



SECOND  
SUNDAY  
OF LENT

February 21, 2016



**WE ARE TO BE TRANSFORMED**

Today's showing forth of God's glory is filled with a light that astonishes and reveals. Jesus transfigured on Mount Tabor energizes even the sleepy apostles, who see but cannot get hold of it. They can be forgiven for not apprehending the full meaning of this extraordinary vision of a transfigured Jesus with Elijah and Moses. The whole of the Law and prophets is summed up here on this mountain. The transfiguration on Mount Tabor is handed over to us this Sunday. As Paul reminds us, it is we who are to be transformed. The light and life of the Resurrection are set forth here so we do not lose heart and fall entirely asleep. This Sunday looks to Easter. It looks to transformation. It asks us to lift up our heads and acknowledge the risen Lord as our light and our salvation.

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**Stations of the Cross**  
**Fridays, February 12 thru**  
**March 18 @ 6PM**  
**Good Friday, March 25@ Noon**



Be renewed in this intimate experience of Jesus' solidarity with all humanity in our way of the cross each day.

This Friday's stations will be lead by the Social Justice Committee.

“A little bit of mercy makes the world less cold and more just.”

*Pope Francis*

**“PSoup & Psalms”**  
**6:30pm in the Church**  
**Wednesdays during Lent & Holy Week**  
**February 17 – March 23**

Our “PSoup & Psalms” is Evening Prayer, or Vespers, and consists of the singing of the Psalms, the Proclamation of the Word of God, time for silent meditation, the singing of the Magnificat (Mary’s Song of Praise), intercessions, and praise. During “PSoup & Psalms,” we share soup and bread prepared by various parishioners.

**Please contact Norma Perry**  
[leenorma@sbcglobal.net](mailto:leenorma@sbcglobal.net) if you would like to provide soup or bread.

**Social Justice Committee**

**Pasta & Games**

Friday, March 11 @ 6:30PM Hall

**St. Mary’s Center for the homeless**

We are still collecting toiletries, small sizes would be best. In addition, socks would be welcome.

**The Catholic Worker**

We also are still collecting rice, beans, canned and boxed goods, toilet paper, and paper towels.

Thank you for your support.

**24 Hours for the Lord**  
**Friday and Saturday, March 4-5**  
**Cathedral of Christ the Light,**  
**2121 Harrison Street**

Pope Francis has invited the whole world to join together in prayer March 4-5 to ask for and receive forgiveness. All are invited to the Cathedral of Christ the Light for 24 hours of music, meditations on reconciliation in various languages, adoration, and silent prayer. Confessions will be available until 11:00 p.m. on Friday and starting at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday. Make a pilgrimage to the Doors of Mercy, and receive the abundant graces of this Jubilee year.

For more information, please contact  
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## STEWARDSHIP

February 14 Collection	\$ 1,850.00
Bishop's Appeal	
Our 2016 Goal	\$ 7,651.00
Received as of 2/14/2016	\$ 345.00
Capital Improvement Campaign	
Our 2016 Goal	\$ 20,000.00
Received as of 2/17/2016	\$ 2,068.00
<i>Reclaiming Christ's Mission Together:</i>	
Our Goal	\$ 163,740.00
Pledged as of 11/2/2015	\$ 135,525.00
<b>Remaining Balance</b>	<b>\$ 28,215.17</b>
<b>25% received as of 11/18/2015</b>	<b>\$ 11,512.00</b>

**Thank you for your continued generosity!**



### Saturday, February 20

5:00PM – Rodney & Elvira O'Hare

### Sunday, February 21

10:00AM – For the Intentions of Helen Weber

### MASS INTENTIONS

When we celebrate the Eucharist, heaven and earth unite. We are one with our loved ones who have gone before us. We would like to encourage you to consider remembering by name your loved ones at a mass on the weekdays or on the weekend.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. PASCHAL BAYLON

### Sunday, February 21

Choir Practice, 9:15AM, Church  
Volunteer Appreciation Mass, 10AM

### Wednesday, February 24

Psoup & Psalm, 6:30PM,

### Thursday, February 25

Choir Practice, 5:30PM, Church

### Friday, February 26

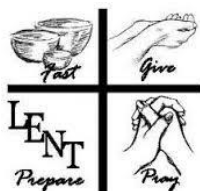
Stations of the Cross, 6PM, Church

### Saturday, February 27

SPRED Training, 9AM-3PM

### Sunday, February 28

First Communion Class, 9AM, Rectory Conf. Rm  
Choir Practice, 9:15AM, Church



## PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill, especially:

Anna Alberti	Shirley & Ed Mannette
Stephen Alberti	Gary Manuel
Jocelyn Alcantara	Rosie Martin
Claudia Blancher	Sandra Meekins
Lani Borges	Sam Meo
Andrew Brown	Grady Miles
Peter Cuddyre	Dakota Neal-Soublet
Benigno Cusortelli	Bob Norris
Jerry DeMaria	Angela Paz
Alex & Dorothy Donaville	James Pearson
Sue Ann Dunford	Norma Perry
Gerri Escobar	Sonja Phillips
Juanita Estrella	Carol Reinero
Jess Felis	Bea Scott
James Ferguson	Rich Selby
Jane Framsted	Bill Slon
Libia George	Bruce Soublet
Ernie Gonsalves	Margaret Soublet
Chanel Marie Gordon	Rosetta Souza
Sue Holmes	Jared Springer
Meghan Johnson	Nancy Stoeber
Lisa Johnston	Sandra Tanhuanpaa
Heidi Kauzlarich	Leila Tassano
Sarah Leech	Elizabeth Vallerga
	Barbara Wickhorst



And for those who have died.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19  
Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 23:1-12  
Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28  
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31  
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46  
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32  
Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Ps 103:1-4, 6-8, 11; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9  
Alternate readings (Year A):  
Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Second Sunday of Lent  
Monday: The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle; Washington's Birthday  
Tuesday: St. Polycarp  
Friday: Abstinence