

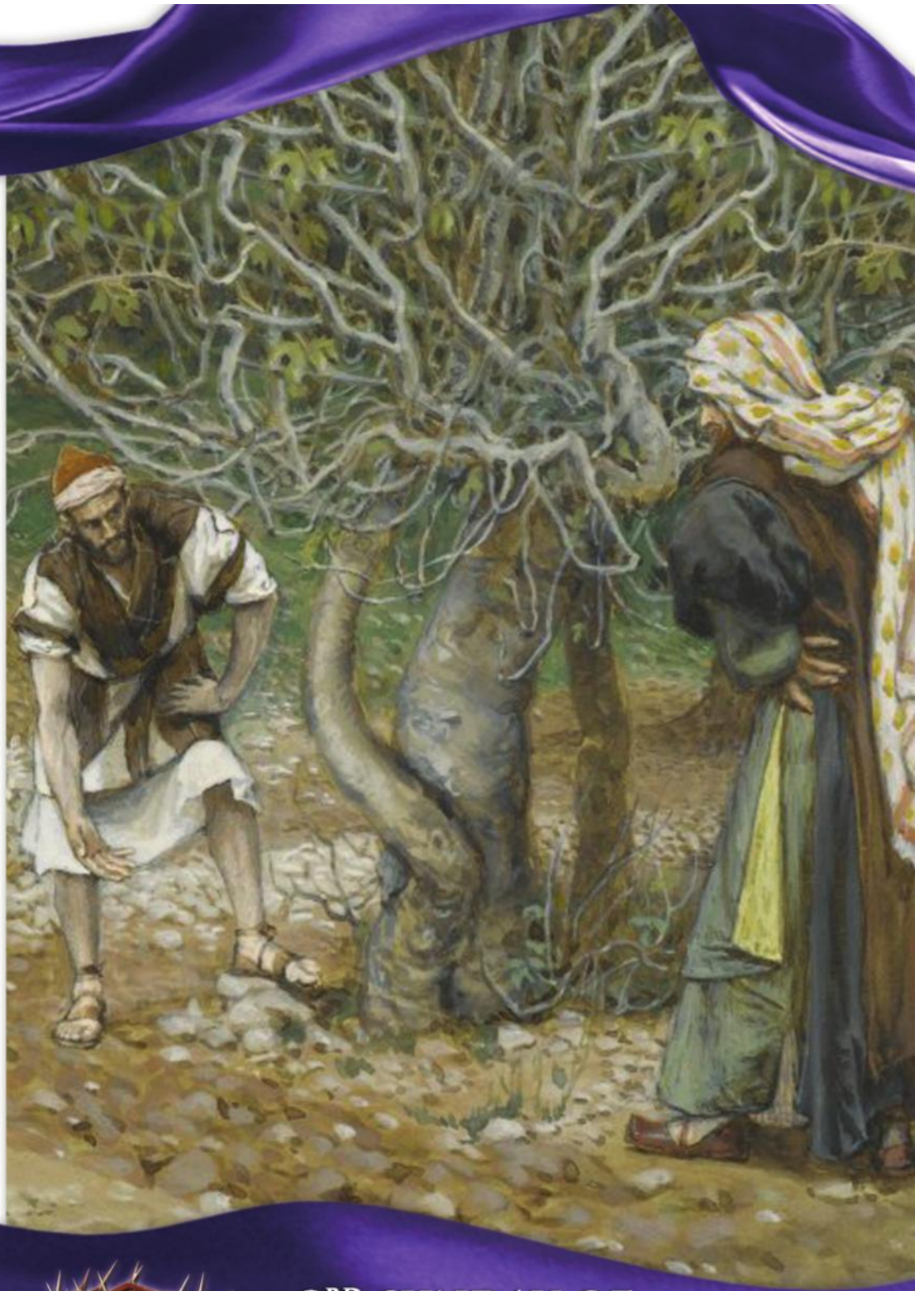
“Sir, leave it for this year also, and I shall cultivate the grounds around it and fertilize it; it may bear fruit in the future. If not you can cut it down.”

Luke 13:8, 9

“Señor, déjala todavía este año; voy a aflojar la tierra alrededor y a echarle abono, para ver si da fruto. Si no, el año que viene la cortaré.”

Lucas 13, 8. 9

The Vine Dresser and
the Fig Tree
by James Tissot, circa 1890s



3RD SUNDAY OF

LENT

3^º DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

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This Week in our Parish

SUN. 23 MARCH: 11:00 AM: Preparación de adultos –entrevistas
4:00 PM: Retreat Mass (Sp)

WED. 26 MARCH 3:00PM: Food Pantry
7:00PM: Confirmation Class
7:00 PM: Juan XXIII

THURS. 27 MARCH: 7:00 PM: Choir practice (Sp)

FRI. 28 MARCH: 6:00 PM: Stations of the Cross
7:00 PM: Via Crucis

SAT 29 MARCH: 10:00 AM: PSR
Mini Eucharistic Conference
at St. Michael's



22 & 23 March

4:00 PM +Lucille Hezoucky
10:00 AM Parishioners
12:30 PM +Porfirio Rodriguez, Sr.
+Porfirio Rodriguez, Jr.

29 & 30 March

4:00 PM Parishioners
10:00 AM +Michael Perk
12:30 PM +Francis & +Janet Callahan

Last Week's Collection

Weekly	\$ 2,646.25
Monthly	\$ 110.00
Maint. & Utilities	\$ 2,330.00
Candles	\$ 200.00
Solidarity	\$ 304.00
Ash Wed& Sol. of Mary	\$ 25.00
Donations	\$ 920.00

TOTAL \$ 6,535.25

THANK YOU — ¡Gracias!

