



I once again invite you to attend the Thursday evening faith enrichment presentations on Thursday evenings of Lent. This coming week the topic will be The Shroud of Turin, which was the burial cloth that was around the body of Jesus when he was laid in the tomb. The experts who have studied it have learned that it reveals things about what our Lord suffered in the Crucifixion. If you can sign up on the sheets provided in the entry area that is great, but, if not, you are still welcome to come. The Thursday evening sessions begin at 7:15 PM.

Also, remember that the Archdiocese is once again doing the Light Is On campaign during Lent. On the Thursdays of Lent every parish in the Archdiocese has confessions scheduled from 5:30 to 7:00 PM. So, this is a great opportunity, whether you come here to St. Joseph or go to another parish to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation, which we should receive regularly, but at the least once a year. Our Lord's rich mercy is awaiting us there in this beautiful sacrament that brings us great peace because in it we hear that our sins are forgiven.

Remember that this week on March 19 it is the Solemnity of St. Joseph, the patron of our parish. If you are able, it would be great to come to Mass on Wednesday. There will be Mass at 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM. This year, because of the extra fish fry that the Knights of Columbus is doing and with the construction of the new Religious Education Center going on, we will not have the dinner celebrating the feast day that we have had the past couple of years. When things are settled next year, we can resume having it.

Have a blessed and grace-filled week.

God bless you, Fr. Gutowski

Mass Intentions for the Week

MAR. 17 THRU MAR. 23

Monday		Jean McAndrews-Szczepanowski
Tuesday		Helen Palitzsch
Wednesday	8 a.m.	Priest's Intention
	6 p.m.	Bill Biernbaum
Thursday		Helen Stepanek
Friday		Geri Ross
Saturday		Jim Werner
Sunday		People of St. Joseph



March 16, 2014
Second Sunday of Lent
"Rise, and do not be afraid." Matthew 17:7

PLANNING AHEAD FOR BASEBALL

Something to remind you that Winter is coming to an end. Mark your calendars for Thursday June 19th, It is Catholic night with the Omaha Storm Chasers and as in the past 2 years the St Joseph Knights of Columbus have purchased a block of discount tickets for this event. A signup sheet will be out in May in order to purchase these tickets.