

First Sunday of Lent | February 18th, 2024

Saint Theresa of the Child Jesus Catholic Church

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE UPCOMING WEEK

February 20th 12:00pm – Howard Ozment (RIP)

February 21st 12:00pm – Donna Roberts (RIP)

February 22nd 12:00pm – Rickey Gibbs (RIP)

February 23rd 12:00pm – Paul Aiken (SI)

February 24th 4:00pm – Margaret Ozment (RIP) | Joseph Scheele (RIP)

February 25th 8:00am – John Foster (RIP) | 10:30am – Mike Paffumi (SI)

HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS:

Tuesday-Friday: 12:00pm | Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:30am, 2:00pm (Spanish)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Tuesday-Friday 11:15am | Saturday 3:30pm

Sunday 9:00am

HOLY ROSARY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY:

Weekdays: Tuesday- Friday 11:20am |Weekends: 4:00pm Saturday and Sunday, 30 minutes prior to Mass

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ADORATION HOUR:

Wednesday evening from 7:00pm to 8:00pm |Thursday evening from 6:00pm to 7:00pm.

FAITH FORMATION FOR CHILDREN & ADULTS:

Sundays at 9:00am in the Parish Life Center!

FLAME OF LOVE PRAYER CENACLE:

Tuesday at 10:00am in the church.

MARY, MOTHER GUARDIAN OF THE FAITH PRAYER CENACLE:

Thursday at 5:45pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

Every Friday in Lent at 6:00pm

LEGION OF MARY:

Tuesday at 10:00am in the Parish Life Center Library.

FATHER BEAN’S BOOK CLUB:

Thursday at 10:00am in the Martin Hall.

On February 17th and 18th we ask you to participate in a the Black and Indian Mission Collection. Your monetary assistance provides opportunities for a solid Catholic education in our Black and Indian mission schools, allows the purchase of catechetical materials and Bibles, and provides for the formation of lay leadership; just to name a few ways the collection supports evangelization.

Singers needed:

If you love to sing and would like to find a way to serve the Lord, **please consider joining the choir.**

The 10:30 choir will begin rehearsing for Holy Week and Easter, so this is the perfect time to check us out!

The first half of our Sunday morning rehearsals will be focused on Holy Week and Easter, so please come, and join us at 9:30AM in Martin Hall.

SHOWTIME!

Angel Studios is coming out with a new film, Cabrini. Angel Studios’ shows include the series The Chosen and the feature film Sound of Freedom with Jim Caviezel (played Jesus in the Passion of the Christ) which exceeded box office expectations.

They are debuting Cabrini on March 8. If this film continues their standard of excellence, it should be a wonderful experience. To watch the trailer and find show times go to angel.com

We will be taking up a collection on February 24th and 25th for the **Franciscan Friars- The Poor of Jesus Christ**. The money will allow them to keep work visa’s so that they may continue their work in providing aid to the poor and homeless. They are in need of \$2800.00. You may make checks payable to The Poor of Jesus Christ.

If you are unable to give, please say an extra prayer for the Franciscan Friars- The Poor of Jesus Christ and their mission.

Thank you for your generosity!

To learn more about the work they are doing you can visit their website at pjcfrs.org.



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This week’s reading will be number 1028.

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