

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

February 3, 2019

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Office Hours: 9:30 AM - Noon; 1:00 - 3:30 PM

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## Holy Mass

Sunday 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM (High Mass)

Monday 7:30 PM

Tuesday 12:15 PM

Wednesday 12:15 PM

Thursday 12:15 PM

Friday 12:15 PM, 7:30 PM

Saturday 9:00 AM

Holydays 12:15 PM, 7:30 PM (High Mass)

*Unless otherwise noted.*

## ◆ Confessions

45 minutes before Sunday Masses

30 minutes before daily Masses

Extended times on Sundays upon availability of the priests.



*All Masses and Sacraments according to the Usus Antiquior of the Roman Rite*

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~ Masses and Intentions for the Week ~

**Sunday, February 3** **Green**

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany, II Class  
8:30 AM Robin and Paola DeLage  
10:30 AM Pro Populo

**Monday, February 4** **White**

St. Andrew Corsini, Bishop, III Class  
7:30 PM Souls in Purgatory  
A famous Carmelite friar who became bishop of Friesole, he was known for his great love of the poor and as a peacemaker. He died in 1373.

**Tuesday, February 5** **Red**

St. Agatha, Virgin/Martyr, III Class  
12:15 PM Vercilla Optiz +  
Little is known of the date on which St. Agatha, patroness of Cantania in Sicily, underwent martyrdom, as well as the circumstances of her arrest. But her cultus became widespread and renowned. She is mentioned in the Canon.

**Wednesday, February 6** **White**

St. Titus, Bishop, III Class  
12:15 PM Nick Optiz Jr. +  
After accompanying St. Paul on several of his missionary journeys, Titus, whom St. Paul called his disciple and well-beloved brother, settled in Crete, having been made bishop of the island by St. Paul. It was there that St. Paul composed his epistle to him that forms part of Sacred Scripture.

**Thursday, February 7** **White**

St. Romuald, Abbot, III Class  
12:15 PM Donna M. Hoffman +  
Founder of one of the Italian branches of the Benedictines, he died in 1027 after a life of prayer and austerity. But, with all his austerities, his joy was so great and obvious that it was communicated to all who saw him.

**Friday, February 8** **White**

St. John of Matha, Confessor  
12:15 PM FSSP  
6:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
7:30 PM All Marriages in the Parish  
Founder of the Trinitarian Order for the ransom of captives, he devoted his whole life and priestly activity to the relief and ransoming of the Christian prisoners of the Muslims.

**Saturday, February 9** **White**

St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop/Doctor, III Class  
9:00 AM Edward A. Hoffman +  
One of the great defenders of the Faith against the Nestorian heresy which denied our Lady to be the Mother of God, he presided in the Pope's name over the Council of Ephesus in 431. It was on his instigation that it was defined that in Christ there is only one divine Person and that consequently the Savior is at the same time true God and true Man and that our Lady is indeed the Mother of God. He died in 444.

**Sunday, February 10** **Green**

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany, II Class  
8:30 AM Anthony Layton +  
10:30 AM Pro Populo

**Quid timidi estis, modicae fidei?**

*From the Gospel of the Sunday*

**Throat Blessings** will follow the Masses today, and will be available through the week, for the feast of St. Blase, bishop and martyr. The blessing is as follows:  
*Through the intercession of St. Blase, bishop and martyr, may God free you from maladies of the throat, and from all other evil. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**The next monthly social** at Gardens of Salonica on 5th Street is scheduled for next Sunday, February 10 following the 10:30 High Mass. All are welcome.

**The St. Joseph Men's Guild** will meet on Wednesday, February 13, beginning with Mass at 7:00 PM, followed by Benediction. Confession will be available at 6:30. Husbands and fathers, as well as those aspiring to marriage, are always encouraged to attend.

**The next monthly recollection** is scheduled for Saturday, February 16 from 10-11:30 AM. The recollections consist of two sermons on a related topic, with exposition, the Rosary, and Benediction, with confession available as well. As formal retreats are impractical for many, it is hoped that these regular recollections will serve as a profitable substitute, especially for busy parents.

**Roll in to Flaherty's Bowl** in Arden Hills on Sunday, February 24 starting at 2:00 PM! Consider bringing a chili or hearty soup to share (potluck style) - we'll have a contest for the best chili and a prize. (There will be food available for purchase as well.) Home-brewers are invited to showcase their beer. There will be free open bowling available along with a balloon-twisting show, which will be entertaining for everyone. Mark the calendar now and plan to attend!

**Out of town.** Fr. Saguto will be away on vacation February 4-14. There will be no change in the Mass and confession schedule during that time. Please go easy on Fr. Stewart.

**2018 donation statements** have been mailed for all cumulative donations exceeding \$250. If you believe there is an error or would like a more detailed statement, please contact the parish office. Thank you.

