

SAINT JOHN VIANNEY

2/24/2019: \$2,619.00 Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 03/03/2019

Envelopes:	\$2,021.00
Loose Checks:	\$ 633.00
Loose Cash:	\$ 167.00
Total	\$2,735.00
7 Online Giving:	\$ 315.00

Last Year: \$2,653.00 Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

SAINT THOMAS THE APOSTLE

2/17/2019: \$7,204.75 Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 02/24/2019

123 Envelopes:	\$4,666.25
36 Loose Checks:	\$1,043.25
Loose Cash:	\$ 435.00
Total	\$6,144.50
10 Online Giving:	\$ 525.00

Last Year: \$6,187.50 Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

FROM OUR 6TH GRADE PREP STUDENTS

Thank you to all the wonderful people who have donated baby items last week and this week. The Grade 6 PREP will continue to collect baby supplies (formula, baby food, diapers, wipes, diaper cream, etc.) during the month of March to benefit the babies assisted by the Father English Center in Paterson, who are in desperate need of supplies. Items can be dropped off in the vestibule of both churches. Thank you and GOD bless! :)

THREE STAGES OF FORGIVENESS

I don't deny what the person did, or pretend it wasn't wrong. But . . .

- (1) Instead of identifying the person total with whatever they did to hurt me, I begin to see them as a person like me—imperfect, but still someone God loves.
- (2) I give up my “right” to get even. Vengeful thoughts don't make the other person suffer. They hurt me. So, I just plain rinse my mind of those kind of thoughts.
- (3) I stand next to the Lord and together with him look at the other person. For sure Jesus wants good things to happen to them, So, with the Lord's help (and some struggle), I begin to look at the other person the way the Lord does.

After reading this and reflecting try this:

Take 10 seconds to think of someone you find hard to forgive.

Now you understand why these three stages can't be accomplished in one sitting . . . Or one day.

But you might be able to do it by Easter.



WELCOME HOME TO HEALING

**RECONCILIATION ON MONDAY NIGHTS
THROUGHOUT LENT**

This Lenten season, each Catholic parish in the Diocese of Paterson will have Confession available every Monday evening at Saint Thomas the Apostle, March 11th to April 8th from 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. (before and after 7:30 p.m. Mass) If you have been reluctant to come to the Sacrament, have been away for some time or just found it difficult to get to a Saturday afternoon Confession time, this is a wonderful opportunity to re-connect with Christ and His Church. Don't be afraid! Information will be provided. Ask the priest to help you.

Experience the gracious mercy of God! www.WelcomeHomeToHealing.org