### January

- 2 St. Basil the Great & St. Gregory Nazianzen
- 2 St. Abel
- 4 St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, patron of widows & single parents
- 5 St. John Neumann
- 7 St. Raymond of Penyafort, patron of lawyers
- 13 St. Hilary, protector against snakes
- 17 St. Anthony, patron of butchers, grave-diggers and graveyards, domestic animals, skin diseases
- 20 St. Fabian and St. Sebastian, patron of athletes, soldiers, police, physicians
- 21 St. Agnes, patron of young girls
- 22 St. Vincent, patron of winegrowers, vinegar-makers
- 23 St. Marianne Cope
- 24 St. Francis de Sales, patron of journalists, editors, writers, the deaf
- 26 St. Timothy, patron of people w/stomach ailments and St. Titus
- 27 St. Angela Merici, patron of handicapped people
- 28 St. Thomas Aquinas, patron of Catholic schools, students, colleges, philosophers, theologians
- 31 St. John Bosco, patron of editors, young people

# **February**

- 1 St. Brigid of Ireland, patron of nuns
- 3 St. Blasé, patron of protection against throat diseases, wild animals; patron of woolcombers, wax makers
- 3 St. Ansgar, patron of France, Denmark, Sweden, Germany, Iceland
- 5 St. Agatha, patron of Sicily, nurses, people with breast cancer, miners, jewelers, bell founders, Alpine guides; protector against fires, earthquakes, famine, thunderstorms, volcanoes
- 6 St. Paul Miki & Companions
- 8 St. Jerome Emiliani, patron of orphans, abandoned children
- 8 St. Josephine Bakhita, patron of Sudan
- 10 St. Scholastica, patron of children with convulsions
- 14 St. Cyril and St. Methodius, patrons of Europe, Yugoslavia, Bohemia, Moravia
- 14 St. Valentine
- 21 St. Peter Damian
- 23 St. Polycarp

# March

- 1 St. David
- 3 St. Katharine Drexel, patron of philanthropists
- 4 St. Casimir, patron of Poland, Lithuania, Russia
- 7 St. Perpetua & St. Felicity, people with infertility
- 8 St. John of God, patron of hospitals, the sick, nurses, booksellers, printers, those with hear t ailments
- 9 St. Frances of Rome, patron of widows, motorists
- 9 St. Dominic Savio, patron of young boys
- 15 St. Louise de Marillac, patron of social workers
- 16 St. Abraham

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- 17 St. Patrick, patron of Ireland, Nigeria
- 18 St. Cyril of Jerusalem
- 19 St. Joseph, patron of the Church, a happy death, fathers, carpenters, bursars, artisans, manual workers, prayer and interior life, house hunting, the poor, those in authority, priests, religious, travelers, devotion to Mary, Austria, Mexico, Canada, Bohemia, Chinese missions, Belgium, Peru, South Vietnam
  - St. Turibius de Mogrovejo, patron of Latin American bishops

### **April**

- 2 St. Francis of Paola, patron of seafarers
- 4 St. Isidore of Seville, patron of computers, internet
- 5 St. Vincent Ferrer, patron of builders
- 7 St. John Baptist de la Salle, patron of teachers
- 8 St. Julie Billiart, patron of catechists
- 11 St. Marguerite d'Youville
- 11 St. Stanislaus, patron of Poland
- 13 St. Martin I
- 16 St. Bernadette, patron of people with asthma
- 21 St. Anselm
- 23 St. George, patron of England, Portugal, Lithuania, Boy Scouts, farmers
- 24 St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, patron of lawyers
- 25 St. Mark
- 28 St. Peter Chanel, patron of Oceania
- 29 St. Catherine of Siena, patron of Italy, fire prevention, nurses
- 30 Pope St. Pius V

# May

- 2 St. Anthanasius
- 3 St. Philip and St. James, patron saints of Uruguay
- 3 St. James the Less, patron of druggists, the dying
- 10 St. Damien of Molokai
- 12 St. Nereus and St. Achilleus
- 12 St. Pancras (Pancratius)
- 13 St. Agnes of Poitiers
- 13 St. Julian of Norwich
- 14 St. Matthias, patron of tailors, alcoholics
- 15 St. Isidore the Farmer, patron of farmers, farm laborers
- 16 St. Brendan
- 18 St. John I
- 20 St. Bernardine of Siena, patron of advertisers, protector from hoarseness
- 25 St. Bede the Venerable
- 25 St. Gregory VII
- 25 St. Mary Magdalene de Pazzi
- 26 St. Philip Neri
- 27 St. Augustine of Canterbury
- 30 St. Joan of Arc, patron of France, members of military

