

LENT 2020

LENT is a time to remove all distractions and bitterness from one's life in order to better hear God and those who suffer silently and need help.

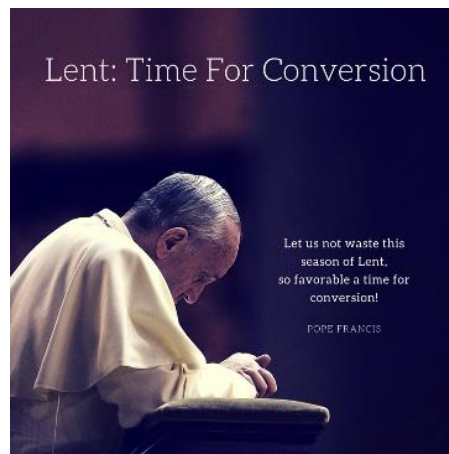
LENT is the right time to turn off the television and open the Bible. It is the time to disconnect from cellphones and connect ourselves to the Gospel.

LENT is a time to give up useless words, idle chatter, rumors, gossip and speak intimately with the Lord.

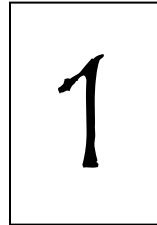
Jesus often headed off to "deserted" places to pray, teaching us how to seek the Father who speaks to us in silence. The desert is a place to get away from the racket that surrounds us. It is the absence of words in order to make room for another word, the Word of God, who like a light breeze, caresses the heart.

Just as Jesus spent time in the desert, we must spend LENT creating similarly sparse surroundings and a healthy environment of the heart.

**Pope Francis
Ash Wednesday, February 26, 2020**



Lent 2020: Ash Wednesday
February 26



The future starts today, not tomorrow.

Lent 2020: Thursday after Ash Wednesday
February 27



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Do nothing at all unless you begin with prayer.

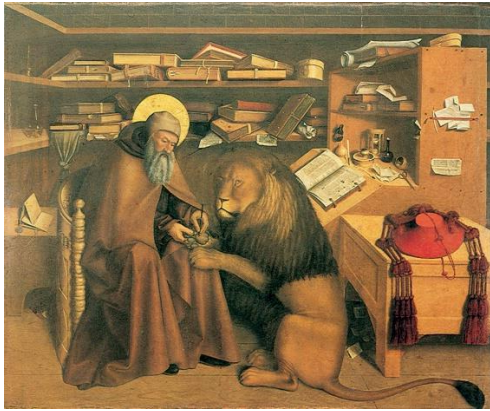
Lent 2020: Friday after Ash Wednesday
February 28



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Mother, may those who see me see you!

Lent 2020: Saturday after Ash Wednesday
February 29



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It is our part to seek, His to grant what we ask; ours to make a beginning, His to bring it to completion; ours to offer what we can, His to finish what we cannot.

Lent 2020: Monday of the 1st Week
March 2



or



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Be joyful, brothers and sisters. Keep your faith, and do the little things that you have seen and heard with me.

Lent 2020: Tuesday of the 1st Week
March 3



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Be who God meant you to be and you will set the
world on fire!

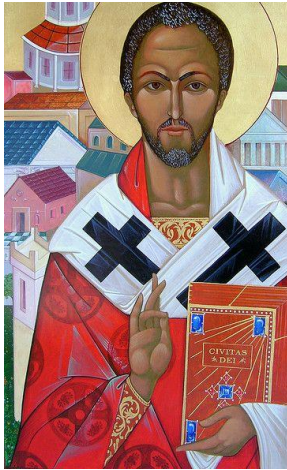
Lent 2020: Wednesday of the 1st Week
March 4



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It is not always in the soul's power not to feel a temptation. But it's always in its power not to consent to it.

Lent 2020: Thursday of the 1st Week
March 5



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The crown of victory is promised only to those who engage in the struggle.

Lent 2020: Friday of the 1st Week
March 6



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You, who have the kingdom of heaven, are not a poor little woman, but a queen.

