

INSTRUMENT OF PEACE

"It is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; it is in dying that we are born to eternal life"

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February 18th 2018

10:30- 12 Council Meeting
12:00 Mass
1-130 Social Refreshments by Mary Stepke
1:30- 1:40 Opening Prayer *Barbara*
Divine Office First Sunday of Lent 994 *Joe*
1:40-1:45 Reflections by Fr. George
1:45-2:15 Ongoing Formation Presentation
-From the Q by Shirley
2:15-2:30 Small Group Discussion on Lent
-Barbara
2:30-3:00 Business Meeting *Barbara*
-News from around the region,
-March 10th Retreat and MOQ Retreat
(Barbara)
Franciscan Center updates (*Stas*)
Volunteers for next Meeting
Any other additional Items...
3-3:15 Closing Prayer *Barbara*

*Most High Glorious God,
enlighten the darkness of our
minds. Give us a right faith, a
firm hope and perfect charity, so
that we may always and in all
things act according to Your
Holy Will.*

Amen.



JESUS
MAY THE MOST
PRECIOUS NAME OF
JESUS BE ADORED AND
GLORIFIED FOREVER



THE
FORTY
DAYS
of LENT

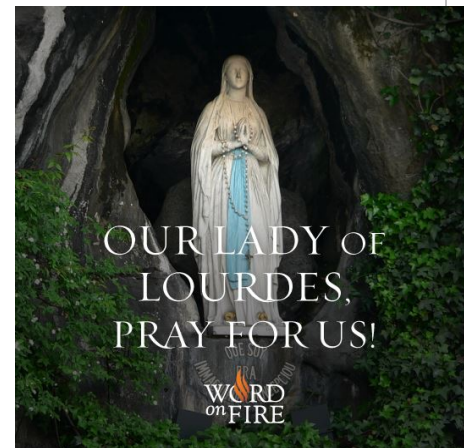
RETURN
to the
LORD
YOUR
GOD

February 14 – March 31, 2018

BREAD OF LIFE
DELIVERER
IMMANUEL
GOD WITH US
MIGHTY ONE
ALPHA & OMEGA
King of Kings
Lord of Lords
GOOD SHEPHERD
THE WAY THE TRUTH THE LIFE
LION OF JUDAH

Lord of All
SACRIFICED
Lamb of God
JESUS CHRIST
BELOVED SON
SHEPHERD
THE TRUTH THE LIFE

HOLY ONE
OUR PEACE
SAVIOR
WORD OF GOD
REDEEMER
WONDERFUL COUNSELOR
MIGHTY GOD
EVERLASTING FATHER
PRINCE OF PEACE
MESSIAH



OUR LADY OF
LOURDES,
PRAY FOR US!

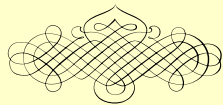
WORD
on FIRE

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Please make every attempt to come to our meetings.
IF YOU UNABLE TO MAKE THE MONTHLY GATHERING, CONTACT JOE
(410) 391-3981 OR BY CELL AT (443) 743-0948

Your monthly common fund donation can be mailed to Shirley Sapp at: 1429
Union Ave. Balto. MD 21211

PROFESSION ANNIVERSARIES



BIRTHDAYS

Joan Popp OFS
February 27th

Happy Birthday!

*Blessed be God.
Blessed be His Holy Name.
Blessed be Jesus Christ,
true God and true Man.
Blessed be the Name of
Jesus.
Blessed be His Most Sacred
Heart.
Blessed be His Most
Precious Blood.
Blessed be Jesus in the
Most Holy Sacrament of
the Altar.
Blessed be the Holy Spirit,
the Paraclete.*

*Blessed be the great
Mother of God, Mary most Holy.
Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate
Conception.
Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.
Blessed be the Name of Mary, Virgin
and Mother.
Blessed be St. Joseph, her most chaste
spouse.
Blessed be God in His Angels and in His
saints forever. Amen*

