



# The Journey



## Gospel Snippets

## Saints of the Month

**February 4, 2018** - Simon and those who were with him pursued him and on finding him said, "Everyone is looking for you." He told them, "Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come." So he went into their synagogues, preaching and driving out demons throughout the whole of Galilee.

*Mark 2:36-39*

**February 11, 2018** - A leper came to him [and kneeling down] begged him and said, "If you wish you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." The leprosy left him immediately, and he was made clean.

*Mark 1:40-42*

**February 18, 2018** - At once the Spirit drove him out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him.

*Mark 1:12-13*

**February 25, 2018** - After six days Jesus took Peter, James and John and led them up a high mountain apart by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them. Then Elijah appeared to them along with Moses, and they were conversing with Jesus

*Mark 9:2-4*

**February 3**— St. Blaise  
Patron of throat illnesses

**February 5**— St. Agatha  
Patron of breast cancer, rape victims and wet nurses

**February 6**— St. Paul Miki and Companions

**February 8**— St. Josephine Bakhita  
Pray with St. Josephine for the safety and strength for Christians living in parts of the world where it is not safe to be Christian.

**February 10**— St. Scholastica

**February 11**— Our Lady of Lourdes  
Our Lady has appeared to many people throughout history, including a fourteen-year-old girl named Bernadette in Lourdes, France.

**February 23**— St. Polycarp

## Prayer Corner

### The Holy Family Prayer

Jesus, Son of God and Son of Mary, bless our family.

Graciously inspire in us the unity, peace, and mutual love that you found in your own family in the little town of Nazareth.

Mary, Mother of Jesus and Our Mother, nourish our family with your faith and your love. Keep us close to your Son, Jesus, in all our sorrows and joys.

Joseph, Foster-father to Jesus, guardian and spouse of Mary, keep our family safe from harm. Help us in all times of discouragement or anxiety.

Holy Family of Nazareth, make our family one with you. Help us to be instruments of peace. Grant that love, strengthened by grace, may prove mightier than all the weaknesses and trials through with our families sometimes pass. May we always have God at the center of our hearts and homes until we are all one family, happy and at peace in our true home with you.

Amen.

# Lent



# Mark Your Calendar

| Date        | Event   | Date        | Event  |
|-------------|---|-------------|--|
| February 1  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 8:00 a.m. (Orlin Knickerbocker)</li> </ul>   | February 15 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 8:00 a.m. (Renee Burns)</li> <li>• Stations of the Cross</li> </ul>   |
| February 3  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Souper Bowl Soup Supper (NCYC) 4:00 p.m.</li> <li>• Mass at 6:00 p.m. (Bill Moine)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reader One - Jerry Hilton</li> <li>• Reader Two - Kim Swales</li> <li>• Communion Ministers - Dan Hayes (LH), Chelsey Moellers, Mike Tucker, Maggie Tucker</li> <li>• Servers - Jack and Justin Thole</li> <li>• Hospitality - Rodney Swales, Dan Hayes, Nancy Hayes</li> <li>• Children's Lit and Scrip - Patty Hilton</li> <li>• Gift Bearers - Robert &amp; Lois Geodken</li> <li>• Money Counters - Jacob Mollers, Nancy Hayes</li> <li>• Sacristan - Robert Recker</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | February 16 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• St. Mary Fish Fry at 4:30 p.m., St. Mary Hall</li> </ul>  |
| February 6  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Faith Formation Commission, 6:00 p.m.</li> </ul>   | February 17 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 6:00 p.m. (Fred &amp; Esther Hilton)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reader One - Jerry Ketoff</li> <li>• Reader Two - Stacie Francois</li> <li>• Communion Ministers - Kim Swales (LH), Brent Francois, Ben Ketoff, Caileye Boock</li> <li>• Servers - Audrey and Elliott Francois</li> <li>• Hospitality - Rodney Swales, Kathy Riniker, Vincent Boock</li> <li>• Children's Lit - Vienna Baumgartner</li> <li>• Gift Bearers - Randy &amp; Suzy Hamlett</li> <li>• Money Counters - Stacie Francois, Lois Bockenstedt</li> <li>• Sacristan - Dave Bockenstedt</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                |
| February 7  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No Faith Formation Class</li> <li>• Catechist In-Service at 6:30 p.m., Upper Room</li> </ul>   | February 19 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• K of C Meeting at 7:00 p.m., Upper Room</li> </ul>  |
| February 8  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 8:00 a.m. (Rosemary Dunn)</li> </ul>   | February 21 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 11:00 a.m. at Lutheran Home</li> <li>• Food Pantry open at 3:00 p.m., St. Mary Hall</li> <li>• Community Meal at 5:00 p.m., St. Mary Hall</li> <li>• Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m. in Church</li> <li>• Faith Formation Classes, RE Center</li> </ul>  |
| February 10 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 6:00 p.m. (For the People)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reader One - Tonia Cantwell</li> <li>• Reader Two - John Cantwell</li> <li>• Communion Ministers - Marcia Hanson (LH), Robert Recker, Jackie Fedeler, Lisa Baumgartner</li> <li>• Servers - Hannah and Jack Cantwell</li> <li>• Hospitality - Evan Baumgartner, Jake Fenton</li> <li>• Children's Lit and Scrip - Kate Ries</li> <li>• Gift Bearers - Volunteers needed</li> <li>• Money Counters - Mike Breitbach, Tom Raitchel</li> <li>• Sacristan - Martin Hanson</li> </ul> </li> </ul>   | February 22 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 8:00 a.m. (Ruth Francois-Luckeroth)</li> <li>• Eucharistic Adoration/Liturgy of the Hours</li> </ul>  |
| February 12 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parish Life Meeting at 6:00 p.m., Upper Room</li> </ul>  | February 24 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 6:00 p.m. (Janet Olinger-Smith)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reader One - Nancy Hayes</li> <li>• Reader Two - Kim Swales</li> <li>• Communion Ministers - Dan Hayes (LH), Kathy Riniker, Tony Recker, Kathie Kirkpatrick</li> <li>• Servers - Audrey Francois, Olivia Henry, Hannah Cantwell</li> <li>• Hospitality - Caleb Boardman, Conner Boardman, Ron Boardman</li> <li>• Children's Lit - Maddy Henry, Haley Goedken, Kate Berry</li> <li>• Gift Bearers - William &amp; Bonnie Hayes</li> <li>• Money Counters - Delaine Gruman, Deb Lechtenberg</li> <li>• Sacristan - Martin Hanson</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| February 14 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 12:15 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reader One - Jerry Hilton</li> <li>• Reader Two - LaVerne Lentz</li> <li>• Communion Ministers - Phyllis Lentz, Kathie Kirkpatrick, Anna Mae Friederich</li> <li>• Servers - Robert Recker</li> <li>• Hospitality - Dave Bockenstedt, Lois Bockenstedt</li> <li>• Gift Bearers - Volunteers needed</li> <li>• Money Counters - LaVerne Lentz, Martin Hanson</li> <li>• Sacristan - Robert Recker</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Liturgy of the Word and Ash Distribution at 6:30 p.m.</li> <li>• No Faith Formation Class</li> </ul>             | February 28 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 6:30 p.m. (Learning Mass)</li> <li>• Faith Formation Classes</li> </ul>   |
|             |   | March 1     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mass at 8:00 a.m. (Don Farmer Family)</li> <li>• Stations of the Cross</li> </ul>   |

A one day retreat to reflect upon  
the power of forgiveness.

## The JOY of Forgiveness

SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 2018  
ST. MARY PARISH - UPPER ROOM  
9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

