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OF LISIEUX

THE BULLETIN

February 26, 2023
THE 1ST SUNDAY IN LENT



HOW CAN I
LEAN ON GOD
IN TIMES OF TEMPTATION?

#CONNECTINGPOINT

MUSINGS + MESSAGES

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A few days ago, we began the Great Season of Lent. Ashes were imposed upon our heads and we were admonished to do works of penance and service and atone for our sins. At the same time however, we are not to let anyone know what we are doing. Only God should be aware of our self-sacrifice.

The world doesn't want us to sacrifice. The world wants us to indulge. "Eat, drink, and be merry," is the way of society. No one, not even Jesus, is immune from the temptation to please oneself. It's natural to look out for number one and put ourselves first. Yet when we do that, we run the danger of going too far and

falling into sin.

The responsorial psalm for today, Psalm 51, is one of my favorites. The line that is most telling for me is "my sin is before me always." We know our sins; we know those things that tempt us to sin. However, God invites us to renew his spirit within us so that

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Connecting Point

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► How can I lean on God in times of temptation?

In today's Gospel Jesus has just been baptized and hears a voice from heaven: "You are my Son, my Beloved, in whom I am well pleased." The Spirit then leads him into the desert to be tempted by the devil. He is tempted three times. Each temptation urges him to act against who he is as a Beloved Son, and the kind of messiah he was called to be. Leaning on the Spirit, he is given the strength to resist the temptations, and eventually send the Devil away.

We too are often tempted to act contrary to who we are as a child beloved by God, as a follower of Christ, and as the person of integrity we want to be before God, our family, and the community.

In my experience, temptation often seems to be lying in wait for me.

It is there before I am, and it acts quickly. Looking back after giving into the temptation, I feel that I was led astray. It happened too fast.

It seems to me that what we need to do in times of temptation is to put on the brakes and slow things down. Stop and think of just who we are as a beloved child of God and a person of integrity. Then lean on God by going to that place deep inside of us where we have developed a close relationship with him. Open ourselves to the Spirit, which will give us the strength to say "NO" to the temptation.

In the words of the popular song "Lean on Me," in times of temptation, when we "are not strong," we can "lean on" God, and God will help us "carry on."



► Musings + Messages (cont'd)

we have the strength to ward off temptation and evil and continue on the path of holiness. Last week we were told to be perfect (or holy) as God is perfect (and holy). The way that we become more perfect is by leaning on God, especially when times are tenuous, the way isn't clear, or we are confused.

The devil came to Jesus when he was at his weakest after fasting for 40 days. We often are tempted when we are at our weakest as well. That is the time that we should lean on God the most.

I encourage you to participate in the various events at our parish

and in our family during this Lenten season. Allow yourself the opportunity to be spiritually renewed and challenged, especially as you sacrifice and engage in more prayer during this holy time.

Have a great week.



“AMEN, I SAY TO YOU, TODAY YOU WILL BE WITH ME IN PARADISE.”

The 2nd Word - Salvation

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Now one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus, saying, “Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us.” The other, however, rebuking him, said in reply, “Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation? And indeed, we have been condemned justly, for the sentence we received corresponds to our crimes, but this man has done nothing criminal.” Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.” He replied to him, “Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise.”

Luke 23:39-43

The good thief, known as St. Dismas, shows us the power of conversion. Along with its reward. A convicted thief, St. Dismas presumably did not lead the most holy life. Yet as he hung alongside Jesus, his eyes were opened to the presence of God. With his final dying breaths, he proclaimed Jesus as Lord of all creation. Jesus recognizes this act of faith and affirms to St. Dismas that he will join him in heaven.

The promise of God's kingdom is so great. St. Dismas realized this as he was at the side of Jesus. During Lent, when we find time to be present with Jesus, we're reminded of the beautiful gift of our salvation and our call to bring God's kingdom to earth, as it is

in heaven.

