

# LONG POINT BAY PARISH

## BI - WEEKLY NEWS

FRIDAY February 18- 2022

### February/March



#### March 1<sup>st</sup>

#### Shrove Tuesday

Lent is a time of abstinence, of giving things up. So Shrove Tuesday is the last chance to indulge yourself, and to use up the foods that aren't allowed in Lent. Pancakes are eaten on this day because they contain fat, butter and eggs which were forbidden during Lent.

The name Shrove comes from the old word "shrive" which means to confess. On Shrove Tuesday, in the Middle Ages, people used to confess their sins so that they were forgiven before the season of Lent began.

#### March 2<sup>nd</sup>

#### Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday is a Christian festival. It marks the beginning of six and a half weeks of repentance, fasting and abstinence in preparation for the most important Christian festival of Easter

For Christians, the marking on the forehead with ash marks the commitment to Jesus Christ and God. They wanted to show God that they were sorry for the wrong things they had done in the past year.

#### Happy Birthday Bob Perks Mar 2<sup>nd</sup>



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### Epiphany Readings



| SUNDAY   | ART - PRAYER | Isaiah 62:1-5             | Psalm 36:5-10             | 1 Corinthians 12:1-11         | John 2:1-11            |
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| Second Sunday after the Epiphany<br>January 16, 2022                     | ART - PRAYER |                           |                           |                               |                        |
| Third Sunday after the Epiphany<br>January 23, 2022                      | ART - PRAYER | Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 | Psalm 19                  | 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a       | Luke 4:14-21           |
| Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany<br>January 30, 2022                     | ART - PRAYER | Jeremiah 1:4-10           | Psalm 71:1-6              | 1 Corinthians 13:1-13         | Luke 4:21-30           |
| Presentation of the Lord<br>February 2, 2022                             | ART - PRAYER | Malachi 3:1-4             | Psalm 84 or Psalm 24:7-10 | Hebrews 2:14-18               | Luke 2:22-40           |
| Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany<br>February 6, 2022                      | ART - PRAYER | Isaiah 6:1-8, (9-13)      | Psalm 138                 | 1 Corinthians 15:1-11         | Luke 5:1-11            |
| Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany<br>February 13, 2022                     | ART - PRAYER | Jeremiah 17:5-10          | Psalm 1                   | 1 Corinthians 15:12-20        | Luke 6:17-26           |
| Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany<br>February 20, 2022                   | ART - PRAYER | Genesis 45:3-11, 15       | Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40      | 1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50 | Luke 6:27-38           |
| Transfiguration Sunday<br>February 27, 2022<br>(Last Sunday before Lent) | ART - PRAYER | Exodus 34:29-35           | Psalm 99                  | 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2        | Luke 9:28-36, (37-43a) |

#### IN CHURCH

February 27 St. John's Port Rowan  
10:00 AM



#### ONLINE

SUNDAY February 20 & 27 2022  
Anytime  
Service of the Word

<http://www.parishoflongpointbay.com/events.html> or  
<https://www.facebook.com/parishoflongpoint/>



1. What did the soldiers offer Jesus to drink while on the cross?
2. What was the name of the man who requested Jesus' body for burial?
3. What color was the robe that the Romans placed upon Jesus??

Find the answers in this newspaper and read the bible



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For the week beginning Sunday February 20, 2022, we will be praying for our Long Point Bay Parish, specially for our family of the church of St. John's Port Rowan.

Ron Baker, Pat Barry, Carolyn Brandon, Ron and Marion Church, Colin and Nicola Clarke, Tom Cline, Rosemarie Cook, Lawrence Daniels, Ron and Pat Derry, Betty Fletcher, Adele Donk, Rose Goethals, Marie Ganger, Bill Gray, Bob & Veronica & Eric & Chuck Harris, Sherry Harrison, Jim and Diane Hopkins, Maureen Kamp.

For our Bishop Todd and Rev. Rick and family, Rev. Jack Cox and family, Rev. Paul Sherwood, Fr. Enrique and Family.



### Answers



1. Vinegar.
2. Joseph.
3. Purple.

### The Spirits of Mobility

By Jim Pepper

Recently L' Instut De L' Havre Booths announced a ground breaking discovery. Researchers there have been working for years on topics affecting senior life such as "The Affect of Banjo Music on Mental Health", "Is there Real Benefit To Be Found In Puffing On A Good Cigar" and "Will The Minutes Spent Snoozing Under a Shade Tree Be Counted In One's Total Allotment".

But today's discovery, a theory recently published in the renowned scientific journal, "Labrador Lovers Digest," may outstrip all previous scientific efforts. The renowned academic facility has announced that there is definite proof of a link between senior mobility facilitators and unknown forces present in their homes. The senior, and we mean really senior, head of L'Institut, refers to it by the scientific term Senior Pliancy On Orthotic Facility or SPOOF for short.

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Years of study of data and observation backed up by real-life experience has yielded this amazing reality now ready to be shared with the rest of the world. It is to wit, " There exists in the homes of countless seniors phantasms (better referred to as playful sprites) whose sole purpose is to facilitate activity from an otherwise sedentary lifestyle." They do this through GOYAAM forces. Please note the double A to avoid any confusion. Since this is such an intellectually challenging topic, one might think of them as similar to an unseen plastic-like sheeting that is both permeable and without notice. It may take many forms as required.

Perhaps the most easily understood is the form that exists in the doorways of various rooms of the house; a bedroom, a basement, or a garage. As a senior passes through this permeable force, its capricious nature causes a short circuit to occur in the senior's thought process. This causes the previously referred to subject to move about sometimes for minutes on end in a vain attempt to remember why he or she went to the bedroom, the basement or the garage. Thus it can be seen that these GOYAAM forces cause an increase in physical activity of all sorts as items are lifted, the senior bends down to search and as well, perform many other activities, such as pacing about pondering all the while thereby increasing caloric expenditure and flexing otherwise unused joints, tendons and muscles.

Further investigation has shown that these sprites may form a domelike force rather than a sheet over a multitude of such items as eye glasses, car keys, wallets, cell phones and tv remotes thereby forcing if you will, the senior to meander about in a seemingly never-ending search thereby once again increasing exercise which would would not have otherwise occurred. Interestingly there is a parallel study at a companion institution which is nearing success. It is designed to assist in eradicating cursing as the senior searches in vain.

For further information please continue to age, and you'll discover SPOOF's forces at work.