



# ASH WEDNESDAY



Matthew 6: 1-6. 16-18



**SATURDAY, February 14, 2026 Vigil of Sunday**

5:00 p.m. (SP) +Francis Joe Foley /Req. Family

**SUNDAY, February 15, 2026**

7:30 a.m. (SMA) +Ron McKan  
/Req. Pauline Jtimarui  
+Stephen Blanding  
/Req. M/M Bolak & Family  
9:00 a.m. (SP) +Geraldine Tinder  
/Req. Panigrosso Family  
11:30 a.m. (SMA) +Liliana Bryan

/Req. Husband & Family  
+Ettore DiRado  
/Req. Wife & Family  
+Isabel Blanding Danec  
/Req. Linda & Al Zemanick  
+Severino Sacco  
/Req. Wife & Children

2:00 p.m. (SMA) **LATIN MASS**

**TUESDAY, February 17, 2026**

12:10 p.m. (SP) +Patricia Norris (10 yr. Annv.)  
/Req. Norris Family  
+Joe LaCourt /Req. Family

**WEDNESDAY, February 18, 2026 ASH WEDNESDAY**

7:30 a.m. (SMA) +Josephine Kocik  
/Req. Geno Dellario  
12:10 p.m. (SMA) \*Parishioners' Intentions  
5:30 p.m. (SP) \*Parishioners' Intentions

**THURSDAY, February 19, 2026**

12:10 p.m. (SP) +Col. Frank McKetta  
/Req. Barbara McKetta  
+Kathleen M. Walsh  
/Req. Maureen & Son in-law  
Joseph

**FRIDAY, February 20, 2026**

12:10 p.m. (SMA) +Frank McKetta III  
/Req. Barbara McKetta

**SATURDAY, February 21, 2026 Vigil of Sunday**

5:00 p.m. (SP) +Bernard & Neva Garland  
/Req. Maureen & Family  
+Patyn Nowack /Req. Family  
+Jerry Donahue /Req. Family

**SUNDAY, February 22, 2026**

7:30 a.m. (SMA) +Marty Valenti  
/Req. Matt & Michele Pasquale  
+Anthony DeLucca (Son)  
/Req. Family  
9:00 a.m. (SP) +Jan McRoberts  
/Req. Mary & John Savelli  
\*Healing for Todd Hubik  
/Req. Family  
+Jerry & Billy Donahue  
/Req. Family  
11:30 a.m. (SMA) +Alfred Bucci (50th Annv.)  
/Req. Family  
+Giuseppe Giammarino  
/Req. Family

**Last Sunday's Offerings St. Mary's:**

Ordinary Offering	\$5,351.00
Fuel	\$104.00
Electricity	\$44.00
Youth	\$2.00
Candles	\$69.00
On-Line Giving	\$349.90
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,919.90</b>

**We need \$6,500 weekly to meet our expenses.**

**Last Sunday's Offerings St. Paul's:**

Ordinary Offering	\$3,447.00
Fuel	\$30.00
Electricity	\$75.00
Candles	\$53.00
Grounds & Maintenance	\$70.00
Flowers	\$7.00
On-Line Giving	\$734.78
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$4,416.78</b>

**We need \$6,100 weekly to meet our expenses.**



**HOLY DAY**

**7:30 AM - ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION**

**12:30 PM - ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION**

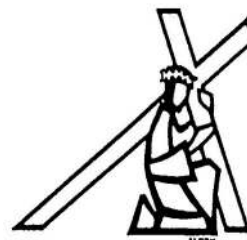
**5:30 PM - ST. PAUL'S CHURCH**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**THIS LENTEN SEASON THE STATIONS OF  
THE CROSS WILL BE HELD AT  
ST. PAUL'S CHURCH**

**FRIDAY'S @ 6PM.**

**PLEASE JOIN US**





### FRIDAY'S DURING LENT

SIMPLE SOUP SUPPERS  
ST. PAUL'S HALL  
TIME: 5:00 PM TO 5:45 PM

ASKING FOR VOLUNTEERS FROM  
ST. MARY'S OR ST. PAUL'S TO CHOOSE  
A FRIDAY TO MAKE THE SOUP FOR  
THAT EVENING,

TO SIGN UP AND GET MORE  
INFORMATION - PLEASE CALL  
KATHY @  
(607) 760-4297



THE TABERNACLE CANDLE  
BURNS FOR THE GLORY OF  
GOD AND FOR ...

**St. Mary's:** No Intention

**St. Paul's:** James O'Neil Jr.



Fr. Mark from Ukraine is forming a prayer  
group for Lent and he is inviting  
St. Mary/St. Paul parishioners' to join him in  
praying for the soldiers of the Ukraine army.

A special rosary will be provided to you. Along  
with the rosary, you will be given a name of a  
soldier in the Ukraine army and ask that you say  
the rosary each day in private for your soldier.

If you are interested and want to join in this  
Lenton Devotion, please see Fr. Art  
after Ash Wednesday Mass.

*A special heartfelt thank you to  
John & Dana Nicolich  
for providing the beautiful rosaries.*

### RICE BOWLS

Rice Bowls are a way for Catholics to  
engage in **prayer, fasting** and  
**almsgiving** during our Holy time of Lent.

It's a spiritual practice of Lent and we  
hope you will take part in this journey.

Please take home a Rice Bowl (provided  
by our church) and joyously you and your  
family can make some type of sacrifice  
(ex. using the money you would have  
spent on a "take out" meal, buying  
something frivolous etc.) and putting that  
money in the Rice Bowl

The money collected at the end of our Holy  
Time of Lent will be used to help the  
starving people in South Sudan. The  
images we see are heartbreaking and this  
sacrifice will go towards easing their pain.

