

# Wisdom People

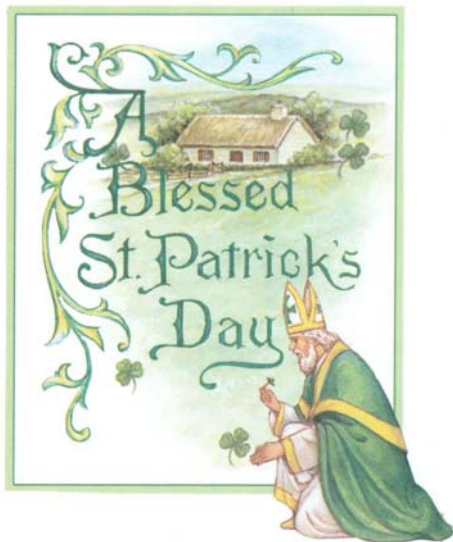


*St. Daniel's Senior Citizen's Group*

March 2019 Issue

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*“Enjoy the little things for one day you may look back and realize they were big things.”*



Wishing you a rainbow - For sunlight after showers,  
Miles and miles of Irish smiles

For golden happy hours - Shamrocks at your door-  
way

For luck and laughter too, And a host of friends that  
never ends

Each day your whole life through!

“Have a Happy and Blessed Saint  
Patrick's Day!”

The next Wisdom People meeting will be **Friday, April 5, 2019** following the 12:10 Mass. Please call Hospitality Chairperson, **Angela Murphy** at 315-455-5042 for reservations by Friday, March 29th. The entertainment will be **Bare Bones Trombone Quartet**. **Toni Buckley** from *Catholic Charities Elderly Services* will have an information table set up.

Please Note: No one will be allowed in the building until 12:00 noon.



## Prayer For A Happy Death

*Father, when you are ready to lead me through death to eternal life, be with me as you were with your people of old. As the last breath of life pours from me, take all fear and let me embrace you with joy. Give me the grace to die, as did St. Joseph, with Jesus and Mary at my side.*

*Amen*



If you see a new face at the Wisdom People meeting, please be sure to introduce yourself and extend a friendly welcome. Our newest members are: *Margaret Bedigian, Kathleen Bradley, Patricia Doharty, Maureen VanScoter and Diane Wood.*



The Wisdom People of St. Daniel are especially thankful to *Fritz Kucinski* and *Barbara Omicinski* for purchasing gift certificates and cash prizes to be used at our meetings. Thank you Fritz and Barbara!

# Wisdom People Contacts



Hospitality chairperson is *Angela Murphy*. Please call Angela at 315-455-5042 for reservations. The next meeting will be on *Friday, April 5, 2019*. Please call by *Friday, March, 2019*.

Our Sunshine Chairperson is *Helen Lynch*. If any member is sick, in the hospital or nursing home, please call the rectory at 315-454-4946 and message will be given to her.



Membership Chairpersons are *Louise Epolito* and *Sue Slack*. Please note: Membership dues for 2019 are due now.

If you would like to make any suggestions to discuss anything or to cancel reservations, please call *John L. Denega* at 315-432-1005.





*Carmela Barbagallo, Kathleen M. Bradley, Mary Ciciarelli, Larry Colenzo, Verna DeStefano, Rose Epoloito, Carmie Fitzgerald, Gloria Giebler, Teresa Kingsley, Fritz Kucinski, Nona Lamica, Josephine Mangicaro, Ann McDonell, Mary Morina, Tosca Perioli, Joseph Reppi, Michael Ricciardello, Lena Sanschagrin, Jean Zaccaria.*



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### Let Us Pray

### In Loving Memory

Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her, may the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace, Amen



**Margaret M. "Penny" Young**

January 21, 2019



**Helen Kowaczyk**

February 4, 2019

Wisdom People Memorial Mass will be Friday, April 5, 2019.





"May your days be as glittery as diamonds, may your friends be as good, may your heart stay as green as emerald and may your soul remain as pure as a pearl."

