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St. Patrick's / St. Anne's News & Notes Sebruary 12, 2021

Dear Friends of the Mailing List:

I am writing this week's version of the notes from the Guest House at the Annunciation Convent in Minooka, IL. I have been asked by the hospice nurses to be up north to spend time with my family. Please pray for my father – if I have any further updates on him, I will send you more information. Thanks.

The Poor Clare Sisters up north have been phenomenal in supporting my family during this time, as has Fr. Tim Andres at St. Joseph's Church in Joliet (where I celebrate Masses while teaching at the university) and Fr. Michael Magiera at St. Joseph's Church in Rockdale (Fr. Magiera has been teaching me how to celebrate Mass in the Extraordinary Form; he also serves my brother Julian, who sings in the choir over at St. Joseph's).

There is so much going on at the border town parishes these next two weekends. John Rehmer and the gang over at St. Patrick's have guided our kids in the faith, leading to their First Confession Service at St. Patrick's tomorrow. Kim Emerson and the folks at St. Anne's have done the same with their kids as well; their First Confession service will take place on February 20th. We are celebrating FIVE baptisms in the next eight days and I have been asked to celebrate a bilingual funeral Mass for Oralia Razo at St. Rose of Lima Chapel in Kankakee on February 20th as well (so few services are now celebrated there – I feel honored to be asked to offer this service).

We also will be celebrating Ash Wednesday Services on February 17th, both at our parishes and online. Below are the Ash Wednesday services for St. Patrick's Church...

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES

9:15 a.m. Mass (with Fr. Dan) and Distribution of Ashes 5:30 Mass in English (Fr. Pete) with Distribution of Ashes 7:00 Mass in Spanish (Fr. Pete) with Distribution of Ashes

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays at 4:00 p.m. with Joanne Hermann/Kevin Blanchette in English Fridays at 6:00 p.m. with Fr. Pete in Spanish. *No Parish Books Cannot Be Used for Stations, because of COVID.*

AN EVENING OF REFLECTION AND CONFESSIONS

will take place with Fr. Pete on March 19th at 4:00 p.m. with Confessions Heard During Stations.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH DRIVE THROUGH FISH FRY EVERY FRIDAY from February 19 – March 26 from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m., courtesy of the Knights of Columbus (no Fish Fry at Anne's this year). On the menu for the Fish Fry is Fried or Baked Fish (Alaska Pollack), Baked Potato or French Fries, Mac & Cheese, Cole Slaw and Corn.

Below are the Ash Wednesday Services for St. Anne's Church...

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES

8:00 a.m. Mass (with Fr. Pete) and Distribution of Ashes 5:00 Service - (NO MASS) with Distribution of Ashes

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Wednesdays before the 5:00 Mass with Cookie Schroeder

A reminder - the Knights of Columbus at Pat's will offer their Lenten Friday Fish Fry's for Takeout Only, from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. starting on February 19th. English stations precede them at 4:00 p.m. and Spanish stations take place at the last hour – 6:00 p.m.

Have a blessed week!!!

We continue to offer Online Masses for those who wish to stay at home. If you wish to remain at home and still receive the sacraments, we can come to you – just contact the parish offices for more information.



Jesus died on the cross to show a greater love. He died for you and for me, and for that leper and for that man dying of hunger and that naked person lying in the street, not only of Calcutta, but of Africa, and everywhere... (St. Teresa)

Mass for the Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (February 14, 2021)

Click Here to View the Mass for The Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ash Wednesday
Mass with
Fr. Pete Jankowski
February 17, 2021

Click Here to View the Mass for Ash Wednesday

Note: All Online Masses from the Third Sunday of Lent through this weekend's Mass can be found at www.stpatrickmomence.org or www.stannestanne.org

Parish Bulletins, Homilies & Special Prayers:

NOTICE THAT ALL HOMILIES, ALL BULLETINS AND ALL RELEVANT COMMUNICATIONS CAN BE FOUND ON THE PARISH'S WEBSITES AND AT THE LINKS BELOW!

Parish Bulletins:

For St. Patrick's Church Bulletin (February 13-14, 2021), <u>CLICK HERE!!!</u> For St. Anne's Church Bulletin (February 13-14, 2021), <u>CLICK HERE!!!</u> For all parish bulletins, <u>CLICK HERE!!!</u>

Fr. Pete's Homilies:

To access Fr. Pete's Homily for this weekend, CLICK HERE!!!
To access all of Fr. Pete's homilies, CLICK HERE!!!

Please Pray for Our Sick:

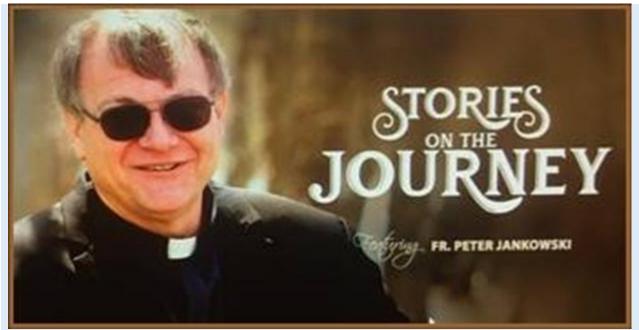
My father, Fr. Dan & Fr. Ray Lescher, a special intention and a whole bunch of folks who have called this week asking for prayers.

<u>Please Pray for Our Beloved Deceased:</u> Oralia Razo

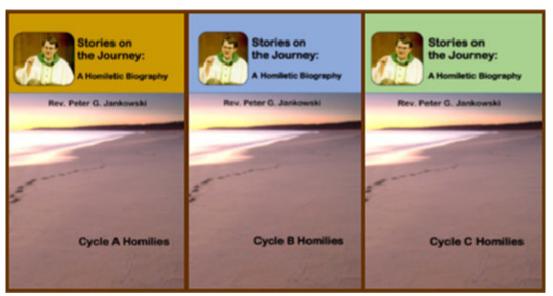
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HERE to watch Fr. Pete's Videos that Walk through the Liturgy, produced for the University of Dayton.



<u>CLICK HERE</u> to watch Fr. Pete's Twelve Part Series "Stories on the Journey," Broadcast on Shalom World TV!



Help support our parishes buy

purchasing copies of Fr. Pete's Homiletic Books! You can purchase them at the parishes or online at <u>Amazon.com</u>! <u>Cycle A Homilies</u> - <u>Cycle B Homilies</u> - <u>Cycle C Homilies</u>

PEW DEDICATION PROGRAM

We invite those who wish to remember a loved one by dedicating a church pew (\$2,500), a classroom (\$5,000) or even have a building named in honor of your loved one for



\$1,000,000! For more info, contact St. Patrick's at (815) 472-2864, St. Anne's at (815) 427-8265 or email us at pjankowski@yahoo.com.

At St. Patrick's, we still have to address a debt at St. Patrick's just over \$300,000; we wish to keep up with the bills at St. Anne's as well. We need to keep up with our renovations as well. If you can help with a pew donation (\$2,500), help with renovating our gym floor at St. Pat's (\$15,000), or helping us pave the parking lot at Pat's (\$70,000), that would be great! For \$1,000,000, you can have one of our gyms named for a loved one – this one time gift would take care of all problems at our parishes and would go a long way in preserving what we have for generations to come!!!



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