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Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



Monday, January 29, 2024 8:00am Oscar C. Ventanilla

(Grandson, Dr. Ferdinand Apolonio)

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 8:00am Richard De Julius

(Tony & Marianne Borrelli)

Wednesday, January 31, 2024

8:00am Constance Bulazo (Laura Eby)

Thursday, February 1, 2024

8:00am Bill Gartland (Chris Staiger)

Friday, February 2, 2024

8:00am **Robert John Stachowicz** (Mom, Dolores)

Saturday, February 3, 2024-

St. Blaise+ Throat Blessings at all weekend masses

5:00pm Jeremy Reagan (Parents, John & Lori)

(Fr. Mann)

Sunday, February 4, 2024

St. Blaise+ Throat Blessings at all weekend masses

7:30am Parishioners of St. Basil (Fr. Mann) 9:00am Kay Krakora (Joanne Eminian)

(Fr. Liptak)

11:00am John & Irene Simsak

(Jim & Mary Ellen Simsak) (Fr. Liptak)

5:30pm **James Hoffert** (Family) (Fr. Mann)



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Readings to help us prepare for Mass: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 4, 2024

1st Reading: Job 7: 1-4, 6-7

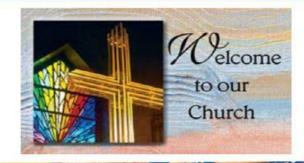
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 9: 16-19, 22-23

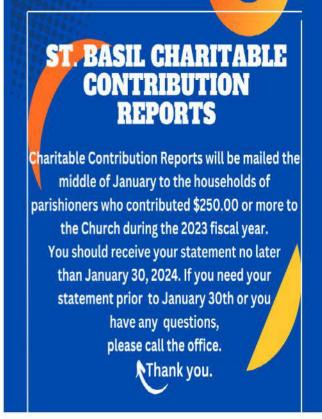
Gospel: Mark 1: 29-39

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feetand a light unto my path"







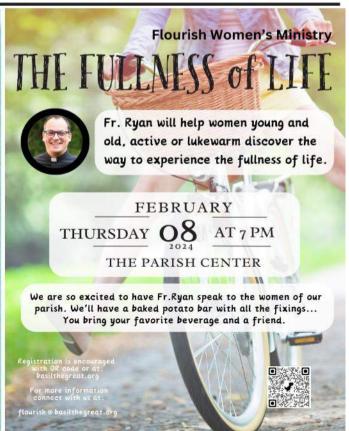




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Ash Wednesday falls on **February 14, 2024.** The blessing and distribution of ashes at Mass occurs after the

homily, using the ritual texts in the *Roman Missal*.

Ash Wednesday is a day of universal fast and abstinence in the Church. Since February 14 is celebrated by many couples as Valentine's Day, parishioners should be reminded of the norms governing fasting and abstinence from meat since no dispensation will be given for this day which marks the solemn beginning of Lent.



Lent-Fasting And Abstinence

Good Friday is a universal day of fasting and abstinence from meat. For members of the Latin Catholic

Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards. This would mean that children in Elementary schools are not bound by the law of fasting despite the fact that we often encourage them to eat more modestly and to abstain from treats on such days.



Come home this Lent!

Confessions at all Catholic Churches:

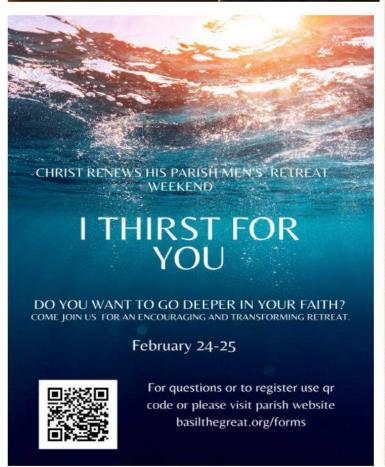
Wednesday

February 28, 2024 5-8 pm at St. Michael, Independence This year St. Basil the Great will have their Evening of Confession with St. Michael Church-Join us!











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Prayer. Fasting. Almsgiving.

IDURAS

This Lent, help us sustain the many water systems installed in Honduras by the St. Basil mission teams.

