



FEBRUARY 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
Daily Mass Schedule: M, T, Th & F - 8 a.m. at St. Thomas W - 8 a.m. St. Bridget W - 6 p.m. St. Thomas S - 9 a.m. St. Bridget		Sunday Mass Schedule: St. Thomas the Apostle - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigil Sunday 11 a.m. St. Bridget - Sunday 8 a.m. TLM 1 st & 3 rd Sundays at 2 p.m.		Confession is offered 30 mins. before each weekend Mass, during Adoration on Wednesdays from 5 to 6p.m. and by appointment.			First Saturday  1 9:30am Bible Study at St. Bridget's Blessing of the Throat will be offered at the 4pm Mass
The Presentation of our Lord 2	3	4	5	6	First Friday  7	8	
CCD (9:30am) Blessing of the Throat will be offered at all the Masses Latin Mass 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Feast Day of St. Blaise * St. Vincent de Paul meeting (8:45am) Blessing of the Throat will be offered at the 8am Mass		Feast Day of St. Agatha Eucharistic Adoration (5pm), Confession & the Mass starting at 6pm * Parish Council Meeting (7pm)	Feast Day of St. Paul Miki & Companions * Men of St. Joseph meeting (7:00am) * Daughters of Mary meeting (7:00am) *Knights of Columbus meeting (7pm)	RCIA	Feast Day of St. Jerome Emiliani & St. Josephine of Bakhita 9:30am Bible Study at St. Bridget's	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
CCD (9:30am) 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Feast Day of Scholastica	Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes	Eucharistic Adoration (5pm), Confession & the Mass starting at 6pm	* Men of St. Joseph meeting (7:00am) * Daughters of Mary meeting (7:00am)	Feast Day of Cyril & Methodius & St. Valentine RCIA	9:30am Bible Study at St. Bridget's	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
CCD (9:30am) Latin Mass 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Feast Day of the Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order		Eucharistic Adoration (5pm), Confession & the Mass starting at 6pm	* Men of St. Joseph meeting (7:00am) * Daughters of Mary meeting (7:00am)	Feast Day of Peter Damian RCIA	Feast Day of the Chair of St. Peter the Apostle 9:30am Bible Study at St. Bridget's St. Peregrine Mass 4pm at St. Thomas	
23	24	25	26	27	28		
CCD (9:30am)			Eucharistic Adoration (5pm), Confession & the Mass starting at 6pm	Feast Day of St. Gregory of Narek * Men of St. Joseph meeting (7:00am) * Daughters of Mary meeting (7:00am)	RCIA		

February: From Feast to Fast



The month of February is traditionally dedicated to the Holy Family. Between the events which marked Christmas and the beginning of Christ's public life the Church has seen fit to recall the example of the Holy Family for the emulation of the Christian family. Though the shortest month of the year, February is rich in Liturgical activity. It contains a feast (Presentation of our Lord) that bridges two other seasons (Christmas and Easter)! In addition, the faithful may receive in February two of the four major public sacramentals that the Church confers during the liturgical year: blessed candles and the blessing of throats.

**The Blessing of the Throat
will be offered at all Masses
the weekend of February 2nd.
And at the 8 a.m. Mass on Monday,
February 3rd.**

The Solemnity of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2nd harkens back to the Christmas mystery of Light except that now, Christ, the helpless babe, is “the Light of Revelation to the Gentiles who will save his people from their sins.” Candles, symbolizing Christ our Light, will be carried in procession this day, just as the Paschal candle during the Easter Vigil Liturgy.

"The Light of Revelation" shines more brightly with each successive Sunday of Ordinary Time, until its magnificence – exposing our sinfulness and need for conversion – propels us into the penitential Season of Lent. We prepare to accept the cross of blessed ashes on Ash Wednesday (March 5th) and plunge ourselves into anticipating the major exercises of Lent – fasting, prayer, almsgiving – laying our thoughts and prayers on the heart of our Mother Mary. She, who offered her Son in the temple and on the Cross, will teach us how to deny ourselves, take up our cross daily, and follow after her Son.

