

## Sunday 9 February 2020 — Domingo 9 de Febrero 2020

Our Lady asked St. Bernadette, then still a young peasant girl, to "pray for the conversion of sinners." Bernadette did not understand what that meant, and when she would ask, Our Lady would just smile. How beautiful it is when a person still has that fundamental innocence! Would that we all still had that child-like innocence where we are not even aware that there are people who deliberately offend Almighty God! But most of us today, even most children, no longer have that innocence. Our children are exposed to the reality of evil at a very young age. Would it not be better to shield them, to let them be surrounded by virtue and the love of God and all that is good and beautiful for as long as possible? https://fathersofmercy.com/reflection-lady-lourdes/

\*\*\*\*\*Pray to Our Lady of Lourdes\*\*\*\*\*

"Oh Immaculate Virgin, Mother of Mercy, Health of the Sick, Refuge of Sinners, Comforter of the Afflicted, you know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings. Look upon me with Mercy. When you appeared in the grotto of Lourdes, you made it a privileged sanctuary where you dispense your favors. I come with unbounded confidence to implore your maternal intercession. My loving Mother obtain my request. Amen

1 - Our Father, 3 - Hail Marys, 1 - Glory be

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LENT begins Wednesday, Feb 26th and occurs for 46 days before Easter. Invite someone new to our church this Lenten season. 8:30 am mass will be offered in English and 6 pm mass will be offered in Spanish — Fr. Jay

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02 January 2020
Regular Sunday
Collection:
\$1587.00
2nd Collection:
\$641.00

Mass Intentions
For Sunday
Domingo 9 de Febrero
10:30 am Por el
eterno descanso de
+José Casillas
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Alicia Orozco
Y por la salud de
Agustín Navarrete

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All are warmly invited to view a live broadcast of the ordination and installation of Most Reverend Robert J. McClory.

Events will be broadcast LIVE on EWTN, CatholicTV or through dcgary.org. The diocesan website (dcgary.org) has broadcast links, event details and updates.

> Evening Prayer with bishop-elect as homilist 7 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 10 いたかか Ordination Mass 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 11

Due to extremely limited seating, access to events is only open to invited guests with tickets.

Please pray for our sick Oremos por nuestros enfermos: Christian Rodriguez, Keith Burke & Michael Shampie.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Wed., Thurs. & Friday weekly Mass has resumed
- Blessed Sacrament Adoration Days:
   Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from
   9 am to 1 pm.
- Ash Wednesday: February the 26th English
   Mass 8:30 am. and Spanish Mass at 6 pm.
- Healing Mass: March 7th, @ 10 am.



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stimados parroquianos por favor estacionen sus vehículos en el estacionamiento de la iglesia durante eventos aprobados.

Nuestra Señora le pidió a Santa Bernadette, que todavía era una joven campesina, que "orara por la conversión de los pecadores".

Bernadette no entendió lo que eso significaba, y cuando preguntó, Nuestra Señora solo sonreía. ¡Qué hermoso es cuando una persona todavía tiene esa inocencia fundamental! ¡Ojalá todos tuviéramos esa inocencia infantil donde ni siquiera somos conscientes de que hay personas que ofenden deliberadamente a Dios Todo poderoso!

Pero la mayoría de nosotros hoy, incluso la mayoría de los niños, ya no tenemos esa inocencia. Nuestros niños están expuestos a la realidad del mal a una edad muy temprana. ¿No sería mejor protegerlos, dejarlos rodeados por la virtud y el amor de Dios y todo lo que es bueno y hermoso por el mayor tiempo posible?

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\*\*\*\*\*\*Recemos a Nuestra Señora de Lourdes\*\*\*\*\*

Oh Virgen Inmaculada, Madre de la Misericordia, Salud de los Enfermos, Refugio de los Pecadores, Consoladora de los Afligidos, sabes mis deseos, Mis problemas, mis sufrimientos. Mírame con misericordia. Cuando apareciste en la gruta de Lourdes, la convertiste en un santuario

privilegiado donde dispensas tus favores. Vengo con una confianza ilimitada para implorar tu intercesión materna. Mi amorosa Madre obtiene mi pedido. Amén

1 - Padre Nuestro, 3 - Ave Marías, 1 - Gloria sea

## **ANUNCIOS**

POR LAS PROXIMAS DOS
SEMANAS: MIERCOLES,
JUEVES Y VIERNES,
8:30 A.M.
REFLEXIONAREMOS
SOBRE EL
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DEL DIA.
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EL DIACONO
CANDELARIO
RODRIGUEZ
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- Dias de Adoración del Santísimo
   Sacramento:
  - miércoles, jueves y viernes de las 9 am a la 1 pm.
- Miércoles de ceniza:
   26 de febrero misa en inglés 8:30 am. y misa en español a las 6 pm.
- Misa de curación: 7
   de marzo a las 10
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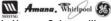
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