

30 MARCH, 2025

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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Lenten Retreat

Holy Cross

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Our Mother of Sorrows

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Saint Lawrence Church

“The Gospel of Luke and Synodal Jubilee”

Monday, March 31st: St. Lawrence Church at 2:00 PM &
repeated at 6:30 PM

Fr. Lee Chase

Tuesday, April 1: Mother of Sorrows Church at 2:00 PM &
repeated at 6:30 PM

Fr. Bill Coffas

Wednesday, April 2: Day of Penance (Confession)

St. Lawrence

9:00-11:00 AM

1:00-3:00 PM

& 5:00-7:00 PM

***With Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament***

from 9:00 AM—7:00 PM.

Holy Cross

1:00 PM—6:00 PM

***With Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament
from 1:00 PM—6:00 PM***

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER



*This week, we light the
Sanctuary Lamp in Memory of
Richie Fischer*

Monday, March 31

Lenten Weekday

8:30 a.m. Mass for Patricia Lissow by Denise Mohr

Tuesday, April 1

Lenten Weekday

8:30 a.m. Mass for Shirley E. Scarlett by Carol & Quentin Cropo

Wednesday, April 2

Lenten Weekday

8:30 a.m. Mass for Thomas Oldfield by Mary Ann

Thursday, April 3

Lenten Weekday

8:30 a.m. Communion Service, prayer for Priestly Vocations

Friday, April 4

Lenten Weekday

8:30 a.m. Mass for 60th Wedding Anniversary by Jim & Carol Dalle

Saturday, April 5

Lenten Weekday

4:00 p.m. Mass for St. Lawrence Parishioners by Father Chase

Sunday, April 6

Fifth Sunday Of Lent

8:00 a.m. Mass for Bernice & Warren LaVigne by Family

10:00 a.m. Mass for Gene & Antonette Volpe by Gene & Mary Kay Volpe

**Spend some time with Jesus! Adoration is Monday,
April 7, 2025 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

Readings for the week of March 31, 2025

Monday, March 31:	Is 65:17-21/Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday, April 1:	Ez 47:1-9, 12/Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday, April 2:	Is 49:8-15/Jn 5:17-30
Thursday, April 3:	Ex 32:7-14/Jn 5:31-47
Friday, April 4:	Wis 2:1a, 12-22/Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Saturday, April 5:	Jer 11:18-20/Jn 7:40-53
Sunday, April 6:	Is 43:16-21/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11

Attendance March 22 & 23, 2025
Total-919

March 22 & 23, 2025 Collection

	Amount Received	Weekly Budget	Surplus (Shortfall)
Sunday Collection	\$12,358.23	\$14,423.00	\$(2,064.77)
General Maintenance	\$606.00	\$865.00	\$(259.00)
School Support	\$224.00	\$442.00	\$(218.00)

Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am
10:00 am

Mon - Wed, Fri 8:30 am
Thu Communion Service 8:30 am.

Holy Days of Obligation
Please see bulletin.

Confessions

Saturday 3:00 pm

Anointing of the Sick

Please call us if you or a family member wish to be anointed.

Baptism

Parents should contact the Parish Office at the rectory as soon as they know they are expecting.

Marriage

Engaged couples should contact us at least **one year** in advance of their desired date.

Office Hours

Monday - Friday
9 a.m. - Noon, 1 pm - 4 pm
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Rectory Office 723-1350

The Very Rev. Lee P. Chase, V.F., S.T.L.
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Diocese of Rochester, Pastor, x 207

St. Lawrence School

Crystal Criticos - School Principal,
225-3870

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Song Prayers, 797-3719
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Faithful Voices, 225-7338

WHAT'S NOW

This Week At St. Lawrence Church

Monday, March 31

Lenten Retreat - Church

2:00p.m. & 6:30p.m.

Tuesday, April 1

Lenten Retreat - **AT Mother of Sorrows Church** 2p.m. & 6:30p.m.

Faithful Voices - Church

7:00p.m.

Wednesday, April 2

Eucharistic Adoration - Church

9:00a.m. - 7:00p.m.

Diocesan Day of Penance - Church 9-11a.m., 1-3p.m. & 5-7p.m.

Brownies - Deacon Hall

4:30p.m.

Song Prayers - Church

7:15p.m.

Thursday, April 3

Friday, April 4

Living Stations of the Cross - Church

1:00p.m.

Stations of the Cross - Church

3:00p.m.

Saturday, April 5

Confirmation Retreat - Deacon Hall

9:00a.m.

Sunday, April 6

Spotlight Mass - Church & Deacon Hall

10:00a.m.

FOURTH WEEK OF LENT

PROTECTING CROPS FROM NATURAL DISASTERS IN BANGLADESH

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Visit crsricebowl.org/week-4 to read this week's Story of Hope.

