

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – FEBRUARY 14, 2021

DAILY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS	REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS	PARISH INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS	
<p>Saturday February 13 Mass 5:00 pm Int. Healing for Jim Ayers</p> <p>Sunday February 14 Mass 8:30 am Int. Beth Vanderstoep and Danny Hemachandra on their Birthdays</p> <p>Mass 10:30 am Int. Healing for Christy Hall</p> <p>Monday February 15 Mass 9:30 am Int. Davis Brothers on their Birthday</p> <p>Tuesday February 16 No public Mass and Office is Closed</p> <p>Ash Wednesday February 17 Mass 11:00 am Int. + Doreen Weber</p> <p>Ash Wednesday Service 5:00 pm</p> <p>Thursday February 18 Mass 9:30 am Int. + Sherill Crawford</p> <p>Circle of Caring 10:30 am RCIA Class 6:00 pm</p> <p>Friday February 19 Mass 9:30 am Int. Healing for all those who are sick</p>	<p>A Time for Healing and Sorrow: Please pray for John Burke, Teresita Smith, Harold Stern and all those who are sick or who need healing. Also pray for those who have died recently, and pray for those who have asked for our prayers.</p> <p>A Time for Joy and Celebration: We pray for all those who are celebrating a special occasion this week. Happy Birthday to Willie Helwig, Richard Steel, and Bradley Watson.</p>	<p>RCIA: The Rite of Sending will be performed today. This Rite affords the parish the opportunity to express its approval, to rejoice in the decision to receive the sacraments of initiation and to assure the Catechumens and Candidates of the community's care and support.</p> <p>HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY: We hope that all those who are in loving relationships, have a wonderful day and that they remember that their love for each other is a reflection of God's love for all of us.</p> <p>LENT: Ash Wednesday - Mass at 11am and a service in the evening at 5pm for those who could not make it to Mass but want to pray and receive the ashes. This Friday - Stations of the Cross at 5pm in the Parish Hall. Please check out our Website or Facebook page for daily prayers and reflections during Lent.</p>	
	<p>New Sign and Prayer: Next week, as you approach the parking lot of St. Mary by the Sea, notice the battleship gray signage in front of you, and directly behind the Fulton Memorial Bench. Printed thereon is an intimate invitation that you may find memorable and rewarding for meditation and/or your contemplative stroll on the Lord's beautiful creation. Thank you, Jesus, and thank you to Wayne Schultz for the beautiful signage and to the Parish Council for including it in our parish environment</p>	<p>CRS RICE BOWL is Catholic Relief Services' Lenten faith-in-action program. It offers opportunities for your family to engage daily with the spiritual pillars of Lent: prayer, fasting and almsgiving. And it's an opportunity for our parish to come together as a community and practice the works of mercy with our neighbors and our brothers and sisters around the world. Pick up your Rice Bowl on the table at the entrance or in the office. For more information go to crsricebowl.org</p> <p>CHURCH RESTORATION UPDATE: The work continues and is moving along nicely. The cleaning and sealing of the ceiling and walls is almost finished and all the pews are in the process of being restored at another location. We are still on track to be finished by March 23rd. So we should be back in the church for Easter.</p> <p>SPECIAL COLLECTION: This weekend, our special collection supports the Churches pastoral care, catechesis, building renovations, and seminary formation in more than 25 countries in Central and Eastern Europe. Please be generous to the collection today.</p>	
	<p>COVID-19 UPDATE: Because of the risk, the general dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass is still in place. Signing up to attend Mass is not required at this time but we are still following the guidelines of wearing a mask and maintaining social distancing.</p>	<p>PARISH STAFF: Administrator: Father Mariano Escano mescano@archdpx.org 503-842-6647 Parochial Vicar: Father Macdonald Akuti padreakuti@gmail.com 424-410-0097 Parish Secretary: Doris Matthews stmarys1927doris@gmail.com 503-355-2661</p>	<p>CONTACT INFO: Parish office is open: Mon, Wed, & Fri 9AM until 3PM Parish website: stmarybythesea.com Parish email: stmarys1927@gmail.com</p>