

February 11, 2018 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 10

5:00 p.m. **Parishioners of Saint Theodore Church**

Sunday, February 11

8:00 a.m. **+Joseph, Nettie and Joseph, Jr. Roche**

By The Wyker Family

10:30 a.m. **+Thomas, Elizabeth and Louis DeBari**

By Sam and Marietta Tridente

Monday, February 12

8:45 a.m. **+James Kane**

By Susan Reynolds

Tuesday, February 13

8:45 a.m. **+Dorothy and Theodore Reeck**

By Elaine Langan

Ash Wednesday, February 14

8:45 a.m. **In Honor of the Madonna of Health**

By Angela Gross

12 Noon: **+Theodora and Ludwick Tomiczek**

6:30 p.m. **+Michael J. Furtak**

By Joan Mandel

Thursday, February 15 NO MASS

Friday, February 16

8:45 a.m. **Parishioners of Saint Theodore Church**

Saturday, February 17

5:00 p.m. **+Charles J. Mallon and Rose Howe**

By Barbara Mallon

Sunday, February 18

8:00 a.m. **Blessings for the Rasimowicz Family**

By Mary Rupell

10:30 a.m. **+ Donald J. Cook**

By Rose and Lance Smith



Instituted 26 years ago by Pope St. John Paul II as a vehicle for prayers and a blessing for the sick, the World Day of the Sick coincides with the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, Feb. 11. The latter commemorates a series of 18 apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary to St. Bernadette Soubirous, a 14-year-old peasant girl in Lourdes, France, in 1858. During one of the appearances,

she directed Bernadette to a spring whose waters have since been consumed by thousands of visitors who report curing of medical conditions through the water and prayer.

Anointing of the Sick goes back to earliest days of Church, when the Apostles directed that if someone was sick, they be brought forward. The core is about healing, not just about physical, but complete healing — body, mind and soul.

Dr. Peter Auriemma of St. Joan of Arc Parish, a retired doctor, former chief of urology with the Veterans Administration in Phoenix and a Knight in the Order of Malta, said the sacrament's reach has broadened over the years. He said the sacrament, formerly known as Extreme Unction, covers an array of medical and spiritual issues that has grown with time.

“People who are going to have surgery, chronic pain, illnesses; it’s not just the person who looks like they’re going to die. It’s no longer for the final moments of a person’s life,” Dr. Auriemma said.

Pope Francis recently addressed the Church’s role in ministering to the ill.

“Jesus bestowed upon the Church His healing power: ‘These signs will accompany those who believe ... they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover’ (Mk 16:17-18)”, the pontiff wrote in his annual World Day of the Sick message. “The Church’s mission is a response to Jesus’ gift, for she knows that she must bring to the sick the Lord’s own gaze, full of tenderness and compassion.”



Ash Wednesday
February 14

Mass & Ashes:

8:45 a.m., 12 Noon, &
6:45 p.m.

Stations of the Cross

7 p.m. February 16 and
every Friday of Lent.



Saint Theodore Church Lenten Retreat

We will be holding a *Parish Lenten Mission* from March 17 through March 21 and will again be conducted by Father Christopher Bugno, Pastor of St. Theresa Church,

Titusville, FL and Superior of the Salvatorians in Florida. Please join us in this spiritual journey during the solemn season of Lent.

March 17: 4 p.m.: Confessions
5 p.m.: Conference

March 18: 7:30 & 10:00 a.m.: Confessions
8 & 10:30 a.m.: Mass and Parishioners' Conference

March 19: 6:15 p.m.: Conference for Religious Education Students at the school
8:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.: Confessions
8:45 a.m. & 7 p.m.: Parishioners' Conference

March 20:
8:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.: Confessions
8:45 a.m. & 7 p.m.: Parishioners' Conference

March 21:
8:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.: Confessions
8:45 a.m. & 7 p.m.: Parishioners' Conference



Stephen, Bridget M., Savannah Paine, Bobby Gross, Keira Hedges, Peter, Zachary, Logan Peter Saksa, Anna Saksa, Lauren Lane, Jay Mildrum, Philip Kinney, Peter S., Mary Supple,

Mary Rupell, Susan Reynolds, Robert Dicheck, Christian, Tara, Zoe, Teagan, Eric Harding, Kathy & Bob Y., Irma Marquart, Dolores Staiano, Gerard Schnaars, Glenda L., The Rasimowicz Family

Thank you very much to the following parishioners for their donations toward our Paschal and Altar Candles:

*David and Christina Schmitz
George and Georgianne Merlo
Gerd and Kathleen Plenkens
Thomas and Patricia Perna
Jarry Grmek*

*Joe and Marjorie Dante
The Rodriguez Family in loving memory of
their Relatives*

Our Weekly Offering

**Sunday collection needed to meet
weekly expenses: \$3,637.**

February 4: \$2, 570 (-\$1,067)
January: \$9,045 (-\$5,503)

Very Tuesday @ 6:30 pm: Bible Study
Every Friday during Lent: 7 p.m.: Stations of the Cross

February Calendar

2/11: Hospitality Sunday 9 & 11:30 a.m.

2/12, 6:15 pm: 5th Grade in Church for confessions

2/14: Ash Wednesday: Masses: 8:45 am; 12 noon, 6:30 pm

2/14, 6:15 pm: Children and parents in church for Ash Wednesday

2/16: 7 pm: Stations of the Cross

2/19: No Religious Education & Parish and Religious Education Offices closed

2/23: 7 pm: Grades 1 thru 4: Stations of the Cross

Lenten Retreat: March 17 to 21



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statement for
your 2017
contributions,
please provide a self-addressed,
stamped envelope to Mary Rupell.**