March 3, 2019 / The 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Week One – Where Are You?
The truth is, God seeks us out when we have sinned, not to scold or punish us, but to offer us his healing and his forgiveness. It's certainly true that God is omnipotent and just, but before all else he is our loving, merciful Father.

This week, login to formed.org and watch A Lent to Remember, Episode 1.

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A Stewardship way of life expresses gratitude. It is a life lived in thanksgiving for all of God’s many graces and blessings.

A Steward recognizes God in ALL of life. He is present, not only during prayer and celebration of the Mass, but in everything around us. He created beauty in the landscape, in creatures of the earth, sea and sky, in quality books, music and food, in everything!

All things God created He saw as good, including us and our neighbor, whether that is someone next door, next to us in the pew at Mass, or someone across the globe.

Gratitude embodies a Steward’s way of life. He does not find fault with others, nor seek the destruction of another’s reputation, well-being or good fortune. She recognizes each of us as a gift from God, a gift designed according to God’s individual plan.

A Steward does not compare self to others. She shares of herself, her unique gifts and talents. He does not covet another’s gifts or talents, but instead recognizes what God has bestowed on him is special, exactly what God desired for him.

Stewards know that the goodness God produced within each person produces an equal amount of goodness to share.

So, what has happened in our world? What has gone wrong? Why do Stewards seem to be so few?

Bishop Robert Barron points out, “But there is something terribly black in the human heart. We are made in the image and likeness of God, but that image can be so distorted by sin as to be barely recognizable.” He speaks of “…the mystery of sin, which is not to be ignored, not to be trifled with, not to be rationalized away. We are all capable of dark and evil acts. I’m not okay and neither are you.”

In Genesis 4:3-7, Cain’s gift to the Lord did not find favor with the Lord as did his brother Abel’s gift, and he was crestfallen, resentful. The Lord asked why. “If you do well, you can hold up your head; but if not, sin is a demon lurking at the door: his urge is toward you, yet you can be his master.”

May this season of Lent be for each of us a time to turn back to the Lord, to repent and ask forgiveness, to forgive others, to once again love from a heart filled with love and not evil. May our mouths speak only good!

~Carole Drake
Pastoral Assistant and Community Outreach

Una forma de vida de corresponsabilidad expresa gratitud. Es una vida vivida en acción de gracias por todas las muchas gracias y bendiciones de Dios.

Un corresponsable reconoce a Dios en TODA la vida. Él está presente, no solo durante la oración y celebración de la misa, sino en todo lo que nos rodea. ¡Creó la belleza en el paisaje, en las criaturas de la tierra, el mar y el cielo, en libros de calidad, música y comida, en todo!

Todas las cosas que Dios creó, las vio como buenas, incluyéndonos a nosotros y a nuestro prójimo, ya sea alguien de al lado, junto a nosotros en la banca de la Misa o alguien en todo el mundo.

La gratitud encarna el estilo de vida de un corresponsable. No encuentra faltas en los demás, ni busca la destrucción de la reputación, el bienestar o la buena fortuna de otra persona. Ella nos reconoce a cada uno de nosotros como un regalo de Dios, un regalo diseñado de acuerdo con el plan individual de Dios.

Un corresponsable no se compara con otros. Ella comparte de sí misma, sus dones y talentos únicos. Él no codicia los dones o talentos de otra persona, sino que reconoce que lo que Dios le ha otorgado es especial, exactamente lo que Dios desea para él.

Los corresponsables saben que la bondad que Dios produjo dentro de cada persona produce una cantidad igual de bondad para compartir.

Entonces, ¿qué ha pasado en nuestro mundo? ¿Qué ha salido mal? ¿Por qué los Corresponsables parecen ser tan pocos?

El Obispo Robert Barron señala: “Pero hay algo terriblemente negro en el corazón humano. Estamos hechos a imagen y semejanza de Dios, pero esa imagen puede estar tan distorsionada por el pecado que es apenas reconocible”. Habla de “…el misterio del pecado, que no debe ser ignorado, ni jugado, no racionalizado. Todos somos capaces de actos oscuros y malvados. No estoy bien y tú tampoco.”

En Génesis 4:3-7, el regalo de Cain al Señor no encontró gracia con el Señor, como lo hizo el regalo de su hermano Abel, y él estaba abatido, resentido. El Señor preguntó por qué. “Si hicieras lo bueno, podrías levantar la cabeza; pero como no lo haces, el pecado es un demonio que avista en la puerta: su impulso es hacia ti, pero tú puedes ser su maestro.”

Que esta temporada de Cuaresma sea para cada uno de nosotros un tiempo para regresar al Señor, para arrepentirnos y pedir perdón, para perdonar a los demás, para amar de nuevo un corazón lleno de amor y no de maldad. ¡Que nuestras bocas solo hablen bien!
Emails. Carpools. Shopping lists. Home repairs. It can seem like we move so quickly from one thing to the next. Our news comes in sound bites and headlines. How often do we take time for silence, for prayer, for reflection, for wisdom? Jesus warns us of stumbling through life without an adequate sense of where we're going. "Can a blind person guide a blind person? Will not both fall into a pit?" This Sunday's Gospel isn't about fumbling along but offers a self-check on our own motivations.

