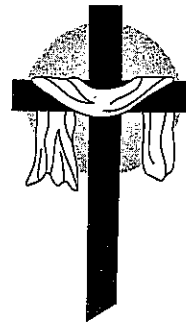


March 12, 2017
Second Sunday of Lent

Gospel Reading: Mt 17:1-9

"While he was still speaking, behold, a bright cloud cast a shadow over them, then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.' " (Mt 17:5)

Make extra time before Mass today to read from the Gospels and prayerfully meditate on God's Word.

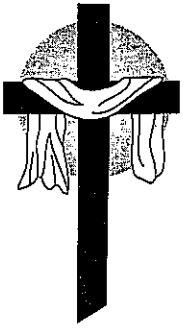


March 13, 2017
Monday of the Second Week of Lent

Gospel Reading: Lk 6:36-38

"Stop judging and you will not be judged. Stop condemning and you will not be condemned. Forgive and you will be forgiven." (Lk 6:37)

Say the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, or a prayer of your choosing, asking God to increase within you, His mercy and compassion for others.

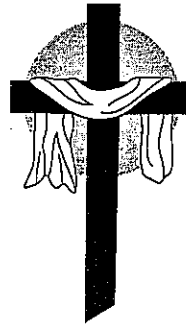


March 14, 2017
Tuesday of the Second Week of Lent

Gospel Reading: Mt 23:1-12

"Call no one on earth your father; you have but one Father in heaven." (Mt 23:9)

Perform a charitable act of mercy or kindness today in God's holy name.

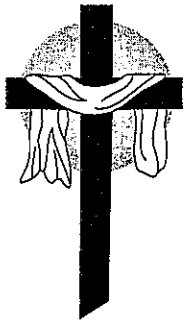


March 15, 2017
Wednesday of the Second Week of Lent

Gospel Reading: Mt 20:17-28

"Just so, the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." (Mt 20:28)

Reflect on the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary, and consider the love Jesus must have for you, in order to have suffered so greatly for our Salvation.

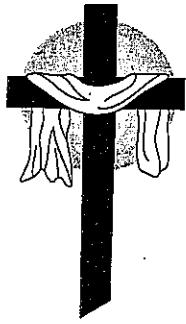


March 16, 2017
Thursday of the Second Week of Lent

Gospel Reading: Lk 16:19-31

"Then Abraham said, 'If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead.' " (Lk 16:31)

Pray Come, Holy Spirit, or a prayer of your choosing, asking the Holy Spirit for an increase in wisdom and understanding.

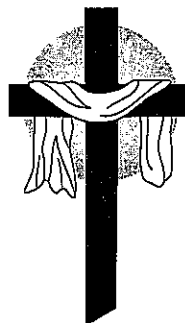


March 17, 2017
Friday of the Second Week of Lent

Gospel Reading: Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

"Did you never read in the scriptures: The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; by the Lord has this been done, and it is wonderful in our eyes?" (Mt 21:42)

Make an act of faith in Jesus Christ, the cornerstone. Perhaps even pray the Creed.



March 18, 2017
Saturday of the Second Week of Lent

Gospel Reading: Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

"... your brother was dead and has come to life again; he was lost and has been found." (Lk 15:32)

Invite a family member or friend to Church, especially one who has fallen away from the practice of the faith.