Jesus's words remind us that no matter how many times you've sinned, or how long it's been since you prayed, God is always looking to forgive you. Listen to the 2-minute audio preview on Hallow at <https://hallow.com/prayers/1005513>. Extended audio (5-, 7- and 10-minutes versions) and text meditations, including writings from various Saints, is available to Hallow subscribers. For those who are not subscribers, you can sign up for a free 30-day trial at <https://hallow.com/>.

Text and graphics from Hallow Catholic Prayer and Meditation Website-
<https://hallow.com/>.

► K of C Fish Fries

The Knights of Columbus Fish Fries began this past Friday and hopefully many of our parishioners stopped by to get a great fish, shrimp, or mac & cheese dinner.

For the safety of everyone in the

busy parking lot, please follow the posted signs and directions of the Knights directing traffic. Entrance to the Fish Fry is restricted to the south entrance, by Msgr. Kasza's house, while the north entrance, by Bickford Assisted Living, will be

restricted to those exiting the Fish Fry.

Visit St. Therese each Friday for a great dinner at a reasonable price.

► Fish Fry Delivery for the Homebound

St. Therese of Lisieux will be hosting their annual Fish Fry Dinners. The Fish Fries will be held every Friday from February 24 - March 31. For those parishioners and community who are homebound and unable to attend the Fish Fry Dinners, there will be parish and community volunteers delivering the meals starting March 3. The dinners will include Fried or

Baked Fish (\$13 donation), Fried Shrimp (\$13 donation), or Macaroni and Cheese (\$7 donation).

If you would like to place an order for a dinner and are homebound, please contact the St. Therese Office Secretary at (586) 254-4433 or Marilyn Cito, Parish Nurse, at (586) 254-4433 Ext #320 or email Marilync@stol.church prior to the

date of the dinner you wish to be delivered. Please make sure you speak with someone to ensure we get your order.

If you are interested in volunteering to drive the meals to the homebound, please contact Marilyn Cito at 586-254-4433 Ext. 320.

► Women's Capuchin Retreat

God is always ready to encounter you. Are you ready to encounter God? Please join us Friday evenings, March 31 through Sunday afternoon, April 2 (ends after Mass and noon meal).

Join other women from St. Therese for a quiet weekend at the Capuchin Retreat House located on 95 acres of beautiful grounds in Washington Twp. Enjoy a private room with a shower and five great meals. The suggested donation is \$250. The theme for the 2022-2023 season is "Living the Lord's Prayer." The retreat conference is inspired by scriptural passages,



Franciscan Capuchin Tradition, and the reflections of Pope Francis, offering a wonderful opportunity to reflect upon the words and spirituality of the Lord's Prayer so that we dare not only to PRAY, but also to LIVE within this prayer.

Please join us so we can pray with Jesus, like Jesus, and rediscover the riches of being God's beloved children. For info or to register, contact: Diane Kuptz (586) 747-3591 or at dkuptz04@comcast.net.



Our 1-6th grade catechism students will be assembling Blessing Bags for those in need. You can help by donating any of the following items by March 31, 2023. Drop items off in the bin outside the parish office. Thank you in advance for helping our young people learn the value of service while helping those in need!

- Small, bottled waters or gatorades
- Gallon-size zippered bags
- Pocket-size tissues
- Lip balm
- Travel-sized personal care items including shampoo, lotion, sanitizer, bars of soap, sunscreen, hand wipes, toothbrushes, dental floss, deodorant, combs or brushes
- Men's or Women's socks
- Packs of gum
- Individually wrapped protein bars
- Individually wrapped, small packets of trail mix, nuts or non-perishable snacks of any kind
- Packets of water enhancer
- Individually wrapped hard candies or cough drops
- Inexpensive sunglasses
- New wash cloths
- \$5 gift cards to places such as Dollar Tree, Walmart, Kroger, Tim Horton's, McDonald's, Subway, Taco Bell, etc.