"Why do you notice the splinter in your brother's eye, but do not perceive the wooden beam in your own?" Without adequate self-reflection, it's easy to become blind to our own faults. We go through life's motions as our bad habits linger or even increase. We may become increasingly impatient, we may avoid important tasks, we may neglect the emotional needs of our spouse. Perhaps, in the process, we find fault with those around us. In the words of Jesus, "remove the wooden beam from your own eye first."

So how do we know? How can we notice the hidden faults in our lives? "A good tree does not bear rotten fruit, nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit. For every tree is known by its own fruit. A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good, but an evil person out of store of evil produces evil." Do you notice certain relationships that have become strained, or situations where you know you don't act your best? Perhaps this is an area where you are acting out of sin, rather than virtue. The truth is, all of us are a mixture of light and dark, vice and virtue. We can't pretend we're perfect! But we also need to take time to pause and prayerfully examine the fruit we're bearing.

**Gospel Meditation / Meditación Evangélico**

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40 Cans for 40 Days

Please drop off your donations of canned food in the box in the Church vestibule, or at Our Mother’s Food Pantry on the 3rd floor of the Scanlan Building.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are one community nourished and transformed by the Eucharist.
As the body of Christ, we are led by the Holy Spirit to know, love and serve God and one another.

Somos una comunidad alimentada y transformada por la Eucaristía. Como cuerpo de Cristo, somos guiados por el Espíritu Santo para conocer, amar y servir a Dios y unos a otros.
PARISH EVENTS

Monday
7:00 pm   RCIA  Scanlan, FL2
3:30 pm   Holy Rosary—please join us  Hurricane
10:00 am  Everyday God (3/11, 3/25, 4/8)  Scanlan, FL2

Tuesday
9:00 am   Marian Hour - Our Lady of Peace  Kuzy
12-4 pm   Bridge Group  Kuzy
7:00 pm   Neo Catechumenal Way  Kuzy
7:00 pm   CCD  Scanlan FL2
First Tuesday
6:30 pm   Women’s Group (Sept-June)  Kuzy
6:30 pm   Knights of Columbus (Sept-June )  Kuzy, FL2

Second Tuesday
1:00 pm   Women’s Group Lunch at Harmon  Santa Clara
1:30 pm   Mass at Veterans Home, Ivins  160N 200E

Wednesday
12:00 pm  Bulletin Deadline (11 days prior to publication date)
6:30 pm   Holy Spirit Prayer Group  Kuzy, FL2
7:00 pm   Classes Bíblicas  Scanlan, FL3
7:00 pm   Holy Hour of Reparation

Thursday
9:00 am   Prayers for the Unborn

Second Thursday
1:30 pm   Mass at Sterling Court, St. George  324N 1680E

Third Thursday
6:30 pm   4th Degree K of C  Kuzy, FL2

Friday
7:00 pm   Holy Hour, Spanish
First Friday
8:00 am   Anointing of the Sick at Mass

Last Friday
9:00 am   Eucharistic Adoration begins

Saturday
7:00 pm   Neo Catechumenal Way  Kuzy

First Saturday
8:00 am   Mass in Honor of Our Lady  Bluff & 600S
9:30 am   Walk for Life (Oct-May)

After last Friday
6:00 am   Eucharistic Adoration ends with Mass

First Weekend
At all Masses - Renovation Fund Collection

Third Weekend
At all Masses - K of C Food Drive

Sunday
9:00 am   CCD  Scanlan, FL2
11:00am   CCD  Scanlan, FL2
5:00 pm   Rosary

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 3/2
5:00 pm  † Alfred Jankus
† Wade Henderson by Alice Henderson
† Helen Milovich by Family
All military service personnel, living and deceased
7:00 pm  (Spanish) Pro Populo

Sunday 3/3
9:00 am  † Jane & Don Hnath by Kathleen Hnath
† Jim Pearce
11:00 am  † Katelyn Vanacore, by her Father
1:00 pm  (Spanish) Pro Populo

Monday 3/4
8:00 am  † Richard Reynolds by Annette Reynolds

Tuesday 3/5
8:00 am  † Bob Kowalski

Wednesday 3/6—Ash Wednesday
8:00 am  For All My Family & Jasmin by Lidija
† Tom Lancy by Maggie & Jim
6:00 pm  † Cristen Renken by Nadine Reed
8:00 pm  Lucrecia Margarita De Paz Martinez

Thursday 3/7
8:00 am  Rossie Iga
7:00 pm  (Spanish) Pro Populo

Friday 3/8
8:00 am  Sr. Maria Eck, O.P.
ANNOUNCEMENTS and REPORTS
Please visit our website for more announcements or email us at sgcc.bulletin@gmail.com for questions or submissions.

