Join the Divine Mercy Team; Become a Warrior!

--Say the Divine Mercy Chaplet during Lent for 40 days.

End of Life Decisions

Last weekend we asked you to contact your representatives, asking them to oppose House Bill 1054 and Senate Bill 25. God, creator of life, does not want physician-assisted suicide. Remember: "Thou shall not kill." Physicians are supposed to help heal people, not abuse their medical practice. Furthermore, legalized euthanasia is a slippery slope that leads to other kinds of suicides. Finally, family and friends suffer greatly whenever there is a suicide.

To protect yourself, please visit the following website: <u>https://www.ewtn.com/morals/end-of-life.htm</u>. This link will give fundamental Catholic teaching on end of life decisions. At the end of the article, you will find advance directive durable power of attorney and healthcare proxy forms; you just need to click on them and print them.

Ash Wednesday Masses, February 10 (Lent Begins!)

-Saint Bernard (StB), 8:30 a.m. Confession after Mass.

- -Saint Anne (StA), <u>5:00 p.m.</u> Confession at 4:30 p.m.
- -Our Lady of the Snow (OLS), <u>6:45 p.m.</u> Confession after Mass.

-St. Ignatius (StI), <u>4:30 p.m.</u> Confession at 4 p.m.

-St. Peter (StP), <u>7:30 p.m.</u> Confession at 7 p.m.

Friday Meatless Suppers and Stations of the Cross

-<u>St. Peter</u>: Stations, 6:30 p.m.; soup/bread supper, 7:35 February 12, 19, 26; March 4, 11, 18 (Stations are bilingual; we need someone to lead the

English part on February 19.) -**St. Anne**: Soup/bread supper, 5:30 p.m. Stations, 6:45

- -<u>St. Anne</u>: Soup/bread supper, 5:30 p.m. Stations, 6:45 March 11
- -<u>St. Bernard</u>: Soup supper, 5:30 p.m. Stations, 6:45 February 26; March 18
- -<u>Our Lady</u>: Soup/bread supper, 5:30 p.m. Stations, 6:45 February 12; March 4

(No Stations at StA, OLS, or StB on February 19. Please go to the PRC banquet instead.)

First Tuesday Confession (Feb 2); St. Bernard, 7 p.m.

Quick Apologetics (Defending Your Faith)—The Papacy

Why do Catholics believe that the Pope is Christ's representative on earth and the successor of St. Peter? In Matthew 16:18-19, Jesus says, "And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." From this we see that Jesus establishes the Church and picks Peter as the visible head with teaching authority. As a Jew, Jesus came to re-establish the Kingdom of David in a perfect way under a new covenant. Remember that in the Davidic Kingdom, the Prime Minister had the authority of the King (see Isaiah 22:15-24). Jesus, by giving the keys to Peter, established the papacy; Francis is the 267th Pope.

Annual Pregnancy Resource Connection Banquet

- -When: Friday, Feb 19
- -Where: Younglife—Crooked Creek Camp; 3000 CR 517, Fraser
- -Time: 6 p.m. -Cost: Free Admission
- -Pre-registration only: call the PRC at 970-887-3617; Email: <u>office@prcgrand.com</u> Visit: www.pregnancyresourceconnection.org

-Free childcare: be sure to register the children in

advance. Contact the PRC office at 970-887-3617

Calendar of Events

-Feb 14 (Sun). Spanish Mass at Our Lady at 1 p.m.

- -Feb 19 (Fri). PRC Banquet at Younglife
- -Mar 13 (Sun). Spanish Mass at Our Lady at 1 p.m.
- -Apr 10 (Sun). Spanish Mass at Our Lady at 1 p.m.

Mass Collections, January 23 – 24

St. Anne	\$ 1708
St. Bernard	3633
Our Lady of the Snow	2002
St. Peter	301
St. Ignatius	587
Total	\$ 8231

Vocations Prayer Calendar; January/February Please pray for our seminarians every day. Sat--Connor Lyle & Cristian Rivera Sun--Daniel Silva & Daniel Wolbach Mon--Joseph Goodwin & Justin Doerr Tue--Nicolas Nunez & Patricio Chuquimarca Wed--Phuoc (Joe) Bui & Red Braz Thu--Adam Bradshaw & Adrian Hernandez Fri--Increase in vocations to priesthood/religious life

Mass Intentions and Schedule for StA, StB, and OLS KEY: StA = St. Anne; StB = St. Bernard; OLS = Our Lady of the Snow

-Sat, Jan 30, StA, 5 p.m., John and Carolyn Murphy -Sat, Jan 30, StB, 7:30 p.m., Joseph Biller -Sun, Jan 31, StB, 7 a.m., Parishioners and visitors -Sun, Jan 31, OLS, 9:30 a.m., Brian Jamison, Tom Jamison

Weekday Masses (see extra Masses listed in bold) -Mon, Feb 1, StA, 8:30 a.m., Stephen and Lisa Gatschet -Tue, Feb 2, OLS, 7:30 a.m., Mark and Eileen Richey -Wed, Feb 3, StB, 8:30 a.m., John and Carolyn Murphy -Thu, Feb 4, OLS, 11:15 a.m., God's Little Instruments -Fri, Feb 5, OLS, 8:30 a.m., Brian Jamison, Tom Jamison

Mass Intentions and Schedule for StP and StI KEY: StI = St. Ignatius (Walden); StP = St. Peter

-Sat, Jan 30, StI, 4 p.m., Parishioners and visitors -Sun, Jan 31, StP, 10 a.m., Edmund/Genevieve Murphy