

# Third Sunday of Lent

*“Let it alone for one more year.”*



March 24, 2019

**† Masses this week at St. Michael's Year C**  
**Monday, March 25** *The Annunciation of the Lord*  
 12:05 pm Special Intentions of Eva & Charles Campbell -*The Family*

**Tuesday, March 26**  
 9:30 am Mass at St. Mary Secondary School  
 12:05 pm † Loretta Mitchell -*Curt & Audrey Stanley*

**Wed. March 27**  
 10:00 am Mass at Palisade Garden  
 12:05 pm † Catherine Clarey -*Angela Beer*

**Thursday, March 28**  
 9:30 am Mass at Notre Dame School  
 12:05 pm Living & Deceased † Members of Niziol Family -*Gary*

**Friday, March 29**  
 12:05 pm Special Intentions of the Collins & Mensen Families -*Roberta*

## 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross †

### Saturday, March 30

5:00 pm † Teresa Turk -*Greg Leguard*

### Sunday, March 31

9:00 am Missa Pro Populo

11:00 am † John Maddigan  
 -*Mary Meade & Family*

Next Weekend's Readings: 4th Sunday in Lent

1st: Joshua 5.9a, 10-12

2nd: 2 Corinthians 5.17-21 Gospel: Luke 15.1-3, 11-32

### Prayer Life at St. Michael's

<b>Tues. 26</b>	7:30 am Adoration/Prayer	
<b>Wed. 27</b>	7:30 am Adoration/Prayer	7:00 pm Catholic's Come Home
<b>Thurs. 28</b>	7:30 am	9:00-7:00 am Adoration

**NEW WEB ADDRESS:** Due to a 'virus' the website for St. Michael's has been temporarily down and subsequently a new address was required.

[www.saintmichaelscobourg.com](http://www.saintmichaelscobourg.com)

**The Stations of the Cross,,a Lenten devotion:**  
**Friday's at 7:00pm, March 22 & 29**  
*(Ladies Auxiliary will assist on 29th.)*

### How to Find Time in the Day for Lent

*The fast pace of your life may seem to leave little time and energy for the traditional Lenten practices. But you can weave moments of spiritual awareness and service into even the busiest of schedules. The trick is to see Lenten practice as part of, rather than in addition to, each activity of your ordinary hectic day. The three foundational practices of Lent are prayer, fasting, and almsgiving: **Praying Daily:** If you make a habit of saying a little prayer whenever someone irritates you, cuts you off in traffic, or makes life difficult; when someone does you a favour, you experience great and friendly service, or when something joyful happens to you—you will soon find yourself praying your way through the day. Try this simple practice and you will be observing the Catholic Church's call for greater prayer during the Lenten season. You will also find that this habit makes your life flow smoother, yourself more centered, and your Spirit more aware of God's presence.*

### “Celebrating 100 Years of Charity” 1919-2019

Fr. Francis P. Duffy Council 1970, Cobourg Knights of Columbus will be celebrating their one hundredth anniversary in 2019. Council 1970 hopes that everyone will take some time to celebrate with them. Please keep the dates of **May 24, 2019** open for the Anniversary Mass at St. Michael's Church at 7p.m., followed by a public reception at the Columbus Community Centre; and **May 25, 2019** for the Anniversary Gala at the Columbus Community Centre.

**TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE (\$50/person) from**  
**St. Michael's Parish Office-905.372.6844 Columbus**  
**Community Centre-905.372.2991 or any Brother Knight.**

### Reviving the St. Michael's Senior's Gathering

We would like to revive the Parish Senior's group with faith-filled and enjoyable gatherings, including presentations, conversations and social events to meet the interests and needs of a range of senior parishioners and friends. If you have a little time you can give to helping, plan and lead this important initiative please call Sister Mary Rowell at Villa St. Joseph (905-372-2741) or e-mail: [villa@csicanada.org](mailto:villa@csicanada.org) – Sister Mary will then arrange a planning meeting “with treats”! Thank you.



**Interfaith Northumberland:** *All are welcome to the Villa on Thurs. March 21 at 7:30 pm to participate in an hour of prayer for 'Peace for all the Earth'.*

☸*Summary of Your Generosity:* Sunday Offertory for March 3, \$5,655 and March 10, \$3,042 & Care & Maintenance 2nd collection \$1,248. *Thank you for your support.*☸