

MARCH 20TH, 2022

3rd Sunday of Lent

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	TIME	LOCATION	MASS INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Mon. Mar 21	9:00 am	Goodsoil	Veronica and Vislo	Elizabeth Urlacher
Tue. Mar 22	9:00 am	Goodsoil	+Marianne Schamber	Michael & Tuy Schamber
	7:00 pm	Pierceland	+Frank Muehlbauer	Merlin & Chris Wild
Wed. Mar 23	7:00 pm	Goodsoil	+Mary Greschner	Darrell & Sylvia Jones
Thur. Mar 24			No Mass Scheduled	Fr. is in PA
Fri. Mar 25	6:00 pm	Goodsoil	+Elmer Parachoniak Adoration to follow mass	Adam Fetsch Family
Sat. Mar 26	5:00 pm	Loon Lake	Bishop's Intention	
Sun. Mar 27	9:00 am	Goodsoil	For All Parishioners	
	11:00 am	Pierceland	Bishop's Intention	

ST. BONIFACE	MINISTERS LIST Mar. 27th	ST. ANTONINUS
Commentator - Lucille Martin		Greeter - Gail
Readers - Gail Budd Regina Fetsch		Gifts - C Kajner Family
Greeters - Leo/Lorraine Hofer		Readers - Susan Chris
Gift Bearers - Wes/Lorraine D.		Music - Angie Mono - Marla
Stations of the Cross		Altar Servers - Shannon Ryder
		Stations of the Cross

24 HOURS FOR THE LORD

Mass & Eucharistic Adoration

Parishes all around the world are invited to participate in whatever way they can in

"24 Hours for the Lord," on March 25th, 2022 an initiative started by Pope Francis which focuses on Adoration, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and prayer for a concentrated period of 24 hours.

Mass will be celebrated at **St. Boniface Church at 6pm, Friday March 25th** followed by an hour of Eucharistic Adoration.

Come Let Us Adore Him!



Chrism Mass Celebration will be on **Tuesday, April 12, 2022 at 5:00pm**

1-4 parish representatives to receive the oils from the Bishop

Deadline for registration is Wednesday, April 5, 2022.

Please let Fr. Kendrick know if you are interested in representing your parish.



GOODSOIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **Lenten Confession - Wed. March 30th from 5:00 - 7:00pm** Fr. Kendrick and Fr. Doug will both be available
- ◆ **Lunch with Bishop Stephen - Sat. April 2nd @ 12:00 Noon** at the Goodsoil Hall. Everyone welcome. Lunch will be provided. Free will donations will be accepted. **Games for kids** put on by the Youth
- ◆ **Divine Mercy Sunday - Sunday April 24, 2022- Holy Hour of Devotion at 3:00 pm** St. Boniface Parish

PIERCELAND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lenten Confession - Tues. March 29th from 5:00 - 7:00pm Fr. Kendrick and Fr. Doug will both be available

Stations of the Cross - Every Sunday during Lent starting at 10:25 am

March Cleaners - Raquel Rawlake-Parker 839-4868 Mathilda Baker, Audery Grundner, Shirley Grundner, Myrna Gonie, Rhonda Schleibinger

There once was a person who had a fig tree. (Luke 13:6)

The people discussing the news with Jesus in today's Gospel assumed that the disaster victims must have been greater sinners than everyone else. Tragedy, some of them thought, was God's way of punishing wickedness.

But God is not spiteful. He does not wish evil on us when we offend him.

It's our own sin that cuts us off from him and leads to other sins, many of which bring their own disasters.

That's why Jesus warns his hearers about their need for repentance.

But then Jesus tells a reassuring parable for all of us sinners. A landowner wants to cut down his fig tree because it bears no fruit. The gardener asks for mercy—one more year of careful tending might be exactly what the tree needs. God is like that gardener. He sees the ways we're not fruitful. He sees our sin more clearly than we do.

And he shows us mercy. He cares for us, feeds us, protects us, and cultivates our soil.

Like the gardener, he offers us another chance to bear good fruit.

Our heavenly Father is a God of second chances! When our sin separates us from him, he wants nothing more than to draw us back, to free us from its effects, and to give us new life. Every day is a chance to be like a healthy, fruitful fig tree and receive the nourishment he offers. We can receive his grace to restore us when we return to him in repentance. We can let him cultivate the soil of our hearts as he teaches us in Scripture or through our life experiences. And we can come to the altar to be fed by Jesus himself.

So don't think that God is out to get you if you've let him down. He loves you and wants to welcome you back to himself. He will give you the strength you need to return.

"Lord, you are doing everything you can to bring each person back to yourself, including me!"

Help me repent and return to you."

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This Lent,
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Week 3: March 20 The power of mobilized citizens

One of Development and Peace's strengths is our ability to mobilize thousands of Canadians like you to amplify marginalized voices from the Global South. Our partners want businesses to not be able to perpetrate abuses in their countries with impunity.

That is why our People and Planet First campaign is asking you to help ensure that Canada adopts strong due diligence laws to prevent Canadian corporations from abusing human and environmental rights across their global operations.

Sign our petition for this at devp.org/act and spread the word. Thank you for supporting our campaign!

