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Saints Peter & Paul Church Est. 1903 St. Anne Church Est. 1882 St. Adalbert Church Est. 1910

Three Rivers, Massachusetts

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February 27, 2011



Vigil of Sunday – 4:00 p.m. and 5:15 p.m. - **Sunday** – 8:00 a.m.(Polish) and 9:30 a.m. **Daily Masses** – 7:00 a.m. (except Tuesday) - Tuesday – Novena & Mass 5:30 p.m. **Holy Day Masses** – Refer to Mass Schedule

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**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE** – Saturday 3:00 p.m. First Friday at 6:30 p.m. **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM & HOLY MATRIMONY** – Contact Rectory to make arrangements **SACRAMENT OF THE SICK (ANOINTING)** – Contact Rectory when the need arises **SICK CALLS** – Anytime

All items for the bulletin should be submitted no later than Tuesday morning at 10:00 a.m. in order for it to be printed in the upcoming weekend bulletin (please include your name and phone number). You may email your item, drop it off at the Rectory or mail it. Note there is editorial discretion on all items. Email: <a href="mailto:stspeterpaulanne@gmail.com">stspeterpaulanne@gmail.com</a>.

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## SATURDAY, February 26th

- CCD Classes from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. for Grades K-5
- Confessions at 3:00 p.m.

#### SUNDAY, February 27th

- CCD Classes from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. for Grades 6-9
- Chalice of Strength Prayers for Priests & Vocations 4:00 p.m. in the church
- CCD Classes from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. for Grade10 in the Kolbe Room

## MONDAY, February 28th

#### TUESDAY, March 1st

- Choir Rehearsal - check with Mark Narreau, Director

### WEDNESDAY, March 2nd

- Alcoholic Anonymous - 7:00 p.m. - St. Maximilian Kolbe Room

#### THURSDAY, March 3rd

#### FRIDAY. March 4th

#### SATURDAY, March 5th

- CCD Classes from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. for Grades K-5
- Confessions at 3:00 p.m.

### SUNDAY, March 6th

- CCD Classes from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. for Grades 6-9
- Chalice of Strength Prayers for Priests & Vocations 4:00 p.m. in the church
- CCD Classes from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. for Grade10 in the Kolbe Room





## **Mass Intentions**

## <u>Saturday</u> - February 26<sup>th</sup> *Blessed Virgin Mary*

7:00 a.m. - +Mary Marciniec - Her Family

+Constantine Cioch - Her Daughter & Grandchildren

4:00 p.m. - +Frances Sawicki – John & Henrietta Wieczorek

5:15 p.m. - +Audrey Gula – Her Family

## Sunday - February 27th Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - +Kathy Vigneaux - Polish Women's Club of Three Rivers

9:30 a.m. - +Andrew Milewski - His Wife Lorraine

## Monday - February 28th

7:00 a.m. – Parishioners of Divine Mercy

#### Tuesday - March 1st

5:30 p.m. – +John Mastalerz – His Wife Sallie & Family

## Wednesday - March 2nd

7:00 a.m. – +Alice Marhelewicz – Her Son Stephen & Family

## Thursday - March 3rd St. Katharine Drexel, virgin

7:00 a.m. - +Richard & Ellen Sherlock - Stephanie Moriarty

## <u>Friday</u> - March 4<sup>th</sup> *St. Casimir* World Day of Prayer

7:00 a.m. – +Bertha Walukiewicz – Her Family

## Saturday - March 5th Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00 a.m. - For Living & Deceased Members of the Holy Rosary Sodality Group of Joann Stolar

4:00 p.m. - +Lorraine Perry ~Months Mind Mass~ Claire & Sue Rebello

+Clarence Lague and the Bobowiec & Shea Families – The Family

5:15 p.m. - +Dominick Machnik - M/M Charles Bates

+Richard Wawro – Maria & Rob Alexander

## Sunday - March 6th Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - +Helen Starzyk - Her Sister Vera Gilbert

9:30 a.m. - + Marie and Delphis Legare - Their Daughter and Family

## ~~ DIVINE MERCY SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS ~~

**Please note**: If it becomes necessary to cancel CCD due to inclement weather, it will be broadcasted on WWLP Channel 22 and on <a href="https://www.www.wwlp.com">www.wwlp.com</a>.