Around the Region

Franciscan Retreat

Beholding the face of Christ In Others

Shrine of St. Anthony (Ellicott City)

April 7th 8:30am - 4:00pm

410.531.2800

Franciscan Center Event

Inaugural Art Exhibition

March 10-24

101 W. 23rd St. Baltimore MD

410.467.5340

SNOW DAYS

**For inclement weather such as
snow, we will be using our Phone
Tree system.**

+Prayers for the Sick +

Pat Hanges
Helen Cave
Sheila Stefonowicz
Gayle Pfifer
Marge Pfifer
Kathy Tumas
Sharon Hare
Amelia Reems
Theresa Lotz
Joan Popp
Donna Aldrich
George Snyder
Regina Lovejoy
Eileen Culcatta
Toni Sterner
Phyllis Fowler
Nancy Cappellini
Ed Stepke
Mary Stepke
Bill Lotz
Christopher & Catherine Petty

Prayer Requests

**IF YOU OR A LOVED ONE IS SICK OR
OTHERWISE NEEDS PRAYER, PLEASE
NOTIFY BARBARA COUNTRYMAN.
301-865-4885**

Prayer Tree

**If there is a death or someone is
hospitalized, please call Bill Lotz at
410-485-1591**

There is Power in Prayer!



Month of the Holy Name of Jesus and His Holy Childhood

Franciscan Calendar for the month of February

1. Bl. Patrick O'Loughran, Priest, religious of the Franciscan 1st Order, martyr d. 1612
2. Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary
3. Martyrs of Japan, religious of the Franciscan 1st Order, lay brothers and Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1597
4. St. Joseph de Leonisse, Priest, Capuchin religious, d. 1612
5. St. Jane of Valois, Virgin, the Franciscan 2nd-Order; a "Poor Clare" sister, d. 1505
6. Bl. Pius IX, Pope, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d.1878
7. St. Egide-Marie de St. Joseph, lay brother, religious of the Franciscan 1st Order d. 1812
8. Bl. Anthony of Stroncone, lay brother, religious of the Franciscan 1st Order, d. 1461
9. Bl. Clare of Rimini, Virgin, of the Franciscan 2nd-Order; a "Poor Clare" sister, d. 1346
10. Bl. Alojzije Stepinac, Bishop, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1960
11. Apparition of Our Lady of Lourdes, 1858
12. Bl. Andre Ferrari, Bishop, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1921
13. St. Eustochium of Messine, Virgin, of the Franciscan 2nd-Order; a "Poor Clare" sister, d. 1485
14. Bl. Philippa Mareri, Virgin, of the Franciscan 2nd-Order; a "Poor Clare" sister, d. 1263
15. Translation of the relics of St. Anthony
16. Bl. Veridiana, Virgin, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1242
17. Bl. Luke Belludi, Priest, religious of the Franciscan 1st Order, d. 1286
18. St. Bernadette Soubirous, Virgin, cordbearer, d. 1879 Plenary Indulgence possible for the Cordbearers only
19. St. Conrad de Plaisance, Confessor, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1351
20. Bl. Peter of Treja, Priest religious of the Franciscan 1st Order, d. 1304
21. St. Margaret of Cortona, penitent, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1297, Plenary Indulgence possible (renewal of engagements of the Franciscan Third Order Secular)
22. Feast of the Chair of St. Peter
23. Bl. Isabelle of France, Virgin of the Franciscan 2nd-Order; a "Poor Clare" sister, d. 1270
24. Bl. Innocent XI, Pope, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1689
25. Bl. Sebastian of Aparicio, lay brother, religious of the Franciscan 1st Order, d. 1600
26. Bl. Antonia of Florence, Virgin, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1533
27. Bl. Louise Albertoni, Virgin, Franciscan Third Order Secular, d. 1533
28. Bl. Jeremie de Valachie, lay brother, Capuchin religious, d. 1625