Thank you for your generosity.
Questions: juliel@stol.church

► Priestly Vocations

Hello,

My name is Fr. Craig Giera, and I am the Director of Priestly Vocations for the Archdiocese of Detroit. You may have heard that we have a vocation crisis going on in our world, but that's not exactly true. God has not stopped calling men to the priesthood. Rather, we have a hearing problem or a listening problem. Because this world is so loud and noisy, men aren't hearing God's generous offer to become a priest. And because of that, that means less priests serve you.



In just ten years, here in the Archdiocese of Detroit, there is going to be half the number of active priests than serving today. That means less Masses being said, less confessions being heard, priests not there to be able to celebrate in the joys, and to be with you there through the struggles. I don't say this to cause despair, but rather to stir up that gift of hope that was given to us at our baptism, that theological virtue that says we have already won in Christ. God will provide the grace that we need to accept this challenge. Yet, we need to do our part.

Our response is prayer. Prayer is powerful and not a consolation prize. At the Holy Thursday Chrism Mass, Archbishop Vigneron announced that the Archdiocese of Detroit will engage in a Year of Prayer for Priestly Vocations beginning on June 4 (the Vigil of Pentecost) and concluding on May 28, 2023 (the Solemnity of Pentecost). This Year of Prayer will be a time for everyone in the Archdiocese — priests, deacons, religious, and laity — to come to understand and embrace our need to be united in prayer, working toward a culture that fosters and celebrates vocations to the priesthood. The Archbishop has requested we do this in four easy ways. First, pray the official prayer as often as possible, especially consider doing so during the weekend Masses. Second, to offer up holy hours for the intention of more priestly vocations in our Archdiocese. Prayer cards and holy hour booklets can be ordered at prayforvocations.com, which is the official landing page for this Year of Prayer and offers a great deal of resources. Third, to fast and pray on Fridays, but especially on first Friday's in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Lastly, to add in the

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CALENDAR

FEBRUARY 26 - MARCH 5

SUN 26

9:00 AM OFFICE HOURS
 8 AM MASS
 9:40 AM LITTLE LAMBS
 9:45 AM MASS/
 CHILDREN'S CHURCH
 11:40 AM LITTLE LAMBS
 11:45 AM MASS/
 CHILDREN'S CHURCH /
 FIRST COMMUNION: RITE
 OF ENROLLMENT
 1 PM THE SEARCH

MON 27

9:30 AM STRETCH &
 STRENGTH
 2 PM ROSARY
 5 PM GROW GRADES 1-6
 5 PM MISSION GRADES 7-8
 6:30 PM GROW GRADES
 1-6
 6:30 PM MISSION GRADES
 7-8

TUE 28

8:30 AM MASS
 9:30 AM WHAT WE
 BELIEVE
 1 PM GRIEF SUPPORT
 5 PM MISSION GRADES 7-8
 6:30 PM GROW GRADES
 1-6
 6:30 PM MISSION GRADES
 7-8

WED 1

8:30 AM MASS
 9:30 AM STRETCH &
 STRENGTH
 10 AM LITTLE WAY
 ROSARY MAKERS
 5:30 PM CHOIR REH
 6 PM K OF C OFFICERS
 MTG
 6:30 PM FAITH, FUN AND
 FRIENDS
 7:30 PM K OF C
 MEMBERSHIP MTG

THU 2

9:00 AM OFFICE HOURS
 8:30 AM MASS
 9 AM EUCHARISTIC
 ADORATION
 9:30 AM RAMBLING ROSES
 11 AM DENTAL CONDITION
 PRESENTATION
 3 PM CONFESSIONS
 7 PM THE SEARCH
 7 PM K OF C FISH FRY
 SET-UP

FRI 3

OFFICE CLOSED
 8:30 AM MASS
 9:30 AM STRETCH &
 STRENGTH
 4 PM K OF C FISH FRY
 7 PM STATIONS OF THE
 CROSS

SAT 4

3:00 PM OFFICE HOURS
 10 AM FIRST
 COMMUNION
 WORKSHOP
 4:30 PM MASS

SUN 5

9:00 AM OFFICE HOURS
 8 AM MASS
 9:45 AM MASS/
 CHILDREN'S CHURCH
 11:40 AM LITTLE LAMBS
 11:45 AM MASS/
 CHILDREN'S CHURCH
 1 PM THE SEARCH

