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| *Your Kingdom Come!*  St. John Vianney  August 4  **Speaking Well of Others**  “A Christian murderer…It’s not me saying this, it’s the Lord. And there is no place for nuances. If you speak ill of your brother, you kill your brother. And every time we do this, we are imitating that gesture of Cain, the first murderer in history.”  ~Pope Francis, 9/14/12 |  | *Your Kingdom Come!*  St. Jerome  September 30  **Personal, Passionate Love of Christ**  “It is for the Christian to continually encounter Jesus, to watch him, to let himself be watched over by Jesus, because Jesus watches us with love; he loves us so much, he loves us so much and he is always watching over us. To encounter Jesus also means allowing oneself to be gazed upon by him.”  ~Pope Francis, 12/1/13 |  | *Your Kingdom Come!*  St. John Vianney  August 4  **Prayer First**  “…God’s grace is always greater than the prayer which sought it. The Lord always grants more than what he has been asked: you ask him to remember you, and he brings you into his Kingdom!”  --Pope Francis, Christ the King 2013 |  | *Your Kingdom Come!*  Pope St. Gregory the Great  March 12  **JOY**  “In the depths of the heart, let us listen to His voice that says to us: ‘Today I must stay at your house,’ that is in your life. And let us welcome Him with joy: He can change us, can transform our hearts of stone into hearts of flesh, He can liberate us from selfishness and make our lives a gift of love.”  ~Pope Francis, 11/3/13 |  | *Your Kingdom Come!*  St. Bede the Venerable  May 25    **Kindness**  “Jesus Christ says – “I am among you as one who serves” (*Lk* 22:26-27). Every activity therefore must be distinguished by an attitude of service to persons, especially those furthest away and less known. Service is the soul of that fraternity that builds up peace.”  ~ Pope Francis, 1/1/14 |
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| *Your Kingdom Come!*  St. Vincent Pallotti  January 22  **CHARITY**  "True charity requires courage.  Let us overcome the fear of getting our hands dirty so as to help those in need.”  ~tweet of Pope Francis |  | *Your Kingdom Come!*  St. John Chrysostom  September 13  **Conquering Spirit**  "The Lord always wants us to move forward, forward, forward... not to take refuge in a quiet life or in cozy structures, no? And Paul, in preaching of the Lord, was a nuisance. But he had deep within him that most Christian of attitudes: apostolic zeal. . . He was not a man of compromise... The proclamation of Jesus Christ, forward!"  ~Pope Francis 5/16/2013 |  | *Your Kingdom Come!*  St. Francis of Assisi  October 4  **Person to Person**  “.…. Being a disciple means being constantly ready to bring the love of Jesus to others, and this can happen unexpectedly and in any place: on the street, in a city square, during work, on a journey.”  ~Pope Francis, #127 Joy of the Gospel |  | *Your Kingdom Come!*  St. Bernard  August 20  **SELF- SURRENDER**  “Perseverance in prayer: to pray more. Diligence in fraternal charity: to draw closer to those in need. And joy in praising the Lord. Let us begin this journey in prayer, charity and praise, so that the Lord might come to meet us, but let us allow him to meet us with our defenses down, in openness!”  ~Pope Francis, 12/2/13 |  | *Your Kingdom Come!*  **St Thomas of Villanova**  September 18  **HOPE**  “In the depths of the heart, let us listen to His voice that says to us: ‘Today I must stay at your house,’ that is in your life. And let us welcome Him with joy: He can change us, can transform our hearts of stone into hearts of flesh, He can liberate us from selfishness and make our lives a gift of love.”    ~ Pope Francis 11/3/13 |