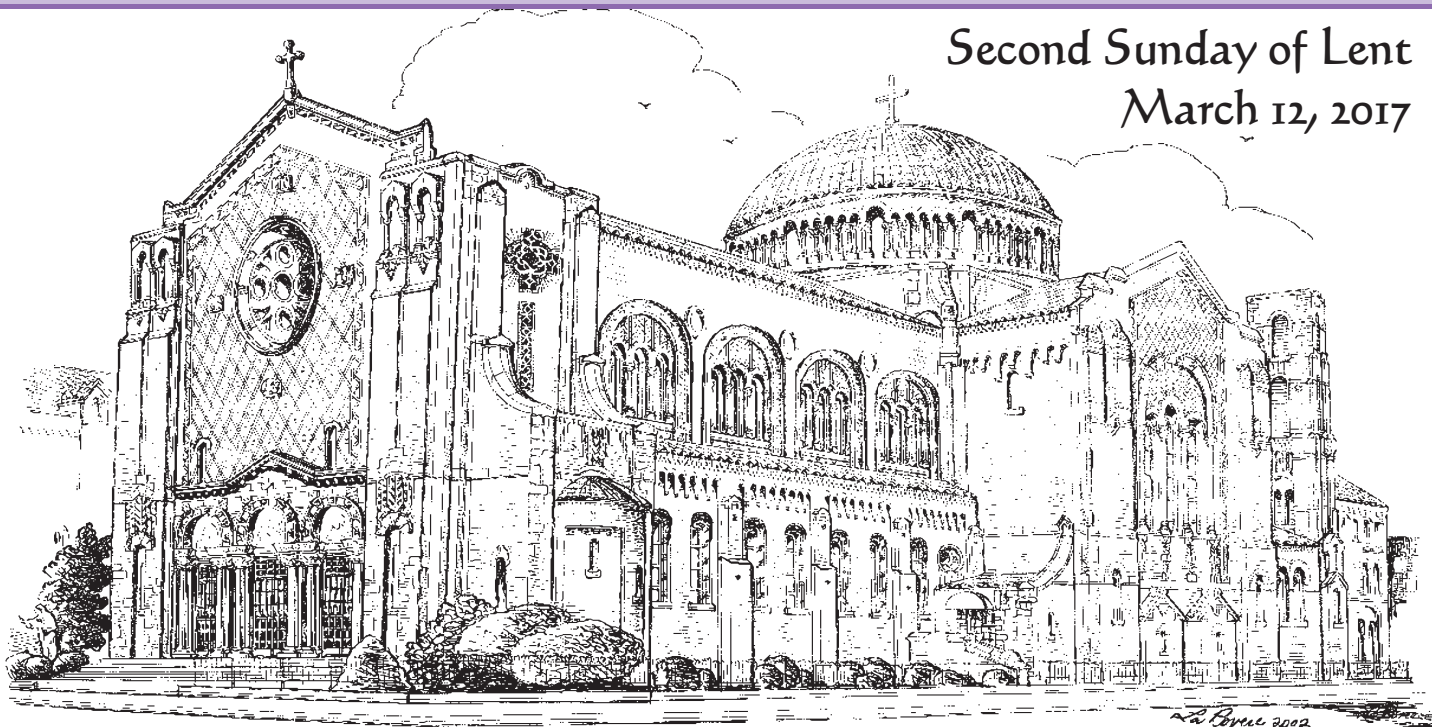


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Second Sunday of Lent
March 12, 2017



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NEWS

2017 LENTEN REGULATIONS. The days of both Fast and Abstinence during Lent are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. The other Fridays of Lent are day of Abstinence. On a day of Fast, only one (1) full meal is permitted, and two (2) smaller meals, which, if added together, would not exceed the main meal in quantity. Those between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast. On a day of Abstinence, no meat may be eaten. Those who have reached the age of 14 are obliged by the law of abstinence.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS. Held every Friday, after the 12:10PM Mass and 7:00PM in Spanish.

NEW HYMNALS. Thanks to all who made donations for the purchase of new hymnals for our church. To date we have raised \$5,480 toward a cost of \$8,500. Envelopes are still available at the doors of the church for those who would still wish to make a donation.