► Walking the Path

Discipleship Formation | 👤 Peggy Casing, D.F. Director 📧 peggyc@stol.church

Last week, I wrote about hearing of the wonderful things that have happened in the lives of individuals who strive to listen to the Spirit. That act of listening to the Holy Spirit is often called “discernment.” Here, it isn’t the idea of “class,” refinement or discriminating taste that I am referring to. Instead, I am talking about the idea of making the effort to perceive God’s presence and will for our lives. I hesitate to jump into “churchy” words, though, because when we do, it can make things that are easy and natural seem unobtainable and far too “holy” for us, “regular” folks. Hopefully, this explanation provides you with a doable technique for deepening your faith and guiding your path of discipleship.

While discernment of God’s will is helpful, dare I say, needed in making big decisions, I’d like to focus on the process of reviewing each day in the light of faith. This effort of taking time, in thankful reflection

on our day, is called the “Daily Examen.” Brought to us by Ignatius of Loyola (b. Oct. 23, 1491, d. July 31, 1556), it is a lovely way of shaping our evening prayer in a way that it can positively impact our lives. The steps of the Daily Examen are: 1. Ask God for light – I want to look at my day with God’s eyes, not merely my own. 2. Give thanks – The day I have just lived is a gift from God. Be grateful for it. 3. Review the day – I carefully look back on the day just completed, being guided by the Holy Spirit (the Spirit of Truth and Love). 4. Face your shortcomings – I face up to what is wrong—in my life and in me. 5. Look toward the day to come – I ask where I need God in the day to come.

Here is a short example of how you could approach the task of daily discernment: First of all, calm yourself down from the business of the day. Breathe: Take a breath, and become aware that you are in the presence of God. (All creation

comes from God, and our living and breathing are because of our Creator.) Say: “I am especially grateful for this, person, place, situation or thing that happened today. Think: “In reviewing my day, where have I experienced troubling thoughts, or true joy? What has challenged me? Where have I paused today to take a breath? Have I noticed God’s presence in any of this?” Respond: Take the time to come to some sort of actionable step by considering, “In light of my review, what is my response to God? Are there places where I need to change things or step up?” Finally, take a look at tomorrow. Is there something that you’d change? Is there something that you should do tomorrow to live in the light of Christ and His teachings? There you go! That’s it! If you’d like to try something new for your walk of discipleship, or you just want to spruce up your prayer life, consider giving the Examen a try.

► Priestly Vocations (cont’d)

intention of more priestly vocations to all your rosaries, public and private. The Luminous Mysteries are great for this and I myself have committed to saying the Luminous Mysteries everyday for this purpose. Our Blessed Mother knows what we need and she will purify our intentions and bring them before Jesus.

Our second response is to encourage and invite our grandsons, sons, nephews— someone in our life that we think has the characteristics

to make a good and holy priest. It would be great to sit them down and make it a sacred moment, a special moment. Saying, “I believe you would make a good priest. I’ll pray with you on that. I’ll be here for you.” You would be a St. Barnabas to them, one who offers encouragement! I’m so excited to share with you our website at www.detroitpriestlyvocations.com. In it, you’ll find many resources that will help support priestly vocations. There are also many resources for men who are discerning the call to

the priesthood. Check out our new podcast, “Men of the Hearts;” we talk to priests about their vocation stories. Brothers and sisters, St. Paul reminds us that hope does not disappoint because the love of Christ has been poured forth into our hearts. Together let us hope, but also to pray, invite, and encourage young men to consider the priesthood. I’m so happy to be here with you this week to pray for more vocations. God bless.

EVENTS



FRIDAYS | THROUGH MARCH 31 | 4-7 PM

FISH FRY

Dine-in, drive-thru, or carry out. Fried or baked fish (\$13), shrimp dinner (\$13); both include french fries or a baked potato or Mac & Cheese, tossed salad or coleslaw, corn or mixed vegetables, and a roll. Mac & Cheese dinner (\$7) includes

french fries, tossed salad or coleslaw, corn or mixed vegetables, and a roll. 50/50 Raffle (need not be present to win).

