



Weekly NEWS

February 14th , 2024

Important Dates

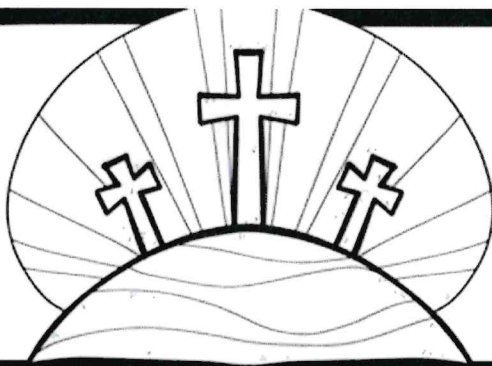
- **March 3rd 8th Grade Confirmation Retreat**
- **March 13th Reconciliation 2-8**
- **March 27th Easter Break**
- **April 6th 1st Eucharist Retreat**

Reminders

- **Just a reminder as we move into winter, if school is cancelled so is PSR.**

What Are We Learning?

- **1st Tonight we talked about what Lent represents and read the story of Jesus' 40 days in the desert and Satans efforts to tempt him. We also looked at the Church calendar and discussed the color of the vestments changing to purple. I read the story of St Valentine and the miracle that made him eligible for sainthood and the tradition that developed.**
 - **3rd Jesus preformed so many miracles. He calmed the storm while in a boat in the Sea of Galilee with his apostles. They were afraid while Jesus slept. They woke him up as they were terrified. He said" Quiet, Be still" and the storm stopped. The water settled down and the wind stopped blowing. We have storms in our lives. Trust God and your faith.**
- We learned what Ash Wednesday and Lent is about. Did you know that the ashes we receive are from last years palms used for Palm Sunday? Ask your child how many days there are in Lent?**



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Faith Reflection

February 11, 2024

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46

1 Corinthians 10:31 - 11:1

Mark 1:40-45

Our Sunday Gospel focused on Jesus curing a person with leprosy, a disease that alienated those afflicted. Being an imitator of Christ involves reaching out to those in the margins, those who are left out, and those who are shunned by society. We hope in faith that through our baptismal call, we can find the compassion and strength to accompany those that our culture rejects, even when it is uncomfortable or inconvenient. May we look through the eyes of Christ and recognize those begging to be seen.

Good News

Lenten Ideas

- **Speaker Series Feb 15, 29, or March 14 at 7pm.**
- **Walk Thru Mass Mondays at 7pm.**
- **Stations Fridays at 2pm and 7pm.**
- **Reconciliation Saturday 3:30-4:30pm.**

What Are We Learning?

8th We have had a review of our Eucharist chapter and next week will be discussing how Eucharist is important beyond Sunday, but through our Monday-Saturday daily life. We are excited to focus on how Jesus "feeds us," especially during Lent.