Dear parishioners and friends,

This weekend, 30 men are on retreat in our retreat house (former convent). The initiative is of the lay ecclesial movement John XXIII that began in Puerto Rico during the pontificate of John XXIII. It has taken root in many dioceses in the USA, Latin America, and Europe. Its mission is to evangelize – introduce people to Jesus Christ and the church. “With Christ everything, without Christ nothing” is their motto.

The movement was formally invited to establish a presence in the Diocese of Cleveland under Bishop Pilla. Presently, seven parishes with Hispanic ministry have a formal group of John XXIII. Each parish has a leadership council (President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary). There is a Diocesan leadership council that coordinates the parish leadership councils. Deacon Francisco Miranda is the Spiritual Director and Hortensia Rodriguez, director of Hispanic ministry in the Diocese is the contact on that level.

Each parish group meets once a week for prayer and scripture study. Six retreats are held during the year rotating men and women. Members of the movement serve as a team facilitating the retreat weekends: catechists, table facilitators, prayer team, kitchen team, etc. Each retreat concludes with an uplifting Mass and celebration.

A lease agreement between the movement and our parish was signed during the pastorate of Fr. Masek. At the beginning, the members agreed to repair the former convent (which was in disrepair), and work to maintain the house and pay the expenses (utilities, insurance, etc.). The lease agreement was recently renewed and signed by Bp. Malesic.

John XXIII has given much fruit in the diocese – people have returned to the sacraments, leaders have been formed, and yes evangelization has continued!

Sincerely, Father Joseph H. Callahan

DONATION: A donation in memory of Joe Kocab, Mr. & Mrs. Hyvnar, Martin Hrabik and Mr. & Mrs. Voris was received from Hana Voris.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: every Friday during Lent: 6:00 PM English, 7:00 PM Spanish.

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays 3:00 PM—3:30 PM, and by appointment. Communal penance service with several priests for confession: Monday, 31 March, 7:00 PM at St. John Nepomucene Parish (Feet Ave & East 49th Street).

AITAR & ROSARY SOCIETY will be meeting Sunday April 6th after the 10:00AM Mass. The Rosary will be said at 9:30AM.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY will be selling Easter candy again this year on the two weekends before Easter! Mmmmmm.

LECTORS: Please consider participating in this important ministry. If interested, please call Sr. Carmen, in the office on Fridays.

PRE BAPTISM CLASS: Sunday April 27th at 11:15AM here at Our Lady of Lourdes. To register, please call 216-641-2829.

HOLY NAME PARISH FISH FRY: Every Friday in Lent from 4PM to 7PM.

SOKOL DINNERS: Fish Frys March 21st and 28th.

Please pray for the sick: Julia Martinez, Beverly Kosarko, Joan Krupa, Ruth Brilla, Ted Michols, Margaret Williams, Catherine McTighe, Anna Donahue, Michelle Triska, Lukas Whitney, Tracey Bowman, Celia Erlanson, Theresa Schutt, Pearl Beningo, Carl Vlnaty, James Harper, Hollie O'Malley, Tony Collova, Ashley Siers, Joan Campbell, Irma Maldonado, Lanse Fake, April Scheele, Robert Ashworth, , Mike Winkler, Sandra Lazar, Marissa Lazar, Phil Blados, Greg Vincent, Neal Ferguson, Barbara Rossi, Tom McTighe, Tony Tomecko, the Longan Family, Patty Wagar, Rosemary Forester, Jesse Wilson., Pat & Linda Racut, Jeff McBride, Marilyn Cowin, Jean DiRuggerio, Patty Tibaldi. Maryann Tomecko, Virginia Bowers, Cortez Campbell and Elly Jordan.

Please pray for those in Nursing Homes or Assisted Living: Fr. Howard Ziemba, Fr. Elmer Marquard, Betts Skrha, Sr. Annette Amendolia, Joanne Teska, Robert Keberle and Edith Rugan.

MINISTERIO HISPANO

Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

El próximo sábado 29 de marzo, se llevará a cabo un “mini-Congreso Eucarístico” como seguimiento al Congreso Nacional que fue en julio del 2024 en Indianápolis. El evento será en la parroquia San Miguel Arcángel. Arabel López tiene tiquetes y esta llevando la lista de personas que van a participar. Favor entenderse con ella. Espero que Lourdes tenga una buena representación ...

Atentamente en Cristo, Pbro. Joseph Callahan

VIA CRUCIS: Todos los viernes de la Cuaresma—7:00 PM.

GRAN RIFA premios: un televisor de 65”, una bicicleta, y \$100.00. Valor de tiquette: \$5.00. Comité de actividades.

VIA CRUCIS EN VIVO Viernes Santo, 18 de abril. Si quieres participar favor entenderte con JUAN MOJICA.

CAJAS DE SOBRES han llegado. Para recibir los sobres, hay que inscribirse en la parroquia. El formulario esta a la salida que da al parqueo.

CONGRESO EUCARISTICO: sábado, 29 de marzo, 8:30 AM— 5:00 PM en la parroquia San Miguel Arcángel 3114 Scranton Rd., Cleveland.. Favor entenderse con Arabel Lopez para anotarse para este evento.

LIMPIEZA EN GENERAL DEL TEMPLO: Sábado, 5 de abril a las 9:30 AM. Ven a ayudarnos a preparar el templo para la Semana Santa!

REQUISITOS PARA BAUTIZAR

1. Llenar la hoja de datos
2. Traer copia del acta de nacimiento
3. Traer copia del permiso del parroco si son de otra parroquia
4. Participar en la platica pre-bautismal
5. Seleccionar padrinos que son activos en la iglesia y comulgan con frecuencia.
6. Hablar con el Padre Jose para fijar la fecha del bautismo.

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