 5 free For tickets call Joseph Aguiar @ 396-5363, Alfred Almeida @847-7730 or Mario Ferreira @ 846-0718

Jesus Saviour Penance Service

Jesus Saviour Penance Service will be held on Wednesday, March 13th at 7pm in the Church. Portuguese speaking priests will be available to hear confessions.

Bereavement Group

Hospice at Visiting Nurse Services of Newport & Bristol Counties and Memorial Funeral Homes are proud to co-sponsor and invite you to Building Bridges 6 week Bereavement Education Group Early Spring on Tuesdays from 4:30-6pm - March 12, 19, 26 & April 2 & 9. The group will meet at Hambly Brick House, 30 Red Cross Avenue, Newport. Registration is requested. For more information or to register please leave a message for Mary at Memorial at 84600698. inclement weather, please call Mary for updates.

Fr. Rocky is coming
On March 17th @ 7:15pm at St. Brendan's in East Providence, all are invited to a special Heart of Worship Event featuring Fr. Francis Hoffman, "Fr. Rocky" of Relevant Radio. He will speak on hope for the new evangelization. It will be a music filled night of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Confessions will be available. For more information visit heartofworshipevent.com or call 954-2908.

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