SACRED HEART CHURCH

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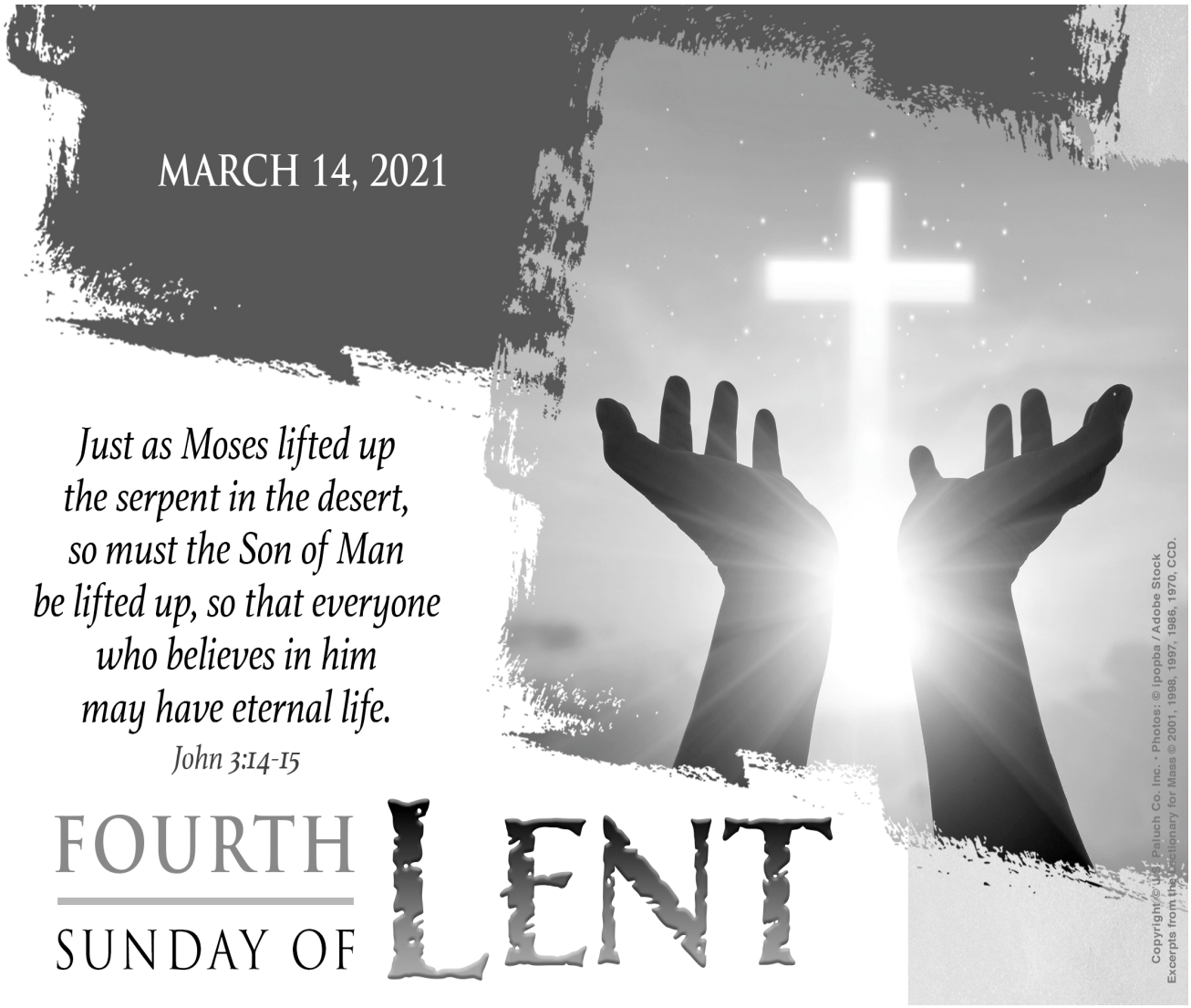

Pastor: Rev. Charles P. Tichacek

Sunday Mass
8:00 am

Week Day Masses
Monday 7:00 pm Communion Service Thursday 7:30 am
Tuesday 8:00 am Communion Service Friday 7:30 am

Adoration is the third Tuesday of each month beginning after the 8:00 am Mass and concluding with Benediction at 7:00 pm

Baptisms by appointment

Devotion
Rosary at 7:40 am on Tuesday and Perpetual Help Devotions.

