

María Madre de Dios

JANUARY 2026



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Father Francis Clement Kelley founded Catholic Extension Society in 1905 to "awaken the missionary spirit in America."		DECEMBER 2025 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	FEBRUARY S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	The Holy Mother OF GOD The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord New Year's Day ★	2 STS. BASIL THE GREAT AND GREGORY NAZIANZEN, BISHOPS AND DOCTORS OF THE CHURCH First Friday of the Month	The Most Holy Name of Jesus
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	5 ST. JOHN NEUMANN, BISHOP	6 St. André Bessette, Religious	7 St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest	8	9 1	10
THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD	12 FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME	St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	14 [©]	15 ⁶	16 [©]	17 ST. ANTHONY, ABBOT
18 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	19 Martin Luther King Jr. Day *	St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr St. Sebastian, Martyr GRR	21 ST. AGNES, VIRGIN AND MARTYR	DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN W or M	St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr St. Marianne Cope, Virgin	ST. FRANCIS DE SALES, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	26 STS. TIMOTHY AND TITUS, BISHOPS	27 St. Angela Merici, Virgin	ST. THOMAS AQUINAS, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	29 ⁶	30 ⁶	31 ST. JOHN BOSCO, PRIEST



FEBRUARY 2026



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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD	St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr St. Ansgar, Bishop R W	4	5 ST. AGATHA, VIRGIN AND MARTYR	ST. PAUL MIKI AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS First Friday of the Month	7 BVM G ₩
FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9	10 st. scholastica, virgin	11 Our Lady of Lourdes	12 6	13 [©]	STS. CYRIL, MONK, AND METHODIUS, BISHOP St. Valentine's Day
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	16 ^{Presidents'} Day ★	The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order	ASH WEDNESDAY	19 THURSDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY	20 FRIDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY ₩ ∞	21 St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Pirst sunday of lent ✓	23 St. Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr	24	25™	26™	St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot and Doctor of the Church	28 •

San Oscar Romei



MARCH 2026



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	2	3 St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin	4 St. Casimir №	5	6 № ∞	7 Sts. Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs ✓
8 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT Daylight Saving Time Begins V	St. Frances of Rome, Religious	10™	11™	12	13 [™] [∞]	14™
15 FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT ✓ or ✓	16 [™]	St. Patrick, Bishop St. Patrick's Day	18 St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	19 ST. JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	20 ™∞	21
22 FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT	23 St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop	24	25 THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD	26	27™∾	28 •
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD	30 MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK	31 TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK	approximately 1,50	on Society funds 0 projects each year s and its territories.	FEBRUARY S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	APRIL S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25



APRIL 2026



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projects in every s	atholic Extension Socie tate. Last year, Catholic projects in 40 states and	Extension Society	■ WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK	THURSDAY OF HOLY WEEK (HOLY THURSDAY)	FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (GOOD FRIDAY) First Friday of the Month	4 M
5 EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD	6 MONDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER	7 TUESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER	8 WEDNESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER	9 THURSDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER	10 FRIDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER	SATURDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
12 SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)	13 St. Martin I, Pope and Martyr	14 ^M	15 *	16 [™]	17 ™	18 [™]
19 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	20 M	21 St. Anselm, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	22 ^M	St. George, Martyr St. Adalbert, Bishop and Martyr MRR	St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest and Martyr	25 ST. MARK, EVANGELIST
Property of Easter M	27™	St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr St.Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest	ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA, VIRGIN AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	30 St. Pius V, Pope	MARCH S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	MAY S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

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MAY 2026



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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	4 [™]	5 ^M	6 1	7	8 1	9 11
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Mother's Day	11 ^M	Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs St. Pancras, Martyr	13 Oùr Lady of Fatima	THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD Ecclesiastical Provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Omaha and Philadelphia	15 St. Isidore	16 [™]
THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Ecclesiastical Provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Omaha and Philadelphia	18 St. John I, Pope and Martyr	19	St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest	21 St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs	22 St. Rita of Cascia, Religious	23 [™]
PENTECOST SUNDAY THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH EIGHTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME Memorial Day *	26 ST. PHILIP NERI, PRIEST ₩	St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop	28 6	29 St. Paul VI, Pope G₩	30 BVM



