


Pray the Scriptures with us during the month of February 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Every Sunday is a Solemnity. Weekdays with bold print are either a Solemnity or a Feast Day.</p> <p>All other weekdays are either Memorials or Optional Memorials or without a specific memorial. <i>Optional Memorials are in italics.</i></p>	<p>Monthly Devotion The Holy Family Meditate on Jesus being presented in the Temple and how Mary and Joseph experienced Him as a child in their home.</p>	<p>Some other saints: 23rd - St. Polycarp 28th - Sv. Roman</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>Note: Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, will begin on Wednesday, February 26. Ash Wednesday is a day of Fast and Abstinence, no meat is to be eaten and meals should be small. A strict Fast would be bread and water only.</p>	<p>If you are on medications, you probably should not do a strict Fast.</p> <p>Fridays of Lent are days of Abstinence. No meat is to be eaten unless it is necessary due to medical reasons.</p>	<p>Most parishes have the Stations of the Cross on Wednesdays or Fridays during Lent. Make time to attend this special devotion every week during the Season of Lent.</p>	<p>1 First Saturday 2 Sm 12:1-7a,10-17 Ps 51:12-17 Mk 4:35-41</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Immaculate Heart of Mary Devotion</i></p>
<p>2 Mal 3:1-4 Ps 24:7-10 Heb 2:14-18 Lk 2:22-40 The Presentation of the Lord</p>	<p>3 2 Sm 15:13-14,30 & 16:5-17 Ps 3:2-7 Mk 5:1-20</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>St. Blaise, bishop, martyr</i> <i>St. Ansgar, bishop</i></p>	<p>4 2 Sm 18:9-10,14b, 24-25a,30 – 19:3 Ps 86:1-6 Mk 5:21-43</p>	<p>5 2 Sm 24:2,9-17 Ps 32:1-2,5-7 Mk 6:1-6</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>St. Agatha, virgin, martyr</i></p>	<p>6 1 Kgs 2:1-4,10-12 (Ps) 1 Chr 29:10-12 Mk 6:7-13</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>St. Paul Miki and Companions, martyrs</i></p>	<p>7 † First Friday Sir 47:2-11 Ps 18:31,47,50-51 Mk 6:14-29</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotion</i></p>	<p>8 1 Kgs 3:4-13 Ps 119:9-14 Mk 6:30-34</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>St. Jerome Emiliani, priest</i> <i>St. Josephine Bakhita, virgin</i></p>
<p>9 Is 58:7-10 Ps 112:4-9 1 Cor 2:1-5 Mt 5:13-16 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>10 1 Kgs 8:1-7,9-13 Ps 132:6-10 Mk 6:53-56</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>St. Scholastica, virgin</i></p>	<p>11 1 Kgs 8:22-23,27-30 Ps 84:3-5,10-11 Mk 7:1-13</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i> <i>World Day of the Sick</i></p>	<p>12 1 Kgs 10:1-10 Ps 37:5-6,30-31,39-40 Mk 7:14-23</p>	<p>13 1 Kgs 11:4-13 Ps 106:3-4,35-37,40 Mk 7:24-30</p>	<p>14 † 1 Kgs 11:29-32; & 12:19 Ps 81:10-15 Mk 7:31-37</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>St. Cyril, monk</i> <i>St. Methodius, bishop</i></p>	<p>15 1 Kgs 12:26-32 & 13:33-34 Ps 106:6-7,19-22 Mk 8:1-10</p>
<p>16 Sir 15:15-20 Ps 119:1-2,4-5,17-18,33-34 1 Cor 2:6-10 Mt 5:17-37 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>17 Jas 1:1-11 Ps 119:67,68,71,72,75,76 Mk 8:11-13</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order, religious</i></p>	<p>18 Jas 1:12-18 Ps 94:12-15,18-19 Mk 8:14-21</p>	<p>19 Jas 1:19-27 Ps 15:2-5 Mk 8:22-26</p>	<p>20 Jas 2:1-9 Ps 34:2-7 Mk 8:27-33</p>	<p>21 † Jas 2:14-24,26 Ps 112:1-6 Mk 8:34 – 9:1</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>St. Peter Damian, bishop, doctor of the Church</i></p>	<p>22 1 Pt 5:1-4 Ps 23:1-6 Mt 16:13-19</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle</p>
<p>23 Lv 19:1-2,17-18 Ps 103:1-4,8,10,12-13 1 Cor 3:16-23 Mt 5:38-48 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>24 Jas 3:13-18 Ps 19:8-10,15 Mt 9:14-29</p>	<p>25 Jas 4:1-10 Ps 55:7-11,23 Mk 9:30-37</p>	<p>26 Fast & Abstinence Jl 2:12-18 Ps 51:3-6a,12-14,17 2 Cor 5:20 - 6:2 Mt 6:1-6,16-18 ASH WEDNESDAY Beginning of Lent</p>	<p>27 Dt 30:15-20 Ps 1:1-4,6 Lk 9:22-25</p>	<p>28 † Is 58:1-9a Ps 51:3-6ab,18-19 Mt 9:14-15 Abstinence – No Meat Attend Stations of the Cross in the Evening.</p>	<p>29 Is 58:9b-14 Ps 86:1-2,3-4,5-6 Lk 5:27-32</p>

† The Bishops of the United States have asked that we observe Fasting and Abstinence on every Friday for the intentions of Life, Marriage, and Religious Freedom.