Saturday, February  $26^{th}$  Instructional Mass at 9:00 a.m. with Father Stefan. This is for <u>all</u>

CCD Students Grades K - 9.

Saturday, March 19th Reconciliation at 9:00 a.m.

Friday, April 1st Living Way of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. Sunday, May 15th 1st Communion at the 9:30 a.m. Mass

Any questions please call Jean Brigham at 283-4232.



#### ~~ ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT ~~

Wednesday – 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Thursday – 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday – 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Saturday – 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

If you can give one hour, or substitute, please call Diana Roth @ 283-8709

# Forgiveness "No one heals himself by wounding another." St. John Chrysostom

#### For Reflection:

" JESUS SAYS WHOEVER IS WITHOUT SIN CAN CAST THE FIRST STONE"

HOW MANY STONES WILL I CAST TODAY????

"WHOEVER SAYS THEY ARE WITHOUT SIN CALLS JESUS A LIAR!"



#### **PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS**

How blest with happiness are those who know they need God. Blest too are those who respond to God's invitation to announce His Good News as a priest, brother or sister. If you think God is calling you to that, call Fr. Gary Dailey at (413) 452-0811 or write <a href="mailto:g.dailey@diospringfield.org">g.dailey@diospringfield.org</a> Website: <a href="https://www.myvocation.com">www.myvocation.com</a>

#### ~~ DONATIONS ~~

**GENERAL FUND –** \$100 In Memory of Henry & Bernice Wawrzonek from Paul and Peggy Wawrzonek.

## SINCERE THANKS For your generosity & support of our parish God Bless All



## ~~ DIVINE MERCY NEWS ~~

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup> – 1<sup>st</sup> Communion at the 9:30 a.m. Mass

<u>Star 2010 – 2011</u> Your **February** contributions to the STAR Program may be deposited in the weekly collection basket or may be mailed to the Rectory. Please make your check payable to Divine Mercy Parish and include the applicable coupon so you will be properly credited and entered in the next drawing.

<u>WEB-SITE UPDATE</u> – Please visit our church web-site <u>www.churchofdivinemercy.org</u>. Paul Brozek is the person that updates the web-site; if you have any comments or would maybe like to see something added, please contact the Rectory. Weekly bulletin can be viewed there.

**<u>IUNIOR LECTORS</u>** are needed for Sunday Mass at 9:30. Grades 5 to 12. Boys and girls are welcome. You would be needed only once or twice a month to read. Any questions please call Cheryl Kozlik 283-2773.

**FOOD SHARE** – Please continue to assist with your donations to the Food Share program. All non-perishable items are accepted, including crackers, Jell-O, condiments, coffee, tea, jams, jellies, cake mixes, etc. Drop off donations in the box at church. *Thank you for your help!* 

Divine Mercy News...continued

## ST. CECILIA CHOIR MUSIC -

Our parish senior choir, named in honor of St. Cecilia, the patroness of music is offering Volume 2 of their hymns for sale, available now in both cassette and CD format. Vol. 2 contains English, Polish, and Latin hymns including selections from the Stern's Vespers which was sung at Forty Hours Devotions for several years at Sts. Peter & Paul Parish. Both formats are only \$5.00.

Please contact treasurer Lillian Olearczyk at 323-5912, or any choir member.

PLEASE NOTE that there are currently limited quantities of the CD version.

#### **GIRL SCOUT WEEK** is celebrated each March,

starting with Girl Scout Sunday and ending with Girl Scout Sabbath on Saturday. This year the Girl Scouts will be celebrating 99 years starting with **March 6th**. We will be recognizing Girl Scouts and Leaders at the 9:30 Mass. If you would like to participate, please meet in the sacristy, in uniform, at 9:15. If you have any questions, you can contact Pam Kosnicki @ 283-3242.

## **ANNUAL ECUMENICAL SERVICE FOR SCOUTS:**

This service will be held at the First Church of Monson, 3 High Street, Monson, MA 01057 @ 2:00 p.m. on March 13th. This service is for all scouts, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Venture Scouts. Come enjoy an afternoon of prayer, recognizing scouts who have earned their religious awards, learning about special patches the scouts and troops can earn as well as the religious medals programs, and some special surprises. There will be refreshments served. If you have any questions or if you want to recognize a scout, please contact Pam Kosnicki @ pamdkos@verizon.net or 413-283-3242.

