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**FEBRUARY**  
**8**  
**2026**

**Parish Information**

**Pastor**  
 Rev. J. Gregorio Rausseo G.

**Deacons**  
 Mr. Stan Stott  
 Mr. Gerardo Marrufo

**Pastoral Assistant**  
 Stephanie Lara

**Finances**  
 Carina Corona

**Office Hours**  
 Monday - Thursday  
 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

**Mass Schedule**

**Saturday**  
 English 5:00 pm  
 Spanish 6:30 pm

**Sunday**  
 Spanish 8:00 am  
 English 10:00 am  
 Spanish 12:00 pm

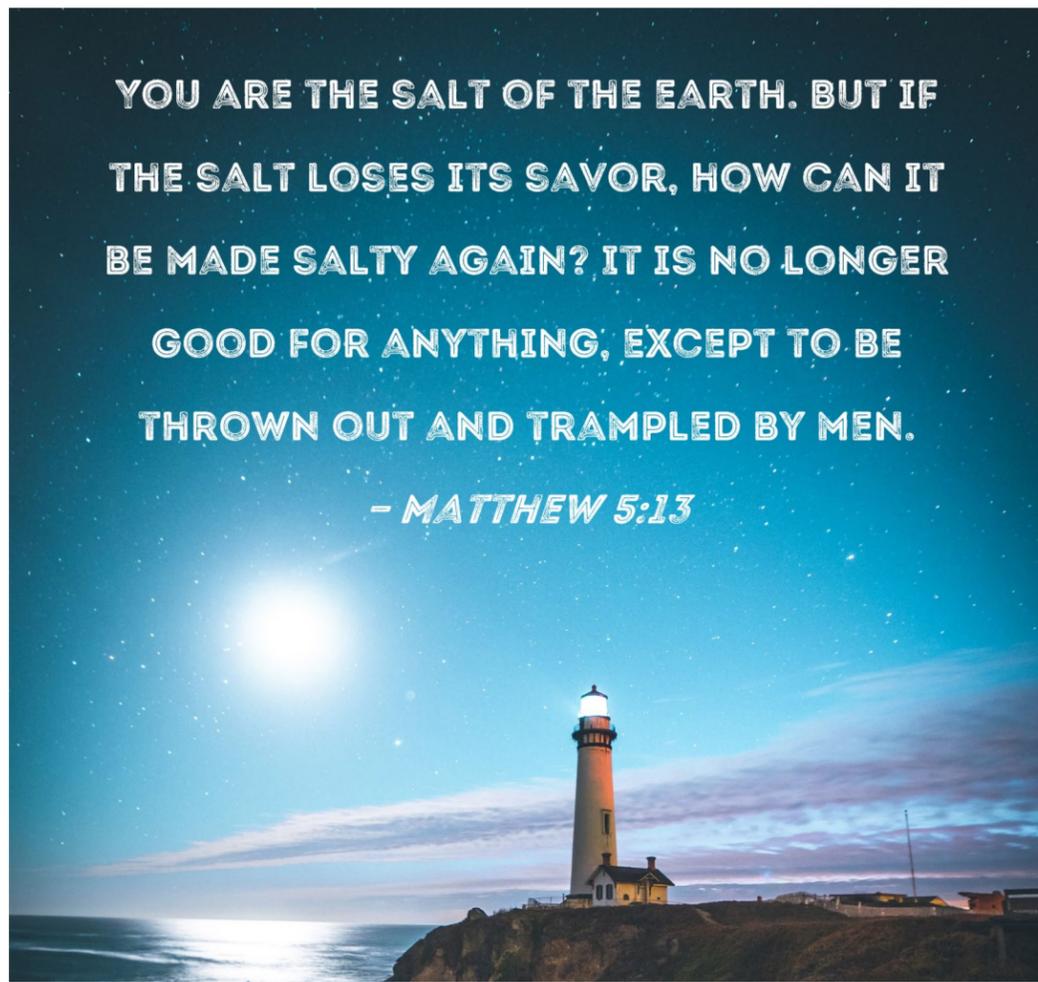
**Weekly Mass**  
**Stone Chapel**  
 Tuesday & Thursday  
 English 9:00 am  
 Spanish 6:30 pm

**Blessed Sacrament Adoration**  
**Thursday**  
 9:45 am - 6:15 pm

**Holy Hour**  
 All 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesdays  
 6:00pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
 Tuesday  
 5:15pm-6:15pm

**Communion Services**  
 Deacon Stan/English  
 Monday-Wednesday-Friday  
 at 9:00am



**YOU ARE THE SALT OF THE EARTH. BUT IF THE SALT LOSES ITS FLAVOR, HOW CAN IT BE MADE SALTY AGAIN? IT IS NO LONGER GOOD FOR ANYTHING, EXCEPT TO BE THROWN OUT AND TRAMPLED BY MEN.**

*- MATTHEW 5:13*

**V Sunday Ordinary Time**

**ELECTRONIC OFFERING**  
 We are now accepting offerings via QR code!  
 Thank you for all those who have donated and contributed.  
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## Matthew 5:13

