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PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

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Mary and Joseph take the infant Jesus to the Temple and an old man named Simeon takes the baby in his arms and praised God.

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Today's Readings

First Reading: Malachi 3:1-4

Psalm # 24

Second Reading: Hebrews 2:10-11, 13-18

Gospel: Luke 2:22-40

Next Sunday– February 9th – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time “A”

First reading: Isaiah 58:6-10

Psalm # 112

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 2:1-5

Gospel: Matthew 5:13-16

TODAY'S FEAST is called the **Presentation of the Lord** in the temple. It is also called **Candlemas** because candles are often blessed on this day. And today, the 2nd of February is also **World Day for the Consecrated Life**.

TODAY Father Matthew will be blessing candles for us and we will go into the chapel in procession with the lighted candles. Then you may take them home with you. **And today Father Matthew will also be blessing throats with special candles for that purpose.** Tomorrow, February 3rd is the feast of St. Blaise. He was known for the blessing of throats. According to legend, St. Blaise miraculously cured a boy, who was choking to death,

COMING EVENT in February – SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16th, FAMILY DAY PARTY AND POTLUCK LUNCH in PRC Room #161.

REMINDER – Jean Procyk is in St. Joseph's Auxiliary Hospital 10707 – 29 Avenue. She is in room # 306 – on the second floor, **Rosewood Gardens**. Thank you to those who have already visited her. She is lonely and **still** misses not coming to our Mass.

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