## June

- St. Justin, patron of philosophers
- 2 St. Marcellinus & St. Peter
- 3 St. Charles Lwanga & Companions, patron of African Catholic Action, youth
- 5 St. Boniface, patron of England
- 6 St. Norbert
- 9 St. Ephrem of Syria
- 11 St. Barnabas, patron of Cyprus
- 13 St. Anthony of Padua, patron of lost items, childless women, the poor, harvests, travelers, horses & donkeys, Portugal
- 19 St. Romuald
- 21 St. Aloysius Gonzaga, patron of Christian youth, students in Jesuit colleges
- 22 St. Paulinus of Nola
- 22 St. John Fisher & Thomas More, patron of lawyers
- 27 St. Cyril of Alexandria
- 28 St. Irenaeus
- 29 St. Peter, patron of fisherman & St. Paul, patron of the lay apostolate, the Cursillo movement, Catholic Action, Malta, Greece

## July

- 3 St. Thomas, patron of builders, architects, surveyors, the blind, India, Pakistan, the East Indies
- St. Elizabeth of Portugal 4
- St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria 5
- St. Maria Goretti, patron of youth, teenage girls, people who 6 have been abused
- 11 St. Benedict, patron of Europe, farm workers, Italian engineers and architects
- 12 St. Veronica, patron of photographers
- 13 St. Henry
- 14 St. Kateri Tekakwitha, patron of environmentalists
- 14 St. Camillus de Lellis, patron of people with AIDS
- 15 St. Bonaventure
- 15 St. Swithun
- 21 St. Lawrence of Brindisi
- 22 St. Mary Magdalene, patron of perfumers
- St. Bridget of Sweden, patron of scholars, dairy workers 23
- St. Boris, patron of Moscow & St. Gleb 24
- St. James, patron of laborers, people with arthritis, Spain, 25 Guatemala, Nicaragua
- St. Joachim & St. Ann, patrons of grandparents; Ann: patron of 26 housewives, childless women, miners, Canada
- St. Martha, patron of housewives, nutritionists, cooks, servants, 29 waiters & waitresses
- 30 St. Peter Chrysologus
- St. Ignatius of Loyola, patron of retreats, soldiers 31

## **August**

- St. Alphonsus Liguori, patron of confessors, theologians,
- The Seven Holy Maccabees & their mother St. Salome 1
- 2 St. Eusebius of Vercelli
- 4 St. John Mary Vianney, patron of parish priests
- 7 St. Sixtus II & Companions
- 7 St. Cajetan
- 8 St. Dominic, patron of astronomers, Dominican Rep.
- 9 St. Edith Stein, patron of philosophers
- 10 St. Lawrence, patron of Rome, cooks, the poor
- St. Clare, patron of television 11
- St. Pontian & St. Hippolytus 13
- 13 St. Radegunda
- 14 St. Maximilian Kolbe, patron of people w/drug addition
- St. Stephen of Hungary, patron of Hungary, builders 16
- St. Jane Frances de Chantal, patron of people who grieve 18
- 18 St. Helen, patron of archeologists
- St. John Eudes 19
- 19 St. Sarah
- 20 St. Bernard, patron of beekeepers, candlemakers, Gibraltar
- Pope St. Pius X, patron for sick people on the way to shrines 21
- St. Rose of Lima, patron of florists, gardeners, Peru, Central & 23 So. America, the Philippines, India
- 24 St. Bartholomew
- 25 St. Louis of France, patron of French soldiers, builders, sculptors, button makers, barbers
- St. Joseph Calasanz, patron of all Christian schools 25
- 27 St. Monica, patron of mothers, parents of troubled children
- 28 St. Augustine, patron of theologians
- 28 St. Jacob
- 29 St. John the Baptist, patron of road workers

