

Celebrate! **March**

March 7 – Sts. Perpetua and Felicity

These friends and young mothers were put to death during the Roman persecutions of the third century. Felicity gave birth while in prison and Perpetua had a baby she was still nursing when thrown in prison. Pray for their intercession for expectant mothers.

March 8 – Daylight Savings Time begins at 2 a.m.

March 17 – St. Patrick

The United States loves St. Patrick's Day. If you do something fun today, like attend a parade or pinch somebody for not wearing green, add on doing something nice for someone who needs it.

March 18-19 – St. Joseph and St. Joseph

At the beginning of Jesus' life and the end were two different Josephs. Joseph (feast: March 19), the foster father of Jesus, helped Mary during the birth of Jesus and protected the Holy Family during the rest of his life. Joseph of Arimathea (feast: March 18) provided the tomb for Jesus and helped bury his crucified body. The witness and actions of these two men testify to the humanity of Our Lord.

March 22 – Laetare Sunday

On the Fourth Sunday of Lent, Lent is celebrated as halfway complete. After Mass today, tell your family what you've done this Lent while sharing a meal, perhaps with one menu item that you traditionally eat on Easter.

March 25 – Annunciation of the Lord

The angel Gabriel came to Mary to tell her of the Lord's coming birth. Are you open to hearing what angels, especially your guardian angel, might be saying to you?

This Month

As a family, we're praying for ...

Goals for the family:
