

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| <h1>August 2020</h1> <p>ED-PNCC Mission / Evangelism Prayer, Year of Discipleship: The Canaanite Woman: Persistence, Humility</p> | | | | | <p>God's people are called to humble themselves and pray. He will hear, forgive & heal. *</p> | <p>1 At any time of the day or night, we can call on Jesus. There is no problem too big or too small.</p> |
| <p>2 Jesus wants to multiply what you give and will bless many people. (See Matthew 14:13-21)</p> | <p>3 "Jesus can provide spiritual nourishment beyond my imagining." ~Sacred Space</p> | <p>4 Our words & deeds reflect our inner life. How can we better care for our souls?</p> | <p>5 Pray, believe, and don't give up. God is willing and able to answer in His time, in His way.</p> | <p>6 Transfiguration The Father tells us, "This is my Son... listen to Him." (Luke 9:28-36)</p> | <p>7 Jesus calls us out of our comfort to carry a cross. Will we follow Him today?</p> | <p>8 When my faith is weak, Lord, help me to trust You more! (Matthew 17:14-20)</p> |
| <p>9 Let Jesus' words quiet you: "Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid." (See Matthew 14:22-33)</p> | <p>10 Which practices help my faith to grow? Which habits must I set aside?</p> | <p>11 Every life is precious to God. Pray for the "lost sheep" and don't lose heart.</p> | <p>12 Jesus is with those who gather in His Name. Find a partner to pray with you for your parish.</p> | <p>13 "To be a Christian means to forgive the inexcusable..."</p> | <p>14 "...because God has forgiven the inexcusable in you." ~ C.S. Lewis</p> | <p>15 Lord, may I say "Yes" to You as Mary did. May Your will be done in me and through me.</p> |
| <p>16 May parents be fervent & faithful in prayer for their children. (See Matthew 15:21-28)</p> | <p>17 Bless all who will participate in the ED Youth Retreat in Fall River, MA.</p> | <p>18 Teach your children right from wrong; when they are grown they will still do right.**</p> | <p>19 Lord, give our youth a desire to know You, love You and serve You now & always.</p> | <p>20 Equip students, parents, & teachers with what they need in the coming school year.</p> | <p>21 May those in positions of power be humble enough to seek wisdom from the Lord.</p> | <p>22 All who exalt themselves will be humbled; all who humble themselves will be exalted.***</p> |
| <p>23 Consider Jesus' question: "Who do <i>you</i> say that I am?" Be honest in your answer to Him.</p> | <p>24 May God give us grace to see His glory in all that is around us today.</p> | <p>25 Can others see Jesus in my words and deeds - not just on Sunday, but all week long?</p> | <p>26 Am I honoring God in the way I treat others in person and on social media?</p> | <p>27 Father, help us to seek the values that will bring lasting joy in this changing world. ~Lit. of Hrs.</p> | <p>28 "For the Lord is gracious and merciful and prefers the conversion of a sinner..."</p> | <p>29...rather than his death.(He) is willing to wait a long time for our repentance." ~St. Jerome</p> |
| <p>30 Youth Sunday May believers of every age have a childlike trust in God our Father.</p> | <p>31 "[The Lord says] Write my words in your heart and study them diligently..."</p> | <p>...for they will be absolutely necessary in the time of temptation. Whatever you fail</p> | <p>to understand in reading my words will become clear to you on the day of your visitation."</p> | <p>~Thomas a Kempis, <i>The Imitation of Christ</i></p> | | <p>*2 Chronicles 7:14 ** Proverbs 22:6 *** Matthew 23:12</p> |