Sponsored by St. Therese of Lisieux Knights of Columbus Council # 11957 • Cash, check or credit cards accepted; price includes sales tax • Allergy warning - fish and shellfish may come in contact with one another during cooking.



FRIDAYS | THROUGH MAR 31 | 7 PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross are every Friday during Lent at 7:00 PM. You can also take advantage of our

outdoor stations and go on a self-guided prayer walk.



MAR - APR

LENTEN COMMUNAL PENANCE

Tues, Mar 21 / 7 PM / St. Lawrence
 Thurs, Mar 23 / 7 PM / St. Therese of Lisieux
 Sat, Mar 25 / 11 AM / St. Kieran
 Mon, Mar 27 / 7 PM / St. John Vianney
 Mon, Apr 3 / 7 PM / St. Isidore



THURS | MAR 2 | 11 AM

DENTAL CARE FOR SENIORS

St. Therese of Lisieux will be hosting a one-hour presentation by Dr. Michelle Dziurgot, D.D.S. (immediately after the Rambling Roses meeting) on Dental Care for Seniors. A light lunch will be

provided. RSVP to the Parish Office at (586) 254-4433 or Marilyn Cito, Parish Nurse at (586) 254-4433 Ext. #320 or via email at Marilync@stol.church.



MON | MAR 6 | 7 PM

ARMOR OF GOD MEN'S GROUP

The next session of Kapaun's Men Virtue Video Series about Mercy will be on March 6 at 7:00 PM in the Divine Mercy Room.

Remaining dates: March 20 - Faith, April 3 - Hope, April 17 - Love, May 1 - Courage, May 15 - Mission.



THURS | MAR 16 | 10AM

BOOK CLUB: MOTHER ANGELICA

Join us as we discuss *Mother Angelica on Suffering and Burnout*, by Mother Angelica. We meet in the

Divine Mercy Room and are happy to have new members! Drop in for one book or the whole line up!



SAT | MAR 18 | 9 AM

DESERT ANGELS PROJECT

Change our world with one Miracle Box at a time! Through the *Desert Angels Program*, we will be collecting and packaging items to boost morale and encourage our soldiers who are serving overseas. Join us to package

these boxes and show the soldiers we support them.

Needed items should be returned by March 14. Learn more at disciplesunleashed.org.



SAT | MAR 25 | 10 AM

EASTER EGG HUNT AND BUNNY BREAKFAST

Join us on the parish grounds at 10 AM sharp for a family-friendly Easter Egg Hunt. Bring your camera and a basket to hold the eggs. Save room for a pancake breakfast, games,

and fun immediately following in the Social Hall. The Easter Bunny will stop by for a visit and photos. This is a family event and children Preschool-6th grade are welcome.

► Older Adult Oral Care

Health Ministry | 👤 Marilyn Cito, Parish Nurse 📧 marilync@stol.church

By 2060, according to the US Census, the number of US adults aged 65 years or older is expected to reach 98 million, 24% of the overall population. Older Americans with the poorest oral health tend to be economically disadvantaged, lack insurance, ethnic minorities, smokers over the age of 50, disabled, homebound, or in a nursing home. Many older Americans do not have dental insurance due to loss of benefits upon retirement and the federal Medicare program's lack of routine dental care coverage. Advancing age puts many seniors at risk for a number of oral health problems, such as:

