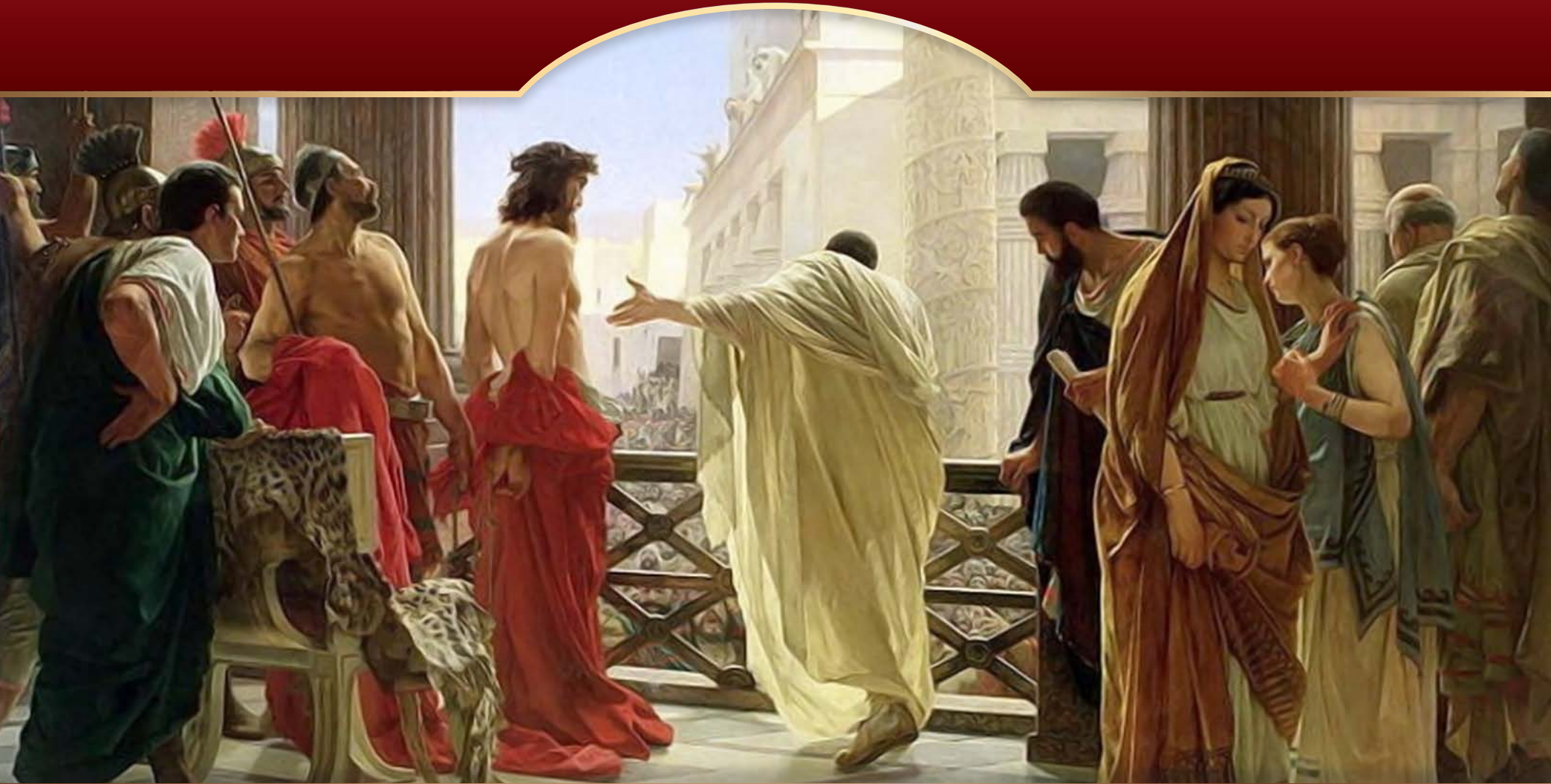


The Way of the Cross

2022 APPOINTMENT CALENDAR



CATHOLIC  EXTENSION

Building Faith Inspiring Hope Igniting Change

THE OFFICIAL CATHOLIC CALENDAR FOR OVER 100 YEARS

One hundred percent of the proceeds we raise from our calendars strengthens the presence and mission of the Catholic Church in under-resourced Catholic communities across the United States.