**Additional Prayers at Mass.** Upon making some inquiries with the archdiocesan office of worship and getting a favorable response, additional collects will be added at the Sunday Masses. These were formerly prescribed before 1962, and included a prayer for our Lady's intercession or for the suffrage of all the saints, and then a third either for the well-being of the Pope or for protection of the Church against her enemies. Given the present-day trials the Church endures, there is no more fitting way than to implore God's assistance than from the altar at Holy Mass. Please unite your own sentiments for the Church's welfare and interior healing with these prayers.

# Church of All Saints

## Baptism

Within the first month of birth. The Godparents must be practicing Catholics in good standing. Please contact the office to schedule.

## Marriage

Please arrange at least six months in advance of the anticipated date. Pre-Cana instruction with a priest.

## Convert Instruction

On a rolling basis. Please contact the office to schedule an interview with a priest.

## Exposition and Benediction

Fridays from 6:00-7:15 PM  
First Saturdays from 7:45-8:45 AM.

## St. Joseph's Men's Guild

Second Wednesday of the month at 7:00 PM.

## Monthly Recollection

Third Saturday of the month from 10:00-11:30 AM.

## Choir and Schola Gregoriana

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**Prayer for the Church:** *Graciously hear, O Lord, the prayers of Thy Church that, having overcome all adversity and every error, she may serve Thee in security and freedom.*

**Enrollment in Direct Deposit** can be done by clicking on the "Online Giving" link on the parish website and creating an account to enable automatic recurring gifts; one-time gifts are also possible through this link without creating an account. Check and cash donations are still welcome, but as the envelope system has been discontinued, for cash donations to be credited for tax purposes, please be sure to put your name and address on the envelope that is used so it can be identified and recorded. Thank you!

**Parish registration** forms are available in the vestibule. Registration is encouraged as it assists the pastor to know to whom he is bound to provide pastoral care, enables him to baptize and witness marriages, as well as provide

sacramental preparation for his parishioners. For this reason, and in justice and charity to the respective pastors, an individual or family should not be registered at two or more parishes, and should be attending their registered parish regularly. If address or status changes, please kindly inform the parish office.

## Contributions *May God reward your generosity!*

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## Calendar of Events

February 3	First Communion classes begin
February 10	Monthly social at Gardens of Salonica
February 13	St. Joseph's Guild
February 16	Monthly Recollection
February 17	Septuagesima (aka "Little Lent")
February 24	Afternoon at Flaherty's Bowl
February 30	Summer unexpectedly arrives

## A Final Thought...

The right attitude toward God, then, is having a very peaceful, "relaxed" acceptance of ourselves and our weaknesses as well as an immense desire for holiness, and a strong determination to progress, based on limitless trust in God's grace.

What has just been said will enable us to avoid the false understanding that accepting ourselves with our deficiencies means shutting ourselves up inside our limitations. Because of past injuries and past experience (someone once told us, "You won't manage," "You'll never be any good," etc.), because of certain failures, and also because of our lack of trust in God, we have a strong tendency to carry around a whole set of "limiting beliefs" or unreal convictions that make us think we will never be capable of doing this or that, of tackling such and such a situation. There are countless examples. We tell ourselves, "I'll never manage that, I'll never get this sorted out, things will always be the same." Such sentiments have nothing to do with the consent to our own limitations we've been looking at. They are merely the result of past wounds, our fears, our lack of trust in ourselves, and in God. They must be unmasked, not clung to. In consenting to be what we are, we accept ourselves in our poverty but also in our richness, and that allows all our honest capacities, our true abilities, to grow and flourish. Before saying we can't do this or that, we should discern whether this estimate is the fruit of healthy spiritual realism or a purely psychological conviction that needs to be healed.

Sometimes we tend to forbid ourselves some wholesome aspiration, some accomplishment, or legitimate happiness. A subconscious psychological mechanism makes us deny ourselves happiness out of a sense of guilt or it may come from a false sense of God's will, as if we ought to systematically deprive ourselves of everything good in life! In either case, it has nothing to do with genuine spiritual realism and acceptance of our own limitations. God sometimes calls us to make sacrifices but He also sets us free from fears and false sense of imprisoning guilt. He restores to us the freedom to welcome whatever good and pleasant things He wants to give us in order to encourage and show us His tenderness.

If there is one area where nothing will ever be forbidden to us, it is holiness, provided it is not confused with external perfection, extraordinary feats, or a permanent inability to sin. If we understand holiness properly, as the possibility of growing indefinitely in love for God and our brothers and sisters, we can be certain that nothing will be beyond our reach. All we need to do is never get discouraged and never resist, but trust completely the action of God's grace.

We don't all have in us the stuff of sages or heroes. But by God's grace we do have the stuff of saints. That is the baptismal robe we put on when we received the Sacrament that made us God's children.

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