- Untreated tooth decay. Nearly all adults (96%) aged 65 years or older have had a cavity; 1 in 5 have untreated tooth decay.
- Darkened teeth. Caused by changes in dentin (bone-like tissue underneath the tooth enamel) and thinning of the outer enamel layer that results from consuming stain-causing foods/drinks.
- Dry mouth. Caused by reduced saliva flow, which occurs with certain diseases and medication side effects. Reduced saliva flow also increases the risk of cavities.
- Diminished sense of taste. Advancing age, diseases, medications, and dentures can contribute to diminished sense of taste.
- Root decay. Caused by exposure of the tooth root to decay-causing acids. When tooth roots become exposed as gum tissue recedes, the roots do not have any enamel to protect them and are more prone to decay than the crown part of the tooth.
- Gum disease. A high percentage of older adults have gum disease. About 2 in 3 (68%) adults aged 65 years or older have gum disease.
- Tooth loss. Nearly 1 in 5 adults aged 65 or older have lost all of their teeth. Gum disease is the leading cause of tooth loss. Complete tooth loss is twice as prevalent among adults aged 75 and older (26%) compared with adults aged 65-74 (13%). Missing teeth or wearing dentures can affect nutrition since people without teeth, or with dentures, often prefer soft, easily chewable foods, instead of foods like fresh fruits and vegetables.
- Uneven jawbone. Missing teeth cause the rest of the teeth to drift and shift into open spaces.
- Denture-inflammation. Caused by ill-fitting dentures, poor dental hygiene, or a buildup of fungus (*Candida albicans*) can cause inflammation of tissue under dentures.
- Thrush. Diseases or drugs that affect the immune system can trigger an overgrowth of fungus (*Candida albicans*) in the mouth.
- Oral cancer. Cancers of the



mouth occur mostly in older adults, with the average age around 62.

- Chronic disease. People with chronic diseases such as arthritis, diabetes, heart diseases, and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) are more likely to develop gum disease, but less likely to get dental care than adults without these chronic conditions.

On Thursday, March 2, 2023, from 11:00am-12:00pm (after the Rambling Roses meeting), Dr. Michelle Dziurgot, D.D.S. will present a lecture on Dental Conditions for Seniors. A light luncheon will be provided. Please RSVP to the Parish Office at 586-254-4433 or Marilyn Cito, Parish Nurse at 586-254-4433 #Ext. 320 or via email at Marilync@stol.church.

Reference:
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► Pray for Those Serving in the Military

SrA Thomas Barone, Air Force
 2nd Lt., Michaela Biske Army
 PVT Jonathan Bulter, Marine
 HM1 Christopher Burley, Navy
 SGT Andrew Chapoton, Army
 Michael Chmielewski, Navy
 Lt. Col. John Cisco, Marines
 Major Anthony D. Corsi, Army
 Leonard Cox, Army
 Ranger Nic Cucchiara, Army
 SGT Christian Jose Curtis, Army
 LCPL Matthew DeLaney, Marine
 Jerry Delia, Airforce
 PVT David Dimattia, Army
 PVT Jacob Earehart, Army
 Ensign Matthew Gordon, Navy
 LT David Grzywacz, Navy
 Andrew Hall, Navy
 PFC Killian Hannon, Army
 CPT. Megan K. Hardesty, Army
 Staff Sgt. Andrew Herig, Army
 Robert Kaljved, Army
 LT. COL. Chris Kean, AF
 Andrew Larsen, Marines
 Lt. Jonathon Larson
 Zoe Lowe, Army
 MSGT Eric McCulley, AF
 Captain James Miller, Space Force
 Nick Radwick, AF
 Staff Sgt. Drew Reynolds, AF
 Derek Skorupski, Army
 CPL. Nathan Taylor, Marine
 CPT Keith Trojniak, Marines
 Dante Vanuck, Army
 SFC Cally Wood, Army
 SFC Olivia Wood, Army
 Andrew Zalewski, Navy
 SGT Bill Zatek

