February and March 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
19 *No 7p.m. Liturgy*	*20* *Family Day* _____	*21* _____	*22* *Reading*	*23* *Week*	*24* _____	*25* *Lector Training 10 a.m.*
26 *The Blanket Exercise 1 p.m. (SJ 2009)*	*27*	*28* *Shrove Tuesday*	*1* *Ash Wednesday* *Noon liturgy 7p.m. liturgy*	*2*	*3* *Irish Dance and Social: Fundraising Event*	*4*
5	*6* *Advisory Group Meeting 7 p.m.*	*7*	*8*	*9* *Social Justice Meeting 7pm*	*10* *Lecture in Catholic Experience 7:30 p.m.*	*11*
12 *Daylight Savings Time begins*	*13* *Holi* _____	*14* _____	*15* *March*	*16* *Break*	*17* *St. Patrick's Day* _____	*18*
19	*20*	*21*	*22*	*23*	*24* *SJU Green & Gold Gala*	*25*

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Welcome
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at St. Jerome's University

February 19th
2017

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Lord's Day Eucharistic Liturgies:
Sunday – 9:30 am, 11:30 am, 7:00 pm

Weekday Eucharistic Liturgies
Tuesdays and Thursdays - 12:10 pm in Notre Dame Chapel
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New to the St. Jerome's Community? Come introduce yourself- we would love to meet you. You can also become a member by filling out a form online: www.sju.ca/campus-ministry-registration or speak with Erika.

Pastoral References: Please speak with Martha or Erika.

Reconciliation: Available following weekday noon liturgies, during our Advent and Lent Reconciliation services, or by appointment. Contact Martha to set up an appointment.

Sacraments of Initiation: Infant baptism is celebrated within our liturgies. First Communion and Confirmation preparation is done in the schools. Adults and children of catechetical age (grade two and up) who wish to become Catholic may begin the RCIA/RCIC process. For all inquiries, please contact Erika.

Campus Ministry Bulletin: Announcements for the bulletin need to be submitted one week in advance. Please send to Martha or Erika.

Liturgy Schedule for February 26, 2017
Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Lectionary Cycle A

Readings: Isaiah 49:14-15; Psalm 62;
1 Corinthians 4:1-5; Matthew 6:24-34

Presider: Fr Jim Valk

9:30 am Liturgy
Coordinator:
John Brothers

Lectors:
Sherry Setchell
Cyril Zister

Eucharistic Ministers:
Marlene Zister

Mary McNally

Sacristan:
Milly and Rick Zilinskas

7 pm: Fr. Dan Lobsinger

11:30 am Liturgy
Coordinator:
Lorraine Green

Lectors:
Alex Campbell
Dennis Wallace

Eucharistic Ministers:
Lynn Schock
Roman Ciecwierz

Sacristan:
Chris Lutka

Mass Intentions

February 26th (9:30 am) Pauline Quinn for her 93rd Birthday
(11:30 am) Thelma Green

Lector Training (February 25)
All lectors and anyone interested in learning more about the art and science of proclaiming the Word of God are invited to attend a lector information and training session on Saturday February 25th at 10 a.m. in Notre Dame Chapel. For more information, please speak to Angela Vieth: angela@angelavieth.ca

"Forgiven/Forgotten" a Theatre of the Beat Production (February 23)
All are invited to attend this fast paced, heart-wrenching drama that examines how our culture responds to those affected by crime. This event will take place in the Vanstone Lecture Hall in the Academic Centre at St. Jerome's University at 8 p.m. Admission is by donation, $15 suggested. Parking will be provided. To learn more about Theatre of the Beat, visit theatreofthebeat.ca

The Blanket Exercise (February 26)
Join the Social Justice Committee and facilitators from the Waterloo Aboriginal Education Centre for the Blanket Exercise, an interactive learning experience that teaches the often forgotten Indigenous rights history. For more information, or to register, please contact Erika.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper (February 28)
The youth, leaders and parents of the Scouting and St. Vincent De Paul Youth, invite you to their 37th Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on Tuesday, February 28th, 2017, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church Hall. The supper will feature the popular All-You-Can-Eat pancakes and ham, dessert and beverages. Supper will be served from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. and tickets are available at the door (Family*: $22.00 Adults: $8.00 Seniors: $6.00 Kids under 12: $6.00)

