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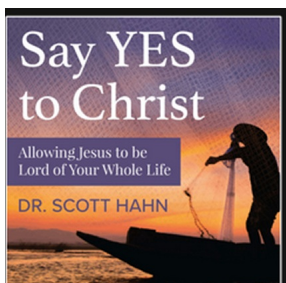
HAPPENING IN OUR DIOCESE FEBRUARY 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Feb 2: Ash Wednesday	Feb 3: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 4: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 5: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 6: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 7: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 8: St. Valentine's Day
Feb 9: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 10: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 11: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 12: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 13: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 14: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 15: St. Valentine's Day
Feb 16: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 17: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 18: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 19: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 20: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 21: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 22: St. Valentine's Day
Feb 23: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 24: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 25: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 26: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 27: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 28: St. Valentine's Day	Feb 29: St. Valentine's Day

February Vocations Prayer Calendar

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FORMED STEWARDSHIP CONTENT OF THE MONTH



Say YES to Christ by Dr. Scott Hahn

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Once every four years we are given an extra 24 hours to better know, love, and serve our Loving God. For almost two thousand years, this extra day-"Leap Day"-has ordinarily occurred every four years as the last day of February.

Back when Julius Caesar first instituted Leap Day-about thirteen years after the Lord's Death and Resurrection, and the founding of His Church on Pentecost Sunday-it actually was the last day of the year, because February was the last month in the Julian calendar.

In this 2020 Leap Year, "Leap Day" (February 29th) falls on a Saturday, which liturgically speaking is the first weekend of the Lenten Season. In order to show our gratitude to the Lord for the amazing gifts He has given us, individually and as One Family in Mission, let's celebrate February 29th - March 1st as Leap-of-Faith Weekend!

Let's follow the example of our first Pope who responded to the Lord's invitation: "Come," by unhesitatingly leaping out of the boat to walk to Him-- on the water. (Mt 14:27-29) Like St. Peter, let's make a personal great Stewardship leap of faith, eyes fixed on the Lord, Who said He "...did not come to be served but to serve..." (Mk 10:45).

Starting now, let's get spiritually ready for Leap-of-Faith Weekend by prayerfully asking the Lord to show us how to exercise our Stewardship privilege and responsibility in ways that stretch our trust, generosity, and courage.

Then, on Leap-of-Faith weekend: in gratitude for this once-every-four-years' blessed opportunity, let's make a firm commitment to take that great Stewardship leap of faith-at least once- before the end of the year. Let us make a commitment this year to build a strong stewardship foundation using the Four Pillars of Stewardship-Hospitality, Prayer, Formation and Service.

HAPPENING IN OUR DIOCESE

Bereavement Conference

For the Bereaved and those Ministering to them
theme

"I Am With You Always"
...God's Healing Presence
In Times Of Loss

Saturday, March 21, 2020

St. Frances de Chantal, Wantagh

8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

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