## ~~ AROUND THE AREA ~~

**CONFESSIONS** – Every Tuesday from noon to 2:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Sacred Heart on Boston Road in Springfield. English – Polish – Spanish. This is Father Tomasz Parzynski's Parish.

**DUE TO WEATHER CONDITIONS AND DELAYS**, Cathedral High School Admission Office has postponed the Entrance Exam scheduled for **Saturday**, **January 29, 2011**. Prospective 8th grade students can register to take the Cathedral High School Entrance Exam **Saturday**, **March 5**, **2011**. The exam runs from 8:00 am -11:30 a.m. Pre registration is preferred by calling the admission office @ 413-782-5285. Don't forget! Shadow Days are running through April! Call today to spend the day with us! Cathedral High School! SCHOOL SPIRIT!

**ST. MARY'S DINNER DANCE** –St. Mary's Parish on 60 South St. in Ware will be holding their next Dinner Dance on February 26<sup>th</sup> with Lenny Gumulka as entertainment. Dinner will be served at 6:15 p.m. sharp. There will also be a 50/50 raffle and door prizes. For more info call 967-5913.

<u>TAX RETURN PREPARATION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS</u> – AARP Tax Aids will be at your local Senior Centers to prepare simple tax returns for Senior Citizens. This is a free service provided by AARP for low-income seniors. You must call your local Senior Center to make an appointment as no walk in returns are filled out. Appointments start in February and continue through April 15<sup>th</sup>. This service is for senior fcitizens only. Most senior centers define seniors as those people 60 an older.

<u>HOSPICE SERVICES OF WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS</u> - Our agency is located in Feeding Hills and services Hampden, Hampshire and Franklin Counties. We are in need of volunteers to provide services (i.e. reading, friendly visits, running errands, etc.) to our patients in their homes and Nursing Facilities. If you can help call Natasha Dymnicki (413)786-4004.

<u>IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO MAKE A RESOLUTION</u> - Resolve to improve your spiritual life by sending in your reservation to the 2011 Catholic Women's Conference. It will be held **Saturday**, **April 16, 2011** at Cathedral High School in Springfield. It will feature Sister Olga of the Eucharist – a pint sized but powerful speaker who will make you want to be a better person. The other talk will be given by national columnist and author Antoinette Bosco who has endured much but kept the faith. Log onto <a href="www.diospringfield.org">www.diospringfield.org</a> for a registration form or call 452-0812.

**OPERATION FRIENDSHIP** is sponsoring a bus trip to New York City on **Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup>**. Cost of trip is \$45/person (tip included). Bus will leave Converse Middle School at 7:00 AM

with drop off in the city. Return trip to start at 7:00 PM with pick up in the Times Square area. Payment in full MUST be received by **April 18th**.

For more information contact: Lisa at 283-8598.

#### Around the Area...continued

MARDI GRAS (ZAPUSTY) CELEBRATION - San Damiano Youth Group of the Basilica of St. Stanislaus in Chicopee invites everyone to a Mardi Gras celebration on Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the School/Parish Center. The event will feature polish and American foods, traditional Polish Paczki, and cash bar. The entertainment will be provided by The Silver Moon Band with Jerome Riley, former singer of the Platters. All proceeds will help the youth of the St. Stanislaus San Damiano Group attend World Youth Day 2011 in Spain. The cost of the event is \$15 for adults and \$10 for children 14 and under. Tickets can be purchased at the Parish Office 566 Front Street or by calling Eileen at 594-6564.