Irish Dance and Social (March 3)
Come celebrate a touch of the Irish with Campus Ministry and the Fundraising Committee –Friday, March 3rd from 8 p.m. – 12 a.m. A light lunch will be provided and our very own Michael Kelly will be our dance entertainment! Tickets are on sale after the masses! ($20 for adults and $15 for students) and all proceeds will go to our chapel renovations. Please contact Martha for more details mfauteux@uwaterloo.ca.

"Thine is the Glory" Concert (March 26)
Campus Ministry is delighted to announce the Wayne Gilipin Singers will be in Notre Dame Chapel for their March concert "Thine is the Glory". Beginning at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday March 26th, the concert will feature the performance of sacred music. All are welcome to attend with a goodwill offering, all of which will be donated for the chapel renovations. Be sure to mark your calendars for this event!

Mayor's Dinner (April 8)
The Working Centre and the area mayors' invite you to the Mayors 'Dinner on Saturday April 8th at Marshall Hall at Bingemans. The evening will pay tribute to Neil Aitchison and all proceeds will go to the Working Centre and St. John's Kitchen. Tickets are available until March 17th by phone (519-743-1151 x119) or online (www.theworkingcentre.org/dinner).

THE SAINT JOHN'S BIBLE

Lecture in Catholic Experience (March 10)
Join us on FRIDAY, March 10, when Fr. Michael Patella, OSB speaks about "Bugs in The Bible: An Intextual Approach. This is the next lecture in our Year with the Saint John's Bible series focusing on the meaning of the leitmotifs and the role they play in the composition of The Saint John's Bible itself. The lecture will take place in the Vanstone Lecture Hall in the new Academic Centre; doors open at 6:45 P.m. And the lecture begins at 7:30 p.m. Free parking and refreshments are provided.

Insects in the Bible (March 11) Royal Botanical Gardens
Sabrina Hall, RBG's entomologist,outlines some of the insects featured in The Saint John's Bible and their importance while Fr. Michael Patella, OSB, chair of Committee on Illumination and Text for the Bible, explores the story line of the flora and fauna and the role they play in the Historical Books of The Saint John's Bible itself. This event will take place at the Rock Garden from 2-4 p.m. To attend this event, please preregister by March 1st.

At the Heart of the Action: Being in Relationship

(*Thoughts on how our community can act upon our call to be co-creators of God's Kingdom; how we can be in the heart of the action to support creation and the most vulnerable*)

Today's readings call us to a particular way of being in relationship with others, those we like and those we don't. Isaiah reminds us to "reprove your neighbour, or you shall incur guilt yourself" and Jesus tells us to "love your enemies," both ways for understanding how we are to react to others, especially those whom we disagree with. To reprove as God commands means neither to abstain from judgment nor to judge willy-nilly. It requires that we hone our reactions to the world's injustices in some particular ways:

- Reproving is straightforward and direct. Rather than reproving behind someone's back or in the echo chamber of social media fury, we should talk directly to those people we are reproving.
- Reproving is rooted in relationship. When you have a relationship with someone, it's hard to hate them.
- Reproving is necessary, but so is humility and a willingness to self-correct. Not only are we the person in this verse who is being commanded to reprove the neighbor; we are also the neighbor who needs to be reproved by others.
- Reproving is holy work. Recall that this command is framed by a more general one: "You shall be holy, for I the Lord your God am holy." It may be easy to shrug off Matthew's adaptation of this verse into "Be perfect as your heavenly Father is perfect" (5:48) as an impossible utopian ideal. But being holy is something that we can and should unceasingly work toward, even as we know that any holiness we possess is a gift from God.

Reproving the neighbor directly, through a generous hermeneutic, and with the humility that comes from knowing that we too are sinful--this may be precisely the kind of holy work to which we are currently being called.

(excerpts taken from a reflection written by Elizabeth Palmer, from The Christian Century)