

St. Francis Altar Society

Duties for the month of March 1 — 31

Funeral Dinners—6; Albs—7

Coffee Hour—9; No Duty—10

Thank you Wayne & Marilyn Bloom for helping making the new coffee hour signs, they are great!

The Altar Society would like to thank Catalina Corona for all the time she has spent these past years doing the flowers, we will miss you and thank you Elsa Cunningham for taking over the flowers, we truly appreciate your time.

The Chrism Mass is coming up on March 17th. Judy Schroeder is requesting help with this event. If you are able to help, please contact Judy at (541) 406-8018 or Jody at (541) 519-0162. Thank you!

Knights of Columbus

40 Cans for Lent Food Drive

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a "40 Cans For Lent" program each Lenten season. We are all encouraged to contribute 1 can of food per day to our Parish Food Bank. Please help us meet this goal. Boxes are available in front of the church.

Thank you!! Thank you!!

A sincere "Thank you" to parishioners and Knight of Columbus who either worked or attended and thus supported the recent breakfast sponsored by the Knights. The proceeds from this breakfast will assist J.J. Vela with his "Pilgrimage on the Camino De Santiago, in Spain in June, 2016. This pilgrimage lasts 2 months, involves walking out through country side, celebrating Mass in the Churches of these out-lying villages, either staying in homes of the village residents or camping out and occasionally Mass is celebrated along the trail. It's an arduous yet very spiritual experience. "Thanks" again to all your support & prayers.

Easter Egg Hunt

We need items for our Easter Egg Hunt after Mass on Easter Sunday. If you would like to donate wrapped candy, money or small toys, a container will be placed at the back of the church for collection.



Religious Education

Hungering For A Healthy Start

The next stop on our CRS Rice Bowl journey is the African nation of Rwanda, where we're reminded to care for the unborn. This week we pray for pregnant mothers, that they may have the medical and nutritional support they need to raise healthy, thriving children. Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

Sacredness and Dignity of the Human Person

When God created us, he made us in his image and likeness. That means that every human being has a special value and purpose. We need to care for each other so that we can be the people God calls us to be.

- ♦ Isaiah beautifully describes the invitation of grace God extends to each of us. We are reminded that our inherent dignity means that God lives in us and desires that we stay close to him.

How does this invitation from God guide us in our relationships with one another?

- ♦ Jesus' parable of the fig tree reminds us to cultivate our own lives—and those of others. We should not cut anyone down but rather build each other up.

How do we cultivate the Spirit at work in those around us?

- ♦ This week, CRS Rice Bowl features a woman from Rwanda who, understanding the importance of good nutrition for her child, worked to ensure that her baby received the nutrition she needs from conception to her second birthday.

How do we work to protect life in all its forms, from conception to natural death?

RE Class on Wednesday, March 2nd,
7 to 8 p.m.



KOC Fish Fry
Friday, March 11,
2016 after Stations
of the Cross which
starts at 6:15 p.m.
Tickets are on sale
now. See Troy
Stewart for more
information.



Relay for Life Coffee
after Mass, March 6,
2016

Relay for Life Team Hope will offer a light breakfast after Mass on March 6th. We will serve a breakfast casserole and extra goodies. All proceeds go to Relay for Life.