### September

- 1 St. Ruth
- 3 St. Gregory the Great, patron of teachers, scholars, music,
- 4 St. Moses
- Bl. Teresa of Calcutta
- 5 8 St. Mary
- 9 St. Peter Claver, patron of missionary work among black people, Colombia
- 13 St. John Chrysostom, patron of preachers & public speakers, Constantinople
- 16 St. Cornelius & St. Cyprian, patron of North Africa, Algeria
- St. Robert Bellarmine, patron of catechists, catechumens 17
- 17 St. Hildegard of Bingen
- St. Januarius, patron of Naples, blood banks, those in danger of volcanoes
- 20 St. Andrew Kim Taegon, St. Paul Chong Hasang, and Companions
- 21 St. Matthew, patron of bankers, accountants, tax-gatherers, security guards
- 25 St. Cleopas and companion
- 26 St. Cosmas and St. Damian, patrons of physicians, surgeons, pharmacists, druggists, barbers, hairdressers, the blind
- 27 St. Vincent de Paul, patron of works of charity, hospitals, elderly people, prisoners, Madagascar
- 28 St. Wenceslaus, patron of Bohemia, Moravia, brewers
- St. Lawrence Ruiz & Companions 28
- Archangels: St. Michael, the Church, policemen, grocers, mariners, bankers, radiologists, the sick, the dying, the possessed, England, Germany, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands; St. Gabriel, postal services, telephone & telegraph workers, television workers; & St. Raphael, travelers, young people leaving home, the blind, nurses, physicians, lovers
- 30 St. Jerome, patron of Scripture scholars, librarians, students

#### October

- St. Therese of Child Jesus/of Lisieux/of the Little Flower, foreign missions, France, florists, gardeners, airplane pilots
- St. Mother Theodore Guerin, patron of the Roman Catholic 3 Diocese of Lafayette in Indiana
- St. Francis of Assisi, patron of Italy, Italian merchants, ecologists, ornithologists
- St. Faustina Kowalska, patron of Mercy
- St. Bruno, patron of the possessed 6
- St. Mechthild of Magdeburg
- St. Denis and Companions, patron of Paris, France, those with 9 headaches, the possessed
- 9 St. John Leonardi
- Pope St.John XXIII, patron of Papal delegates 11
- 14 St. Callistus L
- 15 St. Teresa of Jesus/of Avila, patron of Spain, those with headaches
- 16 St. Hedwig, patron of Silesia
- 16 St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, patron of people with heart
- 17 St. Ignatius of Antioch
- St. Luke, patron of artists, painters, doctors, sculptors, 18 glass-workers, butchers
- 19 St. Isaac Jogues, St. John de Brebeuf, and Companions, patrons
- 19 St. Rene Goupil, patron of anesthesiologists
- St. Paul of the Cross 20
- 21 St. Ursula and companions
- Pope St. John Paul II, patron of World Youth Day
- St. John of Capistrano, patron of jurists, military chaplains 23
- 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret, patron of weavers, savings banks
- 28 St. Simon and St. Jude, patron of desperate situations, hospitals

#### November

- 3 St. Martin de Porres, patron of social justice, public education, hairdressers
- 3 St. Malachy O'More
- 4 St. Charles Borromeo, patron of catechists, catechumens, seminaries
- 5 St. Elizabeth & St. Zechariah
- 10 St. Leo the Great
- 11 St. Martin of Tours, patron of France, soldiers, horses and horse -riders, beggars, geese, winegrowers
- 12 St. Josaphat
- 13 St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, patron of immigrants, hospital administrators, Italy
- 15 St. Albert the Great, patron of scientists, students, philosophers
- 16 St. Agnes of Assisi
- 16 St. Margaret of Scotland, patron of Scotland
- 16 St. Gertrude the Great, patron of the West Indies
- 17 St. Elizabeth of Hungary, patron of Catholic charities, the Franciscan Third Order, bakers
- 18 St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
- 22 St. Cecilia, patron of music, musicians, poets
- 23 St. Clement I, patron of marble-workers, mariners, stonecutters
- 23 St. Columban, patron of Ireland
- 24 St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions
- 30 St. Andrew, patron of Russia, Scotland, the Greek Church, fishermen, fish dealers

#### December

- 3 St. Francis Xavier, patron of the missions, Australia, India, Pakistan
- 4 St. John Damascus
- 4 St. Barbara, patron of a happy death, architects
- 6 St. Nicholas, patron of Greece, Sicily, Russia, bakers, brides, children, merchants, travelers, sailors
- 7 St. Ambrose, patron of learning, beekeepers, the French army commissariat
- 9 St. Juan Diego, patron of the disenfranchised
- 11 St. Damasus I, patron of archeologists
- 13 St. Lucy, patron of those with eye trouble, writers, Syracuse, Sicily
- 14 St. John of the Cross, patron of diocesan priests, poets
- 20 St. Esther
- 21 St. Peter Canisius
- 23 St. John of Kanty, patron of Poland, Lithuania
- 24 St. Adam & St. Eve
- 26 St. Stephen, patron of deacons, bricklayers, stonemasons
- 27 St. John the Evangelist, patron of Turkey, protection against poison
- 29 St. Thomas Becket
- 29 St. David
- 31 St. Sylvester I