Message of the week

First Sunday of Lent

Pope Benedict XVI called the temptation of Jesus in • the desert "a descent into the perils besetting mankind." This happened so that we may be counted among those "who receive the abundance of grace, • coming to reign in life through the one Jesus Christ ." The "one righteous act" that Saint Paul • speaks about in the Letter to the Romans is Jesus' unfailing fidelity to the Father's will. As the serpent • comes close, we will not be duped by the suggestion that somehow God will be jealous at the prospect • that we "will be like gods." For is God himself who planted that hope in our hearts. It is the Lord's greatest joy and glory that we share his image and likeness...not through self-seeking but through the obedience by which "many will be made righteous"—that is, will become like God.

<u>Shrine Events</u>

March 4 Sylvia Barrera-Montgomery, TX) is scheduled to provide the Alter Candles this week.

March 4 Janidhu (Prague,OK) is scheduled to host the traveling Infant .

March 4 Carolyn Pinchback(Conway,AR) is scheduled to provide the Sanctuary Lamp this week. **3-4-5 1-2**

St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church Financial Report February 2017

Expenditures		Amount	Amount
Personnel		\$ 295.00	
Contract Labor		\$ 196.13	
Utilities		\$ 335.00	
Other Expenses:	Listed Below	\$1,020.69	

Ministry Supplies (Flowers Hosts,		
Palms) Building Re-		
pairs, Maintenance,		
Office Supplies, Copy		
Paper, etc., Rectory		
Expense		

Total Expenditures

\$1,846.82

Collections

\$5*,*638.66

Prepared by Financial Analyst Genevieve King Approved by Priest Long Phan

Mensaje de la semana

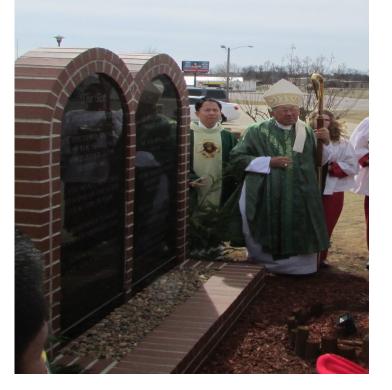
El primer Domingo de Cuaresma

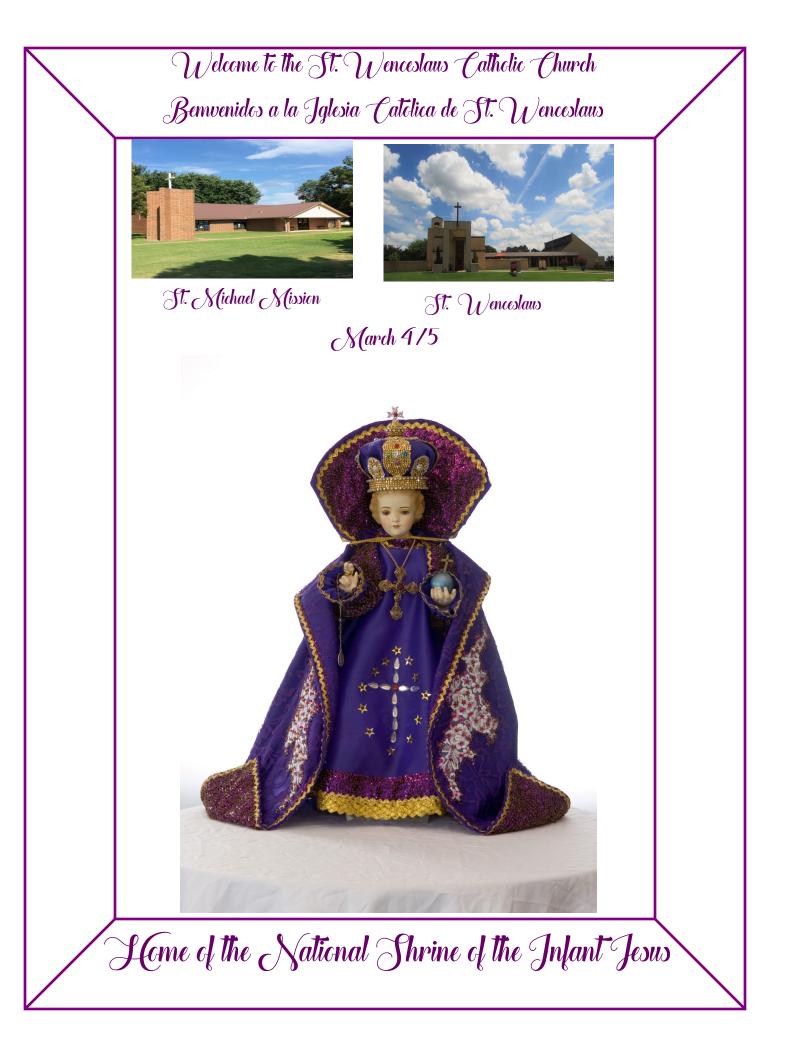
🔁 El Papa Benedict XVI llamó la tentación de Jesús en el desierto "un pendiente en los peligros humanidad que sitia." Este pasó de modo que podamos ser contados entre aquellos "que reciben la abundancia de gracia, viniendo para reinar en la vida por el que Jesucristo." "Un acto honrado" sobre el cual el Santo Paul habla en la Carta a los romanos es la fidelidad indefectible de Jesús a la voluntad del Padre. Cuando la serpiente viene cerca, no seremos engañados por la sugerencia que de alguna manera Dios sea celoso en la perspectiva que "pareceremos a dioses." Para es Dios él mismo que plantó aquella esperanza en nuestros corazones. Esto es la mayor alegría del Señor y la gloria que compartimos su imagen y semejanza ... no por el egoísmo, pero por la obediencia por la cual "muchos serán hechos honrados" es decir se hará como Dios.

