

CALENDAR

All Dioceses

Religious Activities

■ **WED, MAR. 15** — Charismatic Mass: Fr. Stan Kacprzak, celebrant; St. John Fisher College, Murphy Hall Chapel, 3690 East Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.

Chemung Schuyler

Meetings

■ **THU, MAR. 9** — Support group: AWAKE; for persons with sleep disordered breathing; "Current Treatment of Sleep Apnea"; Dr. Hal Sussman, speaker; St. Joseph's Hospital, Cusick Meeting Room, 555 E. Market St., Elmira; 6:30-8:30 p.m.; for information call Paula Cook 607/733-6541, ext. 526 or 607/737-7008.

■ **THU, MAR. 16** — Grief support group: Big Flats United Methodist Church, 3049 Hillview Dr., Big Flats; 6-7:30 p.m.; call Pamela Gee 607/733-9068, ext. 17.

Religious Activities

■ **MAR. 13-16** — Mission 2000: "Lent: Penance of Joy"; Fr. Paul Boudreau, presenter; St. Mary Our Mother Church, 816 W. Broad St., Horseheads; separate track for ages 5-11; baby-sitting; 7 p.m. each evening; 607/739-3817.

Livingston County

Religious Activities

■ **WED, MAR. 15** — Pray the Rosary: WDNY radio, 1400 AM, Dansville; 6-6:30 p.m.; every Wed.

Monroe County

Fundraisers

■ **SAT, MAR. 11** — Clothing drive: sponsored by Nazareth Academy Parents Association; Nazareth Academy, 1001 Lake Ave., Rochester; 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

■ **SUN, MAR. 12** — Spaghetti dinner dance: to benefit St. Bridget's Church Wish List Fund; Diplomat Banquet Center; 1 p.m.; \$10 adult, \$5 child ages 6-12, under 6 free; call 716/454-4236.

■ **MON, MAR. 13** — Concert: University of Notre Dame Concert Band; to benefit Holy Rosary Outreach and Youth Ministries and Aquinas Scholarship Fund; Aquinas Institute Auditorium, 1127 Dewey Ave., Rochester; 7 p.m.; \$6; call 716/647-2990

■ **SAT, MAR. 18** — Arts & crafts show: to benefit Our Mother of Sorrows School; Mother of Sorrows Church Hall, 5000 Mt. Read Blvd. at Latta Rd., Greece; 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; 716/663-5432.

Meetings

■ **FRI, MAR. 10** — Vigil: Against the Death Penalty; Blue



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Mardi Gras 2000

From left, Nathalie Pierre-Philippe and Sunshine Perez dance in the "parade" at the Mardi Gras 2000 Party at Immaculate Conception Parish, Rochester, on March 4. The annual event is celebrated New Orleans-style with music, dancing, cajun and creole food, and, of course, a parade. Young children on a moving "float" threw beads and trinkets to the party-goers, while the older children danced in circles around the guests.

Cross Arena; noon-12:30 p.m.; for information call Judicial Process Commission 716/325-7727 or Diocese of Rochester Consistent Life Ethic Coordinator 716/328-3210.

■ **MAR. 11, 12** — Play: "Points of Arrival"; story of Jean Donovan, murdered in El Salvador; sponsored by Metro Justice Rochester Committee on Latin America; Sat.: Immanuel Baptist Church, 815 Park Ave., Rochester, 7 p.m.; Sun.: Gates Presbyterian Church, 1049 Wegman Rd., Gates, 3 p.m.; free will offering to support SOA Watch; for information call 716/889-5932 or 716/423-9633.

■ **MON, MAR. 13** — Registration deadline: for Mar. 20 "Spirituality 101 - Lessons to Live By: Justice"; (Integrating Justice into Everyday Life); Sr. Janet Korn, RSM, presenter; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 7:30-9 p.m.; \$10; 716/473-6893.