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Give us peace. Amen

Ministry Schedule

SAT | MAR 4
4:30 PM

Lector 1: Iolanda Agazzi

Lector 2: Erin Lenzini

Altar Servs: As Assigned

Usher Team 8: Dean Corsi

SUN | MAR 5
8:00 AM

Lector 1: Marilyn Kylmala

Lector 2: Michelle Dziurgot

Altar Servs: As Assigned

Usher Team 5: Dennis Westerlund

SUN | MAR 5
9:45 AM

Lector 1: Larry Slabosz

Lector 2: Larry Slabosz

Altar Servs: As Assigned

Usher Team 6: Jack Somonetta

SUN | MAR 5
11:45 AM

Lector 1: Norma DiGregorio

Lector 2: Fiorino DiGregorio

Altar Servs: As Assigned

Usher Team 7: Art Wilson

► Mass Intentions

SAT. FEB 25 4:30 PM

For the Intentions in our Prayer Box

- † Alfred Saam
- † Maureen Karges (2nd Anniv)
- † Elmer Karges (30th Anniv)
- † Joe Basirico
- † Joe Martino
- † Mary Louise Klatt
- † Peter Casanova (1st Anniv)

SUN. FEB 26 8:00 AM

For the Intentions in our Prayer Box

- † Georgette Hart
- † Tom Westerlund
- Intentions for the Franzese Family
- † Mary Louise Edwards
- Glenn Gula
- † Phillip DeChambeau

SUN. FEB 26 9:45 AM

For the Intentions in our Prayer Box

- † Carmine Russo
- † Jess Weaver
- † Eugene Minchella (25th Anniv)
- † Patrick Marki
- † Marki Family
- † Rita Saigh
- † David Chaney

SUN. FEB 26 11:45 AM

For the Intentions in our Prayer Box

- † James Blaisdell, Jr.
- † Joe DiSanto (9yrs)
- † Grace Perez
- † Antonina Fazzolari (1st Anniv)
- † Raymond Mackin
- † Theresa & Edward Mazuchowski

TUES. FEB 28 8:30 AM

Vocations to the Priesthood &
Religious Life

- † Ken Dekoski (3rd Anniv)
- † Fredrik King
- † Brian Fraser

WED. MAR 1 8:30 AM

ASH WEDNESDAY

- † Fr. James Wysocki
- Diana Pazdzierz

THURS. MAR 2 8:30 AM

- † Hub Kraemer
- † Fredrik King
- Intentions of the Fraser Family

FRI. MAR 3 8:30 AM

- † Jerry Kennedy

SAT. MAR 4 4:30 PM

- † Anthony DeBord
- † Lois Dekoski (Bday)
- † Alfred Saam
- † Joe Basirico
- † George Majchrzak
- † Sadie Vieira Quinn
- † Lolanda Peticca
- † Marlene Romig

SUN. MAR 5 8:00 AM

- † Michael Perry
- † Kathryn Humenny
- † Mr. Marroso
- † Carmen Baffo, Jr (12th Anniv)

SUN. MAR 5 9:45 AM

- † Giovanni Iulianelli
- † Zofia Zajdell
- † Dorothy Kondrat
- Fr. Ron Essman (Bday)
- † Gus VanRyckeghem (10th Anniv)
- † Timothy F. Roche
- † George Ivezaj
- † Zef Ivezaj

SUN. MAR 5 11:45 AM

- † Martin Gjolaj
- † Robert J. Kneebone, Jr. (Bday)
- † Urbano Espinosa
- † Mary Jo Marchione
- † Kenneth Ciaciuch
- † Frank Lucente (1st Anniv)
- † Jess Weaver
- † Drane Bojaj

Readings

SUNDAY

Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7;
Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17;
Rom 5:12-19;
Mt 4:1-11

MONDAY

Lv 19:1-2, 11-18;
Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15;
Mt 25:31-46

TUESDAY

Is 55:10-11;
Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-19;
Mt 6:7-15

WEDNESDAY

Jon 3:1-10;
Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19;
Lk 11:29-32

THURSDAY

Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25;
Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8;
Mt 7:7-12

FRIDAY

Ez 18:21-28;
Ps 130:1-7a, 7bc-8;
Mt 5:20-26

SATURDAY

Dt 26:16-19;
Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8;
Mt 5:43-48

SUNDAY

Gn 12:1-4a;
Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22;
2 Tm 1:8b-10;
Mt 17:1-9

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