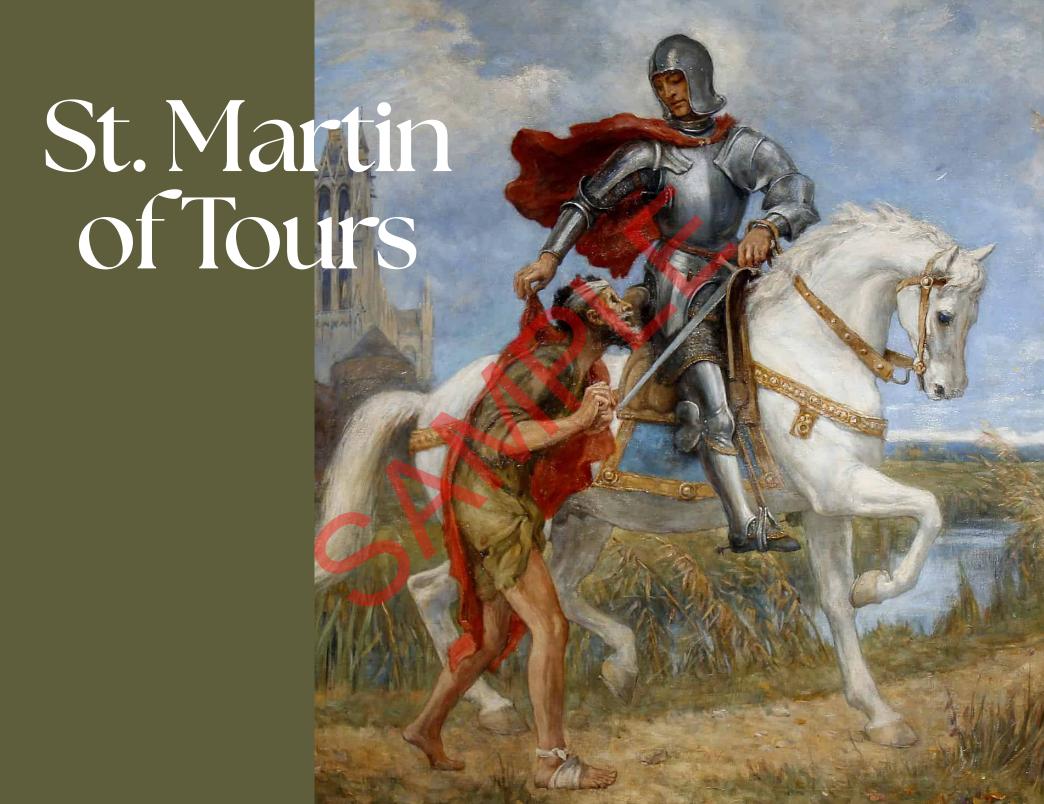
San Ansenio de Padua

JUNE 2026



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	ST. JUSTIN, MARTYR NINTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME R	Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs	3 ST. CHARLES LWANGA AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS	4	5 ST. BONIFACE, BISHOP AND MARTYR First Friday of the Month	St. Norbert, Bishop BVM SWW
THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)	8 TENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME	St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church	10 6	11 ST. BARNABAS, APOSTLE R	12 THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church BVM GWWW
14 ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Father's Day Flag Day	15 ⁶	16 6	17 6	18 6	St. Romuald, Abbot Juneteenth ★ ⑤ ₩	20 G W
TWELFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME	St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop Sts. John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs	23	THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST	25 ⁶	26 ^c	St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church BVM
28 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	39 STS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES	The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church		ius X made Catholic papal society to serve	MAY S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16	JULY S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18

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JULY 2026

CATHOLIC
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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5 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr	7	8	St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs	10 ⁶	ST. BENEDICT, ABBOT
12 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	13 St. Henry G ₩	14 ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA, VIRGIN	ST. BONAVENTURE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	Our Lady of Mount Carmel	17 6	18 St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest BVM G M M
19 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	St. Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr	St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church	22 ST. MARY MAGDALENE	St. Bridget, Religious	24 St. Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest	25 ST. JAMES, APOSTLE
26 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	27	28	29 STS. MARTHA, MARY, AND LAZARUS	St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	31 ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA, PRIEST	AUGUST S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29



San Cayetano

AUGUST 2026



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	lic Extension Society su d women religious serv			S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	SEPTEMBER S M T W T F S	ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
2 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	3	4 ST. JOHN VIANNEY, PRIEST	The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major	THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD	St. Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs St. Cajetan, Priest First Friday of the Month	8 ST. DOMINIC, PRIEST
9 NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	10 SAINT LAWRENCE, DEACON AND MARTYR	ST. CLARE, VIRGIN	12 St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious	Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs	T4 ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE, PRIEST AND MARTYR	15 THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	17 6	186	19 St. John Eudes, Priest	ST. BERNARD, ABBOT AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	21 ST. PIUS X, POPE	THE QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	24 ST. BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE	St. Louis St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest	26°	27 ST. MONICA	28 ST. AUGUSTINE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	THE PASSION OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
30 TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	31 6					



SEPTEMBER 2026



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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	7	8 THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	9 ST. PETER CLAVER, PRIEST	10 6	11 6	The Most Holy Name of Mary BVM GMW
TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	14 THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS	15 OUR LADY OF SORROWS	16 STS. CORNELIUS, POPE, AND CYPRIAN, BISHOP, MARTYRS	St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church St. Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin and Doctor of the Church	18 6	St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr BVM R W
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	21 ST. MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST	22	ST. PIUS OF PIETRELCINA, PRIEST	24 ⁶	25 6	Sts. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs BVM
TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	28 St. Wenceslaus, Martyr St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions,	29 STS. MICHAEL, GABRIEL AND RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS	30 ST. JEROME, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH			

Martyrs

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Catholic Extension Society helps subsidize the costs for over 400 seminarians in poor dioceses each year.



