

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <h1>March 2017</h1>			1 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Anagrams 1:30 Jokereno 4:00 Holy Rosary Ash Wednesday	2 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Bowling 1:30 Bingo 3:45 Divine Chap./ Rosary	3 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Trivia 1:30 Scenic Ride 3:45 Stations of the Cross Adoration	4 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Family Feud 1:30 Manicures 4:00 Holy Rosary
5 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Discuss and Recall: Women Trailblazers 1:30 Scenic Ride 4:00 Holy Rosary	6 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Let's write a story 1:30 Fun w/ Gail * 3:45 Divine Chap./ Rosary	7 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Horseshoe Toss 1:30 Bingo w/ Justine 3:45 Stations of the Cross	8 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Hang Man 1:30 Sentimental Songsters 4:00 Holy Rosary	9 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Basketball Toss 1:30 Music with Joseph Milkolko 3:45 Divine Chap./ Rosary	10 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 You Be The Judge 1:30 Scenic Ride 3:45 Stations of the Cross	11 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Bowling 1:30 Penny Auction 4:00 Holy Rosary Breakfast Buffet
12 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Horse Racing 1:30 Trumpet w/ Ed 4:00 Holy Rosary <small>Purim Daylight Saving Time Begins</small>	13 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 It's Puzzling 1:30 Caesar's Casino Day 3:45 Divine Chap./ Rosary	14 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Sing Along 1:30 Bingo w/ Justine 3:45 Stations of the Cross	15 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Anagrams 1:30 Movie Matinee 4:00 Holy Rosary	16 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Velcro Toss 11:30 St. Patrick's Luncheon 1:30 Mystery Auction 3:45 Divine Chap./ Rosary	17 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Scattergoires 1:30 Scenic Ride 3:45 Stations of the Cross <small>St. Patrick's Day</small>	18 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Spring Art 1:30 Manicures 4:00 Holy Rosary
19 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Travel Time: You can't go there! 1:30 HSHS Musical Beauty and the Beast 4:00 Holy Rosary	20 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Trivia 1:30 Fun w/ Gail * 3:45 Divine Chap./ Rosary	21 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Beanbag Toss 1:30 Bingo w/ Justine 3:45 Stations of the Cross	22 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Hang Man 1:30 State Trivia Bingo 4:00 Holy Rosary	23 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Luncheon to Shore Diner 1:30 Movie Matinee 3:45 Divine Chap./ Rosary	24 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Deal or No Deal 1:30 Scenic Ride 3:45 Stations of the Cross	25 9:30 Holy Mass 10:00 Silly Sentences 1:30 Resident Council 4:00 Holy Rosary
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• All Activities are subject to change.

Villa News March 2017

Lenten Prayer Schedule

Sunday: Holy Rosary

Monday: Chaplet of Divine Mercy/ Rosary

Tuesday: Stations of the Cross

Wednesday: Holy Rosary

Thursday: Chaplet of Divine Mercy/
Rosary

Friday: Stations of the Cross

Birthdays

Frances Burleson 1st

Kathleen Brunetti 5th

Mary Swanick 24th

Agatha Loflin 24th

Anniversaries

Regina Larkin

Eleanor Colona

Concetta Hair

Lorraine Duffield

Rosalie McTague

Famous Birthdays

Liza Minnelli (entertainer) – March 12,
1946

Jerry Lewis (comedian) – March 16,
1926

Diana Ross (singer) – March 26, 1944

March's Full Moon

The full moon of March is known by a few names. Some refer to it as the worm moon because, as the temperature begins to warm and the ground begins to thaw, earthworms appear, heralding the return of the robins. Others call it the full crow moon because the cawing of crows signals the end of winter.

Irish Prayer

May God give you,
for every storm, a rainbow,
For every tear, a smile,
For every care, a promise,
And a blessing in each trial.
For every problem life sends,
a faithful friend to share
For every sigh, a sweet song,
And an answer for each prayer.

In the Good Old Days of March

Fifty years ago, the average annual income was \$8,801. The average cost of a new house was \$24,600. A loaf of bread was 22¢, and a gallon of milk was \$1.15. Stamps were 5¢ each. A car cost \$2,425, and gas was 33¢ per gallon.

March Around the World

We've all heard that March "comes in like a lion and goes out like a lamb," but in Scotland, they say it a little differently: "March comes in with adders' heads and goes out with peacocks' tails."

Mary's Corner

I came across this poem and it made me realize how close we are to spring.

“Winds of March, we welcome you,
there is work for you to do.
Work and play and blow all day,
blow the winter winds away.”

The flower for March is the daffodil so on your scenic rides start looking for these flowers for this is a sure sign of spring. In many cultures and religions, the daffodil is a symbol of rebirth, new beginnings, and future posterities. They also mean love, hope, joy, and respect. Here is a superstition surrounding daffodils: If you step on one, it will bring you bad luck; however, if you carefully avoid stepping on a daffodil you will be rewarded with good fortune.

There have been many nights in the dining room I have heard it said “I hate eating dinner when it is dark outside.” Well daylight saving time is March 12th. March First is Ash Wednesday, the start of the Lenten Season. The first day of spring is March 20th, and March 17th is Saint Patrick's Day.

Many Irish would be appalled to learn that corn beef and cabbage is a traditional Saint Paddy's Day dish, for no self-respecting Irishman would eat such a dish. In Ireland, beef was reserved for kings and pork was the common meat. . It wasn't until the beef-loving English conquered Ireland that beef cows populated Ireland's green pastures. Ireland eventually grew so influential in the cattle industry that England passed the Cattle Acts of 1663 and 1667, prohibiting the import of live cattle from Ireland. Ireland then began curing its beef for export, using massive salt crystals the size of corn kernels. This Irish “corned beef,” as it came to be known, was so popular that it supplied both the British and French navies. Despite the wealth of Ireland's corned beef trade, common Irish could not afford their corned beef. They relied on bacon. When they migrated to America and found better paying jobs they could finally afford corned beef, but not Irish corned beef but Jewish corned beef. I hope you enjoyed your Jewish corned beef dinner.

For the record did you know that Vikings did not wear horns on their helmets? Vikings in fact looked well-manicured. Archeologists have uncovered combs, tweezers and nail cleaners from Viking sites and records show that Vikings took great pain to comb and wash their hair, beards, and mustaches.

March 14th is learn about butterfly day. You are not expected to know all about 20,000 types of butterflies. The Queen Alexandra Bird Winged Butterfly found in New Zealand rainforest, has the wingspan of one foot. When sitting out in the garden, look around for butterflies. And in that time enjoy our spring weather. See you next month.

Mary Pres.