

**WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEKEND OF
24 & 25 FEBRUARY 2018**

- 1. Congratulations to James Aston Nasser, infant son of James A. & Ann Marie DeFilippis Nasser; and Sadie Marie Snyder, infant daughter of Michael A. & Dr. Ellianne Nasser Snyder, who were Baptized and Chrismated at our parish on Sunday, February 18th. Both babies are the grandchildren of James K. & Mary Ellen Nasser.**
- 2. Lenten Regulations are as follows: Abstinence from meat & meat products is observed on all Fridays of Great Lent. Abstinence is binding on everyone over the age of 14 years. Fasting from food and drink (except water and medicine) is observed from Midnight until Noon on Good Friday. Fasting is binding on everyone between the ages of 18 and 60 years. Those unable to fast due to ill health must perform other penances & works of charity; like attending daily Mass, Stations of the Cross, volunteering at the Saint Francis of Assisi Soup Kitchen, etc.**
- 3. On the Fridays of Great Lent, the daily Mass will be celebrated at 6:30 PM, followed by the Stations/Benediction of the Cross.**
- 4. The Annual Bishop's Appeal is taking place during Great Lent; and the Appeal literature and information is already in the mail.**
- 5. Baking for the Sodality's Annual Palm Sunday Bake Sale will take place during the week of March 19. Exact dates and times will be announced soon, but all bakers and helpers are asked to keep the week open.**
- 6. The next meeting of the Pastoral Council will take place on Sunday, March 11th at 12:30 PM in the Parish Center.**
- 7. The next meeting of the Sodality will take place on Sunday, March 18th in the Church Hall after the Coffee Hour**