Lent 2020: Saturday of the 1st Week
March 7



10

Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

Lent 2020: Monday of the 2nd Week
March 9



or



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Whatever good or evil befalls you, be confident that
God will convert it all to your good.

Lent 2020: Tuesday of the 2nd Week
March 10



12

How often I have failed in my duty to God, because I was not leaning on the strong pillar of prayer.

Lent 2020: Wednesday of the 2nd Week
March 11



13

If I had to choose between walking again and going to heaven, I wouldn't hesitate. I would choose heaven.

Lent 2020: Thursday of the 2nd Week
March 12



14

God will not deny His mercy to anyone. Heaven Earth may change, but God's mercy will never be exhausted.

Lent 2020: Friday of the 2nd Week
March 13



15

Faith and love are like the blind man's guides. They will lead you along a path unknown to you, to the place where God is hidden.

Lent 2020: Saturday of the 2nd Week
March 14



16

It was pride that changed angels into devils; it is
humility that makes men as angels.

Lent 2020: Monday of the 3rd Week
March 16



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Actions speak louder than words; let your words teach
and your actions speak.

Lent 2020: Tuesday of the 3rd Week
March 17



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More and more the love of God increased, and my sense of awe before God.

Lent 2020: Wednesday of the 3rd Week
March 18



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Rather now than tomorrow, and tomorrow than the
day after.

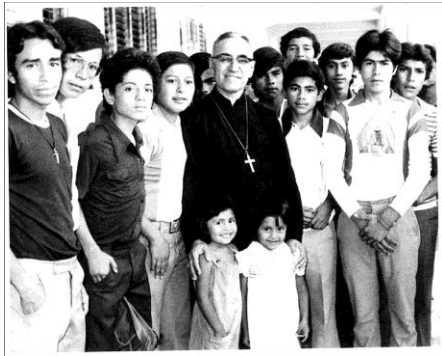
Lent 2020: Thursday of the 3rd Week
March 19



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We must keep vigil in prayer and fasting so that the Lord will find us ready when He comes.

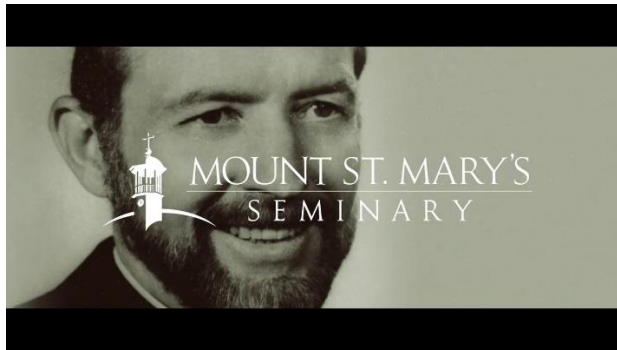
Lent 2020: Friday of the 3rd Week
March 20



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Each one of you has to be God's microphone.

Lent 2020: Saturday of the 3rd Week
March 21



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What can we do but our work, keep our heads down,
preach the gospel of love and non-violence, etc.

Lent 2020: Monday of the 4rd Week
March 23



23

Turn all your thoughts and aspirations to heaven. Work hard to secure for yourself a place there forever.

Lent 2020: Tuesday of the 4rd Week
March 24



24

We are made loveless by our possessions.

Lent 2020: Wednesday of the 4rd Week
March 25



25

Arise, soldiers of Christ, throw away the works of darkness and put on the armor of light.

Lent 2020: Thursday of the 4rd Week
March 26



26

O Soul, Whoever you may be in this world, even if your sins were as black as night, do not fear God, weak child that you are, for great is the power of God's Mercy.

Lent 2020: Friday of 4th Week of Lent
March 27



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Woman naturally seeks to embrace that which is living, personal, and whole. To cherish, guard, protect, nourish and advance growth is her natural, maternal yearning.

Lent 2020: Saturday of 4th Week of Lent
March 28



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Jesus is my great friend and the Eucharist my highway
to Heaven.

