

Reflection

“The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.”
(Psalm 111:10; Proverbs 9:10) Being in the presence of God is not always a comfortable experience.

Today’s readings tell us it makes us aware of our sinfulness. Fear can lead to paralysis before God, or joining confidently in His work.

We are reminded that the call to be fishers of men requires that we leave everything behind so nothing prevents us from spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ. For many of us, it is difficult to let go of our possessions and beliefs, because we are convinced that they give meaning to our existence. Jesus proclaimed from the crèche to the cross that our meaning exists only in our Father in heaven who calls us out of darkness into His wonderful light.

How does fear play a part in your actions, in your life?



Mass intentions are a beautiful way to remember a loved one or a Special Intention. Weekend and daily Masses are available. The Sanctuary Candle and Altar Bread & Wine are also a prayerful remembrance. All families will be considered. Please call the Parish Office to schedule a date.



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WEEKLY SATURDAY CONFESSIONS

Please take note that the Sacrament of Confession is offered every Saturday from **4:15 pm to 4:45 pm** in the church, or by appointment by calling the Parish Office.



Five Steps to Confession

1. Examine your conscience, it is important that we spend some time to consider prayerfully what we have done or omitted to do since our last confession.
2. Be sorry for your sins, try to have perfect sorrow. No sin can be forgiven unless we are truly sorry for having offended God.
3. Make a firm resolution not to sin again and to avoid the occasions of sin. True sorrow must always include the promise to avoid the sin in the future. We must also be willing to remove whatever leads to sin.
4. Tell your sins to a priest and receive absolution. Jesus said to the Apostles (and through them, to their successors): “Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven and whose sins you retain are retained.”
5. Perform your penance promptly.



The Scalabrini Dukcevic Center, across the street from our Church, is offering **FREE COVID-19 RAPID TESTING every Monday afternoon from 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm and COVID-19 vaccinations from 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm.**

There is no cost and no insurance or appointment is necessary. Testing is open to all ages.

Please wear a face-mask to be tested for the health and safety of everyone participating.

**MASSES FOR
FEBRUARY 7 - 13, 2022**

*Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead,
however the following are specifically remembered this week.*

Monday, February 7

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Tuesday, February 8

7:30 am - Intention of Priest Celebrant

Wednesday, February 9

7:30 am - Peter Gallo, Jr. by family
5:30 pm - Eucharistic Adoration - Spanish
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Thursday, February 10

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners

**Friday, February 11 - Our Lady of Lourdes
World Day of the Sick**

7:30 am - For the Sick & Homebound of our Parish
3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Saturday, February 12

8:00 am - In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday, February 12

5:00 pm

Deceased Members of the Franchetti Family
by Anthony & Mercedes

6:30 pm - Mass in Spanish

**Sunday, February 13
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 am

Giuseppina Acciaro

9:30 am - Mass in Spanish

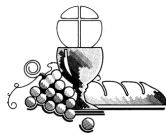
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Michael S. Antosia by family
Vicente, Gregoria, & Vergel Adoptante
by Mr. & Mrs. Pedro Fernandez
Nimfa DeVecches by Mr. & Mrs. Pedro Fernandez
John J. Fontes, Jr.

Sanctuary Candle & Altar Bread & Wine

In Memory of

Lucy Dunham by husband & family



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\$1,407.00 (blizzard on 1/29)