STATION 1

Jesus is Condemned to Death

We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you. Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.

“Pilate said to Jesus, “Do you not know that I have power to release you and I have power to crucify you?”

(John 19:10)

But... “Pilate, wishing to satisfy the crowd... had Jesus scourged and handed him over to be crucified. The soldiers led him away.”

(Mark 15:15-16a)

In our work, Catholic Extension also witnesses injustices, where the defenseless and the weak are condemned to suffer, like Jesus, at the hands of powerful forces and institutions.

May we work to create a more just and equitable world where all can thrive.

Ecce Homo (Behold the Man!)
Antonio Ciseri, 1871

Gallery of Modern Art of Pitti Palace, Florence, Italy
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JANUARY 2022

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Father Francis Clement Kelley founded Catholic Extension in 1905 in Lapeer, Michigan to awaken the missionary spirit in America.

DECEMBER 2021

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1 SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD
The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord
New Year's Day ★
W

2 THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
W

3 The Most Holy Name of Jesus
Christmas Weekday
WW

4 ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON, RELIGIOUS
Christmas Weekday
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5 ST. JOHN NEUMANN, BISHOP
Christmas Weekday
W

6 St. André Bessette, Religious
Christmas Weekday
WW

7 St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest
Christmas Weekday
First Friday of the Month
WW

8 Christmas Weekday
W

9 THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD
W

10 FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME
G

11 G

12 G

13 St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
GW

14 G

15 GW

16 SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
G

17 ST. ANTHONY, ABBOT
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day ★
W

18 G

19 G

20 St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr
St. Sebastian, Martyr
GRR

21 ST. AGNES, VIRGIN AND MARTYR
R

22 DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN
W or V

23 THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
G

24 ST. FRANCIS DE SALES, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
W

25 THE CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE
W

26 STS. TIMOTHY AND TITUS, BISHOPS
W

27 St. Angela Merici, Virgin
GW

28 ST. THOMAS AQUINAS, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
W

29 GW

30 FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
G

31 ST. JOHN BOSCO, PRIEST
W

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STATION 2

Jesus Carries His Cross

*We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you.
Because by your holy cross you have
redeemed the world.*

*“So they took Jesus, and carrying the cross
himself he went out to what is called the
Place of the Skull, in Hebrew, Golgotha.”*

(John 19:17)

Catholic Extension works in solidarity with people for whom the difficulties of life seem at times unforgiving, especially in areas where poverty is rampant, and peoples' lives are marked by a daily struggle to survive. May we find ways to help ease the burdens of those with limited means and opportunities.



Christ Carrying the Cross
Titian, c. 1565
Prado Museum, Madrid, Spain

FEBRUARY 2022

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1 ^G	2 THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD ^W	3 St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr St. Ansgar, Bishop ^{G R W}	4 First Friday of the Month ^G	5 ST. AGATHA, VIRGIN AND MARTYR ^R
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6 FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ^G	7 ^G
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8 St. Jerome Emiliani St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin ^{G W W}	9 ^G	10 ST. SCHOLASTICA, VIRGIN ^W	11 Our Lady of Lourdes ^{G W}	12 ^{G W}
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13 SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ^G	14 STS. CYRIL, MONK, AND METHODIUS, BISHOPS <i>St. Valentine's Day</i> ^W
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15 ^G	16 ^G	17 The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order ^{G W}	18 ^G	19 ^{G W}
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20 SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ^G	21 St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church <i>Presidents' Day</i> ★ ^{G W}
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22 THE CHAIR OF ST. PETER THE APOSTLE ^W	23 ST. POLYCARP, BISHOP AND MARTYR ^R	24 ^G	25 ^G	26 ^{G W}
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27 EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ^G	28 ^G
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Since 1905, Catholic Extension has provided more than \$1.3 billion (in today's dollars) to strengthen the presence and mission of the Catholic Church across the United States.

