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Congratulations to our Confirmands!  
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Mary "St. Gianna Beretta Molla" Goett and  
Milanna "St. Anne" Amigoni



### PUBLICATION

**SEASON: Third Sunday of Lent**

**DATE: March 7th, 2021**

# Mass Times, Ministries and More!!

## Saturday, March 6, 2021

### 4:00pm Mass @ St. Luke

Mass Intention: Lillian Schierer #4455

EMHC #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Server #1: \_\_\_\_\_

### 5:30pm Mass @ St. Joseph

Mass Intention: For The People #9100

EMHC #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Server #1: \_\_\_\_\_

## Sunday, March 7, 2021

### 8:00am Mass @ St. Luke

Mass Intention: Lillian Schierer #4456

EMHC #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Server #1: Aidan Hoekstra

### 9:15am Adult Faith Formation @ St. Luke

### 9:15am Faith Formation Class #12 @ St. Luke

### 9:00am Faith Form. Class #13 @ St. Joseph

### 10:00am Mass @ St. Joseph

Mass Intentions: Ron Thorne #4453

EMHC #1: Ruth Ann Martino

Lector #1: April Wagner

Server #1: \_\_\_\_\_

## Monday, March 8, 2021

7:00am Mass @ \*\*\*

## Tuesday, March 9, 2021

7:00am Mass @ \*\*\*

### 7:00pm Ladies Guild Meeting @ St. Joseph

## Wednesday, March 10, 2021

7:00am Mass @ \*\*\*

## 6:30pm Stations of The Cross @ St. Joseph

## Thursday, March 11, 2021

7:00am Mass @ \*\*\*

## Friday, March 12, 2021

7:00am Mass @ \*\*\*

## Saturday, March 13, 2021

### 4:00pm Mass @ St. Luke

Mass Intention: OSF Vocations #9300

EMHC #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Server #1: \_\_\_\_\_

### 5:30pm Mass @ St. Joseph

Mass Intention: Julia Deffenbaugh #4428

EMHC #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Lector #1: Bob Cherveney

Server #1: \_\_\_\_\_

## Sunday, March 14, 2021

### 8:00am Mass @ St. Luke

Mass Intention: For The People #9100

EMHC #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Server #1: Carson Lehman

### 9:15am Adult Faith Form. @ St. Luke

### 9:15am Faith Form. Class #13 @ St. Luke

### 9:00am Faith Form. Class @ St. Joseph

### 10:00am Mass @ St. Joseph

Mass Intentions: Dcn. John Skender #4454

EMHC #1: April Wagner

Lector #1: Mike Ratliffe

Server #1: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*For March 8-12, please visit <https://mass-online.org/daily-holy-mass-live-online/> to view Mass\*\*\*\*

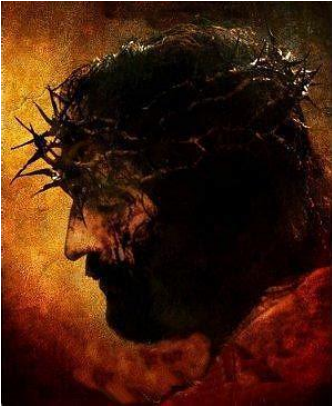
St. Luke's Ladies Guild will have a meeting on Tuesday, March 9 at 7 p.m. in the church basement. We will discuss the future activities of the guild. Please wear a mask as we will abide by COVID regulations. No refreshments at this meeting. Please come and help plan our future endeavors.

Bishop Louis Tylka will be at St. Josephs on Wednesday June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 for the Rosary. More details coming in May!

