

# ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

**THE PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF ST. PETER**  
**SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY**



## "40 Hours' Devotion"

The devotion of spending Forty Hours in adoration before the Most Blessed Sacrament is traditionally done to honor the forty hours during which the Body of our Lord remained in the Sepulchre. It was begun, some say at Milan in 1534, and was introduced into Rome by St. Philip Neri in 1548. Others maintain that this pious devotion was started by St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria a few years prior in 1527. This practice would later be elevated and sanctioned by Pope Clement VIII in the year 1592.

St. John Neumann brought this devotion to the United States. During the Know-Nothing Riots of 1844 in Philadelphia, anti-Catholic protesters burned two churches and continued to foster animosity towards the Catholics

in the city. The first was held in St. Philip Neri Parish, and then expanded throughout the diocese to the rest of the United States.

To promote this devotion Pope Clement VIII granted a Plenary Indulgence to all who should visit any church or chapel where this devotion was being performed confess their sins and receive Holy Communion.

To gain this Indulgence it is required (1) to visit the Blessed Sacrament once during the three days of Exposition; and (2) to receive Holy Communion on the day preceding, or on one of the three days, but not necessarily in the same church or chapel in which the Blessed Sacrament is exposed.

Pope Paul V also granted an indulgence of ten years for every Visit made to the Blessed Sacrament thus exposed.

Please sign-up in the vestibule to spend an hour before our King and honor Him in preparation for Lent.

Adoration of Our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament is the surest and best preparation for the glories of Heaven.



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### LITURGY SCHEDULE

*FEBRUARY 12 - 18*

**SUNDAY: SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY**

8:00 AM LOW MASS  
10:15 AM HIGH MASS

**MONDAY: FERIA**

7:45 AM LOW MASS

**TUESDAY: FERIA, ST. VALENTINE, M**

7:45 AM LOW MASS

**WEDNESDAY: FERIA, SS FAUSTINUS, AND**

**JOVITA**

7:45 AM LOW MASS

**THURSDAY: FERIA**

7:45 AM LOW MASS

**FRIDAY: FERIA**

5:00 PM SOLEMN HOLY HOUR  
6:00 PM LOW MASS

**SATURDAY: SATURDAY OF OUR LADY**

**COMM: ST. SIMEON, BM**

8:00 AM SOLEMN HOLY HOUR  
9:00 AM MASS

### CONFESSIONS

**SUNDAY: 7:15 AM AND 9:30 AM**

**MON-THURS: 7:25AM - 7:40AM**

**FRIDAY: 5:10 PM - 5:40 PM**

**SATURDAY: 8:10 AM - 8:40 AM**

**OR BY APPOINTMENT**

## Announcements and Upcoming Events



### Wednesdays in Lent

On Wednesdays during Lent we are going to dedicate to evenings of recollection catering to different demographics. The schedule for these nights will look something like this:

**6:00 pm - 7:00 pm - Adoration with simple exposition**

(confessions available)

**7:00 - 7:30 pm - soup/salad potluck**

**7:30 pm - Reflection (by priest)**

**8:00 pm - Exposition and Adoration**

**8:30 pm - Benediction**

Wednesday, March 1 - Men

Wednesday, March 8 - Women

Wednesday, March 15 - Youth

Wednesday, March 22 - Married Couples

Wednesday, March 29 - Meditation on the Passion of Christ.

### **40 Hours Devotion**

Next Sunday we will begin 40 Hours' Devotion after the 10:15 am high mass and concluding with Solemn Benediction at 7:30 am on Tuesday, February 21st.

The devotion of 40 hours of adoration to the Most Blessed Sacrament is a very old tradition of paying homage to Our Lord as well as making reparation for sins of blasphemy.

Please consider signing up for a time slot to keep our Lord company for an hour or two during this time. Sign-up sheet is in the vestibule.

### **Ash Wednesday**

**February 22**

**7:45 am Low Mass**

**6:30 pm Low Mass**

\*Confessions available before both

**Palm Sunday - April 2nd**

**Easter Sunday - April 9th**

**Everyone is welcome, but the talks will be focused on the particular demographic.**

### **February Saints**

X	W	B	A	S	H	W	E	D	N	E	S	D	A	Y
W	L	P	Q	E	T	T	E	D	A	N	R	E	B	C
B	K	P	E	Y	T	Z	L	I	Q	N	J	S	T	O
S	Q	Q	R	T	A	G	A	T	H	A	C	A	D	N
U	N	T	A	E	E	B	T	I	T	U	S	U	Z	C
N	A	I	N	I	S	R	O	C	W	E	R	D	N	A
I	C	H	A	L	N	E	D	T	R	R	Y	R	O	W
T	F	N	T	M	Y	O	N	A	S	R	J	C	K	E
S	Z	O	N	A	B	H	L	T	M	M	P	B	P	N
U	T	I	O	T	M	O	T	L	A	I	L	X	L	I
A	N	T	E	T	D	N	A	O	O	T	A	R	P	T
F	S	A	M	H	T	Q	H	T	R	P	I	N	P	N
G	E	C	I	I	H	E	X	O	I	O	A	O	E	E
B	D	I	S	A	Y	P	R	T	J	V	D	C	N	L
M	R	F	K	S	Y	S	A	N	T	I	O	C	H	A
A	U	I	C	A	N	D	L	E	M	A	S	J	J	V
V	O	R	R	O	M	U	A	L	D	T	Y	N	M	G
R	L	U	A	C	I	T	S	A	L	O	H	C	S	N
J	W	P	M	F	B	E	S	I	A	L	B	T	M	A
P	H	I	G	N	A	T	I	U	S	O	E	M	M	X

IGNATIUS	VALENTINE	SCHOLASTICA
MATTHIAS	PETERDAMIAN	ANTIOCH
AGATHA	DOROTHY	ASHWEDNESDAY
LOURDES	BERNADETTE	TITUS
APOLLONIA	SIMEON	FAUSTINUS
JOVITA	JOHNATHA	ROMUALD
CANDLEMAS	BLAISE	ANDREWORSINI
PRESENTATION	PURIFICATION	

*"There was given me a thorn for the flesh, a messenger of Satan, to buffet me. Concerning this I thrice besought the Lord that it might leave me. And He has said to me, My grace is sufficient for you, for strength is made perfect in weakness."*

2 CORINTHIANS 12:7-9



### **MASS INTENTIONS**

**FEBRUARY 12 - 18**

**Sunday: 8:00 AM and 10:15 AM**  
Pro Populo

Dorie Lavelle

rb: Mark & Julie Whitehead

**Monday: 7:45 AM**

+William Linn

rb: Aaron & Mary Rathbun

**Tuesday: 7:45 am**

+Patrick Werick

rb: Aaron & Mary Rathbun

**Wednesday: 7:45 AM**

Jeff Doggett

rb: Lisa Doggett

**Thursday: 7:45 AM**

Bobby Lavelle

rb: Mark & Julie Whitehead

**Friday: 6:00 PM**

+Catherine V. Lackner

rb: Jerome Lackner

**Saturday: 9:00 AM**

Teresa LaFata

rb: LaFata Family