STATIONS 3 & 4

Jesus Falls for the First Time; Jesus Meets His Mother

***We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you.
Because by your holy cross you have
redeemed the world.***

The Holy Man Simeon said to Mary, the Mother of Jesus, “behold this child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be contradicted, and you yourself a sword will pierce.”

(Luke 2:34-35a)

Catholic Extension helps strengthen families, who are the “domestic church.” Too often we meet mothers and fathers whose hearts have been broken to see their children fall or forced down a difficult path. May we always work diligently to create an environment of peace, health and promise where parents can confidently raise their children.



Lo Spasimo (Christ Falling on the Way to Calvary)
Raphael, 1514-16
Prado Museum, Madrid, Spain

MARCH 2022

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY


FRIDAY


SATURDAY


Catholic Extension has recognized the hidden heroes of mission dioceses each year with the Lumen Christi Award since 1977.

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2 ASH WEDNESDAY 

3 THURSDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY
St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin 

4 FRIDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY
St. Casimir
First Friday of the Month 

5 SATURDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY 

6 FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT 

7 Sts. Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs 

8 St. John of God, Religious 

9 St. Frances of Rome, Religious 

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13 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
Daylight Saving Time Begins 

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17 St. Patrick, Bishop
St. Patrick's Day 

18 St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 

19 ST. JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY 


20 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT 

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23 St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop 

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25 THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD 

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27 FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT  or 

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STATION 5

Simon of Cyrene Helps Jesus Carry His Cross

***We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you.
Because by your holy cross you have
redeemed the world.***

“As they led him away they took hold of a certain Simon, a Cyrenian, who was coming in from the country; and after laying the cross on him, they made him carry it behind Jesus.”

(Luke 23:26)

Catholic Extension supports 15 million Catholics in the poorest regions of our country. We firmly believe that we are meant become a “Simon of Cyrene” to communities in need of a hand up. May we always be ready to help those who have been pushed to the peripheries.



Simon of Cyrene Helps Jesus Carry the Cross
Philipp Schumacher, 1907-15
St. Matthias Parish, Berlin, Germany
Josef Sedmak / Alamy

APRIL 2022

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In 1910, Catholic Extension became a papal society under the guidance of the pope.


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1  First Friday of the Month

2  St. Francis of Paola, Hermit




3 **FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**


4 St. Isidore, Bishop and Doctor of the Church


5 St. Vincent Ferrer, Priest


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7 St. John Baptist de la Salle, Priest


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10 **PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD**


11 **MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK**


12 **TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK**



13 **WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK**



14 **THURSDAY OF HOLY WEEK (HOLY THURSDAY)**



15 **FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (GOOD FRIDAY)**
 


16 **HOLY SATURDAY**


17 **EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**


18 **MONDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**


19 **TUESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**


20 **WEDNESDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**


21 **THURSDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**


22 **FRIDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**


23 **SATURDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER**



24 **SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)**




25 **ST. MARK, EVANGELIST**


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28 St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr
St. Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest
  

29 **ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA, VIRGIN AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH**


30 St. Pius V, Pope
 



STATIONS 6 & 7

Veronica Wipes the Face of Jesus; Jesus Falls the Second Time

***We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you.
Because by your holy cross you have
redeemed the world.***

*The Psalmist writes, "I am numb and utterly
crushed; I wail with anguish of heart.
My Lord, my deepest yearning is before you;
my groaning is not hidden from you. My heart
shudders, my strength forsakes me."*

(Psalm 38:9-11a)

Among the 1,200 poor faith communities Catholic Extension supports each year, we find that life's burdens can weigh so heavily on some, especially for those deemed to be outcasts or disposable. May we help those who have been crushed by the excruciating weight of the cross to find the presence of Christ on their difficult journey.

