February 17–23 • Sixth Week in Ordinary Time

President’s Day
(Feb. 18)

Bible verse
Blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD.
Jeremiah 17:7

Saint quote
Jesus, loving you and makling others love you.
motto of St. Geltrude

Family challenge
Explain the Chair of St. Peter to your kids.
Go to confession this week.
Pray for the president.
Count all of the ways your family is “blessed.”
Try a new way of praying.

We’re praying for...

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17
The sermon on the plain
This week, listen for Jesus saying, “Blessed are you who....”

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18
St. Geltrude Comensoli (1847-1903)
At age seven, she snuck out of her house to secretly receive her First Communion.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19
St. Lucy Yi Zhenmei (1815-1862)
The Chinese woman who taught religion classes and was killed for being Catholic.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20
Dorothy Gauchat (1921-2000)
With her husband, Bill, she founded Our Lady of the Wayside, a home in which they cared for severely disabled children.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21
St. Robert Southwell (1561-1595)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22
Feast of the Chair of St. Peter
A celebration of the role Christ gave Peter and his successors to guide the Church.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23
St. Polycarp (69-155)
A disciple of St. John the Apostle and an early Christian leader and martyr.

Our goals this week...

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