

# LONG POINT BAY PARISH

## WEEKLY NEWS

FRIDAY March 4- 2022

**We invite you to spend Lent in prayer**



We are entering into the season of Lent, the 40 days before Easter beginning on March 3, Ash Wednesday.

Ash Wednesday is the day that is set aside so we, as disciples of Christ, can seek forgiveness. We are reminded that we are finite, and that one day we will return to the dust. "You are dust, and to dust you shall return" (BAS pg. 586), and this is symbolized with ashes placed on our foreheads as a reminder.

Lent has been set aside for us to renew our own spiritual practices. Taking the time for self-examination, prayer, almsgiving and fasting.

Some give up something for Lent like gossiping, sweets, alcohol or coffee for health reasons. Others take something on to help them focus on God and God's creation like using less natural resources like water and hydro, or volunteering to help those who are struggling in life at this moment. Maybe exercise or reading the Bible daily are other ways to deepen your Lenten experience. Whatever you do, do it to bring you closer to God.

If prayer is not something you do regularly, I would like to invite you to spend Lent in Prayer. Talking and listening to God, Jesus, or The Holy Spirit and building a stronger relationship. Taking the time with God by reading the scriptures and meditating on its meaning for our own lives can help us discern our faith, and help us to reflect on our need for God.

Lent is a time of renewal and hope. It is the time to experience how Jesus Christ lived his life, what it means for us that he died for us and how we live that out in our own lives. In the early church Lent was a time of formation for new believers and yet I think we can benefit with the continuation of formation in our own lives since this is a journey and we have not yet reached our destination. We never quit learning and growing in our faith.

Resources from AFP can be found on-line or please contact me kimmyer@diohuron.org. These are only a few, please see our webpage:

<http://anglicanprayer.org/index.php/resources/>

By Rev. Kim Myer

### Lent Readings



Lent Year C	First reading	Psalm	Second reading	Gospel
<b>Ash Wednesday</b> March 2, 2022 ART – PRAYER	Joel 2:1-2, 12-17 or Isaiah 58:1-12	Psalm 51:1-17	2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10	Matthew 6:16, 16-21
<b>First Sunday in Lent</b> March 6, 2022 ART – PRAYER	Deuteronomy 26:1-11	Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16	Romans 10:8b-13	Luke 4:1-13
<b>Second Sunday in Lent</b> March 13, 2022 ART – PRAYER	Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18	Psalm 27	Philippians 3:17-4:1	Luke 13:31-35 or Luke 9:28-36, (37-43a)
<b>Third Sunday in Lent</b> March 20, 2022 ART – PRAYER	Isaiah 55:1-9	Psalm 63:1-8	1 Corinthians 10:1-13	Luke 13:1-9
<b>Annunciation of the Lord</b> March 25, 2022 ART – PRAYER	Isaiah 7:10-14	Psalm 45 or Psalm 40:5-10	Hebrews 10:4-10	Luke 1:26-38
<b>Fourth Sunday in Lent</b> March 27, 2022 ART – PRAYER	Joshua 5:9-12	Psalm 32	2 Corinthians 5:16-21	Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32
<b>Fifth Sunday in Lent</b> April 3, 2022 ART – PRAYER	Isaiah 43:16-21	Psalm 126	Philippians 3:4b-14	John 12:1-8
<b>Liturgy of the Palms</b> April 10, 2022 <b>Sixth Sunday in Lent</b> ART – PRAYER		Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29		Luke 19:28-40
<b>Liturgy of the Passion</b> April 10, 2022 <b>Sixth Sunday in Lent</b> ART – PRAYER	Isaiah 50:4-9a	Psalm 31:9-16	Philippians 2:5-11	Luke 22:14-23:56 or Luke 23:1-49



#### IN CHURCH

March 13 St. John's Port Rowan  
10:00 A.M



#### ONLINE

SUNDAY March 13 2022  
Anytime  
Service of the Word

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



1. How many days and nights did it rain when Noah was on the ark?
2. How many years did the Israelites spend in the desert?
3. How Long Did Jesus' Fast in the Wilderness Last?

Find the answers in this newspaper and read the bible

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For the week beginning Sunday March 13, 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.

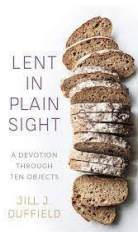


### What's coming

Day	
Tuesday Mar 8	Clergy meeting education
Thursday Mar 13	Woodhouse council meeting 7 PM. By Zoom

### Recommended Book

#### Lent in Plain Sight



God is often at work through the ordinary: ordinary people, ordinary objects, ordinary grace. Through the ordinary, God communicates epiphanies, salvation, revelation, and reconciliation. It is through the mundane that we hear God's quiet voice.