Thank you and God Bless.



### ST. MARY & ST. PAUL TAX INFORMATION

We will be sending year-end contribution state-  
ments **ONLY** to those who request them. If you  
would like a copy of your contribution statement,  
complete the form below and drop it in the  
collection basket.

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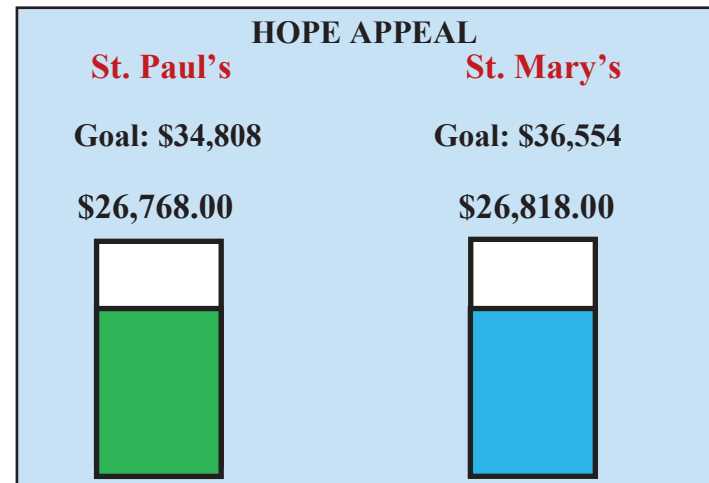
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## SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers <b>St. Paul's</b> February 21 & 22, 2026		
Saturday	Time 5:00 PM	Lector/Ciborium: Patricia Newland
Sunday	Time 9:00 AM	Lector/Ciborium: Rose O'Neil

Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers <b>St. Mary's</b> February 22, 2026		
Sunday	Time 7:30 AM	Ciborium: Jay Klein, Steve Gardner Lector: Sharon Gardiner
Sunday	Time 11:30 AM	Ciborium: Maria Klawiter, Sr. Lucia Lector: Rocco Fortunato



CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE  
BEING WELCOMED INTO OUR  
FAMILY OF FAITH BY BAPTISM:

**Emma Feur Cayone**  
**Bennett Deutsch**



In sympathy we ask for your prayers for  
the recently deceased and for their  
families:

**Charles Konecny**

**President's Weekend Holiday**  
Parish Rectory will be closed on:  
**Monday, February 16, 2026**  
Reopen on Tuesday, February 17, 2026 @ 9AM.



### A Note of Apology

**Dear Parishioners and Staff:**  
We sincerely apologize for the late arrival of your weekly offering envelopes. Due to unexpected catastrophic issues with our production equipment, we have experienced an unavoidable delay. We are working diligently to resolve the problem and restore our regular schedule. Please forgive us for this inconvenience—we greatly appreciate your patience and understanding.

Thank you,

**Cathedral Letter Concepts**

We purchased 2 sets of funeral Palls and matching Vestments, one for each parish.

We have received enough donations to cover the total cost for both sets.

Heartfelt thanks to the following parishioners who made generous donations in the honor of loved ones.

**St. Mary's**

Anonymous: \$800

**In Memory of:**

**Eugene & Jacqueline Valenti**  
**Hubert & Phyllis McGavin**

### NEW PARISHIONER FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ St. Mary's \_\_\_\_\_ St. Paul  
\_\_\_\_\_ New Registration \_\_\_\_\_ Change of Address  
\_\_\_\_\_ You may publish my name in the bulletin

Please cut out and drop in collection basket or mail to rectory

MEDITATION FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2026

*What eye has not seen, and ear has not heard, . . . God has revealed to us.*

*(1 Corinthians 2:9, 10)*

That's quite a bold statement! St. Paul is saying that, through Jesus' death and resurrection, the Holy Spirit has revealed something that no one had ever seen or heard of before. Paul calls that something "God's wisdom, mysterious, hidden, which God predetermined before the ages for our glory.

*For our glory.* That's not just a throwaway phrase. It's the actual revelation that God has made manifest: the promise that everyone who believes in Christ can be glorified, just as Jesus, "the Lord of glory," is now glorified (1 Corinthians 2:8)!

Sit with that truth for a moment. Prophets and kings from the past, great saints like Abraham, Isaiah, and Moses, all had amazing revelations about the Lord and his plans. But only now, after Jesus' resurrection, has *our own* resurrection become so clearly revealed!

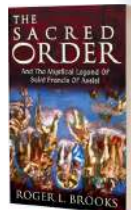
It's easy to reduce the gospel to a message about right living and adherence to a moral code that we have to try hard to follow. It's easy to reduce it to a set of self-help principles that we can adopt. It's easy to reduce it to any number of things. But once you start hearing about God's plan "for our glory," you know that Jesus has done something for us that we could never do ourselves. His death defeated our death. And his resurrection has opened heaven—for all of us.

This is part of the "mysterious, hidden" plan that God has now revealed in Christ. Jesus, the risen and glorified Lord, is our true destiny. He has made us for heaven!

Today is the perfect day to ask the Holy Spirit to reveal this glorious plan to you a little more. Read today's second reading slowly and prayerfully. Let the words sink into your heart and fill you with hope. You were created for glory!



"The Sacred Order  
will leave readers  
breathless and  
enlightened."  
—New York Weekly



"The Vatican  
thriller  
of the year!"  
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