



<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>March 9, 2019</b>
4:30 p.m.	Michael Gudaitis by Dick & Claire Selinga
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>March 10, 2019</b>
7:30 a.m.	Everett Pelkey by Judy Welcome
9:30 a.m.	Girl Scout Sunday
11:00 a.m.	Alma Dube by her family
<b>Monday,</b>	<b>March 11, 2019</b>
7:45 a.m.	Michael Dowley by Bob Sienko
<b>Tuesday,</b>	<b>March 12, 2019</b>
	Michael Dowley by Bob Sienko
<b>Wednesday,</b>	<b>March 13, 2019</b>
7:45 a.m.	Leo & Mary Crowley by George & Pat Crowley
<b>Thursday,</b>	<b>March 14, 2019</b>
7:45 a.m.	Helen Motta
<b>Friday,</b>	<b>March 15, 2019</b>
7:45 a.m.	Sebastian "Mike" Motta
7:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross
<b>Saturday,</b>	<b>March 16, 2019</b>
4:30 p.m.	James McNamara by Maryellen Vincenzo
<b>Sunday,</b>	<b>March 17, 2019</b>
7:30 a.m.	Ed Welcome by his wife Judy
9:30 a.m.	Joseph Voves by Terry & Mike Ray
11:00 a.m.	Philip Osle by his family

**Readings for the week of March 10, 2019**  
 Sunday: Dt 26:4-10/Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 [cf. 15b]/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13  
 Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [Jn 6:63b]/Mt 25:31-46  
 Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/Mt 6:7-15  
 Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32  
 Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [3a]/Mt 7:7-12  
 Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26  
 Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5:43-48  
 Next Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14 [1a]/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

**Calendar**

3/10	9:30 a.m. Little Stars
3/12	6:00 p.m. W.G. Corned Beef Dinner—Gathering Space 6:15 p.m. Legion of Mary—Hospitality Room
3/14	6:30 p.m. High School Lenten Program 7:00 p.m. Lenten program—Gathering Space
3/16	4:30 p.m. Choir



**Confessions**  
**Mondays at 6:00 p.m.**

Do you want to let go of patterns of sin, grow in the life of virtue and experience a joyful conversion? Let the light of God's mercy shine on you this Lenten season by going to confession.

**Stations of the Cross**  
**Fridays at 7:00 p.m.**

St. Mary Parish invites you to the **St. Patrick's Day Retreat** on **March 17<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-4:30 p.m.** Drs. Barbara Clark and James French will present a film featuring their journey to the summit of Croagh Patrick's (St. Patrick's) holy mountain in County Mayo, Ireland in 2017. **RSVP (50 seats maximum) Clara Ryan at (860) 673-0756.**

**FOOD COLLECTION for our friends at Westerleigh**

We are collecting the following items for our elderly, low income and/or disabled friends at Westerleigh on Plainville Avenue, Unionville. Only the weekends of March 16 and March 23/24—the items to be collection are

- Small jar of salsa (mild only)
- Small box of penne paste
- Canned vegetable— donor's choice

The residents are making a healthy baked chicken salsa recipe using these ingredients. Please bring your donations by March 24. Items donated after that will be given to the local food pantry. Please see the display in the Gathering Space for sample ingredients. If you have any questions, please contact Lynne Murphy at 860 673-9551. Thank you for your generosity.

**Parish Support— March 3, 2019**

Weekly	\$7,586.00
On-line giving	<u>\$1,517.00</u>
Total	\$9,103.00
Monthly	\$5,531.00
On-line giving	<u>\$ 812.00</u>
Total	\$6,343.00


**From the Human Needs Committee Thank you!** The parish support was overwhelming for our Coats for CT, scarf, hat and mitten collection, and the annual Christmas giving tree! Please see our poster and take a moment to read the thank you notes we have received, which are displayed in the gathering space. Your kindness and generosity truly make a difference for those in need!