- March 3 Transfiguration Parish Mardis Gras Day Polish Dinner
- March 5 Mardis Gras Day
- March 6 Ash Wednesday
- March 10 Daylight Savings Time (Spring Ahead!)
- March 16 Syracuse St. Patrick's Day Parade
- March 17 St. Patrick's Day
- March 19 St. Joseph's Day
- March 20 Spring Begins
- March 23 St. Joseph - St. Patrick's Celebration
- March 23 Nutrition and Health Expo for Seniors -  
National Nutrition Month March 2019
- April 1 April Fool's Day





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Liverpool, NY 1308  
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March 2-3 (Sat./Sun.) Philadelphia Flower Show

March 15-22 (Fri.-Fri.) Canyon Country (Arizona, Utah and Las Vegas)

April 25 (Thurs.) Journey to Corning Museum of Glass and Corning Ware Factory Outlet Store

May 6-11 (Mon.-Sat.) Ashville, NC Tour (includes Biltmore Estates)

May 14-16 (Tues.-Thurs.) Ottawa Tulip Festival

May 17-28 (Fri.-Tues.) National Parks of America

May 23 (Thurs.) Taste of New York Food Tour

May 29 (Wed.) Mystery Tour



**Join the Scarsciotti's as they travel to:**

1. Two Trees Inn at Foxwoods Casino, Mon., April 8—Tues. April 9
2. The National Shrine Basilica of our Lady of Fatima, Mon., May 13, 2019
3. The Divine Mercy Shrine in Stockbridge, MA, Mon., June 3, 2019

**Information flyers for the above trips are on the information table!**



To reserve your spot contact:

**Mary Scarsciotti at 315-437-2360.**



1. Sun., March 3rd Transfiguration Mardis Gras Polish Dinner

Transfiguration Parish Church Hall, 740 Teall Ave, Syracuse. Serving pierogis, golabki, kielbasa, vegetable, rye bread, jelly doughnuts & refreshments. Live music, drawings and breads! Cost for this happy pre-Lenten Festival is \$15/adults, \$6/children 6-12.

2. Ash Wednesday, March 6 - Masses at St. Daniel: 6:50 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 5:15 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Ashes at all Masses.

3. Sat., March 16th Syracuse St. Patrick's Day Parade beginning at 12:00 noon

4. Sat., March 23rd Celebration at St. Daniel School gym from 5:00-7:00 p.m. Shepard's pie, meatball subs, Irish soda bread, salad, cookies and beverages. Irish and Italian entertainment including step dancers, raffle baskets and 50/50 raffles. Cost is \$15.00 per person or two people for \$25.00. Children under 10 is just \$5.00, under 3 is free of charge. Proceeds to benefit Franciscan North side Ministries and the Poverello Clinic.

5. Sat., March 23rd Nutrition & Health Expo for Seniors from 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon at the CNY Regional Market "F" shed, 2100 Park Street, Syracuse. March is 2019 National Nutrition month.



# Joke of the Month

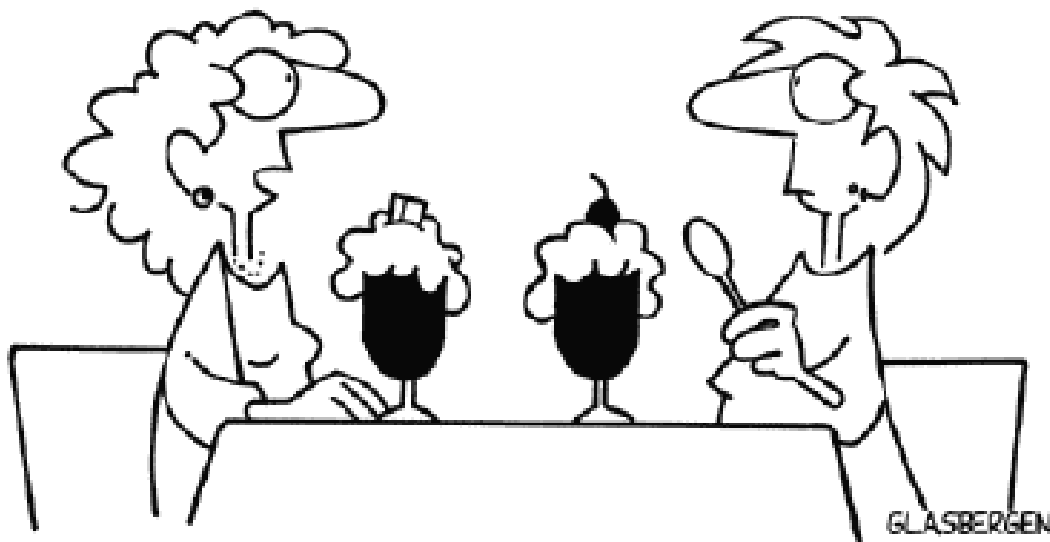


## The Power of Prayer

After starting a new diet, I altered my drive to work to avoid passing my favorite bakery. I accidentally drove by the bakery this morning and there in the window were a host of goodies!

