

The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of FEBRUARY, 2011



General Intention: That the family may be respected by all in its identity and that its irreplaceable contribution to all of society be recognized.

Missionary Intention: That in the mission territories where the struggle against disease is most urgent, Christian communities may witness to the presence of Christ to those who suffer.

Today's Gospel Reading: MATTHEW 5: 13-16

Jesus said to his disciples:
 "You are the salt of the earth.
 But if salt loses its taste, with what can it be seasoned?
 It is no longer good for anything
 but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.
 You are the light of the world.
 A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden.
 Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel basket;
 it is set on a lampstand,
 where it gives light to all in the house.
 Just so, your light must shine before others,
 that they may see your good deeds
 and glorify your heavenly Father."



Offertory collected for 01-30-11 \$50.25 Thank you!!
Attendance: 45

Next Sunday, February 13, will be celebrated by Father Livinus

Praying Toward Sunday 02/13/11
 1st Reading - Sirach 15:15-20
 2nd Reading - 1 Corinthians 2:6-10
 Gospel - Matthew 5:17-37



**It's not the load
 that breaks you
 down, it's the way
 you carry it.**

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME : FEBRUARY 6, 2011

Jerome Emiliani lay chained in the dark dirty dungeon. Only a short time before he had been a military commander for Venice in charge of a fortress. He didn't care much about God because he didn't need him -- he had his own strength and the strength of his soldiers and weapons. When Venice's enemies, the League of Cambrat, captured the fortress, he was dragged off and imprisoned. There in the dungeon, Jerome decided to get rid of the chains that bound him. He let go of his worldly attachments and embraced God.

SAINTS OF THE DAY:
 St. Jerome
 Emiliani

FEAST DAY:
 February 8

PATRON OF
 Abandoned
 children &
 orphans



When he finally was able to escape, he hung his metal chains in the nearby church of Treviso -- in gratitude not only for being freed from physical prison but from his spiritual dungeon as well.
 After a short time as mayor of Treviso he returned his home in Venice where he studied for the priesthood. The war may have been over but it was followed by the famine and plague war's devastation often brought. Thousands suffered in his beloved city. Jerome devoted himself to service again -- this time, not to the military but the poor and suffering around him. He felt a special call to help the orphans who had no one to care for them. All the loved ones who would have protected them and comforted them had been taken by sickness or starvation. He would become their parent, their family.

Using his own money, he rented a house for the orphans, fed them, clothed them, and educated them. Part of his education was to give them the first known catechetical teaching by question and answer. But his constant devotion to the suffering put him in danger too and he fell ill from the plague himself. When he recovered, he had the ideal excuse to back away, but instead his illness seemed to take the last links of the chain from his soul. Once again he interpreted his suffering to be a sign of how little the ambitions of the world mattered.

He committed his whole life and all he owned to helping others. He founded orphanages in other cities, a hospital, and a shelter for prostitutes. This grew into a congregation of priests and brothers that was named after the place where they had a house: the Clerks Regular of Somascha. Although they spent time educating other young people, their primary work was always Jerome's first love -- helping orphans. His final chains fell away when he again fell ill while taking care of the sick. He died in 1537 at the age of 56.

Aderation
Wednesdays, Feb. 9th & 23rd 9:00 pm
(Reconciliation by appointment)
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Upcoming Events



FEBRUARY 11-13:
SKI RETREAT

FEBRUARY 15
COFFEE HOUSE 8:00 - 11:00

FEBRUARY 16
ZUMBA 7:00 PM

February 28th
HUNGER BANQUET 7:00pm



Dinner for \$1 -Feb. 10th

MEDJUGORJE MESSAGE

(Message from February 2, 2011)

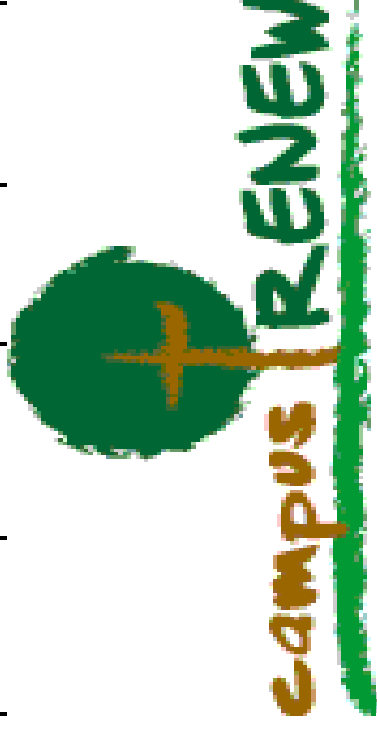
Dear children, you are gathering around me, you are seeking your way, you are seeking, you are seeking the truth but are forgetting what is the most important, you are forgetting to pray properly. Your lips pronounce countless words, but your spirit does not feel anything. Wandering in darkness, you even imagine God himself according to yourselves, and not such as he really is in his love. Dear children, proper prayer comes from the depth of your heart, from your suffering, from your joy, from your seeking the forgiveness of sins. This is the way to come to know the right God, and by that also yourselves, because you are created according to him. Prayer will bring you to the fulfillment of my desire, of my mission here with you, to the unity of God's family. Thank you.

Student Leadership Team

TODAY after mass.
Anyone interested in joining the leadership team is welcome. We will meet in the TV lounge.

CALENDAR

Tuesday	February 8	Faith Sharing	7:00 PM
Wednesday	February 9	Adoration	9:00 PM
Thursday	February 10	Dinner For \$1	6:00 PM
Sunday	February 13	Choir Practice Mass	6:00 7:00



Campus Renew Faith Sharing meets every Tuesday at 7 PM.



Interested in being a Lector or Extraordinary Minister?

We need you!

Talk to Natalie if you would like to help!



Ski Retreat!

FEBRUARY 11-13, 2011
\$80 includes lift ticket, rentals, lodging and meals!



Sign up now and make payments. Space is limited! Sign up sheet in the lobby.

Mission Trip 2011!



We are going to Nazareth Farm the week after finals! (May 8-14)

Spend a week on the farm with students from other schools learning how to live simply. Each day is spent at a different work site doing home repairs for local families in need. Visit our website to learn more!

Cost is \$200. Payment options available! Talk to Natalie!