#### LENT BEGINS ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9TH

A Lenten Prayer ~ or ~ "How to Fast"

FAST from judging others ~ FEAST on the Christ indwelling in them. FAST from emphasis on differences ~ FEAST on the unity of all Life FAST from apparent darkness ~ FEAST on the reality of light FAST from words that pollute ~ FEAST on phrases that purify FAST from discontent ~ FEAST on gratitude FAST from anger ~ FEAST on patience FAST from pessimism ~ FEAST on optimism FAST from worry ~ FEAST on trust FAST from complaining ~ FEAST on appreciation FAST from negatives ~ FEAST on affirmatives FAST from unrelenting pressures ~ FEAST on unceasing prayer FAST from hostility ~ FEAST on nonviolence FAST from bitterness ~ FEAST on forgiveness FAST from self-concern ~ FEAST on compassion for others FAST from personal anxiety ~ FEAST on eternal truth FAST from discouragement ~ FEAST on hope FAST from facts that depress ~ FEAST on truths that uplife FAST from lethargy ~ FEAST on enthusiasm FAST from suspicion ~ FEAST on truth FAST from thoughts that weaken ~ FEAST on promises that inspire FAST from idle gossip ~ FEAST on purposeful silence

Gentle God, during this season of fasting and feasting, gift us with your presence so we can be a gift to others in carrying out your work....Amen.

## In Prayer We Are Never Alone

We have been discussing the need for prayer in the life of every Christian. We should state here that, though more often than not we pray by ourselves, prayer is not something we do alone. Each time we pray, whether in the privacy of our room or at church, we do so in union with God and our fellow Christians. The fact that prayer must be a dialogue tells us that it is never an isolated act. Prayer, therefore, is both individual and communal. We may pray in solitude, but we do so within the unity of believers.

Pope Benedict XVI recently touched on this theme during his weekly general audience at the Vatican. "Christian prayer, participation in Jesus' prayer is par excellence a filial experience, as attested to us in the words of the Our Father, prayer of the family – the 'we' of the children of God...Only in the 'we' can we say the Our Father." (Jan. 19, 2011).

The best example of communal prayer for Catholics, of course, is the **Holy Mass**, the Eucharistic Sacrifice. We are invited to participate, if not daily, at least once a week on the Lord's Day, i.e., Sunday or Saturday Vigil. Whether conscious of it or not, there are **four main reasons** a person comes to Mass: **to adore, to thank, to seek forgiveness from God, and to petition** (ask favors) from Him.

The first of these, adoration or worship, is the principal reason we gather to celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Though we can never repay Him, how can a believer not want to offer his/her worship to God for the redeeming death of His only Son, our Lord Jesus Christ on the Cross? Our full participation at Mass permits us to express our gratitude in joyful worship of the God Who created and saved us.

Some mistakenly think that *full participation* means we must be active or busy, e.g., functioning as a lector, extraordinary minister, server, usher, etc. But participation is first and foremost interior. With mind and heart focused at Mass, then our full attention, response, singing, reception of Communion (without mortal sin), etc. *is* participation.

Our proper and reverent posture is also participation. We do so in three ways during Mass: standing, sitting, and kneeling. Here we address the latter.

In a recent article, Fr. Andreas Hoeck, academic dean at St. John Vianney Seminary, Denver, wrote on liturgical gestures and postures. We focus here on kneeling, since that posture is so identifiable with prayer: "The kneeling posture was introduced in the liturgy principally as a sign of humble supplication, sorrow, and penance.

"In the course of time **kneeling** became more and more **a sign of profound adoration**, and this is now its predominant meaning during the Eucharistic Prayer and the consecration of the Blessed Sacrament, as well as for the adoration of the Cross."

"For individual prayer, [kneeling] is the prevalent posture. It also emphasizes the silent prayer of the community." {Homiletic & Pastoral Review, Nov. 2010, pp.48-53}

Thus, in our words--aloud or in the silence of our hearts--with others or alone with the Lord, and in our bodily posture do we fittingly enter into dialogue with the Lord in prayer. Finally, let us remember, too, that prayer demands *listening* on our part!

