

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2024 1st Sunday of Lent

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MASS SCHEDULE

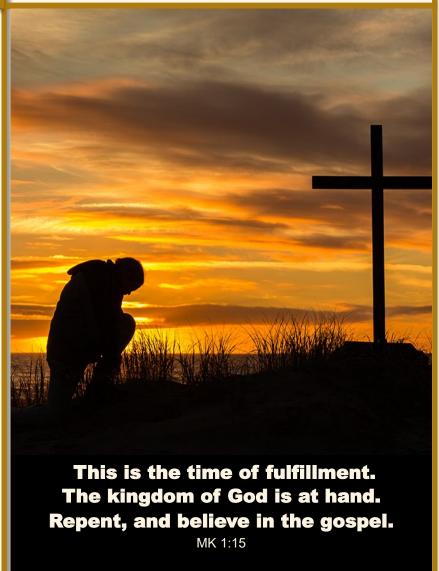
Monday 7:00 AM
Tuesday 7:00 AM
Wednesday 7:00 AM
Thursday 7:00 AM
Friday 8:15 AM
First Saturday of the month 9:00 AM
Saturday Vigil 4:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM,
12:00 PM (SPANISH/ESPAÑOL)

All masses in English except Sunday at 12:00 PM

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CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Tuesday
7:30 AM AND 5:30 PM
Thursday
7:30 AM AND 12:00 PM (NOON)



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THIS WEEK'S READINGS

FEBRUARY 17 SATURDAY

Is 58:9B-14; PS 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Ez 33:11; LK 5:27-32

FEBRUARY 18 1st SUNDAY OF LENT

(PAGE 967 IN YOUR MISSAL) GN 9:8-15; Ps 25: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 PT 3:18-22; MT 4:4B; MK 1:12-15

FEBRUARY 19 MONDAY

Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; PS 19:8, 9, 10, 15; 2 Cor 6:2в; Мт 25:31-46

FEBRUARY 20 TUESDAY

Is 55:10-11; PS 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; MT 4:4B; MT 6:7-15

FEBRUARY 21 WEDNESDAY

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

FEAST OF THE CHAIR OF SAINT

FEBRUARY 22 PETER, APOSTLE

1 PT 5:1-4; PS 23:1-3A, 4, 5, 6; MT 16:18; MT 16:13-19

FEBRUARY 23 FRIDAY

MT 16:13-19; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7A, 7BC-8; Ez 18:31: MT 5:20-26

FEBRUARY 24 SATURDAY

DT 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; 2 Cor 6:2 B ; MT 5:43-48

FEBRUARY 25 2nd SUNDAY OF LENT

(Page 968 in Your Missal) Gn 22:1-2, 9A, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 8:31b-34; Mt 17:5; Mk 9:2-10

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Easter Sunday is March 31. If you would like to sponsor Easter Flowers on the Altar in memory/ honor of a loved one, please call Liz Avila at 559-284-1328.

MASS INTENTIONS

FEBRUARY 17

4:00 PM † Joao Cardoso by Maria and Lucinda Cardoso

FEBRUARY 18

8:00 AM † Manuel and Mary Santos

by Clarence Santos

10:00 AM Pro Populo

12:00 PM † Mariano and Carmen Montoya

and Mariano Montoya III by Rachel Montoya Ortiz

FEBRUARY 19 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

FEBRUARY 20

7:00 AM † Bill Gundacker by Gundacker Family

FEBRUARY 21

7:00 AM Priest Intentions

FEBRUARY 22

7:00 AM † John and Ines DeSilva by David DeSilva Family

FEBRUARY 23

8:15 AM Gaspar Family

FEBRUARY 24

9:00 AM The Faithful Departed 4:00 PM † Maria Davis

by Maria and Lucinda Cardoso

FEBRUARY 25

8:00 AM † Allison V. Cordero by parents

10:00 AM Pro Populo

12:00 PM (L) Ana Cristine Costa by Jose and Ricardina Gomes

HAPPENING THIS WEEK!

FEBRUAR	Y 18	SUNDAY			
No Confirmation Class					
9:00 AM		EPJ	SC		
2:00 PM		St. Monica Group Meeting	SL		
	1	No Youth Ministry			
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FEBRUARY 19	Monday			
4:00 PM	Legion of Mary Meeting	SL		
FEBRUARY 20	TUESDAY			
7:30 AM	Confessions	CH		
4:00 PM	CCD	PO		
5:30 PM	Confessions	CH		
6:00 PM	RCIA	YC		
6:30 PM	Bible Study	SL		
FEBRUARY 21	WEDNESDAY			
9:30 AM	Bible Study	SC		
4:00 PM	CCD	PO		
FEBRUARY 22	THURSDAY			
7:30 AM	Confessions	CH		
12:00 PM	Confessions	CH		
6:00 PM	Catholic Daughters Meeting	MH		
7:00 PM	Cursillos Meeting	SL		
FEBRUARY 23	FRIDAY			
6:00 PM	Stations of the Cross	СН		
Lenten Soup Supper Immediately Following in McHugh Hall				
7:00 PM	Upper Room Prayer			
	Group Meeting	SC		
FEBRUARY 24	SATURDAY			
9:00 AM	Mass for the Faithful Departed	СН		
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The St. Monica Group will be meeting on Sunday, February 18th from 2:00 to 4:00 PM in the parish office's St. Leo Room.