Jesus used the image of salt to describe the transforming effect of God's work in our lives - and how the Holy Spirit wants to work through us to bring the power and blessing of God's kingdom to others. As salt purifies, preserves, and produces rich flavor for our daily food, we, too, as disciples of Jesus, are "salt" for the world of human society. The Lord wants to work in and through us to purify, preserve, and spread the rich flavor of God's kingdom everywhere - his "kingdom of righteousness, peace, and joy in the Holy Spirit" Jesus used the image of a lamp to describe how his disciples are to live in the light of his truth and love. Just as natural light illumines the darkness and enables one to see visually, so the light of Christ shines in the hearts of believers and enables us to see the heavenly reality of God's kingdom. Our mission is to be light-bearers of Jesus Christ so that others may see the truth of the gospel and be freed from the blindness of sin and deception. There is great freedom and joy for those who live in the light of God's truth and goodness. Do you know the joy and freedom of living in God's light?

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### Pope's Intention for February: For children with incurable diseases

Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.



POPE LEO XIV

One in nine people in Utah experience hunger. That's why CCS operates Joyce Hansen Hall Food Bank, the largest pantry in Northern Utah. We can't do it alone. Will you join us in ensuring that our neighbors are well fed? Learn more about how you can help at <https://bit.ly/3pfVRJm>.



## WORLDWIDE NEWS

### Pope Leo: May horror of genocide never again be inflicted upon any people

Pope Leo issued an impassioned appeal against hatred during his weekly General Audience on Wednesday morning in the Vatican, recalling that the previous day marked International Holocaust Remembrance Day, which, he noted, "brought death to millions of Jews and to many other people." "On this annual occasion of painful remembrance," the Pope stressed, "I ask the Almighty for the gift of a world no longer marked by antisemitism, nor by prejudice, oppression, and persecution against any human being." He went on to renew his appeal to the international community, urging vigilance so that "the horror of genocide may never again be inflicted upon any people," and so that "a society founded on mutual respect and the common good may be built." On Tuesday, the Pope also commemorated the International Day with a post on his @Pontifex account, stressing that "the Church remains faithful to the unwavering position of the Declaration Nostra Aetate against every form of antisemitism. The Church rejects any discrimination or harassment based on ethnicity, language, nationality, or religion." (VN)



### Another millennial saint? The story of Joe Wilson, the young Scot who inspired a generation

"I will always be close to God, because he is the most important thing in my life." This is how Joe Wilson, a young Scotsman on the path to sainthood, expressed his profound relationship with the Lord in his personal diary, which since his sudden death at the age of 17 in 2011 has inspired many people around the world. Last November, the Scottish bishops formally approved the opening of his cause for canonization. The postulator, Valerie Fleming, is currently gathering all the details of his life and legacy to present them to the Vatican. Joe died on Dec. 20, 2011, at Wishaw General Hospital from Wolff-Parkinson-White syndrome, a congenital heart condition that can particularly affect young athletes. "And that's what Joe was," recalled Fleming, who said that his sudden death "was a huge shock to his family." His father found a diary in which Joe had recorded the most intimate details of his spiritual life, with reflections on faith and his search for God. The young man expressed his enthusiasm for Pope Benedict XVI's visit to Scotland in 2010: "I prayed the rosary on Sunday so that everything would go well and there would be many conversions. Jesus will be on the altar! Or at least, as close to Jesus as we can be on earth, on the altar." "I know the world won't be perfect, and that's why I love having faith. Think of all the people who are starving, in wars, in famines; who were excluded, tortured, who weren't loved in the world. All these people who were unfortunate on earth are, I'm sure, sitting on the highest thrones in heaven. How reassuring is that?" he wrote shortly before his death. (CNA)



## Readings ~ 02/08/2025

V Ordinary Time

**First Reading Isaiah 58:7** "Thus says the LORD: Share your bread with the hungry, shelter the oppressed and the homeless; clothe the naked when you see them, and do not turn your back on your own.

**Responsorial Psalm 112:4-5**

**Second Reading 1 Corinthians 2**

"I came to you in weakness and fear and much trembling, and my message and my proclamation were not with persuasive words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of Spirit and power, so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

**Gospel Matthew 5:13**

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel basket; it is set on a lampstand, where it gives light to all in the house. Just so, your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father."

## Readings ~ 02/15/2025

VI Ordinary Time

**First Reading Sirach 15:15**

"If you choose you can keep the commandments, they will save you; if you trust in God, you too shall live; he has set before you fire and water to whichever you choose, stretch forth your hand.

**Responsorial Psalm 119:1-2**

**Second Reading 1 Corinthians 2:6**

Rather, we speak God's wisdom, mysterious, hidden, which God predetermined before the ages for our glory, and which none of the rulers of this age knew; for, if they had known it, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory.

**Gospel Matthew 5:17** "Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do so will be called least in the kingdom of heaven. But whoever obeys and teaches these commandments will be called greatest in the kingdom of heaven. I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven.

## Call to Convention

The Diocese of Salt Lake City Council of Catholic Women's 2026 Convention will be Saturday-Sunday, April 18-19 at the Little America Hotel, 500 S. Main St., SLC.

The keynote speaker, Marie Miller, will present "The Way of Love," a musical presentation on the teaching of Saint Therese of Lisieux.



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