MAY 2022

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

<p>1 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER W</p>	<p>2 ST. ATHANASIUS, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH W</p>	<p>3 STS. PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES R</p>	<p>4 W</p>	<p>5 W</p>	<p>6 First Friday of the Month W</p>	<p>7 W</p>
<p>8 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Mother's Day W</p>	<p>9 W</p>	<p>10 St. Damien de Veuster, Priest W</p>	<p>11 W</p>	<p>12 Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs St. Pancras, Martyr WR</p>	<p>13 Our Lady of Fatima WWW</p>	<p>14 ST. MATTHIAS, APOSTLE R</p>
<p>15 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER W</p>	<p>16 W</p>	<p>17 W</p>	<p>18 St. John I, Pope and Martyr WR</p>	<p>19 W</p>	<p>20 St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest WWW</p>	<p>21 St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest and Companions, Martyrs WR</p>
<p>22 SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER W</p>	<p>23 W</p>	<p>24 W</p>	<p>25 St. Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church St. Gregory VII, Pope St. Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, Virgin WWW</p>	<p>26 ST. PHILIP NERI, PRIEST W</p>	<p>27 St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop WWW</p>	<p>28 W</p>

<p>29 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD W</p>	<p>30 Memorial Day ★ W</p>	<p>31 THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY W</p>
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SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
Ecclesiastical Provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Omaha and Philadelphia
W

Catholic Extension funds about 1,500 projects annually throughout the United States and its territories.

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STATION 8

Jesus Comforts the Women of Jerusalem

We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you. Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.

A large crowd of people followed Jesus, including many women who mourned and lamented him. Jesus turned to them and said, "Daughters of Jerusalem, do not weep for me; weep instead for yourselves and for your children, for indeed, the days are coming when people will say, 'Blessed are the barren, the wombs that never bore and the breasts that never nursed.'

(Luke 23:27-29)

Catholic Extension works with communities afflicted by violence. Our experience teaches us that violence not only injures its victims but degrades the value of life for all in its vicinity. When one person suffers, we all suffer. May we all work to end the spread of violence in our world.

Jesus Comforts the Weeping Women
Martin Feuerstein, 1898
St. Anna Parish, Munich, Germany
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JUNE 2022

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In the past five years, Catholic communities and parishes have raised more than \$1.2 million in support of Catholic Extension's mission through the Parish Partnership Program.

1 **R** ST. JUSTIN, MARTYR

2 Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs **WR**

3 ST. CHARLES LWANGA AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS
First Friday of the Month **R**

4 **W**

5 PENTECOST SUNDAY **R**

6 THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH
TENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME **W**

7 **G**

8 **G**

9 St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church **GW**

10 **G**

11 SAINT BARNABAS, APOSTLE **R**

12 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY **W**

13 SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
ELEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME **W**

14 *Flag Day* **G**

15 **G**

16 **G**

17 **G**

18 **GW**

19 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)
Father's Day **W**

20 TWELFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME **G**

21 ST. ALOYSIUS GONZAGA, RELIGIOUS **W**

22 St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop
Sts. John Fisher and Thomas More, Martyrs **GWR**

23 THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST **W**

24 THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS **W**

25 THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY **W**

26 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME **G**

27 Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church **GW**

28 ST. IRENAEUS, BISHOP AND MARTYR **R**

29 STS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES **R**

30 The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church **GR**

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STATIONS 9 & 10

Jesus Falls for the Third Time; Jesus Is Stripped of His Garments

***We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you.
Because by your holy cross you have
redeemed the world.***

“When the soldiers had crucified Jesus, they took his clothes and divided them into four shares, a share for each soldier. They also took his tunic, but the tunic was seamless, woven in one piece from the top down. So they said to one another, “Let’s not tear it, but cast lots for it.” And the scripture passage was fulfilled, “They divided my garments among them, and for my vesture they cast lots.”

(John 19:23-24; Psalm 22:19)

As Catholic Extension works to strengthen the Church’s outreach to marginalized populations around the country, we lament that so many people have been robbed of their human dignity, like Jesus. May we build a world and a society that respects the human dignity and the inherent value of all people.



Jesus Is Stripped of His Garments
František Čermák, Late 19th Century
St. Peter and Paul Basilica, Prague, Czech Republic
Jozef Sedmak / Alamy Stock Photo

JULY 2022

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Since its founding, Catholic Extension has supported the Catholic Church in every state in the United States and currently supports nearly 86 dioceses.

