LENT WEEK 2 This is my chosen Son; listen to him. Luke 9:35

# St. Anthony of Padua Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel - St. Anthony of Padua Parish

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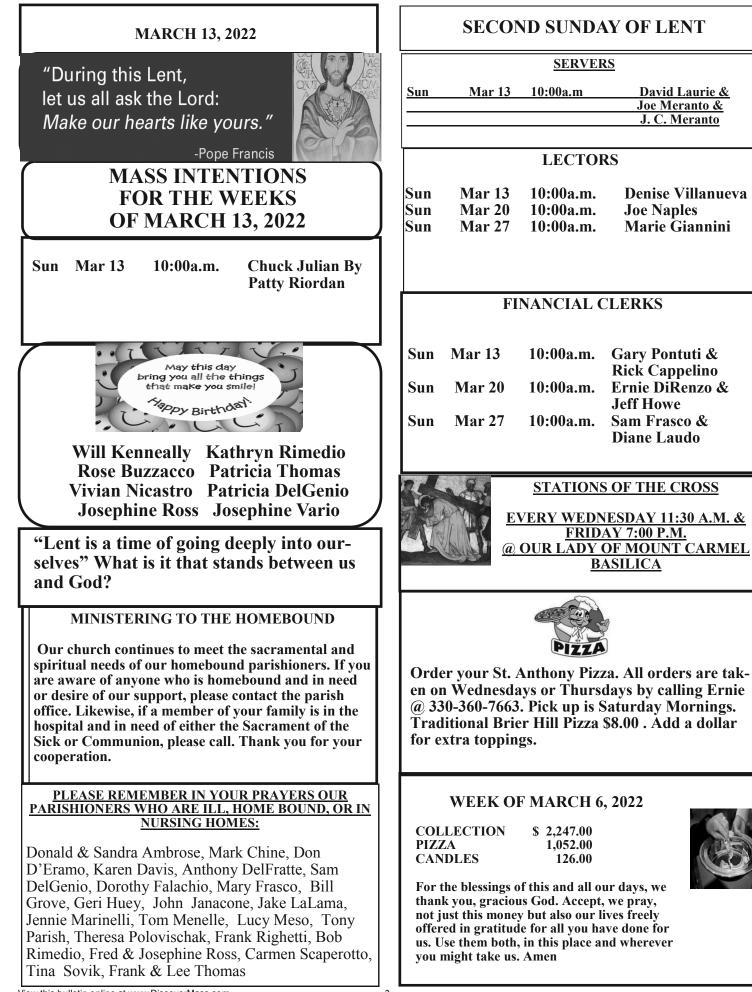
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NEW MEMBERS Please call the rectory during office hours to register.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE Please call the rectory to make arrangements six months in advance.

SICK CALLS Notify the rectory. The priest should be called as soon as possible.

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## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT TODAY'S FOCUS: AWAKENED BY THE LIGHT

The Transfiguration is a glimpse into the glory of the Risen Christ. Every glimpse of light, however, can also return us to that mountaintop.

Abram saw the light of the stars and trembled at God's promise. St. Paul was thrown to the ground and saw the light of Jesus; from then on, he fervently worked for the heavenly kingdom. What glimpses of light have awakened you to God? How have those flashes of glory transformed you and changed the course of your life?

> Genesis 15: 5-12, 17-18 Psalm 27: 1a Philippians 3: 17-4:1 Luke 9: 28b-36

Lord, I have been in a bit of a stupor, resting my weary head. Spiritual sleep has threatened to overtake me. Awaken me this day! You are my light and my salvation! Strengthen my eyesight to see you. All that is bright is in you; all that glistens is in you; all that sparkles is yours. Flash! Shine! Dispel my drowsiness! Gleam upon me this day, God of glory!

# SAINT ANTHONY NOVENA STARTS ON TUESDAY MARCH 15, 2022

9:00A.M. DEACON IZZO WILL LEAD LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH HOLY COMMUNION AND NOVENA PRAYER

5:30 P.M. DEACON FALASCA WILL LEAD WITH THE NOVENA PRAYER AND EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

> ST. ANTHONY CANDLE IN LOVING MEMORY OF WILLIAM TRELL <u>BY</u> PATTY TRELL

### **REGISTRATION:**

Members of the parish should be formally registered. If you are not receiving St. Anthony of Padua envelopes. Call the rectory at 330-744 -5091, Monday & Friday from 8:00a.m. until 2:00 p.m. or Wednesday from 8:00a.m. until noon. For a change of address or telephone number, please call the rectory as soon as possible.

#### POPE FRANCIS SAID TO BEGIN LENT ON THE RIGHT FOOT

"Let us not grow tired of doing good, for in due time we shall reap our harvest, if we do not give up. So then, while we have the opportunity let us do good to all" (Gal 6: 9-10)

**1.SOWING & REAPING: Lent invites us to a conversion, to a change in mindset, so that life's truth and beauty may be found not so much in possessing as in giving, not so much in accumulating as in sowing and sharing goodness.** 

2. "LET US NOT GROW TIRED OF DOING GOOD" Let us not grow tired of praying. Jesus taught us to pray always without becoming weary. We need prayer because we need God. Let us not grow tired of uprooting evil from our lives. Let us not grow tired of doing good in active charity towards our neighbors.

3. "IF WE DO NOT GIVE UP, WE SHALL REAP OUR HARVEST IN DUE TIME" The soil is prepared by fasting, watered by prayer and enriched by charity. Let us believe firmly that "if we do not give up, we shall reap our harvest in due time" and that, with the gift of perseverance, we shall obtain what was promised.....



abstinence are days on which we do not eat any meal at all. Dairy products, fish and seafood are allowed. All Catholics over the age of 14 must abstain. The days of obligatory abstinence as Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent. On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, both the laws of fasting & Abstinence apply and no meat may be eaten.



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