PRAYING LENT. Each Sunday during Lent there will be a handout available at the doors of the church entitled "Praying Lent". Each page will have suggestions or information regarding Lenten practices.

CHURCH HALL MEETING. Our Parish Vision Committee's "Church Hall" meeting will take place on Wednesday evening, March 29th, at 7:00PM in the church. All are invited to be part of this planning process for our parish.

ST. AEDAN'S CHOIR: In preparation for Holy Week we invite new members to join us. To register go to the Choir Loft before or after the 5:30, Saturday evening Mass; the 8:00AM or 12:30PM Masses on Sunday.

INNER PEACE IN DARKNESS AND LIGHT, a 4-week guided retreat. Experience inner peace through the First Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius. This retreat invites participants to pray daily for 4 weeks. Each prayer day includes a time for prayer and reflection. There are also weekend exercises. The participants will gather once a week for spiritual conversation after the initial meeting. The book, "The First Spiritual Exercises" by Fr. Michael Hansen, SJ will be used. The cost is \$16. Meeting dates are March 16, 23, 30 and April 6 at 7:15PM to 9:00PM, in Stewardship Hall. If you would like more information, please contact Fr. Angel, 201.433.6800.

A JOURNEY THROUGH LENT: SERMON ON THE MOUNT. Ss. Peter and Paul Prayer Group is sponsoring a Lenten Retreat every Monday evening at 8:00pm during Lent in the Stewardship Hall. March 13 - Be Blessed and Live with a Purpose (Mt. 5:1-48) by Fr. Doroteo Layosa; March 20 - A Path to Righteousness (Mt. 6:1-34) by Fr. Juancho de Leon; March 27-The Final Lessons (Mt. 7:1-29) by Fr. Alfie Pangilinan; April 3 - Celebration of the Holy Eucharist by Fr. Alfie Pangilinan.

MEETING OF PARISH GROUP REPRESENTATIVES. Leaders of our parish groups are invited to an important meeting with the Director of SPU Campus Safety on Wednesday, March 15th at 6:30PM in the Convent to discuss security issues.

COME AND LISTEN! The Neo Catechumenal Community is offering a way for the "lost sheep" at 8:00PM in the Covent Dining Room, 39 Tuers Ave., on Mondays and Thursdays. People over the age of 13 are invited. Babysitters will be available.

NEW LECTORS & EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST. We are in need of lectors and Eucharistic Ministers to assist with our weekend liturgies. If you would consider serving the parish in this way, please pick up a form from the sacristy after Mass. Training for Eucharistic Ministers will be on Saturday, March 18th at 11:00AM in the church.

TRAVEL: A JOURNEY TO SPAIN, PLUS LOURDES. Sunday, October 1, to Wednesday, October 11. The trip includes visits to Loyola, San Sebastian, Montserrat, and Barcelona. Trip leaders: Fr. George Witt, S.J., Provincial Assistant for Spiritual Ministries, Maryland & USA Northeast Provinces of the Society of Jesus. Prices start at \$3,899 (if paid by check) \$4,098 (if paid by credit card). Accommodations, sightseeing, and meals are included. To download a brochure, visit, GoCatholicTravel.com/NaylorWitt. For more information, contact Joe Naylor at jnaylor@jesuits.org or call 212.774.5529.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE: On February 26, 2017, **1,016** people attended mass and donated **\$5,146**. Thank you!

AVISOS

NOTICIAS DEL QUINTO ENCUENTRO

Gracias al Espíritu Santo, se han formado seis grupos pequeños que se van reuniendo una vez a la semana durante la Cuaresma. Al fin de la primera semana se han inscrito 65 personas más los doce facilitadores. Demos gracias a Dios por un buen comienzo. Para formar una parroquia misionera, se pide a toda la parroquia rezar la siguiente oración del Quinto Encuentro.