Pastoral Planning Update

The Recommendation from our parishes went to Bishop Matano on January 15. Some excerpts from his response to the task force: "Allow me to begin by expressing my deep gratitude for the time and effort made in proposing the Recommendations, which reflect a genuine love for pastoral ministry and a sincere desire to continue this ministry into the future with the mind and heart of Jesus Christ." "I have noted your consultations with the faithful and your sensitivity to their input, your emphasis upon fostering vocations to the priesthood, your areas of inter-parochial cooperation...and above all your emphasis upon the Most Holy Eucharist as the heart and center of every parish." The Bishop invited representatives from the Task Force to make a presentation at the March 11 meeting of the Presbyteral Council. The Recommendation and the Bishop's full letter are available on the Roc Catholics Northwest website: ROC Catholics Northwest or <https://www.roccatholicsnorthwest.org> or from the parish office.

The Task Force had its last meeting on February 25. In its place a Steering Committee will be formed to coordinate the collaboration of our 7-parish committees. Its members will include : Fr. Bill Coffas and Fr. Lee Chase as the two Deans within our parishes, Dcn. Frank Pettrone as our local Pastoral Administrator, a member from the Evangelization Committee, a member from the Vocations Committee, and either the Web Administrator or his backup. The committee will meet 2-3 times a year.



A Tenebrae Service & Passion Story

Presented by the Contemporary Music Ensemble
of Holy Cross Church

The Seven Last Words of Jesus

Monday, April 7

Our Mother of Sorrows Church

5000 Mt Read Blvd | Rochester NY 14612

7:00 pm *Doors open at 6:45 pm

Good Friday, April 18

Holy Cross Church

4492 Lake Ave | Rochester NY 14612

7:00 pm *Doors open at 6:45 pm

Gather friends and family to experience an
unforgettable evening of prayer and remembrance...
—a fitting end to your Lenten journey.

We recommend this service for children 10 years and over that are
comfortable being in a darkened church environment.

ST. LAWRENCE MINISTER SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 2025

	EMHC	Lector/Greeter	Altar Server
Apr-05-2025 Saturday 4:00 PM	Alma Jastrzembksi Leslie Romanchick	David Zeh	Charlie Carr Chloe Carr Liam Adams
Apr-06-2025 Sunday 8:00 AM	Chris Wille Sue Ellen Sahmel	Aaron Baker	Dominick DiVasto Jack DeBadts Paige DeBadts
Apr-06-2025 Sunday 10:00 AM	Anne Webster Michael Webster	St. Lawrence School Students	Alexandra Burger Ava Iannoli Harper Hausle
Apr-12-2025 Saturday 4:00 PM Palm Sunday	Erin Hathaway Patty Amico	Glenn Argenti	AJ Argenti Grayson Argenti Jack Voellinger
Apr-13-2025 Sunday 8:00 AM Palm Sunday	Sue Barker Suzanne Mangano	Amanuel Malik	Dominick DiVasto Jack DeBadts Paige DeBadts
Apr-13-2025 Sunday 10:00 AM Palm Sunday	Jerry LeBlanc Robert Newton	Chuck Romano	Leah Cook Leah Gillette Nora Cook
Apr-19-2025 Saturday 6:00 PM Easter Vigil	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church
Apr-20-2025 Sunday 8:00 AM Easter Sunday	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church
Apr-20-2025 Sunday 10:00 AM Easter Sunday	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church	Please sign up for this Mass in the Main Entrance of the Church
Apr-26-2025 Saturday 4:00 PM	Bob Mayer Candy Minchella	Joe Kelly	Charlie Carr Chloe Carr Leah Gillette
Apr-27-2025 Sunday 8:00 AM	David Zeh Nancy Beck	John Chamberlain	Dominick DiVasto Jack DeBadts Paige DeBadts
Apr-27-2025 Sunday 10:00 AM	Annabelle Sutter Rick Antelli	Jane Pfeifer	Jack Voellinger Madeline McCarthy Nicolas Sutter

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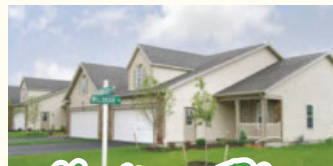
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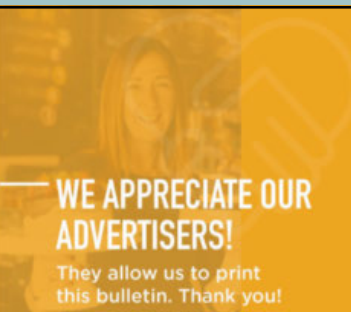
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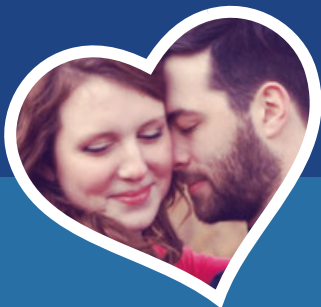
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