**OOPS!**

Our parish e-mail became inaccessible on Thursday, February 21. We did not receive requests for tax information or bulletin articles from February 21—February 26. E-mails may still be sent to [rectory@stmary-unionville.org](mailto:rectory@stmary-unionville.org) or [stmarystaroftheseaunionville@gmail.com](mailto:stmarystaroftheseaunionville@gmail.com)

We are sorry for any inconvenience this may have caused.

The **2019 Archbishop's Appeal** is now underway in our parish. Your support of this year's Appeal ensures that essential charitable, educational and pastoral ministries of the Archdiocese of Hartford are carried forward. We hope you can help meet our parish goal. If you would like to make a gift, kindly mail in your pledge card. You may also visit the Archdiocesan website at [www.archdioceseofhartford.org](http://www.archdioceseofhartford.org) or call the Appeal Office at 800 781-2550. Keep in mind that an early pledge will allow you to best use the monthly payment. All funds contributed to the Archbishop's Annual Appeal are used exclusively for the purposes outlined in the Appeal literature which can be found at <http://archdioceseofhartford.org/aaa-2019-last-years-appeal-impact/>. No Appeal funds are ever used for legal fees or settlements.



**FIND A MOMENT TO TELL A FAMILY MEMBER, NEIGHBOR, FRIEND, OR CO-WORKER HOW MUCH YOU APPRECIATE HIM OR HER.**

**Request for Tax Information**

If you require a "Statement of Contributions" for 2018, please complete and return this form to the rectory. Forms may be mailed or placed in the weekly collection. E-mails requests are acceptable and may be sent to: [rectory@stmary-unionville.org](mailto:rectory@stmary-unionville.org). Telephone or expedited requests will not be accepted. Please plan accordingly. Statements will be sent via regular mail promptly. Thank you for your patience and cooperation.

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Address

*For Your Information*

**Women's Guild**—Women of the parish are invited to a corned beef & cabbage dinner with all the fixins' catered by George's on March 12 at 6:00 p.m. in the Gathering Space. Cost is \$15.00 per person. Contact Kathy Hancock 860 675-1139.



**Reminder! High School Lenten Program**

Starting this week on Thursday, March 14 the High School Lenten Program begins. For more information, go to the Youth Ministry page on [stmary-unionville.org](http://stmary-unionville.org).

**Middle School students are invited to a night dedicated to learning all about Lent on Saturday, March 23** from 5:30 to 7:30 PM in the Gathering Space. How do we pray? How do we fast? And what is almsgiving? This will be a night filled with fun, faith and friends as we discover that Lent is more than just giving up chocolate for forty days. This event is free and dinner will be provided. *Religious Education teachers should contact the Coordinator of Youth Ministry to find out how to get your class involved in the youth ministry program.* For more information, go to the Youth Ministry page on [stmary-unionville.org](http://stmary-unionville.org).

The Knights of Columbus is having its **Annual Family Lenten Friday fish dinners** Friday, March 22 and April 5 from 5 to 7pm, fish and chips \$12.00 per person or mac & cheese \$6.00 children under 7 free. Knights will be available selling tickets after Mass before each Friday Dinner. Tickets are being sold in advance with a limited number available at the door. Takeout orders available. Call Moe 860-677-2922 or Bill 860-982-9108 for questions or to reserve tickets

Sunday March 17 is St. Patrick's Day so come and celebrate by joining us for a great Irish Night out on Saturday, March 16. All the Irish fixings Corn Beef, Cabbage, Soda Bread plus-plus-plus, Irish entertainment by Shamrock School of Irish Dance and Irish music by Dave Shortell. Donation is \$25.00 with proceeds being used to fund the Knights of Columbus Scholarship fund. For tickets please call John Kelly 860-678-9355, Bob Prindiville 860-673-3404 or Dick Slattery 860-673-5420.

**Our parish is looking for a part time custodian beginning the middle of April. If interested, please contact the rectory 860 673 2422 or Dick Selinga 860 673 5524 or [rselinga@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rselinga@sbcglobal.net)**

