

# March 19, 2017 Third Sunday of Lent

## St. Leonard's Port of Mauritius Catholic Church

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Deacon: Joe Hilber (218-731-6756) \*\*Office Hours: Fridays 9AM – 1PM. (or by appointment)

**Sunday March 19th:** 8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth in Elizabeth  
10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's  
12:30PM Misa en Espanol en San Leonardo  
**Confessions after Mass on Sundays**

**Monday, March 20** No Mass Holy Rosary at 5:30PM  
**Tuesday, March 21** No Mass

**Wednesday, March 22nd** 2:00 PM Mass at Mill Pond Apartments  
Stations of the Cross at church, 6PM

**Thursday, March 23rd** 8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth in Elizabeth (St Leonards Rectory office open 9-1)

**Friday, March 24th** 8:30AM at St Leonard's, (office closed) Perpetual Adoration follows

**Saturday March 25th** 4:00PM at St Elizabeth

**Sunday March 26th** 8:30AM Mass at St. Elizabeth in Elizabeth  
10:30AM Mass at St. Leonard's  
12:30PM Misa en Espanol en San Leonardo

### **Lay Ministry Schedule Today:**

<b><u>Servers</u></b>	<b><u>Lector</u></b>	<b><u>Ushers</u></b>	<b><u>Eucharistic Ministers</u></b>	<b><u>Collection Counters</u></b>
L Holl	C Krekelberg	P Waller	L Treinen	S Bruggeman
E Welch		R Fettig	C Treinen	A Petersen
		A Severson	Julie Ann Holt	
		P Stotesbery		

### **Lay Ministry Schedule March 26th:**

<b><u>Servers</u></b>	<b><u>Lector</u></b>	<b><u>Ushers</u></b>	<b><u>Eucharistic Ministers</u></b>	<b><u>Collection Counters</u></b>
J Stetz	D Hilber	S Larson	C Berry	M Pfeifle
B Severson		D Bruggeman	C Krekelberg	P Krekelberg
		G Kowalski	S Johnson	
			M Pfeifle	

**\*\*Office Hours Temporary Change:** Friday March 24<sup>th</sup> the rectory office will be closed. Office hours will be **Thursday March 23<sup>rd</sup> from 9AM to 1PM.** (the following week the office will also be open on Thursday)

**Parish Council March 29<sup>th</sup> at 6PM at the rectory. All parishoners welcome to attend.**

**Encounter/Encuentro:** The Lenten sessions of Encounter/Encuentro continue on Thursdays, **from 7:00PM to 8:30PM**, pre-registration is not required and everyone is welcome.

**Mondays:**

The Holy Rosary is recited at the church each Monday at 5:30PM, everyone welcome.

**Wednesdays During Lent:** Stations of the Cross at 6PM each week. Everyone Welcome.

**Fridays:** Perpetual adoration is ongoing through Friday April 7th. If you have not done so, please commit to a one hour time period by signing up on the sheet in the back of church. Church will be open from 9AM (after morning mass) to 10PM each Friday. All are welcome to participate in perpetual adoration.

**Please keep the following in your prayers:** Julie Severson Valerie Smischny  
Allyssa Klinger (Niece of Steve Petersen)

**NOTICE OF SAFE ENVIRONMENTS TRAINING:**

Students in grades 7-12 will view and discuss "Call to Protect" at **7pm Wednesday March 22** in the Church basement. Students will return to their regular classes after this weeks sessions. Parents are welcome to preview the videos prior to the sessions or join their students in their respective classrooms for these sessions.

**If you are not receiving the St Cloud Visitor** in your U.S. mail, please notify the office by mail, email, or phone (863-5161)—all listed at the top of the front page of the bulletin. Please let me know by the end of March.

**Fish Fries during Lent:**

Our Lady of Victory Fergus Falls—every Friday during Lent, serving from 5 to 7PM. Take outs available.  
St Edwards, Henning March 10, March 24 and April 7. Serving from 5 to 7 PM. Take outs available

**Tonseth Lutheran Church, Erhard:** Sunday March 26<sup>th</sup> 11AM to 1PM **Men's Ham Dinner**--Menu: ham, raisin sauce, baked beans, scalloped potatoes, coleslaw, bread, pie, coffee, milk. Public Welcome--Free Will Offering.

**St Elizabeth: Sunday April 2<sup>nd</sup> 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Men's pancake, sausage, ham, breakfast** serving from 8:30AM to 1PM at Brenny Hall in Elizabeth. Free Will Offering, everyone welcome.

**Notices for the bulletin:** please submit notices by the end of Wednesday for Sunday publication. Submit by email, phone message, or mail. (you may also text to 841-4861) Thank you!

**Organ Donation Health Note--From The Welcome Place—Katherine Jordahl, RN**

April is National Donate Life Month. Many of you have checked the "organ donor" box on your driver's license - here are a few facts about the gift you've agreed to. It is definitely a gift to the many people waiting for organs or tissues in order to continue living. Adults of all ages can sign up to be donors. People of all ages can receive transplants. Medical research and technical advancements have made transplants more successful for all. Most major religions (including Catholic) support this gift of life as an act of charitable giving and do not prohibit organ and tissue donation. There is absolutely no cost for donation. Go to [organdonor.gov](http://organdonor.gov) to register in your state or check the box at your next driver's license renewal. And talk to your family about your decision.

**Wednesday, March 22nd : the Interfaith Ecumenical Lenten Service at Faith Lutheran Church** continues. Lunch is served at 11:30AM with the service to follow. This is a weekly non-denominational Lenten event – all community members are welcome.

God, heavenly Father, look upon me and hear my prayer during this holy season of Lent. By the good works you inspire, help me to discipline my body and to be renewed in spirit. Without You I can do nothing. By your spirit help me to know what is right and to be eager in doing your will. Teach me to find new life through penance. (Prayer for Spiritual Renewal, Catholic Online)