January 22: Day of Prayer and Penance for the Legal Protection of the Unborn Child

We live in a "throwaway culture." There have been over 56 million abortions since the 1973 decisions of *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton*. However, we have great trust in God's providence. We are reminded time and again in Scripture to seek the Lord's help, and as people of faith, we believe that our prayers are heard.

In all the Dioceses of the United States of America, January 22 shall be observed as a particular day of prayer and penance for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion.

<u>Recommendation</u>: Eat only two meals on Monday and fast from all media. Pray an additional Rosary for the conversion of all involved in the abortion industry.

We want to be people of action—action demonstrates love. Faith without works is dead. So, we invite everyone in our pews to sign up for one day a week (during Lent—Feb. 14 to Mar. 29) to pray the Rosary for the closure of Planned Parenthood in Granby. For example, if you pick Monday, you would pray an additional Rosary on Feb. 19 and 26; Mar. 5, 12, 19, and 26. Multiple people praying each day make it powerful!

Ash Wednesday Masses, Feb. 14 (Lent Begins!)

- -StB, 8:30 a.m., Confession at 9:10 a.m.
- -StA, $\overline{5:00 \text{ p.m.}}$, Confession at 4:30 p.m.
- -OLS, 6:45 p.m., Confession after Mass.
- -StI, 4:30 p.m., Confession at 4 p.m.
- -StP, 7:30 p.m., Confession at 7 p.m.

We Have Some Calendars and "One Bread, One Body" Meditation Booklets

Look for them at the Church entrances.

A Praying Church is a Healthy Church

We invite you to pray the <u>Power Novena to Our Lady of Good Success</u>, beginning on January 24. Copies are available this weekend at all the Masses. Also, you can find the Novena and the <u>story of Our Lady of Good Success</u> on our website.

Join the Divine Mercy Team; Become a Warrior!

Say the Divine Mercy Chaplet during Lent for 40 days. We will pray three Masses for you. You will receive Divine Mercy postcards and images soon.

Gems of Wisdom from the Diary of Saint Faustina

1052. O my Jesus, I beg You on behalf of the whole Church: Grant it love and the light of Your Spirit, and give power to the words of priests so that hardened hearts might be brought to repentance and return to You, O Lord. Lord, give us holy priests; You yourself maintain them in holiness. O Divine and Great High Priest, may the power of Your mercy accompany them everywhere

and protect them from the devil's traps and snares which are continually being set for the souls of priests. May the power of Your mercy, O Lord, shatter and bring to naught all that might tarnish the sanctity of priests, for You can do all things.

1053. March 25, 1937. Holy Thursday. During Holy Mass, I saw the Lord, who said to me, Lean your head on My breast and rest. The Lord pressed me to His Heart and said, I shall give you a small portion of My Passion, but do not be afraid, be brave; do not seek relief, but accept everything with submission to My will.

Incense will be used:

To be determined. We will not start it up again until February.

Calendar of Events

-Jan 22 (Mon). Pro-life Day of fasting and prayer
-Jan 24 (Wed). Begin Novena of OL of Good Success
-Feb 14 (Wed). Ash Wednesday

Mass Collections, January 13 – 14	
St. Anne	\$ 1326
St. Bernard	1695
Our Lady of the Snow	3455
St. Peter	652
St. Ignatius	510
Total	\$ 7638

Vocations Prayer Calendar

Please pray for our seminarians every day.

Sat—Patrick DiLoreto & Micah Flores

Sun—Kevin Kasel & Miguel Mendoza

Mon—Clayton Milla & Samuel Munson

Tue-Manuel Alarcon & Sile Kone

Wed—Carlos Mejia & R.D. Braz

Thu—Joe Bui & Sean Conroy

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 20, StA, 5 p.m., Peter and Kathleen Brownell

-Sat, Jan 20, StB, 4 p.m., Special Intention 1

-Sat, Jan 20, StB, 5:30 p.m., Parishioners and visitors

-Sun, Jan 21, StB, 7 a.m., Special Intention 1

-Sun, Jan 21, OLS, 9:30 a.m., Christopher/Myrian Lewis

Weekday Masses

- -Mon, Jan 22, StA, 8:30 a.m., Communion Service
- -Tue, Jan 23, OLS, 7:30 a.m., John/Christine Beauchamp
- -Wed, Jan 24, StB, 8:30 a.m., Tom/Janet Gruber
- -Thu, Jan 25, OLS, 8:30 a.m., Fr. Michael Intention -Fri, Jan 26, OLS, 8:30 a.m., Fr. Michael Intention

Mass Intentions and Schedule for StP and StI

KEY: StP = St. Peter; StI = St. Ignatius (Walden)

- -Sun, Jan 21, StP, 10 a.m., Special Intention
- -Sun, Jan 21, StI, 1 p.m., Parishioners and visitors