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Melva & Richard O'Hara Mike & Judy McCreight Doug & Marria Brydon Joe Jacobs Bobbie Filippo Marie Teresa P. Hernandez Melva O'Hara





Nelcome!

We want to extend a very warm welcome to everyone who's visiting us! We're delighted to have you here!

St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church Father Long Phan longphanngoc@yahoo.com Phone (405) 482-4351 304 S Jim Thorpe Blvd, Prague, OK 74864 Administrative Office (405) 567-3080 Gift Shop: Monday through Friday 9:00am-5:00pm Sunday 12pm to 3pm Mass Times Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 11:00am Tuesday through Friday at noon Rosary prayed 30 minutes before each mass Sacraments & Services Sacrament of Baptism: Administrative office to make an appointment Sacrament of Marriage: Pastor 6 months in advance Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday at 4:00PM to 4:45PM in Prague and by appointment in Meeker Sacrament of Holy Order: Pastor Inquiry into the Church (RCIA) [•] Mike McCreight 405-380-6519 **Funeral Service:** Cecilia Hecker **Cemetery Service:** Chris Duggan New Parishioners: Parish Census and Emergency Contact forms are available at the entrance David Johnson **Prayers:** Catherine Roberts Please contact Debbie Lokey at Genevieve King • (405)567-4714 in Prague for Urgent Prayer

Bienvenidos!

Queremos dar una cálida bienvenida a todos los que nos visita! Estamos encantados de tenerte aquí!

> Parish Council Mike Moore Catherine Roberts **Roger Pritchett** Lavern Podest

Finance Council Sharon Melton Angela Duggan Bobbie Filippo

> Cemetery Committee Chris Duggan Joe Friedel

Rosalie Navrath Ministries & Organizations

Genevieve King

Melva & Richard O'Hara **Religious Education** Sharon Maggard Women's Guild Trey Hecker Knights of Columbus Trey Hecker CRH **RCIA** Coordinator Mike McCreight Janidhu Ceballos **Baptism Coordinator** Cecilia Hecker **Funeral Coordinator** Becky Delaware Musician (Saturday) Musician (Sunday) Joy Yocum Cecilia Hecker Safe Environment Office Staff Sandi Hawkins

Collection for February 25/26

\$1,346.15

\$1,396.42

Chairman

Rector

Weekly Budget Weekend Collection

Shrine Board Abbot Lawrence Stasyszen

Father Long Phan

Shrine Members Deacon Edmundo Marinez Fr. Joseph Schwarz

Evan Smith

T.M	íchael Co	utholic Chu
Mass Sunday at 9:00am	c c	C
217 S. Koonce		
Meeker, OK 74855		
March Lector: Sharon		
EX Min: Janice, Sandra & A	Andy	
Contact Sharon Judd (405)	279-2380 f	or urgent pra
Please visit sick & pray for: en (Nursing Home) Jeanne		
Mass Intention	<u>)</u>	
March 6 No Mass		Dlaggerig
• March 7 Louis		Please vis -ins: (Sa
• March 8 Roy		Muzny,
March 9 Mary Silhan		
March 10 Silhan Family		
March 11 +Betty Milligan		Kolaches a
March 12 Phil & Sylvia Radford		Shop
March 10 Knights of Colu March 12 Knights of Colu		Fry at 5:00p
Thank you to all who contrib- uted their time and effort on	Visit our website at www. Like our Facebook page Nat Of Pra	
the Pilgrimage dinner Sunday.	•••••	
It was a great success.	<u>Liturg</u>	<u>ical Minis</u>
- <u>March 4/5</u>	Saturday	<u>, 5:00pm</u>
SACRISTAN:	Teresa Di	rury
ALTAR SERVERS:	Joe Friedel	
LECTORS:	Bobbie Filippo	
EX MIN H.C:	Bobbie, Joe, Marilyn	
<u> March 11/12</u>	Saturda	<u>y 5:00pm</u>
SACRISTAN:	Bobbie F	ilinno
	Bobbie Filippo Genevieve King	
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<u>hurch</u>	Mass <u>Readings</u>		
	Monday, March 6		
	LV19:1-2,11-18		
	Mt 25:31-46		
	Tuesday, March 7		
orayer.	Is 55:10-11 Mt 6:7-15		
udrick, Dorothy O'Bri- , Muriel Cossy.	Wednesday, March 8		
, j	Jon 3:1-10		
~	Lk 11-29-32		
<u>Prayers</u>	Thursday, March 9		
visit our sick and shut	Est C: 12, 14–16, 23-25		
Sara Hanson, Joyce	Mt 7:7-12		
y, and Mayme Cole- man).	Friday, March 10		
	Ez 18:21-28 Mt 5:20-26		
es are for sale in the Gift	Saturday, March 11		
op for \$12 a Dozen.	DT 26:16-19		
يستعدد وحرور فتست	Mt 5:43-48		
	Sunday, March 12		
op.m. to 7:00p.m.	Gn 12:1-4a		
ass.	Mt 17:1-9		
	Stations of the Cross will be recited		
w.shrineofinfantjesus.com Vational Shrine Infant Jesus Prague	before Mass during Lent.		
Bri	ck repairs begin next week.		
<u>iistry Schedule</u>			
	<u>Sunday 11:00am</u>		
	Doug Brydon		
Julie& Courtney			
	Doug Brydon		
1	Doug , Marria, Charles		
n	<u>Sunday 11:00am</u>		
	Trey Hecker		
	Manoel & Edward		
	Trey Hecker		
osalie	Maria , Lenaye, Simone		