Marriages
To be arranged at least 6 months prior to the wedding

Confession
Sunday 7:30 am

Parish Office Hours
Tuesday 10:00 am until 5:00 pm

Fourth Sunday of Lent
March 14, 2021
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MASS INTENTIONS
Mar. 21

Mon.	7:00 pm	Bob Roller Family
Tues.	8:00 am	Knights of Columbus L & D
Thurs.	7:30 am	Communion Service
Fri.	7:30 am	Communion Service
Sun.	8:00 am	Wayne Laster

The **DISPENSATION** Continues

Feast Day

Wed,	St. Patrick
Thurs.	St. Cyril of Jerusalem
Fri.	St. Joseph, husband of Mary

Offertory: **Mar. 7, 2021**

Envelopes:	$ 1,500
Loose:	$ 310
Parish Imp.	$ 160
Total:	$ 1,970

Stewardship Awareness

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son…" John 3:16

Of all the wonderful gifts that God has given to us, the gift of His own Son is truly the greatest. How can we ever thank God for a gift like that? God does not ask us to sacrifice our own precious firstborn, but He does ask that we are grateful and generous with our God-given gifts. That we nurture and develop our gifts, and in gratitude, generously give back with increase our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to support the mission and ministry of our parish and greater church.

Sacred Heart Calendar of Events

Mon.	Mar. 15: Mass 7:00 pm
Tues.	Mar. 16: Mass 8:00 am
Tues.	Mar. 16: **Eucharistic Adoration 9-7**
Thurs.	Mar. 18: Communion Service 7:30 am
Fri.,	Mar. 19: Communion Service 7:30 am
Sun.	Mar. 21: Mass 8:00 am

NO Knights of Columbus Fish Fries in Lent

STATIONS OF THE CROSS Fri., Mar. 19 at

Pope Francis Intention for March
Sacrament of Reconciliation
That we my experience the Sacrament of Reconciliation With renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

WEAR A MASK!!!
PLEASE FOLLOW THE MANDATES FROM THE ARCHBISHOP FOR COMING TO MASS.

LECTORS

Sun.	Mar. 21	Wendy Heitman
Sun.	Mar. 28	Bill Lagermann

ALTAR SERVERS

		Rio Gonzalez
Sun.	Mar. 21	Drew Hagemeier, Jacob Heitman & Gabe Gonzalez
Sun.	Mar. 28	Kaden Kinsler, Carter Morris & Gabini Gonzalez

GREETERS

Sun.	Mar. 21	Rosemary Laws & Judy Robinson
Sun.	Mar. 28	Bill & Vicki Lagemann

Weekly Masses at St. Alphonsus
Wednesday Mass 8:15 am Friday Mass 8:15 am
Saturday Mass 8:15 am Sunday Mass 10:00 am
ST. ALPHONSUS PHONE #: 573-384-6223
Need a Priest?
Fr. Lydon, Sacred Heart Troy 636-528-8219
Fr. Rath, ICOM 636-661-5002

Pray For

Margaret Bartold	Terry Martin
Joe & Mary Buescher	Cecile Mesker
Kim Tobiasz	Jerry Heitman
Nancy McCullough	Charlie DeMoulin
Jack Burkemper	Phyllis Galati
Leroy Schramm	Eric Mueller
Andrew Heitman	John C. Shaffer
Raymond Geosling	Bonnie Kindred
Megan Schramm	Teresa O'Driscoll
Cloyd Bridges	Richard Eggering
Mike O'Brien	Mary Hagemeier
Bob Smith	Joe Galati
Sherrie Galati	Bill Lagemann
Jimmy Henry	Addison Mayes
Margaret Lagemann	Donna Bange
Earl Rolen	Bernard Bange
Steve Dunlap	Megan Schramm
Diane DeMoulin	Chuck Bull
Mary Heitman	Makenzie Hagemeier
Rose Dwiggins	Kaye Byers
Theresa Keeteman	Kenny Burbridge
Arlo Jo Kaiman	Elizabeth Heitman

***Deacon Neal Westhoff**

Adoration Day Tuesday, March 16, 9-7 pm

Happy Feast Day to the Irish, Wednesday, March 17th

Anointing of the Sick Sunday, March 21

REMEMBER! Penance Service Monday, March 22

DONUT Sunday, March 28th at the hall after the 8 am Mass put on by the Parish Council.