In this devotion for the season of Lent, Jill J. Duffield draws readers' attention to ten ordinary objects that Jesus would have encountered on his way to Jerusalem: dust, bread, the cross, coins, shoes, oil, coats, towels, thorns, and stones. In each object, readers will find meaning in the biblical account of Jesus' final days. Each week, readers encounter a new object to consider through Scripture, prayer, and reflection. From Ash Wednesday to Easter, Lent in Plain Sight reminds Christians to open ourselves to the kingdom of God

Fr. Enrique

### The Grey Ghost in Happier Times



For the past two years we have learned about social distancing, Covid screening and a whole host of other new and different ways of life. However, few have addressed the new standards for sizing clothing that have occurred. Is it just me or have you also noticed that when buying new things such as jeans, shirts and blouses, all seem to have gone through some sizing mislabelling?

Just this morning I decided to forego my usual snazzy "stay at home" wardrobe and I went to put on a newly purchased pair of jeans and a flannel shirt. I needed to eschew my usual around the house sweatshirt and pants to go to town to get some basics (potato chips, frozen pizza, ice cream bars and soft drinks)... Well I was astounded to find that the new jeans and the shirt were oddly too small even though they were the size I always buy. I really needed to shop so I figured that I could always take emergency measures such as not doing up the top button on the jeans and not vainly worrying about the gaps between the buttons of the shirt. I had a solution... I would just cover up these sizing errors by putting on my trusty NASCAR jacket and heading out the door. Imagine my surprise when I found that my trusted Ford Powered, Mountain Dew sponsored redneck driver's jacket had dadgummed also decreased in size... And it wasn't new!

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generous	glory	God
High	Holy	Jesus
Jordan	justified	kingdoms
Levites	lip	Lord
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scripture	Son	Spirit
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### Ukrainian Cheese Pancakes

#### STEP 1

In a large bowl, place 1 pound farmer's cheese and crumble it with a fork. Add 2 eggs and mix well.

#### STEP 2

Add ½ cup flour (reserving ⅓ cup flour for the next step), ¼ cup sugar, and ½ teaspoon salt and mix well until smooth with no lumps and thick. Mix in ½ cup raisins if using.

#### STEP 3

In a shallow dish, spread ⅓ cup flour. Using a ¼-cup ice cream scoop, scoop out the syrniki mixture and drop it directly into flour. Gently flatten into a small patty and dredge in flour. Shake off excess and continue with the remaining batter.

#### STEP 4

In a large skillet on medium-low heat, heat 3-4 tablespoons vegetable oil and place the syrniki in a skillet one by one. Cook the syrniki in batches until golden brown on both sides. Add more oil if needed to prevent from sticking. Once cooked, transfer the syrniki to a plate lined with a paper towel to drain.



#### INGREDIENTS

- ✓ 1 lb Farmer's cheese
- ✓ 2 Eggs
- ✓ ½ + ⅓ cup All-purpose flour
- ✓ ¼ cup Sugar
- ✓ ½ tsp Salt
- ✓ ½ cup Raisins

#### Step 5

Serve warm or cold with sour cream and jam or fresh fruit and berries.



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I'm writing this to forewarn you that you also may experience the same happenings. So be wise when purchasing new clothing. Also, I want to warn you that should you see me while I'm out there wandering about, social distancing has taken on a newer safety reason. Please stay maybe even 10 feet away. A button might pop or the zipper on the jacket might fail, and I don't want you injured by flying projectiles such as a GWG embossed button or a few errant zipper teeth.

By. **Jim Pepper**



#NO WAR  
IN UKRAINE

### Christian Jokes for Faith-Filled Fun



Atheists when they accidentally say "Thank God"



### Answers

1. 40.
2. 40 years.
3. forty days and forty nights.



Fr. E

## March



Birthstones are aquamarine and bloodstone. These stones symbolize courage.

Its birth flower is the daffodil.

The zodiac signs for the month of March were Pisces (until March 19, 2020) and Aries (March 20, 2020 onwards).

### Folklore for the Season

*A wet spring, a dry harvest.*

*On St. Patrick's Day, the warm side of a stone turns up, and the broad-back goose begins to lay.*

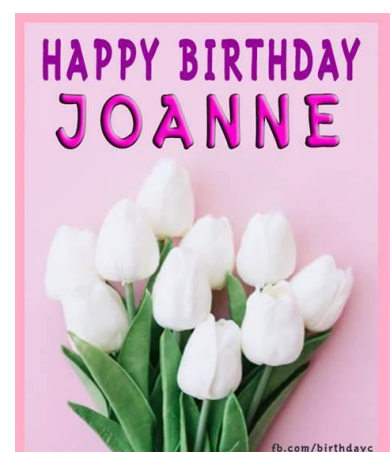
*March comes in with adders' heads and goes out with peacocks' tails.*

*Thunder in spring, Cold will bring.*

*So many mists in March you see, So many frosts in May will be.*

***Happy Birthday JoAnne Easton***

***March 16th***



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