Dios misericordioso: Tú que saliste al encuentro de los discípulos de Emaús, concédenos un espíritu misionero para salir al encuentro de nuestros hermanos y hermanas; unírnos a su caminar cotidiano; escuchar sus tristezas y alegrías; encender sus corazones con el fuego de tu Palabra; preparamos a reconocerte en la Eucaristía; y enviarlos como discípulos misioneros a compartir la alegría del Evangelio a generaciones presentes y futuras de toda raza, lengua y cultura. Te lo pedimos desde nuestros corazones ardientes en el Espíritu Santo, en nombre de tu Hijo amado, y por la intercesión de nuestra Madre, María de Guadalupe, Estrella de la Nueva Evangelización. Amén.

Spring
forward





Mass Intentions

SAT. MARCH 11

9:00 MEM
5:30 MEM

ISMAEL M. FLORES
JOSELINA GRACE UMAL

SUN. MARCH 12

8:00
9:30 MEM
11:00 MEM
12:30 MEM

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
HENRY PIESZKO
DNISTRIAN & COSTELLO FAMILIES
MARAZITI FAMILY
CATHERINE CURTIS

MON. MARCH 13

12:10 MEM

5:30 MEM

LIVING & DECEASED MEMBERS
OF ST. AEDAN'S GOLDEN CLUB
MARCIA ROMERO

TUES. MARCH 14

12:10 MEM
5:30

DAVID ROSARIO
GEORGE ACENAS

WED. MARCH 15

12:10
5:30

ANGELITA ANTONIO
RONNEL MAGTABOG

THUR. MARCH 16

12:10
5:30

LONDON JAMES LEIGH
LUZ PIESZKO

FRI. MARCH 17

12:10
5:30 MEM

DAY OF ABSTINENCE
OBIORA OGBUGBULU
JAMES, DOLORES & THOMAS
COONEY

7:00PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN SPANISH

SAT. MARCH 18

9:00 MEM
5:30 MEM

BRIGIDA VILLA
BENJAMIN P. SANTOS



2nd Sunday of Lent

Then Peter said to Jesus in reply, "Lord, it is good that we are here. If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud cast a shadow over them, then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." *Mt 17:4-5*

Sacraments & Worship Corner

INFANT BAPTISM / BAUTIZOS DE NIÑOS

Second Saturday of the month. Call or visit the parish office to register a child at least six weeks in advance to begin preparations. *Segundo sábado del mes. Inscrición del niño: Llamar la oficina con seis semanas de anticipación para hacer los preparativos.*

SACRAMENTS FOR ADULTS / SACRAMENTOS PARA ADULTOS

A special program for those who wish to become Catholic or receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Communion. Call the parish office. *Se les ofrece un programa especial a los que quieren recibir los sacramentos de Bautismo,*

PENANCE / CONFESIONES

Friday, 11:30 am to noon. Saturday, 4:00 - 5:00 PM. *Los viernes, 11:30 am a 12:00 pm. Los sábados, 4:00 - 5:00 pm*

MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

Saturday: Vigil Mass, 5:30 pm.
Sunday: 8:00 & 9:30 am, 11:00 am Español, 12:30 pm
Daily Masses: Monday to Friday, 12:10 and 5:30, Saturday, 9:00 am
Holy Days: 12:10, 5:30, 7:30 pm



Readings for the Week of March 12, 2017

Sunday: Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8-9, 11, 13/Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23/Mt 23:1-12
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14-16/Mt 20:17-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-21/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-4, 9-12/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Las lecturas de la semana del 12 de marzo de 2017

Domingo: Gn 12, 1-4/Sal 33, 4-5. 18-20. 22/2 Tim1, 8-10/Mt 17, 1-9
Lunes: Dn 9, 4-10/Sal 79, 8-9. 11. 13/Lc 6, 36-38
Martes: Is 1, 10. 16-20/Sal 50, 8-9. 16-17. 21. 23/ Mt 23, 1-12
Miércoles: Jr 18, 18-20/Sal 31, 5-6. 14-16/Mt 20, 17-28
Jueves: Jr 17, 5-10/Sal 1, 1-4. 6/Lc 16, 19-31
Viernes: Gn 37, 3-4. 12-13. 17-28/Sal 105, 16-21/Mt 21, 33-43. 45-46
Sábado: Miq 7, 14-15. 18-20/Sal 103, 1-4. 9-12/ Lc 15, 1-3. 11-32

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