



## The Church of the Good Shepherd

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**\*\*Welcome visitors to the Church of the Good Shepherd. Please sign our guest book at the main entrance.**

### WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY & TUESDAY	MAR. 14 & 15, 2022	10:00 AM	LENTEN MASSES
WEDNESDAY	MAR. 16, 2022	7:00 PM	LENTEN MASS
THURSDAY & FRIDAY	MAR. 17 & 18, 2022	10:00 AM	LENTEN MASSES
SATURDAY	MAR. 19, 2022	9:30 AM	SPANISH LENTEN MASS
SUNDAY	MAR. 20, 2022	9:30 AM	MASS – 2 <sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

\*\*CONFESSION: Sunday, 8:45-9:15 AM and Wednesday, 6:30-6:45 PM.

### \*\*Miracles happen when we pray. PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Chris Oldenberg, Rose Nelson, Robert Paulin, Kim Martin, Steve & Tanya Greteman, Kaydence Maynard, Robert Mathis, Debra Mendez, Augustina Schwartz, Patrick Gallman, David Cochran-Scott, RJ Onufer, Linda DiCarlo, Lynn Sulloway, Terri Hodgins, Jan Nowak, Sean Wood, Christine Gibree, Edith Wood, K. Tillman, Donna Smith, Agnes Bible, Bobbie Mullaney, Susy Lucot, Cora Napier, Gilbert Soesbee, Marie Schaefer. For family members, and people on dialysis, the homeless, our military, and sick & needy who wish to remain anonymous.

**Today: SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 2022**

**Next Week: SUNDAY, MARCH 20, 2022**

Cantor:	Debbie Dadey	Cantor:	Eric Dadey
Lector:	Barb Rogers	Lector:	Richard Prier

**\*\*INTERSESSIONS FOR LIFE:** For each expectant mother considering abortion: May the Lord provide for her needs and give her the grace and resolve to choose life for her child;

**We pray to the Lord.**

**\*\*WORD OF LIFE:** "We are facing an enormous and dramatic clash between good and evil, death and life, the 'culture of death' and the 'culture of life'. We find ourselves not only 'faced with' but necessarily 'in the midst of' this conflict: we are all involved and we all share in it, with the inescapable responsibility of choosing to be unconditionally pro-life."



The sunflower blooms throughout the Ukraine and it is a symbol of peace there. In support of those affected by the Russian invasion, sunflowers will be in front of the altar. Bishop Stika has asked that parishes across the diocese take up a special collection at Masses the weekend of **March 19-20**.

**\*THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL:** Lent is a call not just to "give up something" but more important to "give something for the poor." Wherever you live in the parish, there are poor families within walking distance of your home. They are, in effect, ringing your doorbell. Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the **Society of St. Vincent de Paul (423-623-5051)**, so that together we can help the poor, the suffering, and the deprived.

### \*\*2022 LENTEN EXERCISES FOR THE GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOOL FOR SAINTS:

**DAILY MASSES DURING LENT:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday @ 10:00 AM. Wednesday mass remains at 7:00 PM. (Spanish Mass remains on: Saturday at 9:30 AM)

Church will be open daily from 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM for visits.

### CONFESSIONS BEFORE ALL MASSES.

### \*\*HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:

April 10 Sunday, Blessing of Palms at the 9:30 a.m. Mass

April 12, Tuesday, CHRISM MASS at the New Cathedral in Knoxville 7:00 p.m.

April 14, HOLY THURSDAY, MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER 7:00 p.m.

April 15, GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE 3:00 p.m.

April 16, EASTER VIGIL: Mass 7:00 p.m.

April 17, EASTER SUNDAY: MASS 9:30 a.m.

ALL EVENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE IF CIRCUMSTANCES DICTATE.

**NOTE:** Catholics are required to FAST and ABSTAIN FROM MEAT on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. And ALL Fridays during Lent are days when we are required to abstain from meat or substitute some other act of penance.

**\*\*LIFTING OF ALL COVID RESTRICTIONS AT GOOD SHEPHERD:** Bishop Stika sent out a notice that he is lifting all restriction in force because of the pandemic. The one exception is receiving the Precious Blood at Communion. This is a temporary for the time being:

**THANK YOU, GOD.** We are already planning a parish dinner to celebrate. **FR. BOB**

**\*\*Friends Animals Shelter:** Lent is a time of fasting and denying ourselves, but it is also a time to do something for someone else. The animals at Friends Animals Shelter are examples of God creation that require our care. Please consider helping them by joining us at the Rustic Cow, 205 E Broadway, Newport, March 18th at 8:00 for a night of comedy and a great auction. Tickets are \$25 and all profits support the animals.



**\*\*14<sup>th</sup> Annual Cruise Against Cancer:** Saturday, April 23, 2020. Newport City Park, 240 Smith Street, Newport. Rain or Shine Event. Live Music & Delicious Food. Free Admission. Proceeds benefit **Celebrate Life Cancer Support Group**. They would like baked goods, Cake Walk items, crafts, etc. to sell. Michele says: "Thank you my precious people!"

**\*\*2018 Dodge Challenger, SRT Demon; Mountain Muscle Cars**

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