



Holy Cross Weekly News

THIS WEEK AT HOLY CROSS: 3/27 - 4/03/2022

SUNDAY- LENT 4
 8:30 AM-Mission Service
 9:45 AM-Sunday School all ages/Congregational Forum
 10:45 AM-Mission Service
 11:45 AM-Congregational Meeting/Potluck Lunch
 6:30 PM-Bridge of Hope

MONDAY- 7:00 PM-BC2 (Adult SS)
 7:00 PM-Dart Baseball vs Trinity UCC (FH)

TUESDAY- 9:00 AM-Preschool
 5:30 PM-Prayer Group
 6:00 PM-Cub Scouts
 7:00 PM-BC2 (Adult SS)

WEDNESDAY- 9:00 AM-Preschool
 10:00 AM-Bible Study
 5:30 PM-Soup & Salad
 6:30 PM-Lenten Service
 7:30 PM-AA (TR)

THURSDAY- 9:00 AM-Preschool
 12:00N-AA (TR)
 6:30 PM-Mutual Ministry

FRIDAY- 10:00 AM-Bulletins

SATURDAY- 7:30 PM-AA (TR)

SUNDAY- LENT 5
 8:30 AM-Holy Communion
 9:45 AM-Sunday School all ages
 10:45 AM-Holy Communion
 6:30 PM-Bridge of Hope

*Upcoming
Event*

**SEMI-ANNUAL
CONGREGATIONAL
MEETING**
April 24th,
11:45 AM
 Followed by Potluck
 Luncheon

Pastor: Wednesday (afternoon), Thursday (evening),
Friday (morning/afternoon) & by Appt.

Office Secretary: Monday 4-6, Thursday 6-9

Attendance: 3/13: 35+7=42 3/16: 11 3/20: 39+22=61 3/23: 19

SERVANTS OF THE LORD NEXT SUNDAY (04/03/2022)

PHONETREE: *Volunteer Needed* **ALTAR:** Diane H / Darlene T
GREETER: 8:30-*Volunteer* / 10:45-*Volunteer* **HOSPITALITY:** *Volunteer*
SOUND: 8:30-Chris C / 10:45-Ken Y **LIVESTREAM:** 8:30-Jan S
LITURGIST: 8:30-Patty S / 10:45-Marianne S
LECTOR: 8:30-Pat G / 10:45-Jim F
COMMUNION: 8:30-Patty S / Jonathan M / Josh M / 10:45-Marianne S
COUNTERS: Jan S / Karen B / Michele S **PRAYER CARE:** Sharon B
HOME COMMUNION: Sharon B / Pastor David

Holy Cross Prayer List

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PRAYER CHAIN

If you need prayer, call any number below to activate the prayer chain.

Pat Gilbert-610-867-7759

Yvonne Frankenfield-610-691-1960

Darlene Treisner-610-866-3824

Sally Stein-610-867-6599

Linda Jo Albertson-610-419-4346

Home Bound/Nursing Home

Marty Erney Alan & Ruth Gilbert

Marilyn Harding Shirley Haug

Margie Kucirka Sally Lerch

Tom Stenhouse Marlene Thomas

Praying For You:

Eric Gaal

Alan & Ruth Gilbert

Pat & Dennis Gilbert

Mission District:

none

Missionary:

Youth With A Mission

Schools:

Holy Cross Christian Preschool

Nitschmann Middle School

Fellowship Christian High School

Serving in Armed Forces:

Lt. Col. Michelle Stein (retiring 7/22)

Ryan Stein

Greg & 2nd Lt. Jennifer Dolak

(Stryker)

Sgt. Keaton Westwood (Wonderly)

Meg Brown (Brown)

Thanks to all Veterans Who Served

If you'll be hospitalized or would like a pastoral visit, please call the church (610-867-6231).

Ill, Accidents, Surgery, Hospitalized

Jesse & Ryan Albertson-salvation/healing

Linda Jo Albertson-arthritis & congestion healing

Ron Ballek-healing

Kai Bieber (Pillar)-healing from surgery

Chuck Branigan III-healing

Linda & Steve (Brown)-healing from illness & surgery

Nancy Cook-successful surgery & healing

Marty Erney-degenerative disc healing

Marie Eshbach-pain relief & successful treatment

Catherine Fedora family-comfort and peace

Erma Gohn family-comfort and peace

Gary Graham-healing

Barb & Ed Gubich-healing

Eleanor Gunkle-healing

Vince-physical healing & the Lord's provision

Marilyn Harding-guidance, healing, finances

Jennifer Hero-successful treatment & healing

Irene Horvath & family-strengthen faith & body

Kayleen (Glasmire)-healing from addiction

Ann Keefer (Dawn S)-healing & medical guidance

Rev. Werner Koch-recovery from stroke

Sandra Krisanda-healing

Henry Lerch-healing

Mady (Ruthann's niece)-healing

Sharon Miller (Wonderly)-healing from surgery

Marie Mueller-guidance & healing

Ted Nowark (Wonderly)-healing

Joe Reeser-healing

Carson Reinhard-Lymphoma

Linda-guidance & right choices

Dawn Schaeffer-successful therapy & recovery

Earl Stein-healing from neck surgery

Lisa Wechsler-knee surgery and recovery

**New additions*

Giving Opportunities

UKRAINE RELIEF - You can give to a ministry providing humanitarian support to the hundreds of thousands of refugees fleeing that country in the war. Please write "Ukraine" next to Other on your Offering Envelope. Gifts will be matched up to a total of \$500.

THRIVENT CHOICE - Thrivent members can direct Choice Dollars to Holy Cross or Holy Cross Christian Preschool. Deadline is 3/31/22.

Theme for Wednesday (3/30/22):
They Were There - Barabbas: "A New Kind of Revolutionary"
Scriptures: Matthew 27:15-26

Scriptures for next Sunday (4/03/22): Psalm 126
Isaiah 43:16-21 Philippians 3:4b-14 John 11:55-12:11

MARCH 27, 2022
FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

SERMON *"Hope for Anxious Times - Part IV: God Forgives"*

A. Building on Last Week's Theme - God Provides

1. God's Provision for This Life - Daily Bread

2. God's Provision for The Next Life - Forgiveness

B. The Parable of the Prodigal Father

1. The Context of the Parable

2. What Is a Prodigal?

3. Who Is the Main Character?

4. The Prodigal Father

a. Lavish and Extravagant in Giving Freedom

b. Lavish and Extravagant in Offering Forgiveness

c. What is Your Image of God?

C. Living in God's Forgiveness

1. Receiving Forgiveness

2. Forgiving Others

3. Being an Ambassador of Forgiveness