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1 St. Junipero Serra, Priest
First Friday of the Month
G **W**

2 **G** **W**

3 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
G

4 Independence Day ★
G **W**

5 St. Anthony Zaccaria,
Priest
St. Elizabeth of Portugal
G **W** **W**

6 St. Maria Goretti,
Virgin and Martyr
G **R**

7 **G**

8 **G**

9 St. Augustine Zhao
Rong, Priest, and
Companions, Martyrs
G **R** **W**

10 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
G

11 ST. BENEDICT, ABBOT
W

12 **G**

13 St. Henry
G **W**

14 ST. KATERI
TEKAKWITHA,
VIRGIN
W

15 ST. BONAVENTURE,
BISHOP AND
DOCTOR OF THE
CHURCH
W

16 Our Lady of
Mount Carmel
G **W** **W**

17 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
G

18 Saint Camillus de
Lellis, Priest
G **W**

19 **G**

20 St. Apollinaris, Bishop
and Martyr
G **R**

21 St. Lawrence of
Brindisi, Priest and
Doctor of the Church
G **W**

22 ST. MARY
MAGDALENE
W

23 St. Bridget,
Religious
G **W** **W**

24 SEVENTEENTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
G

25 ST. JAMES, APOSTLE
R

26 STS. JOACHIM AND
ANNE, PARENTS
OF THE BLESSED
VIRGIN MARY
W

27 **G**

28 **G**

29 ST. MARTHA
W

30 St. Peter
Chrysologus,
Bishop and Doctor
of the Church
G **W** **W**

31 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
G



STATION 11

Jesus Is Nailed to the Cross

We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you. Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.

Those passing by reviled him, shaking their heads and saying, "You who would destroy the temple and rebuild it in three days, save yourself, if you are the Son of God, [and] come down from the cross!" Likewise the chief priests with the scribes and elders mocked him and said, "He saved others; he cannot save himself. So he is the king of Israel! Let him come down from the cross now, and we will believe in him. He trusted in God; let God deliver him now.

(Matthew 27:39-43)

Catholic Extension works as a bridge building agent in the Church to unite people in common purpose. Today, modern media is too frequently used to publicly humiliate, divide, ridicule, or troll people who are brothers and sisters in the Lord. May we create a world marked by unity, neighborliness, and love, as opposed to one marked by distain, division and hatred.

AUGUST 2022

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1 SAINT ALPHONSUS LIGUORI, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
W

2 St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop
St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest
G W W

3 G

4 ST. JOHN VIANNEY, PRIEST
W

5 The Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major
First Friday of the Month
G W

6 THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD
W

7 NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
G

8 ST. DOMINIC, PRIEST
W

9 St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr
G R

10 ST. LAWRENCE, DEACON AND MARTYR
R

11 ST. CLARE, VIRGIN
W

12 St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious
G W

13 Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs
G R W

14 TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
G

15 THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
W

16 St. Stephen of Hungary
G W

17 G

18 G

19 St. John Eudes, Priest
G W

20 ST. BERNARD, ABBOT AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
W

21 TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
G

22 THE QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
W

23 St. Rose of Lima, Virgin
G W

24 ST. BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE
R

25 St. Louis St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest
G W W

26 G

27 ST. MONICA
W

28 TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
G

29 THE PASSION OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST
R

30 G

31 G

Hundreds of priests and women religious are able to work in remote areas of mission dioceses because of salary subsidies from Catholic Extension.

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STATION 12

Jesus Dies On the Cross

We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you. Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.

And about three o'clock Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" which means, "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

...Jesus cried out again in a loud voice, and gave up his spirit.

(Matthew 27:46,50; Psalm 22:2)

Catholic Extension supports outreach to migrants, who have been battered, kidnapped, or harmed when they flee their home countries, as they are seeking refuge. Like Jesus, they feel abandoned and left to perish. May we always find ways to befriend the migrant and stranger in need of assistance and give solace to those struggling to make a life for themselves.

The Crucifixion
Andrea Mantegna, 1457-59
Louvre Museum, Paris, France

SEPTEMBER 2022

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Catholic Extension serves about 125,000 university students each year through campus ministry programs.

