



## PRAYER HELPERS OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD MONTHLY PRAYER FOR PRIESTS IN THE DIOCESE OF SPRINGFIELD, MA

Heavenly Father, in Your wondrous plan of salvation, You have specially anointed Your priests to administer Your life-giving Sacraments to us. They have been uniquely chosen by You to sustain the members of Your Church with the Most Holy Eucharist. May all priests recognize the dignity to which they have been called so that they may walk in the path of righteousness and not offend You by their sins. May their hearts always be filled with a profound appreciation for their esteemed vocation. Merciful and loving Lord, please grace [Name] with a deep love for You and an even deeper hunger for the salvation of the souls they shepherd. Amen.

### August 2021

| Sun  | Mon  | Tue                               | Wed   | Thu                                    | Fri                               | Sat                                 |
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| 1<br>Pope Emeritus<br>Benedict<br>XVI            | 2<br>Rev. John<br>McDonagh                                 | 3<br>Rev. Alfred<br>Cournoyer     | 4<br>All<br>Parish<br>Priests   | 5<br>Rev. William<br>Cyr               | 6<br>Rev. James<br>DeVine,<br>MIC | 7<br>Rev. John<br>Lis               |
| 8<br>Rev. Michael<br>Bernier<br><i>(Healing)</i> | 9<br>Rev. James<br>Joyce                                   | 10<br>Rev. Jaime<br>Ahern         | 11<br>Rev. Francis<br>Crombie   | 12<br>Rev. John<br>Brennan,<br>SJ      | 13<br>Rev. Peter Ha<br>Dinh-Dang  | 14<br>Rev. Msgr.<br>David<br>George |
| 15<br>Pope<br>Francis                            | 16<br>Rev. Ron<br>McBride,<br>MIC                          | 17<br>Rev. David<br>Smith,<br>MIC | 18<br>Rev. Mark<br>Glover   | 19<br>Rev. Julian<br>LaFlamme          | 20<br>Rev. Merle<br>Lavoie        | 21<br>Rev. John<br>Larson,<br>MIC   |
| 22<br>Rev. Mark<br>Miller                        | 23<br>Rev. Anthony<br>Gramlich,<br>MIC<br><i>(Healing)</i> | 24<br>Rev. Tomasz<br>Gorny        | 25<br>Rev. J. Lessard-<br>Thibodeau,<br>JCL<br><i>(Healing)</i>   | 26<br>Rev. Mariusz<br>Jarzabek,<br>MIC | 27<br>Rev. James<br>Longe         | 28<br>Rev. Stefan<br>Niemczyk       |
| 29<br>Most Rev.<br>William<br>Byrne              | 30<br>Rev. Shaun<br>O'Connor                               | 31<br>Rev. Donald<br>Noiseux      | <i>Compassionate Jesus, take pity on Your people<br/>and increase the number of priestly<br/>vocations in this diocese. Amen.</i> |  |                                   |                                     |

**“Who then is the priest?  
He is the defender of truth,  
who stands with angels,  
gives glory with archangels,  
causes sacrifices to rise  
to the altar on high,  
and shares Christ’s  
priesthood.”**

—St. Gregory Nazianzen

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