- **TAKE A CUP HOME**
- COLLECT YOUR LOOSE CHANGE IN CUP
- RETURN TO PARISH OFFICE AT THE END OF LENT

What is family Family Matters matters?

The Mission of the Ministry is to establish a vibrant network of

families who have a desire to experience Jesus more deeply, spend quality family time together and perform service to those in need. At the same time, build meaningful relationships among St. Basil families.

If you would like to receive Family Matters contact Amy Kooser at:

akooser@basilthegreat.org





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Have you signed up lately to have the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima in your home?
Please call the rectory at 440-526-1686 and ask for Michelle if you would like to.
The schedule is for one week.

The prayer theme is for Peace,
Unity and Love within each home and
within the parish. In addition, you can add
any intentions and/or petitions you and your
family want to make to our Lady and
receive graces for you and your family.
May is the traditional month to pray the
rosary at home with our families.
October is the month of the rosary to Our
Lady—what a perfect time to bring the
Statue of Our Lady of Fatima to your home
to pray the rosary for your special
intentions.

Our Lady of the Rosary, Pray for Us!



Prayer for Spiritual Communion

You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this

moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. *Amen*

In Loving Memory



NORMAN VOJTA Husband of Ann Marie January 16, 2024



JOYCE ANDRE Wife of Daniel January 16, 2024



VIRGINIA A. D'ISIDORI
Mother of Jennifer D'Isidori
January 17, 2024
May they and all our faithful departed
rest in peace.

Widowers Meetings

Our next Breakfast Meeting will be Saturday, February 3, 2024, 2023 at Ruma's, 12841 State Rd., North of Rt. 82.

The next First Wednesday Dinner will be February 7, 2023 at Eddie's Pizzeria Cerino, 7305 Broadview Rd., Seven Hills.

All area widowers regardless of church affiliation, who might benefit from the support and fellowship provided by and with a group of men who have experienced a similar loss of spouse, are invited to attend the above activates.



Death of Sr. Kathleen McCafferty, SND

Sr. Kathleen McCafferty, SND the retired Pastoral Associate at

St. Catherine's and Holy Spirit parish passed away on January 16th. Sr. Kathleen served at St. Catherine's as Pastoral Associate for a number of years and at Holy Spirit after the merger of St. Catherine's, St. Henry's and St. Timothy's She was a gift to all who knew and loved her.

Her funeral was celebrated on January 28th at the Sisters of Notre Dame Motherhouse.





Known originally as the Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord is a relatively ancient celebration. The Church in Jerusalem observed the feast as early as the first half of the fourth century, and likely earlier. The feast celebrates the presentation of Christ in the temple at Jerusalem on the 40th day after His birth.

According to Jewish law, the firstborn male child belonged to God, and the parents had to "buy him back" on the 40th day after his birth, by offering a sacrifice of "a pair of turtledoves, or two young pigeons" (Luke 2:24) in the temple (thus the "presentation" of the child). On that same day, the mother would be ritually purified (thus the "purification").

Saint Mary and Saint Joseph kept this law, even though, since Saint Mary remained a virgin after the birth of Christ, she would not have had to go through ritual purification. In his gospel, Luke recounts the story (Luke 2:22-39).

When Christ was presented in the temple, "there was a man in Jerusalem named Simeon, and this man was just and devout, waiting for the consolation of Israel" (Luke 2:25). When Saint Mary and Saint Joseph brought Christ to the temple, Simeon embraced the Child and prayed the Canticle of Simeon:

Now thou dost dismiss thy servant, O Lord, according to thy word in peace; because my eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the face of all peoples: a light to the revelation of the Gentiles, and the glory of thy people Israel (Luke 2:29-32).

The Original Date of the Presentation

Originally, the feast was celebrated on February 14, the 40th day after Epiphany (January 6), because Christmas wasn't yet celebrated as its own feast, and so the Nativity, Epiphany, the Baptism of the Lord (Theophany), and the feast celebrating Christ's first miracle at the wedding in Cana were all celebrated on the same day. By the last quarter of the fourth century, however, the Church at Rome had begun to celebrate the Nativity on December 25, so the Feast of the Presentation was moved to February 2, 40 days later.

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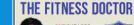




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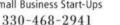
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