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1 ^G

2 ^G First Friday of the Month

3 ST. GREGORY THE GREAT, POPE AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH ^W



4 TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ^G

5 ^G Labor Day ★

6 ^G

7 ^G

8 THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY ^W

9 ST. PETER CLAVER, PRIEST ^W

10 ^G ^W



11 TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ^G

12 The Most Holy Name of Mary ^G ^W

13 ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH ^W

14 THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS ^R

15 OUR LADY OF SORROWS ^W

16 STS. CORNELIUS, POPE, AND CYPRIAN, BISHOP, MARTYRS ^R

17 St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church ^G ^W ^W



18 TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ^G

19 St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr ^G ^R

20 STS. ANDREW KIM TAE-GŎN, PRIEST, AND PAUL CHŎNG HA-SANG, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS ^R

21 ST. MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST ^R

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23 ST. PIUS OF PIETRELCINA, PRIEST ^W

24 ^G ^W

25 TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ^G

26 Sts. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs ^G ^R

27 ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, PRIEST ^W

28 St. Wenceslaus, Martyr
St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs ^G ^R ^R

29 STS. MICHAEL, GABRIEL AND RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS ^W

30 ST. JEROME, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH ^W

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STATION 13

Jesus Is Taken Down from the Cross

We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you. Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.

“When they came to Jesus and saw that he was already dead, they did not break his legs, but one soldier thrust his lance into his side, and immediately blood and water flowed out...After this, Joseph of Arimathea, secretly a disciple of Jesus...asked Pilate if he could remove the body of Jesus. And Pilate permitted it. So he came and took his body.”

(John 19:33-34; 38)

Catholic Extension affirms the Church's foundational belief that life is a precious gift given to us by God, but it is so fragile. May we see Christ in all human life, and always work to protect, heal and cherish the lives of all whom we encounter.

OCTOBER 2022

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Catholic Extension has extended more than 12,000 grants to build or repair churches and church facilities throughout America.

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1 ST. THÉRÈSE OF THE CHILD JESUS, VIRGIN AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH



2 TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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4 ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

5 Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin
Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest

6 St. Bruno, Priest
Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin

7 OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY
First Friday of the Month

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9 TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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11 St. John XXIII, Pope

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14 St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr

15 ST. TERESA OF JESUS, VIRGIN AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH



16 TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

17 ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH, BISHOP AND MARTYR

18 ST. LUKE, EVANGELIST

19 STS. JOHN DE BRÉBEUF AND ISAAC JOGUES, PRIESTS, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS

20 St. Paul of the Cross, Priest

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22 St. John Paul II, Pope



23 THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

24 St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

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28 STS. SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES

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30 THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

31

STATION 14

Jesus Is Laid In the Tomb

***We Adore you, o Christ, and we bless you.
Because by your holy cross you have
redeemed the world.***

*Taking the body, Joseph wrapped it [in] clean
linen and laid it in his new tomb that he had
hewn in the rock. Then he rolled a huge stone
across the entrance to the tomb and departed.*

(Matthew 27:59-60)

Catholic Extension supports ministry to the sick and dying across the country. As Christians, we rejoice in the promise of the resurrection. May we be messengers of hope to those who are dying, to help them see that, thanks to Jesus' cross, death does not have the final say over us.



The Burial of Jesus
Carl Bloch, 1873

NOVEMBER 2022

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1 **ALL SAINTS' DAY**
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2 THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS' DAY)
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3 St. Martin de Porres, Religious
G W

4 ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO, BISHOP
First Friday of the Month
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5 G W

6 THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Daylight Saving Time Ends
G

7 G

8 G

9 THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA
W

10 ST. LEO THE GREAT, POPE AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
W

11 ST. MARTIN OF TOURS, BISHOP
Veterans Day ★
W

12 ST. JOSAPHAT, BISHOP AND MARTYR
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13 THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
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14 G

15 St. Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
G W

16 St. Margaret of Scotland
St. Gertrude, Virgin
G W W

17 ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY, RELIGIOUS
W

18 The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles
St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin
G W W

19 G W

20 OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE
W

21 THE PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
THIRTY-FOURTH OR LAST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME
W

22 ST. CECILIA, VIRGIN AND MARTYR
R

23 St. Clement I, Pope
St. Columban, Abbot
Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro, Priest and Martyr
G R W R

24 ST. ANDREW DUNG-LAC, PRIEST, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS
Thanksgiving Day ★
R W

25 St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr
G R

26 G W

27 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
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28 V

29 V

30 ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE
R

Since beginning the Catholic School Leadership Initiative in 2013, Catholic Extension has helped train nearly 100 school administrators.