St. Luke- Please join us for Stations of the Cross every Wednesday night at 7:00

The St. Luke's Mens Club will be hosting a Fish Fry on Friday, March 26<sup>th</sup> from 4:00pm-6:30pm in the hall. It is carry-out only, and all carry-outs will be \$10





## Crucified with Christ Through the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary The Crowning of Thorns

Our "journey of spiritual renewal in the footsteps of Christ" takes us to the inner part of the palace, the Praetorium. There the soldiers mocked, spat on, and insulted Jesus. *And plaiting a crown of thorns they put it on His head, and a reed into His right hand. (Matt. 27:29) And bending the knee before Him they mocked Him, saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" (Matt. 27:29) And they spat on Him and took the reed and kept striking Him on the head. (Matt. 27:50)*

Many, if not all, of us have endured the discomfort and sometimes pain of a thorn or splinter in our finger. Yet, even with that experience, we still cannot imagine the pain that Jesus endured when the crown of thorns was placed on his head and struck again and again pushing it deeper and deeper into his flesh. The actions of the soldiers were not ordered by Pilate and were not part of the "standard punishment". The soldiers went above normal actions to make sure that Jesus was stripped of all dignity and they inflicted as much pain and humiliation as possible. The soldiers acted out of anger, hatred, envy and jealousy. Their hearts were so hardened they could not hear God's voice calling them. If they would have taken a moment to look at the man, would they have noticed the sadness in Jesus' eyes. A sadness caused by the sins of God's children. Sadness caused by the sins of you and me. Sadness caused because the soldiers did not know the Father. They did not know true joy, happiness, peace, and love.

Many of us have had moments with the soldiers in our life. Times when people teased, mocked, and harassed us. At those moments, Jesus, again is filled with sadness but also reminds us that he has reserved a place for us. A place of peace and love. How do you respond to differences with those around you? Do you join the soldiers and tease and humiliate others? Or do you follow Jesus and treat all with love, respect, and dignity?

Unlike Pilate and the soldiers, may we always have the courage to hear God's call and answer with a loving "yes".

*"And let every man be swift to hear, but slow to speak, and slow to anger." -James 1:19*

### Prayer After Meditation On Jesus' Crown With Thorns...

Dear Lord Jesus, Thou truly art the King of Kings and are now crowned in Glory. Thank you for suffering the horrible crown of thorns for love of me. Please forgive me all my sins especially those committed in my thoughts and for the times I lacked the courage to follow you.

Please send me the graces I need to courageously follow you despite the popular opinions of society.

Amen.

<http://www.how-to-pray-the-rosary-everyday.com/crowning-with-thorns.html>



ACTS met last Sunday for pizza, paint, and prayers. After a lesson about the Good Shephard, the students had fun painting.

More information for our next meeting will be coming out soon.

*For God is love and we who abide in love abide in God and God in us.*

*1 John 4:16*

**EMHC's, Lectors, and Servers**- Anyone that would like to minister during Mass are asked to call Kaitlyn Pollard at (309)467-4855 Monday-Friday 10am-2pm to sign up.

## HOLY WEEK INFORMATION

**Palm Sunday:** Palms are scheduled to be available this year, because of COVID, they were omitted last year.

**Chrism Mass:** Watch the bulletin for information concerning the Chrism Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral on Tuesday, March 30, 2021.

**Good Friday:** The Good Friday liturgy will be conducted in the customary way except that (according to a letter from the Vicar General) "...the faithful are NOT to venerate the Cross in the customary way (of kissing or touching) but are to make some other sign of veneration such as a bow..." at the waist. "...The people may remain in their places or may come forward in a procession as is usually done..."

**Easter Vigil:** (In a letter from the Vicar General:) "...The Vigil may take place in the usual way, including the Service of Light at the beginning of the vigil...The faithful may be sprinkled with holy water for the renewal of baptismal promises though the holy water fonts are to remain empty." Water in special bottles (obtained through Lagron-Miller) will be pre-filled and blessed during the liturgy so that each family may take home some holy Easter water.

**Varia:** "...the directives regarding the omission of the customary sign of peace and the prohibition of the distribution of the Precious Blood remain in place. Provided that you have disinfecting wipes or spray readily available and at hand for the faithful to use, pastors and chaplains have the discretion to return to using the confessional if they choose to do so." St. Luke and St. Joseph will return to the use of our confessionals and the cleaning teams should electrostatically spray the entire area inside the confessional with disinfectant after its scheduled use. Those who may still feel uncomfortable using the confessional due to Covid-19 virus may make a special appointment to meet with Father privately in a different location at a different time. We will continue to use one lector and one server, even if a deacon is assisting. Lectors and servers should call the parish office to sign up to minister. However, when a Deacon is assisting at Mass, the Deacon will take the place of the regular EMHC minister.



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