LOOKING AHEAD
Mar. 6 Ash Wednesday
Mar. 11 “Everyday” God, 10:00 am, Scanlan FL2
Mar. 12 SGCWG Lunch, Harmons Santa Clara, 1:00 pm

Parish Mission facilitated by Tracy Earl Welliver
May 12-14 “From Easter to Pentecost”

Weekly Collection Report
Collection (2/17)…………………………………. $ 12,478
Capital Improvement Project (January)
Renovation and Improvement Fund …… $ 336,765
Renovation Fund Collections ………………. $ 4,562

This weekend’s second collection benefits
the Saint George Catholic Church
Renovation Projects
If you have Building Fund envelopes, you may use them for this collection. You may also contribute to the Renovation Projects fund through our online giving.

Ash Wednesday—March 6
Masses: 8:00 am, 6:00 pm (English) 8:00 pm (Spanish)

Penance Services
March 19, 6:30 pm (we will have several priests)
April 9, 2:00 pm (we will have several priests)

Miércoles de Ceniza—6 de Marzo
Misas: 8:00 am y 6:00 pm (Inglés) 8:00 pm (Español)

Servicios de Penitencia
19 de Marzo, 6:30 pm (tendremos varios sacerdotes)
9 de Abril, 2:00 pm (tendremos varios sacerdotes)

DCCW Convention Sponsorship Program
On April 27 and 28, the Salt Lake City Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will be gathering for its annual convention in Salt Lake City.

In an effort to give those who can’t afford to attend this spiritual event an opportunity to attend, DCCW has established a Sponsorship Program. Program Guidelines and an Application Form can be obtained from the Parish Office. Deadline to submit an application is March 15.

Please direct any questions to Nadia Neumeier, SGCWG President, 435-669-5599.

Ash Wednesday Special Collection
The Ash Wednesday special collection is for the Church in Eastern Europe. Please be generous on that day and throughout the Lenten season. Thank you.

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Saint Therese Gift Shop
It's time to get ready for the Lent and Easter season. Come in to see the variety of Lenten prayer books in English and Spanish, Last Supper plaques, statues, Stations of the Cross rosary and other special rosaries, holy cards, bookmarks, children's books, magnets, crucifixes, crosses, RCIA gifts and so much more.

Confirmation and First Holy Communion gifts are already out. Come in and purchase early. If you need a special gift for RCIA, Confirmation or First Holy Communion come in early to order.

Hours: Tuesday - Friday, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm and after the weekend Masses. Questions? Please contact: Sharon at 435-688-1948.

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after the 9:00 and 11:00 am Masses for Coffee & Donuts

Office……………..673-2604
Bookkeeper………….Barbara Harrison (bharrison@sgcatholics.com)
Deacons
Rigoberto Aguirre……628-9107
Rogaciano Tellez………..652-9219
Baptismal Preparation Registration (English)
Judy Coryell……………….925-989-0510—call to register
Pastoral Assistant and Community Outreach
Carole Drake……..668-9202 (cdrake@sgcatholics.com)
Religious Education Coordinator
Mariana Lawrentz …720-227-8319 or 673-2604
(mlawrentz@sgcatholics.com)
Website………….saintgeorgecatholics.com
Online Giving Link …….please visit our website
Bulletin Ministry…sgcc.bulletin@gmail.com
Thrift Store……..673-1029
Gift Store…………688-1948
Maintenance……Call Office (673-2604)
Scripture Readings for the Week of March 3

**Sunday:** Sir 27:4-7/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45

**Monday:** Sir 17:20-24/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 [11a]/Mk 10:17-27

**Tuesday:** Sir 35:1-12/Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23 [23b]/Mk 10:28-31

**Wednesday:** Jl 2:12-18/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17 [cf. 3a]/2 Cor 5:20-6:2/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

**Thursday:** Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 9:22-25

**Friday:** Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19 [19b]/Mt 9:14-15

**Saturday:** Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [11ab]/Lk 5:27-32

**Next Sunday:** Dt 26:4-10/Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 [cf. 15b]/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS and EVENTS**

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June 28 - July 8, 2019

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**Tienda de Regalos Saint Theresita**

March 9—Happy Birthday Father Martin
9 de Marzo — Feliz Cumpleaños Padre Martin

Bethlehem Wood carving will be here at our Church on Saturday, March 23 and Sunday, March 24 to sell olive wood carving from the Holy Land. Proceeds will be used to support more than 600 Catholic and Christian families living in Bethlehem who face difficulties. Your support is greatly needed and appreciated.

**Singers Needed**

The 9:00 am choir has a shortage of altos and men’s voices. We understand that people will need to miss choir for personal reasons, but more singers on the roster is a reality that allows us to keep singing when a head count varies. All singers are valued, but the harmony from altos give a choir sound to the songs we sing with the assembly, while men's voices give substance.

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**Black and Indian Mission (U.S.) Collection**
March 9-10

Thank you for your generosity.

**Colecta (EE. UU.) Para la Misión Negra e Indios**
9-10 de marzo

Gracias por su apoyo.

**La segunda colecta de este fin de semana será a beneficio de los proyectos de la Iglesia Católica de Saint George.**

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