SUNDAY

EPJ

Confirmation Class

Life Teen Youth Ministry

CH = Church; PO = Parish Office; SC = St. Cecilia Room, Parish Office; SL = St. Leo Room, Parish Office; SRM = St. Rose McCarthy School; YC = Youth Center

We are more than a prayer group for our fallen away family and friends from the Catholic

Faith. We also learn more about our faith journey and act as a support group and encouragement for one other. We meet every third Sunday of the month. Please join us!

For more information, contact
Theresa Allison at 559-410-3069.

FEBRUARY 25

8:00 AM

9:00 AM

6:00 PM



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"WHAT ARE YOU GIVING UP FOR LENT?"

It's the question we are all asking each other right about now. And yes, giving up something we enjoy such as sweets, coffee, or our favorite TV show is a great start. These external penances are a necessary part of the season—and should be a part of our lives in some way throughout the year. But what else can we do to actively cultivate virtue and really target our faults this Lent? How can we take our penances to the next level?

- 1. Mortify your will through the practice of obedience. Obedience takes different forms depending on our state in life. Those in religious life must obey their religious superiors, and children their parents. As lay adults, we can do it by cheerfully serving our spouse and children, fulfilling our assigned tasks at work, or simply allowing others to go first in the buffet line!
- 2. Attend especially to the tasks you don't like doing. Padre Pio was once visited by the soul of a young friar who had worked in the sacristy. The soul revealed that he suffered in purgatory because he'd been careless and negligent with his work. Complete every task meticulously, no matter how small and insignificant.
- 3. **Embrace annoyances**. Annoyances abound in this life. Little flaws in other people especially provoke us to fixate on our aggravation. Very often the flaws are faults that we also are guilty of, but which we tolerate in ourselves. Over the next few weeks, when something in another person annoys you, examine yourself & discern how you, too, act or feel or think in that way.
- 4. Impose a strict watch on your tongue. Innumerable, mundane complaints escape our mouths daily, fostering ingratitude—so guard your tongue and inspect what you want to say before speaking.
- 5. Check impulsive actions. Be intentional in all that you do, asking yourself, "Do I really need to shoot off this text? Will this comment help anyone? Will I benefit from thoughtlessly popping snacks in my mouth?"

from www.catholiccompany.com/getfed/5-ideas-for-lenten-penances/

Lent Schedule 2024



PLEASE JOIN US FOR LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS after Stations of the Cross

every Friday in McHugh Hall

If you are interested in providing a NO MEAT soup or bread to share with our St. Brigid Community, please call or come into the parish office or email canderson@stbrigid.org to sign up for a time and date that works best for you.



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Daily Bread, with Dr. Brant Pitre

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In the Week One video for the Restore Lent series, Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT, reflects on the theme of the week—the desert. She explains that Jesus is inviting you to move beyond your comfort zone and into the deepest places of your heart with him. It is Jesus who helps you root out the sin, sickness, and self-hatred in your life. Sr. Miriam assures us that we can look to him for comfort, love, and healing.

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The Afterlife | Eternal Rest | Episode 2

What happens after the moment of our death? Once the soul has been separated from the body, then what? What is heaven, hell, and purgatory? This session looks at the truth about what awaits the human person on the other side of death.





MEN! It's time to raise your voice to the Glory of God!

Join the Men's Choir.

Our Men's choir will begin preparing for Good Friday the week of February 19th. All men, all ages, are encouraged to join. Flexible rehearsal options are available. To signup, call the parish office. Returning members: watch your text messages for more information.

The St. Brigid Hispanic Choir is

looking for new members. If you speak Spanish and play, sing or enjoy helping, you are welcome to join us. To register or for more information, call Mark at 510-755-6783.



GRIEVING WITH GREAT

Please join us!

Grieving with Great Hope is a Catholic Bereavement, grief support program, and healing ministry.

> Join us at 5:30 PM at the Youth Center for the next 4 Mondays:

> > February 19 February 26 March 4 March 11

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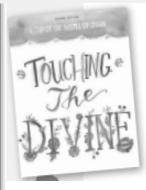
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2ND and 4TH Wednesdays 6:30 PM

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Por favor venga a la oficina parroquial a partir del Viernes 1 de Marzo para solicitar intenciones de Misa para las Misas de Abril, Mayo y Junio.

Señor, Padre Santo. Muéstranos que tipo de hombre es el que está colgado por nuestra causa en la cruz, cuyo sufrimiento hace que las mismas piedras se agrieten y se desmoronen de compasión, cuya muerte hace que los muertos vuelvan a la vida. Permite que mi corazón se agriere y se desmorone al verlo. Que mi alma se desgarre de compasiónpor su sufrimiento. Que se rompa de dolor a causa de mis pecados por los que Él murió Y finalmente permite que se ablande con amor devoto hacia Él. Amén.

-San Buenaventura

¡HOMBRES! ¡Es hora de alzar la voz para la Gloria de Dios! ÚNASE AL CORO DE HOMBRES.



Nuestro coro de hombres comenzará a prepararse para el Viernes Santo la Semana del 19 de Febrero. Se hace el llamado

a todos los hombres, de todas las edades, a unirse. Hay opciones de ensayo flexibles disponibles. Para registrarse, llame a la oficina parroquial al 559-582-2533.

Miembros que regresan: miren sus mensajes de texto para obtener más información.

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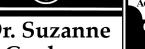
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