OCTOBER 2026



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Since 1905, Catholic Extension Society has made a significant impact on the physical presence of the Church by building or repairing 12,700 church buildings throughout America.		SEPTEMBER S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	NOVEMBER S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	ST. THÉRÈSE OF THE CHILD JESUS, VIRGIN AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS First Friday of the Month	3 GW
TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	5 St. Faustina Kowalska, Virgin Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest	St. Bruno, Priest Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin	OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY	8	St. Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs St. John Leonardi, Priest	10 ^{BVM}
TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	12 Columbus Day ★	13 6	14 St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr	ST. TERESA OF JESUS, VIRGIN AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	St. Hedwig, Religious St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin	T ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH, BISHOP AND MARTYR
TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	STS.JOHN DE BRÉBEUF AND ISAAC JOGUES, PRIESTS, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS	St. Paul of the Cross, Priest	21 6	St. John Paul II, Pope	St. John of Capistrano, Priest	St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop BVM
THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	26 6	27 6	28 STS. SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES	29 [©]	30 6	31 ^{BVM}

Cristo Rey



NOVEMBER 2026



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ALL SAINTS Daylight Saving Time Ends	THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS' DAY) or W or B	THIRTY-FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME St. Martin de Porres, Religious	ST. CHARLES BORROMEO, BISHOP	5	First Friday of the Month	7 © ₩
S THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	9 THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA	ST. LEO THE GREAT, POPE AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	ST. MARTIN OF TOURS, BISHOP Veterans Day ★	12 ST. JOSAPHAT, BISHOP AND MARTYR	ST. FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI, VIRGIN	14 ®W
THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	St. Margaret of Scotland St. Gertrude, Virgin	ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY, RELIGIOUS	The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles. St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin	19 6	20 6	THE PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE	THIRTY-FOURTH OR LAST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME St. Clement I, Pope and Martyr St. Columban, Abbot Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, Priest and Martyr	ST. ANDREW DÜNG- LAC, PRIEST, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS	St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr	26 GM Thanksgiving Day ★	27 [©]	28 GW
FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT	30 ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE	the second-old sharing inspiring	on Society publishes Ex dest Catholic periodical g stories about vibrant a atholic faith communit	l in the country, and transformative	S M T W T E S S 1 2 3	S M T W T F S



DECEMBER 2026



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Catholic Extension Society supports vibrant campus ministry programs serving about 125,000 university students each year.		1	2 •	3 ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, PRIEST	St. John Damascene, Priest and Doctor of the Church First Friday of the Month	5 [™]
6 SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	7 ST. AMBROSE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	8 THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	9 St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin	10 Our Lady of Loreto	St. Damasus I, Pope ▼	12 OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT ✓ or ✓	ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	15 [™]	16	17 ™	18 💆	19™
20 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT ✓	21 St. Peter Canisius, Priest and Doctor of the Church	22	23 St. John of Kanty, Priest	24 💆	THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (CHRISTMAS)	26 ST. STEPHEN, THE FIRST MARTYR
THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH	28 THE HOLY INNOCENTS, MARTYRS	PIFTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD St. Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr	30 SIXTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD	31 SEVENTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD St. Sylvester I, Pope	NOVEMBER S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14	JANUARY 2027 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16



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Yours in Christ.

Reverend John J. Wall, President

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CALENDAR KEY

Colors of the Liturgical Year are displayed in the date number:

Advent & Lent

2 Easter & Christmas Seasons

3 Ordinary Time

Holy Days of Obligation are red and uppercase:

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Solemnities, feasts and obligatory memorials are uppercase:

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

Optional memorials are regular lettercase:

St. Hilary

4 The Triduum

Holy Days of Obligation

National holidays appear in italic:

Mother's Day

Federal holidays appear in italic with a star:

Thanksgiving Day ★

Vestment colors are noted last. with abbreviations:

B = BLACK

R = RED

V = VIOLET

Lunar phases are observed in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC).

ABSTINENCE ∞

Abstinence is a penitential practice consisting of refraining from the consumption of meat and is to be observed by all Catholics who are 14 years of age and older. Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and the Fridays during Lent are days of abstinence. Pastors and parents are encouraged to see that children who are not bound by the obligation to fast and abstain are led to appreciate an authentic sense of penance.

FAST & ABSTINENCE

In addition to abstinence, fasting is to be observed by all Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 years (inclusive). On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, one full meal is allowed. Two smaller meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids are allowed. Note: Those who are unable to observe the above regulations due to ill health or other serious reasons are urged to practice other forms of self-denial that are suitable to their condition.