#### **VOTIVE LAMP INTENTIONS**

1.+Edna Burns – daughter Patty. 1.+Piotr I Anna Majka – syn. 1. Zsp. Joseph & Frances Swist - daughter. 1.+Earl McKee - wife Lydia. 1.+Frank & Mary Falk - daughter & son-inlaw. 1.+Felix & Catherine Misiaszek – son Peter & daughter-in-law. 1.+Phyllis Misiaszek – brother Peter & sister-in-law birthday - Ed 1.+Sister Josephine - Niece. 1.+St. Anne special blessings on grandchildren. 1. St. Anthony for a special favor. 1. +Joseph Misiaszek Peter & sister-in-law. 1. Zsp. Deceased members of Salamon & Marcinkiewicz families. 1. +Deceased members of Gut & Yurkunas family. 1.+Helen & Francis Ford – Pat. 1.+Rusty Nowak – wife & son. 1. Zsp. Jana Wasiuk – od zony z rodzina. 1. Thank you God, for prayers answered & continued blessings & good health - B.R. 1. God's blessing & continuing recovery for Eleanor – Charlie. 1.+Michael A. & Mary Wojnilowicz – son Michael. 1. Pray for world peace - Holy Rosary Sodality. 1. For a friend's health. 1.+Edward Ziobrowski family. 1. For all members of the military – Rosary Sodality. 1. For an end to abortion – Rosary Sodality. 1. Health for our sick parishioners – Rosary Sodality. 1. For Priestly and Religious vocations – Rosary Sodality. 1. +Darryl Tyburski – love Mom, Dad, sister Betty & brothers Tom & Ray. 1.+Edward Godek – wife Pat. 1. Health & God's blessings for Irene Orluk – Sophie. 1.+Nancy Szostek – Gloria Nowak. 1.+Kowalczyk family – family. . 1. Healing for Susan B – LJF. 1. Rest in peace Michael – LJF. 1. God's blessings & health for Edward J. Zoladz – Virginia Galuszka. 1. God's blessings & health for Natalie Boryczka – Michael Wojnilowicz. 1. God's blessing & good health for Gloria Hughes – Leokadia Wasiuk. 1. Health & God's blessing for daughter & family. 1. Healing for Lorraine P. - LIF. 1. Zsp. Franciszke I Wojciecha Frydryk – Syn. 1. Zsp. Stella I Leo Pulaski – J.F., 1. Zsp. Anne I Michala Zbylot – J.F., 1. Zsp. Edna I Frank Pytka – J.F., 1. Zsp. John I Michael Boronski – J.F., 1. Zsp. Patricia Kohler – J.F.. 1. For Mom & Dad's health – TKNE. 1. Eugene Beauchemin for a quick recovery - Ernie & Pearl Charland.1. +Bridget Wawrzonek & +Mary Lemanski -Josephine Yurkunas. 1. O Boza pomoc dla wnuczka przy zdaniu egraminow – Babci. 1. +Stanley Kawalec – Ed & Millie Jasak. 1. For successful surgery. 1. +Anthony Zieminski – wife & family. 1. For Kathie Dupre – Mom. 1. +Ann Nedeau – H.&W.. 1. God's blessing & good health for Samantha on her **11**<sup>th</sup> Birthday – Babci & family. 1. +Stephen & Sophie Noga – son Stephen. 1. +Joe Misiaszek – Cis & family. 1. God's blessings & special intentions for Karen & Family. 1. Safe travel for daughters. 1. Special intention – VS. 1. +Stefan J. Rosinski – Sallie. 1. Lord protect our home from water damage. 1. Blessed Mother – blessings & good health for daughtes & granddaughtes. 1. +Louis Zglobicki – wife & family. 1. Blessings & good health for daughter & son & their families. 1. +John Mastalerz - wife & family. 1. God's strength & healing for Lilly - Babci & Dziadziu. 1. Blessigns & good health for Jacob Mastalerz on his 8th birthday - Babci. 1. Blessigns & safe traveling for family - VS. 1. Continued good health for Ronnie K. - Paulee & Eddie. 1. + Mary Roman -V. Gilbert. 1. God's blessing for Del McClosky - Paulee & Eddie. 1. God's blessings for Tommy Kubacki - Paulee & Eddie. 1. God's blessings for Cece Misiaszek - Paulee & Eddie. 1. +Bernice Wawrzonek - Paulee & Eddie. 1. +Phyllis Charron - John & Marion. 1. +Bridgie