Reading for Mar. 15 - Mar. 21

Mon.	Isaiah 65:17-21; John 4:43-54
Tues.	Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12; John 5:1-16
Wed.	Isaiah 49:8-15; John 5:17-30
Thurs.	Exodus 32:7-14; John 5:31-47
Fri.	2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22; Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a
Sat.	Jeremiah 11:18-20; John 7:40-53
Sun.	Jeremiah 31:31-34; Hebrews 5:7-9; John 12:20-33

THE TEMPLE

756 "Often, too, the Church is called the building of God. The Lord compared himself to the stone which the builders rejected, but which was made into the corner-stone. On this foundation the Church is built by the apostles and from it the Church receives solidity and unity. This edifice has many names to describe it: the house of God in which his *family* dwells; the household of God in the Spirit; the dwelling-place of God among men; and, especially, the holy *temple.* This temple, symbolized in places of worship built out of stone, is praised by the Fathers and, not without reason, is compared in the liturgy to the Holy City, the New Jerusalem. As living stones we here on earth are built into it. It is this holy city that is seen by John as it comes down out of heaven from God when the world is made anew, prepared like a bride adorned for her husband.

809 The church is the Temple of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit is the soul, as it were, of the Mystical Body, the source of its life, of its unity in diversity, and of the riches of its gifts and charisms.

1197 Christ is the true temple of God, "the place where his glory dwells"; by the grace of God, Christians also become temples of the Holy Spirit, living stones out of which the Church is built.

2580 The Temple of Jerusalem, the house of prayer that David wanted to build, will be the work of his son, Solomon. The prayer at the dedication of the Temple relies on God's promise and covenant, on the active presence of his name among his People, recalling his mighty deeds at the Exodus.

St. Alphonsus Sausage Dinner today, Sun., March 14th 11:00 am - 5:00 pm.

Sacred Heart Troy QUILT SOCIAL at the KC Hall, 500 Hwy J on **Sunday, March 21.** Doors open at 11:30 am and Bingo begins at 1:00 pm. No one under age 16. ***MASKS REQUIRED ALONG WIT SOCIAL DISTANCING!***

St. Patrick - Wednesday, March 17
The Apostle of Ireland was born in Britain. At the age of sixteen he was kidnapped by pirates and sold into slavery in Ireland, where he was assigned to the care of the flock as a shepherd. Later he fled to France, where he became a disciple of St. Germain of Auxerre. Returning to Auxerre, where he spent the next 15 years, Patrick was ordained a priest. St. Germain ordained Patrick bishop and sent him to Ireland. He converted some of the indigenous chieftains and was very successful in adapting the gospel to the Irish culture. A few years before his death, Patrick convoked a synod and turned over the government of the church in Ireland to other bishops.

St. Cyril of Jerusalem - Thursday, March 18
This great bishop was born in Jerusalem and after receiving a Christian education he was ordained a priest and dedicated himself to the preparation of catechumens for baptism. He became well known through the publication of his 24 catechetical lessons, which were taken down by a secretary. They are also the basis for his being named Doctor of the Church by Pope Leo XIII.
As bishop of Jerusalem he had a primacy of honor over the other bishops, but he came into conflict with the Arian bishop, Acacius of Caesarea, and was exiled from Jerusalem. The same thing happened twice more, but Cyril finally was reinstated and spent the last 8 years of his life as primate of Jerusalem. In 381 he took part in the Second Ecumenical Council of Constantinople, which recognized the legitimacy of his office and promulgated the official version of the Nicene Creed. St. Cyril died at Jerusalem after more than 35 years as a bishop, of which 16 were spent in exile.

St. Joseph - Friday, March 19
There was a feast in honor of St. Joseph in the Roman Breviary published in 1482, but the first Mass celebrated in his honor at Rome was in 1505. The Carmelite friars recognized his feast and included it in the calendar of their order in 1498.
The genealogy of St. Joseph is given in the gospels of St. Matthew and St. Luke. We also know from the gospel that he was a carpenter, and very likely Jesus learned that trade from his foster-father. Joseph and Mary were poor, as is evidenced by the fact that at Mary's purification in the Temple they offered a pair of turtle-doves. The tribute paid to him in Scripture is that he was a just man. On several crucial occasions, such as Mary's pregnancy , the flight into Egypt and the return to Palestine, Joseph was instructed by an angel. Pope Pius IX proclaimed St. Joseph the patron of the Universal Church

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