CONCLUSION

Let Us Pray

Remember your mercies, O Lord, and with your eternal protection sanctify your servants, for whom Christ your Son, by the shedding of his Blood, established the Paschal Mystery. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever. AMEN.

Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be contradicted... And you yourself a sword will pierce."

(Luke 2:34-35)

Christmas and Easter are not coincidental events in the life of Christ. Simeon's prophecy foreshadows the paschal mystery, through which the incarnate Christ, as first seen in the tender face of a child, will ultimately redeem the world by suffering, dying and rising to new life. The resurrection, therefore, is the culmination of the incarnation. Through the resurrection, God's love is continually "birthed" into this world, and God remains one with humanity forever. The resurrection guarantees that God's incarnate love, which was first revealed to us in the miracle of Christmas, continues in this world and the next through the miracle of Easter.



*Presentation of Jesus Christ at the Temple
Francesco Vittore Carpaccio, 1510
Gallerie dell'Accademia, Venice, Italy*

DECEMBER 2022

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2^V First Friday of the Month

3^W ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, PRIEST

4^V SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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6^{VW} St. Nicholas, Bishop

7^W ST. AMBROSE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

8^W THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

9^{VW} St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin

10^{VW} Our Lady of Loreto

11^{V or Ro} THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

12^W OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

13^R ST. LUCY, VIRGIN AND MARTYR

14^W ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS, PRIEST AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

15^V

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18^V FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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21^V St. Peter Canisius, Priest and Doctor of the Church

22^V

23^V St. John of Kanty, Priest

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25^W THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (CHRISTMAS)

26^R ST. STEPHEN, THE FIRST MARTYR

27^W ST. JOHN, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST

28^R THE HOLY INNOCENTS, MARTYRS

29^W FIFTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD
St. Thomas Becket Bishop and Martyr

30^W THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

31^W SEVENTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD
St. Sylvester I, Pope

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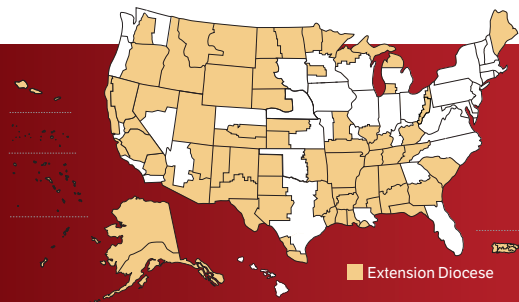
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Rev. John J. Wall, President

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CALENDAR KEY

Colors of the Liturgical Year are displayed in the date number:

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| 1 Advent & Lent | 4 The Triduum |
| 2 Easter & Christmas Seasons | 5 Holy Days of Obligation |
| 3 Ordinary Time | 6 Penitential Day |

Holy Days of Obligation are red and uppercase:

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Solemnities, feasts and obligatory memorials are uppercase:

ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

Optional memorials are capitalized:

St. Hilary

National holidays appear in italic:

Mother's Day

Federal holidays appear in italic with a star:

Thanksgiving Day ★

Vestment colors are noted last, with abbreviations:

B = BLACK **R** = RED **V** = VIOLET
G = GREEN **Rg** = ROSE **W** = WHITE

Lunar phases are observed in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC).

ABSTINENCE

Abstinence is a penitential practice consisting of refraining from the consumption of meat and is to be observed by all Catholics who are 14 years of age and older. Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and the Fridays during Lent are days of abstinence. Pastors and parents are encouraged to see that children who are not bound by the obligation to fast and abstain are led to appreciate an authentic sense of penance.

FAST & ABSTINENCE

In addition to abstinence, fasting is to be observed by all Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 years (inclusive). On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, one full meal is allowed. Two smaller meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids are allowed. Note: Those who are unable to observe the above regulations due to ill health or other serious reasons are urged to practice other forms of self-denial that are suitable to their condition.