

# What are you doing for Lent this year?

*The 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Lenten Series – “Holy Men and Women of Modern Times”*

*The lives and ministry of men and women saints or on the road to sainthood, who lived among us in modern times*

**All sessions will take place at 7:30 p.m.**

*Monday, March 6<sup>th</sup>*

## **St. André Bessette & St. Maximilian Kolbe**

Fr. Seán Paul Fleming will speak on **St. André Bessette & St. Maximilian Kolbe** who both lived a life of “Persecution to Perseverance”.  
Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, 4375 Harris Hill Rd.,  
Williamsville, 14221

*Monday, March 13<sup>th</sup>*

## **St. Marianne Cope**

Sr. Patricia Burkard of the Sisters of St. Francis and designated spokeswoman for St. Marianne’s cause will speak about the life and works of **St. Marianne Cope**.  
Our Lady of Peace Church, 10950 Main St., Clarence, 14031

*Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup>*

## **Blessed Oscar Romero**

Rev. William Wipfler of the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York, will speak about **Blessed Oscar Romero**, a personal friend and who he celebrated mass with the day before his assassination, March 24, 1980.  
St. Aloysius Gonzaga Church, 157 Cleveland Dr., Cheektowaga, 14215

*Monday, March 27<sup>th</sup>*

## **Fr. Nelson Baker**

Msgr. Paul Burkard, pastor of Our Lady of Victory Basilica and vice-postulator for his cause for sainthood, will speak about the life **Fr. Nelson Baker**.  
St. John the Baptist Church, 1085 Englewood Ave, Kenmore

*Monday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>*

## **St. John XXIII**

Rev. Robert Mock will speak on the life and works of Angelo Roncalli, more commonly known as **Saint John XXIII**  
St. Andrew’s – Msgr. Donovan Center, 1525 Sheridan Dr., Buffalo, NY 14217

*Why give up something for Lent when you can do something positive  
for your spiritual life?*

*No cost! No reservations required! Come and bring a friend!*

*Refreshments Served!*

*Sponsored by the parishes in the Northern Erie Vicariate*