I felt it was no accident, so I prayed, "Lord, it's up to you...if you want me to have any of those delicious, rich & creamy goodies, create a parking place for me directly in front of the bakery."

And sure enough, he answered my prayer...on my eight time around the block, there it was! Hallelujah!



**"If you put a crouton on your sundae instead of a cherry, it counts as a salad."**



# Making Spirits Bright

Last Spring we had a wonderful response to our collection of items to donate to all faiths Food Pantry (St. John the Baptist-Holy Trinity Parish). Our ministry this year will be Assumption Church Franciscan Ministries. Their wish list is printed below. We ask you to bring one or two items to the April 5th meeting. Let's make a difference in someone's life! Go boldly today and become the hands of Christ. Thank you Wisdom People, Harmony Katz and Katz Meow for your donation last year.

## Assumption Food Pantry Wish List

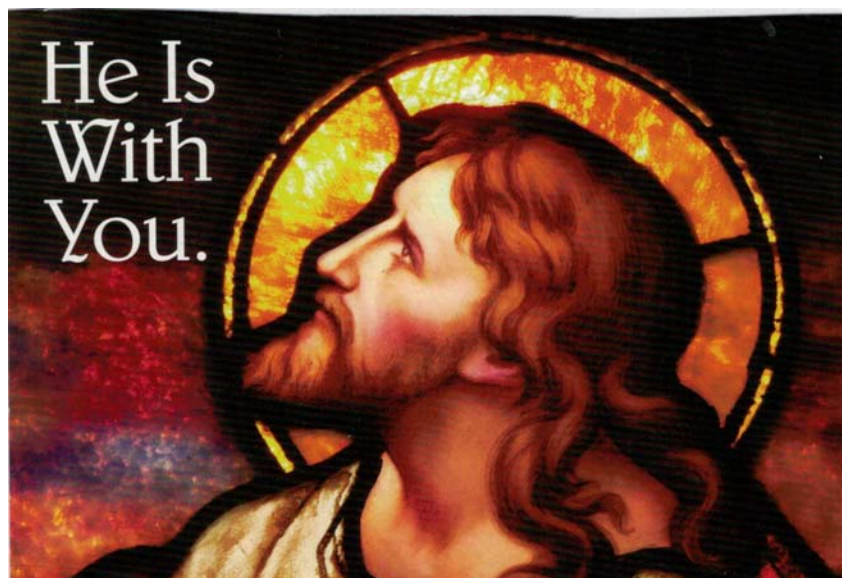
Canned tuna	Cereal	Toothbrushes
Baked Beans	Corn	Toothpaste
Canned beans	Green Beans	Hand soap
Canned meals like beef stew, ravioli, etc.	Carrots	Body soap
Peanut Butter	Instant Potatoes	Dish Soap
Hamburger/Tuna Helper	Canned tomatoes	Shampoo
Macaroni and Cheese	Spaghetti Sauce	Conditioner
Saltine Crackers	Dessert Mix	Feminine Products
Oatmeal	Frosting	Deodorant
	Canned Soups	Sponges/ scrubbies
	Condiments	Baby Diapers
	Baking ingredients (condensed milk, oil, sugar, jam, etc.)	

## Assumption Church Franciscan Ministries Wish List

Muscle pain relief cream (i.e. Bengay)	Antibiotic cream
Sugar Free cough drops	Tissues
Aspirin (325 mg)	Cough Syrup
Tylenol	Q-tips
Motrin (200 mg)	



Little words of inspiration:



A Lenten Reflection

- Give up complaining—focus on gratitude.*
- Give up pessimism—become an optimist.*
- Give up harsh judgments—think kindly thoughts*
- Give up worry—trust Divine Providence.*
- Give up discouragement—be full of hope.*
- Give up bitterness—turn to forgiveness.*
- Give up hatred—return good for evil.*
- Give up negativism—be positive.*
- Give up anger—be more patient.*
- Give up pettiness—become mature.*
- Give up gloom—enjoy the beauty that is all around you.*
- Give up jealousy—pray for trust.*
- Give up gossiping—control your tongue.*
- Give up sin—turn to virtue.*
- Give up giving up—hang in there!*