

**JANUARY 24, 2021**

**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**READINGS: Jonah 3.1-5, 10, Psalm 25  
1 Corinthians 7.29-31, Mark 1.14-20**

**SATURDAY JANUARY 23, 2021 4:00 PM**

**Offered for:** Marjorie King by Brenda King  
**Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan:** Caroline Peters  
**Lector:** Norman Tarbell

**SUNDAY JANUARY 24, 2021 10:00 am**

**Offered for:** Abe Herne Memorial Birthday  
Mass, Gladys Honyoust 25<sup>th</sup> Memorial  
Anniversary by Iris Herne, Rhea and  
Sabastian Anderson

**Eucharistic Minister:** Bernice Lazore  
**Sacristan:** Mildred White  
**Lector:** Judy Cole

**TUESDAY JANUARY 26, 2021 7:10 PM**

**Offered for:** Phyllis Terrance

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2021 12:10 PM**

**Offered for:** Julia and Nelson Sawatis 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Memorial Anniversary requested by Sherry and  
family

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2021 12:10 PM**

**Offered for:** Landon W. Cook Birthday Memorial  
Mass requested by Elaine Cook and family

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 2021 12:10 PM**

**Offered for:** Larry Richard King requested by  
Nancy King

**SATURDAY JANUARY 30, 2021 4:00 PM**

**Offered for:** Paul Angus req. by Jack Angus  
**Eucharistic Minister/Sacristan:** Caroline Peters  
**Lector:** Connie Thompson

**SUNDAY JANUARY 31, 2021 10:00 am**

**Offered for:** Isabel Francis requested by  
Dwayne and Courtney Thomas  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Bernice Lazore  
**Sacristan:** Mildred White  
**Lector:** Lori Thompson

**COLLECTION TOTALS:**

JANUARY 9-10, 2021 CANADIAN \$ 325.00  
AMERICAN \$941.00. NIAWEN:KOWA FOR  
YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT OF THE ST.  
REGIS MISSION CHURCH.

**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

In Today's gospel, Jesus invites people to repent and believe that the "kingdom of God has come near." Throughout his ministry, in both word and deed, Jesus showed humanity that the kingdom of God is a present reality. For Christians, the appropriate response to the presence of God is real time – in the here and now – is conversion and discipleship.

In the first reading, God Commands Jonah to action, he gets up and goes forth. Jonah's faithfulness to his prophetic task leads the people of Nineveh, from the grandest leaders to the smallest child, to repent and change their ways.

In the Gospel, Simon, Andrew, James and John have no way of knowing what the future holds for them as followers of Jesus. Yet, they respond without hesitation. They forsake the comfortable, familiar and certain. They place the nearness of the kingdom of God, manifest in Jesus, at the very center of their lives.

We are also called to be followers of Jesus and prophets of our time. We are effective messengers of the good news when ongoing spiritual renewal informs our conduct and lifestyle. May today's liturgy advance our conversion and fill us with the confidence to get up and go forth, praising God with our lives.

**PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL FOR JOYS/SORROWS OF ST. JOSEPH: REQUESTED BY BISHOP LAVALLEY**

The Devotion to the Seven Sorrows and Seven Joys of St. Joseph is observed on the seven Sundays preceding the March 19 feast of St. Joseph. The Seven Joys and Sorrows of St. Joseph Seven are the Sundays from Jan. 31 to March 14, 2021. The Seven Sundays of St. Joseph are observed by receiving Holy Communion in St. Joseph's honor on seven consecutive Sundays, each Sunday recalling one of his sorrows and one of his joys. This devotion may be practiced at any time of the year, but especially on the seven Sundays preceding the Solemnity of St. Joseph on March 19th.



**PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH:** Joseph, you were a man who carried into dark of anxious sleep the haunting mystery of deep, unsettled doubt. But yet, within, and all untouched, your citadel of trust was calm, serene and still and flamed your unstarred night into the answering of dawn in God's unchanging will. O carpenter of faith, build our inwardness into a city lamped with trust; and when we, too, must face the nights and tread the desert's way, let us, like you, take Mother and Child into

the Egypt of each day. Good St. Joseph, come to our aid in these times of anguish and difficulty. Take under your protection the critical and troubling circumstances of the day. Keep us calm and serene, so aware of your Presence. AMEN.

**THE LORD'S PRAYER (in Mohawk)**

Ta kwa ien ha, ne, ka ron hia ke, te si te ron, a ie sa sen na ien, a ie sa wen ni ios ta ke, a ie sa wen na ra kwa ke, non wen tsia ke, tsi ni iot, ne, ka ron hia ke, kie sa wen na rak wa. Ta kwa nont, ne, ken wen te, ia kion he kon, nia te wen ni se ra ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ne ion kwa ri wa ne ren, tsi ni iot, ni, i, tsi on kwa ni konr hens. O the non, ion ki ni konh rak sa ton, non kwe; to sa, a ion kwa sen ni, ne ka ri wa ne ren, ak we kon, e ren, sa wit, nio tak sens.

