

Sunday, March 8, 2026 – Third Sunday of Lent

Clueless and Confused...Meanwhile, the disciples urged him, "Rabbi, eat." But he said to them, "I have food to eat of which you do not know." So, the disciples said to one another, "Could someone have brought him something to eat?" John 4:31-33

MONDAY	7:00 am	Jason Maraccini by Friends
TUESDAY	6:30 pm	Ann VanGuyse by Mom & Dad
WEDNESDAY	7:00 am	All Souls by Parishioners
THURSDAY	7:00 am	All Souls by Parishioners
FRIDAY	8:00 am	Geraldine Shampo by Kay LeClaire
SATURDAY	4:15 pm	Marcia Peterson by Lori, Mary & Caryn
SUNDAY	8:00 am	Mark LeClaire Jr., by Kay LeClaire
SUNDAY	10:15 am	Living & Deceased Members of American Martyrs Parish



LITURGICAL ROLES MARCH 14 & 15, 2026

LECTORS

4:15 pm	Mary Balcer
8:00 am	Ann Hruska
10:15 am	Tony Edlebeck

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

4:15 pm	Mary Eldridge, Carol Skowronski
8:00 am	Lauri Mongrain, Susan Sturm
10:15 am	Kandace Smith, Sally Klingelhutz

USHERS

4:15 pm	Chris Wendrick, Burton Armbrust, Mike Eldridge, Brian Barglind
8:00 am	Rodney Olson, Gus Glaser, Tom Phelps, Don Lee Sr.
10:15 am	Lee Iverson, Susie Iverson, Lou Schmidt, Usher Needed

SERVERS

4:15 pm	Will Poquette, Rylee Poquette
8:00 am	Tyler Phelps, Chloe Mortl
10:15 am	Avery Edwards, Estella Edwards, Owen Edwards

SERVERS FOR TUESDAY 3/10/2026

6:30 pm	Eden Pipp, Isla Pipp
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SERVERS FOR THURSDAY 3/12/2026

7:00 am	Cassie Olson, Easton Nash
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Visitors & Children	\$604.10
Fuel.....	\$40.00
Easter Flowers	\$1,453.00
Diocesan Collections	\$30.00
CCD/First Offering.....	\$15.00
Missions.....	\$20.00
Total.....	\$7,795.10

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Lenten Bible Study – “No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk Through Christ’s Passion” will be held Tuesday Evenings at 7 – 8 pm in the Church Hall.

Our anniversary/sweetheart dinner dance was a huge success. Congratulations to all of our couples celebrating milestone anniversaries in 2026:

- 5 years - *Chris & Elina Berndt*
- 10 years - *Ed & Marianna VanGuyse*
- 15 years - *Brandon & Alyssa Maki*
- 15 years - *Dan & Mary Fornetti*
- 25 years - *Chris & Pam Wendrick*
- 30 years - *Shawn & Melissa DeGroot*
- 30 years - *Chris & Susan Sturm*
- 45 years - *Joe & Ann Hruska*
- 45 years - *Rick & Renee Lindow*
- 50 years - *Jim & Marie Blanton*
- 50 years - *Mike & Rhonda Brunswick*
- 55 years - *Gary & Dee Benjamin*

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR THE COMING WEEK MARCH 8 THRU MARCH 15, 2026

(Confessions heard before all daily Masses)

MONDAY	6:30 pm – Choir Practice for Lent/Easter
TUESDAY	6:05 pm – Recitation of the Rosary
TUESDAY	7:00 pm – Bible Study – Parish Hall
WEDNESDAY	5:15 – 6:15 pm – Faith Formation - grades 1-5
	6:30- 7:30 pm – Faith Formation - grades 6-11
THURSDAY	7:30 am – 4:30 pm – Eucharistic Adoration – Benediction at 4:50 pm
FRIDAY	4:15 pm – Stations of the Cross
SATURDAY	3:30 – 4:00 pm – Confessions
SUNDAY	11:00 am – Mission Meal



Dear Parishioners: Friday Stations of the Cross and Tuesday Catholic Bible video series are ongoing. Please plan to join in. Planning is underway for the annual Vocation’s Night for students in grades 6-8 at American Martyrs Parish on Wednesday, March 18th from 5:30-8:00 pm. We welcome Bishop John, priests, deacons, and religious sisters. We are grateful to the Serra Club and Knights of Columbus for coordinating the evening. We encourage middle school students from our area and beyond to attend. Registration is at 5:30 pm with pizza in the hall at 6:00 pm.

Several events for youth are scheduled during Lent. Youth Encounter for 9-12 grades will be at Immaculate Conception Parish on March 20-22nd. “Theology of the Body,” an evening for teens and parents will be held at American Martyrs on Wednesday, March 25th. Efforts are made to schedule events on Wednesdays with the hope of including youth from local Faith Formation programming.

The story of Jesus and the Samaritan woman at the well is rich in meaning. Jesus’ mission of salvation expands into four scenes: a conversation with the disciples, and a final witness from the Samaritans (Sourcebook). During Lent, we recall the importance of our baptismal life. Life and baptism are gifts from God, and we are in a personal relationship with Jesus. We journey with people preparing for baptism and prepare to renew our baptismal vows during the Easter Vigil.

May God provide peace in the world. May God bless us during Lent. – Fr. Greg

Upcoming Lenten Penance Service:
St. Rose Church in Channing – Wednesday, March 11th 5:00 pm
St. Mary Queen of Peace in Kingsford – Sunday, March 15th at 3:00 pm



Knights of Columbus Council 1585
St. Patrick’s Day Dinner
Tuesday, March 17, 2026

Social 4:30 pm – Dinner 5:00 – 6:00 pm
Dinner includes: Corned Beef with Cabbage, Potatoes, Rutabaga & Carrots, and Dessert.
Dinner is \$17.00 for adults, \$9.00 for 5-12 years of age & under 5 Free - The public is welcome!



Cari Domini High School Youth Group will meet on Saturday, March 7th & March 28th at 7:00 pm
For more information contact Maria Erickson at 906-221-2073



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION DAY
Thursday, March 12th

Mass is at 7:00 a.m. followed by Adoration all day. Benediction is at 4:50 pm. Confessions from 6:30 – 6:50 a.m. and on the hour throughout the day until 4:30 pm. **NO BREAKFAST THIS MONTH**



Norway High School is sponsoring the “Norway Spring Blood Drive” on Wednesday, March 18th from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm. For more information, call the high school office at 906-563-9542.

UPCOMING EVENTS - SAVE THE DATES

- March 12th - Adoration
- March 15th – Mission Meal – 9th & 10th Graders
- March 18th – Vocations Night – 6th – 8th Graders
- March 25th - Theology of the Body – 6th-12th Grades
- March 31st – Community Choral Service
- April 18th – Annual Spaghetti Dinner
- April 24th – Confirmation – 11th Graders
- May 2nd – First Reconciliation – 2nd Graders
- May 3rd – First Communion – 2nd Graders