■ **TUE, MAR. 14** — Registration deadline: for Mar. 21 "What Does Jubilee Require of Us? - Proclaim Freedom!"; Donna and Tom Ecker, presenters; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 7-9 p.m.; \$10; 716/473-6893.

■ **THRU MAR. 31** — Open Registration: St. Ambrose School, 31 Empire Blvd., Irondequoit; Pre-K-6th grade; 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.; tours available on request; 716/288-0580

Religious Activities

■ **THU, MAR. 9** — Registration deadline: for Mar. 16 "Spiritual Growth in Tough Times"; video series by Joyce

Rupp, OSM; Colette Baldwin, RSM, Therese Richardson, RSM, leaders; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 9:45-11:30 a.m.; \$8/session; 716/473-6893.

■ **SAT, MAR. 11** — St. Patrick's Mass: Bishop Matthew Clark, celebrant; St. Mary's Church, 15 St. Mary's Pl., Rochester; 9 a.m.

■ **MAR. 12-15** — Mission 2000: Grayson Warren Brown, presenter; St. Joseph's Church, 43 Gebhardt Rd., Penfield; Sun.: 4 p.m. song fest followed by potluck supper; bring a dish to pass; Mon., Tues., Wed.: focus on scripture, justice and peace; 7-8:30 p.m.; for information call Karen Kosten 716/385-0436.

■ **MON, MAR. 13** — Healing Mass: Fr. Gary Tyman, celebrant; Church of the Assumption of Our Lady, 20 East Ave., Fairport; 7:30 p.m.

■ **FRI, MAR. 17** — Mass: Ancient Order of Hibernians and Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians; St. Mary's Church, 15 St. Mary's Pl., Rochester; 12:10 p.m.; followed by lunch at the Forty & Eight Club, University Ave., Rochester; for information call Anne Kelly 716/482-9727.

■ **FRI, MAR. 17** — Registration deadline: for Mar. 24-26 directed retreat; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 7 p.m. Fri.-11 a.m. Sun.; followed by brunch; \$85; 716/473-6893.

Social Activities

■ **SAT, MAR. 11** — St. Patrick's Day parade: Fr. John Cavanaugh, CSB, Robert E. Nolan, deputy grand marshals;

from Alexander St. and East Ave., down East to Main St., down Main to Plymouth Ave.; reviewing stand at Four Corners; 12:30 p.m.

■ **SUN, MAR. 12** — Exhibit opening: "Perfection of Form: Don Sottile's Sculptural Figures"; Nazareth College Casa Italiana, 4245 East Ave., Rochester; 4 p.m. reception; 716/389-2468.

Talks

■ **TUE, MAR. 14** — St. Bernard's on the Road: "Jubilee Justice"; Sr. Pat Schoelles, SSJ, presenter; St. John the Evangelist Church, Humboldt St., Rochester; 7:15 p.m.; 716/482-6211.

■ **WED, MAR. 15** — Interfaith Forum: Temple Sinai, 363 Penfield Rd., Rochester; 7 p.m.; to register call Rabbi Alan Katz 716/381-6890; for information call Mike Boucher 716/325-1180.

■ **WED, MAR. 15** — Interfaith Tea: "Eve and Her Daughters: A Different View"; Dr. Susan Nowak, speaker; Temple B'rith Kodesh Sanctuary, 2131 Elmwood Ave., Rochester; 11 a.m.; open to women of all faiths; followed by brown-bag lunch & discussion in auditorium; guided tour optional; donation of nonperishable food items requested for local food cupboards.

■ **THU, MAR. 16** — St. Bernard's on the Road: "I Believe in God, Creator of Heaven & Earth"; Fr. Joseph Brennan, presenter; St. Anne Church, 1600 Mt. Hope Ave., Rochester; 7 p.m.; 716/271-3260.