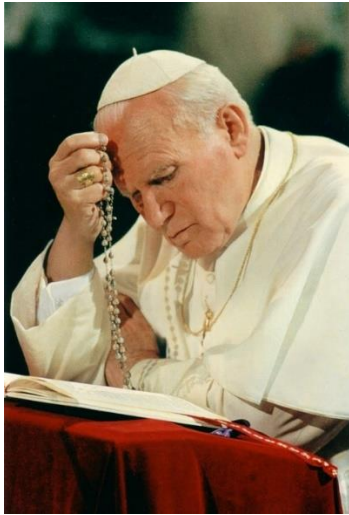
Lent 2020: Monday of the 5th Week of Lent
March 30



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I thank you, Almighty God, for sending me so great a
sorrow to purify me from my sins.

Lent 2020: Tuesday of the 5th Week of Lent
March 31



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Prayer joined with sacrifice constitutes the most powerful force in human history.

Lent 2020: Wednesday of the 5th Week of Lent
April 1



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Start by doing what's necessary, then do what's possible,
and suddenly you are doing the impossible.

Lent 2020: Thursday of the 5th Week of Lent
April 2



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Every action done so as to cling to God in communion of holiness, and thus achieve blessedness, is a true sacrifice.

Lent 2020: Friday of the 5th Week of Lent
April 3



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My liberty is the service of Christ, whom I serve every day with a pure mind.

Lent 2020: Saturday of the 5th Week of Lent
April 4



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All guests who present themselves are to be welcomed
as Christ.

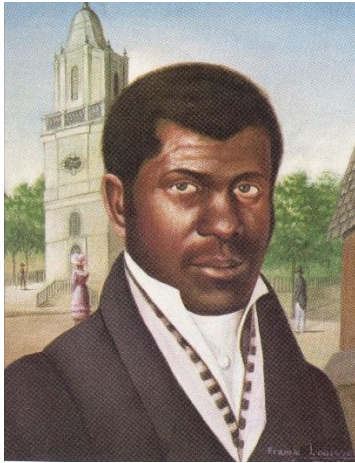
Lent 2020: Monday of Holy Week
April 6



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How can I wear a crown of gold when the Lord bears a crown of thorns? And bears it for me!

Lent 2020: Tuesday of Holy Week
April 7



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I have never felt I am a slave to any man or woman but I am a servant of the Almighty God who made us all. When one of His children is in need, I am glad to be His slave.

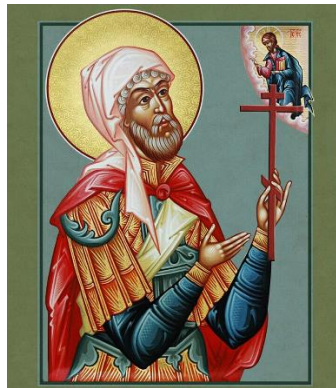
Lent 2020: Spy Wednesday of Holy Week
April 8



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Why did you suffer for me, dear Jesus? For Love! The
nails...the crown...the cross...all for love of me!

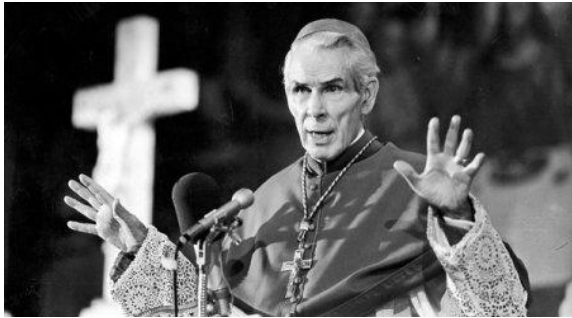
Lent 2020: Holy Thursday of Holy Week
April 9



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Truly this man was the Son of God.

Lent 2020: Good Friday of Holy Week
April 10



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Unless there is a Good Friday in your life, there can be no Easter Sunday.

Lent 2020: Holy Saturday of Holy Week
April 11



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Don not abandon yourselves to despair. We are the
Easter people and Halleluiah is our song.