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February 3, 2019

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	February	2	5:00 PM	George Raible (Mary E Sommer)
Sunday	February	3	9:00 AM	Welfare of our Parish, Living & Deceased
Monday	February	4		No Mass
Tuesday	February	5	7:30 AM	Donors Intention
Wednesday	February	6	6:00 PM	Deceased Members Knights of Columbus
Thursday	February	7	7:30 AM	Parents of Donor
Friday	February	8	7:30 AM	Elizabeth Moore (Don & Delores Neumeier)
Saturday	February	9	5:00 PM	Glen Warren (Glenda Warren)
Sunday	February	10	9:00 AM	Welfare of our Parish, Living & Deceased

SERVICES	
Tues, Thurs & Fri	7:30 AM
Wednesday	6:00 PM
Saturday	5:00 PM
Sunday	9:00 AM
EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT--7:00 AM	
Tues.,Thurs. & Fri	
RECONCILIATION	
30 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment	

CASA**Gift/pledge envelopes are in the pew. Write the amount of your gift/pledge on the inside top right flap. Choose your method of payment. You can pay by check or credit card. You can, but you do not have to give something today... **"Just fill in the envelope."** Checks should be made payable to "Catholic Arkansas Sharing Appeal". The diocese will send you reminders monthly until your pledge is fulfilled. Be sure to complete the top flap of the envelope. Leave them in the collection basket. Your generosity makes a difference and touches the lives of many.

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MARRIED COUPLES BLESSING**for those married in February.

BLESSING OF THE THROAT**for the feast of St Blaise will be after Mass on Saturday, February 2 and Sunday, February 3.

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK**after Mass in the front pews.

MEET N GREET**next Sunday after Mass in the hall. Come over and have a donut and coffee or juice.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**Sunday, February 10 at 4:00 PM.

THE PIERCING OF THE HEART: A CELEBRATION OF YOUR BROKENNESS** A Lenten talk by Sr. Macrina on Wednesday, Feb. 20 at 7:00 PM. Lent is truly a celebration of our brokenness and the blessings that can flow from an awakened open heart. It need not be a gloomy season but a time when the sorrows and joys of our lives hold hands.

Pizza and Circle of Grace teaching was fun and successful even though quite a few of the youth did not attend. Parents don't forget that the diocese requires our children to be taught this information and that it reiterates what the church teaches about respecting ourselves. The classes will continue the lessons during Sunday class time for those who missed. There are resources to begin and continue this conversation with children at home. Check with Vickie, Lexie or the Diocese website. All in the name of our children's safety.

COLLECTIONS

	Donations	Visitors	Total Collections
January 27			
Regular Collection	\$2,139	\$189	\$2,328
Number of Envelopes	52		
HVAC DONATIONS	\$190	\$200	\$390
Black Indian Missions	\$295	15	\$295
First Offering	\$30		\$30
Weekly Expenses			\$1,454

CLEAN CHURCH ** Stephanie Melton, Luann Berry and Becky Berry

PRAYERS FOR ALL IN NEED

Margie Aich	Sue LaFevers
Beck Avra	Phillip Llamas
Maggie Boydston	Cathy Llamas
Betty Brown	Keaton Millsap
Theresa Eveld	Nathan Myers
Tom Eveld	Tamara Park
Dr Scott Ezell	Alan Pinter
Val Faught	Charles Price
Terri Graves	Phillip Raney
Jodi Hayes	Tom Sexton
Stella Hilton	Wilma Simpson
Garrett Hodges	Richard Smith
Joe Hoing	Ceil Taylor
Marcella Holloway	Mary Jane Thornton
Daxton Hughes	Art Timmerman
Mike Kleck	Tom Trimble
Geraldine Leding	Greg Warden
Tom McGehee	Dr Wilson
Jeff Lamas	Logan Young