■ **MAR. 16, 17** — Speakers Along the Thruway: "Vatican Silencing: Why Should We Care?"; Sr. Jeannine Gramick, speaker; sponsored by Call To Action, Upstate New York; Thurs., 7 p.m.: University of Rochester, Bausch & Lomb Bldg., Room 109; Fri., noon: University of Rochester, Rush-Rhees Library, Welles-Brown Reading Room; call Ray Grabb 716/788-3240.

Seneca Cayuga

Religious Activities

■ **SAT, MAR. 11** — Lenten Day Retreat: St. Hyacinth Parish Center, 59 Pulaski St., Auburn; video homilies of Fr. John Corapi, S.O.L.T.; 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.; devotion to Blessed Sacrament; for information or reservations call 315/252-5423 or 315/253-9452.

Social Activities

■ **TUE, MAR. 14** — Pasta dinner: St. Mary's Church Hall, 15 Clark St., Auburn; 5-7 p.m.; \$5 adults, \$3 children under 12; take outs available.

Steuben County

Religious Activities

■ **SUN, MAR. 12** — Televised Mass: cable channel 13, channel 48; 10-11 a.m.; videotaped Sat. 4:30 p.m.; St. Patrick's Church, Corning.

Tompkins Tioga

Health

■ **SAT, MAR. 18** — Blood drive: Immaculate Conception School gym, 320 W. Buffalo St., Ithaca; 9 a.m.-2 p.m.; to register call Gregory Wesley 607/273-6121; walk-ins welcome.

Yates Ontario Wayne

Fundraisers

■ **SAT, MAR. 11** — Reservation deadline: for Mar. 25 spaghetti supper; to benefit Hannick Hall, Newark; St. Anne's Church Hall, 136 Church St., Palmyra; 6:30 p.m.; \$5/person, \$15 family maximum; for tickets call St. Gregory's Church 315/926-4323; followed by "Miriam's Well" performance; 7:30 p.m.

Meetings

■ **FRI, MAR. 10** — Support group: divorced, separated, widowed men; Blue Ribbon Smokehouse, Routes 88 & 96, Phelps; 9 a.m.; call Pete 716/374-5982 or Carl 315/539-2284.

■ **WED, MAR. 15** — Support group: divorced, separated, bereaved; Steak-out Restaurant, Routes 96 & 21, Manchester; 9 a.m.; call Rose 315/462-3841.

■ **MAR. 15, 17, 20, 22, 24** — Observe kindergarten class: St. Michael's School, 320 S. Main St., Newark; to schedule appointment call between 9-10 a.m.; 315/331-2297.

Religious Activities

■ **MAR. 12-16** — Lenten Mission Retreat: sponsored by Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Community; Fr. Tim Keating, presider; Sun.: Anointing of the Sick, St. Mary's Church, Gilbert St., Rushville, 3 p.m.; Mass: Mon., Wed., St. Michael's Church, 312 Liberty St., Penn Yan, 7 a.m.; Tues., Thurs., St. Januarius Church, 180 N. Main St., Naples, 8 a.m.; daily service Mon.-Thurs., St. Michael's Church, 312 Liberty St., Penn Yan, 7 p.m.; followed by coffee/social hour; for information call St. Michael's 315/536-7459 or St. Januarius 716/3742414.

■ **WED, MAR. 15** — Queen of Peace night: St. Dominic's Church, 6 Canandaigua St., Shortsville; rosary, confession, benediction 7 p.m.; Mass 8 p.m.; Fr. Edward Dillon, celebrant; 716/394-0604.

■ **SAT, MAR. 18** — Ministry day: "Capture the Spirit of Jubilee"; sponsored by Catholic Charities of the Finger Lakes; "The Tradition of Jubilee"; Sr. Janet Korn, RSM, keynote speaker; St. Mary's School, 29 Center St., Waterloo; 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; \$10; workshops include: "Living the Jubilee Pledge", Giovina Caroscio, leader; "Forgiving Third World Debt", Fr. Jim Hewes, leader; "Jubilee Spirituality", Sr. Janet Korn, leader; to register call Scarlett-Emerson 315/789-2686.