Wawrzonek – Ron & Cathie Izyk. 1. Health & happiness of K.T.E.N. – M.P., 1. God's blessings & health for J.J.P.B.J. - M.P.. 1. +Victor Bukowski - R.C.. 1. +husband & son - love, A. Pietrewicz. 1. +Richard Wawron – love, wife Barbara. 1. Shannon, I miss you, love Kelly. 1.+Auntie Ann Dedeau - Dean, Linda, Eric & Kelly. 1. Jesus I Trust In Thee. 1. God's blessings for June & Josie Slozak – Ruth Jamrog. 1. God's blessings for all our families. 1. God's blessings & good health for M. Birthday & T. Birthday. 1. +William Gilbert. 1. +Helen Starzyk. 1. +Eleanor Starzyk. 1. +Betty Bielaska. 1. God's blessing & good health for KDJ. 1. +Fred Mastalerz - love, Julie & Carol. 1. +Lorraine Perry - Nancy Morris. 1. +Fred Mastalerz – Pat Godek. 1. Gale Benoit – S.. 1. +Julia A. Machnik – S.. 1. Lori Vaz – S.. 1. +Jennie Vaz - S.. 1. A.J. & Joanne - S.. 1. The Lemanski family - S.. 1. +Stella Maestrone - S.. 1. +Dad Richard Wawro - love - Deb & Pete. 1. God's blessings & return to good health for Alice Smola – Rich. 1. To Pope John Paul I for good health of Blanche Wostena – children. 1. To St. Joseph for special intentions. 1. Zsp. Joseph Wostena, Jr. – wife & children. 1. +Walter Smola - wife Alice. 1. Health & God's blessings for my grandson - Babci. 1. God's blessings, good health & continued success for Rep. Todd Smola – EK&GK. 1. +Grace Kulpa – husband Ed. 1. In loving memory of Grace Kulpa – daughter Debbie. 1. God's help & guidance for my son – D.. 1. Jesus I Trust In You – family blessings of health & strength. 1. God's blessings of good health for our son. 1. For Mom & Dad's health – TKNE. 1. +Sophie & Joseph Socha – Anna.1. To St. Lucy for a special favor.1. +Stephen Lebida – Barbara Miskiewicz. 1. +Frank Miskiewicz – Barbara. 1. +Henry Stefanowich – Barbara. 1. Family health & God's blessing. 1. +Victor Bukowski – wife Frances & family. 1, God's blessings for Carly who will enter graduate school – Godmother Kathy.1. Zsp. Rodzicow Witkowskich – od corki. 1. +Travis Palermo. 1. +Ann Nedeau – Lori. 1. Living & deceased members of Lemanski & Vaz families. 1. +Genevieve Vaz – Lori. 1. God's blessings – Mickalina. 1. healing & strength. 1. +Fred & George Tyburski – family. 1. For St. Christophers guidance & protection for Father Stefan in his travels - L.R.. 1. For intentions of the prayer line - L.R.. 1. In thanksgiving to Rep. Chris Smith & other Pro Life people in government for standing up for the unborn – L.R.. 1. For healing & strength for Libby & her family – L.R.. 1. For those who die by violent means - L.R.. 1. +John Olearczyk - wife & family. 1. God's blessings & health for daughterin-law Donna. 1. Special intention for Father Stefan – S.. 1. +Edward Rudnick – family 1. +Joseph Marchelewicz – family. 1. Miracle of strength for Little Ben – Pat & Linda. 1. God's blessing & healing for Jake. 1. God's blessings for our family. 1. +Frank & Sophie Swiatlowski - family.

## **Lucky Shot**

Moses and Jesus were in a threesome playing golf one day. Moses pulled up to the tee and drove a long one. The ball landed in the fairway, but rolled directly toward a water hazard. Quickly Moses raised his club, the water parted and it rolled to the other side, safe and sound.

Next, Jesus strolled up to the tee and hit a nice long one directly toward the same water hazard. It landed right in the center of the pond and kind of hovered over the water. Jesus casually walked out on the pond and chipped the ball onto the green.

The third guy got up and sort of randomly whacked the ball. It headed out over the fence and into oncoming traffic on a nearby street. It bounced off a truck and hit a nearby tree. From there, it bounced onto the roof of a shack close by and rolled down into the gutter, down the drain spout, out onto the fairway and straight toward the aforementioned pond. On the way to the pond, the ball hit a little stone and bounced out over the water onto a lily pad, where it rested quietly. Suddenly a very large bullfrog jumped up on a lily pad and snatched the ball into his mouth. Just then, an eagle swooped down and grabbed the frog and flew away. As they passed over the green, the frog squealed with fright and dropped the ball, which bounced right into the cup for a hole in one.

Moses turned to Jesus and said, "I hate playing with your Dad."