NE NE KA NA KE RAH TSHE RA, NE NE KA SATS TENH SE RA, KA IA TA NE HRA KWAH TSHE RA, SA WEN'K NON:WA NOK TSI NEN:WE – E THO E THO NA IA WEN.

**SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES – JANUARY 24, 2021**

A leader of the Catholic Reformation, Francis was born in France in 1567. His family insisted he study law rather than enter the seminary. After obtaining doctorates in both canon and civil law by the age of 24, Francis chose religious life instead. His family eventually became reconciled to his choice and he was ordained in 1593.

Appointed bishop of Geneva in 1602, Francis reorganized the diocese, reformed religious education, established a seminary and founded schools. He lived a life of austerity and simplicity, sharing with the poor. Wise and intelligent, he emphasized both the loving kindness of God and the human capacity for love.

Francis was beatified the year he died, 1622 – the first formal beatification to take place in St. Peter's – and canonized in 1665. He is the patron saint of writers and journalists and the deaf.

**2021 WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY**

The 2021 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is celebrated from **18 to 25 JANUARY**. During this period, Christians are invited to pray for reconciliation and unity within the Church.

The theme for this year 2021, "Abide in my love and you shall bear much fruit," is inspired by John 15: 5-9. It was chosen to express the Christian community's vocation to pray and work for reconciliation and unity within the Church, our human family and all of creation.

Drawing on the Gospel image of vine and branches, it invites us to nourish unity with God and with one another through contemplative silence, prayer, and common action. Grafted into Christ the vine as many diverse branches, may we bear rich fruit and create new ways of living, with respect for and communion with all of creation.

The World Council of Churches (WCC) is inviting all Christians to join in prayer on **25 JANUARY**, the last day of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.

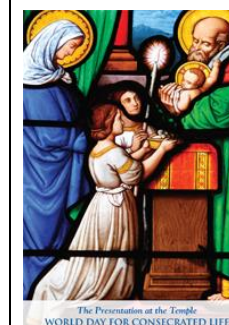
**PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SUFFERING**

Lord, look with compassion on the sick and suffering, especially those at TSIIONKWANONHTSO:TE AND IAHKIHHSOTHA and all our homebound Akwesasronon Elders during these pandemic times. Lord, if You will, heal Jolene Adams, Alexina Auger, Lily Benedict, Hazel Bero, Jimmy Bero, Marie Casey, Danielle Cole, Laurie Conners, Ashley Cook, Jerome Cook, Jimmy Cook, Francis Cree, Julia David, Marita Francis, Dewey Garrow, Leonard and Carol Garrow, Daniel George, Martha George, Bernadine Herne, Vernie and Toni Herne, Brian Jacobs, Christian Jock, Felicia and Hubert Jock, Joyce Kelso, Matthew Lamesse, Elizabeth Lazore, Hattie Jackson Lazore, Loran Lazore, Viola Marshall, Mose R. McDonald Jr., Raymond McDonald, Memphis Pyke Mitchell, Norman and Nancy King, Herbie Oakes, Charles Peters, Lucille Peters, Richard Peters, Richard Phillips, Larry Pyke, Gordon Ransom, Sheila Ransom, Troy Skidders, Mariella Stehlin, Marilyn Tarbell, Mary Taylor, Ashley Thompson and Donald Thompson.

*Eternal rest grant unto Matayia Garrow, Thomas David, Pauline Cook, Garren B. Hart. Abraham Caldwell and all our deceased loved ones. O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.*

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR CONSECRATED LIFE: Celebrating the men and women dedicated to discipleship**

The Church celebrates World Day of Prayer For Consecrated Life on February 6-7, 2021. On this day we recognize the countless men and women who live consecrated life in various way, as well as their contributions to the growth of the Church. We especially pray for those men and women in our diocese who daily live the vows of poverty, chastity and obedience while belonging to



The Presentation at the Temple  
WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

a community and tirelessly working in ministry. Through their example of discipleship, may we be inspired to deeper communion with Christ and may there be an increase in vocations to the consecrated life. . If you would like to speak with a religious priest, brother or sister, or would like more information, contact the Vocation Office at 315-393-2920 or email Fr. Chris Carrara at [ccarrara@rcdony.org](mailto:ccarrara@rcdony.org) or Cathy Russell at [crussell@rcdony.org](mailto:crussell@rcdony.org).

