**Word of Life – March 2022**

**Intercessions for Life**

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| **March 2nd**  For the times we have violated or neglected  the sanctity of human life: May we repent, receive the Lord’s mercy,  and return to Him with our whole heart;  *We pray to the Lord:* | **Ash Wednesday** |
| **March 6th**  For each expectant mother considering abortion:  May the Lord provide for her needs  and give her the grace and resolve  to choose life for her child;  *We pray to the Lord*: | **First Sunday of Lent** |
| **March 13th**  For those nearing the end of life: May they be given the grace to persevere in faith  and place their trust in God,  as they prepare in hope for eternity with Christ;  *We pray to the Lord:* | **Second Sunday of Lent** |
| **March 20th**  May all who suffer from the wounds of abortion  be filled with the hope that does not disappoint,  and be healed by Christ;  *We pray to the Lord:* | **Third Sunday of Lent** |
| **March 25th**  Inspired by the example of the Blessed Mother,  may we, like Mary, have the courage  to say “yes” to life from conception to natural death;  *We pray to the Lord:* | **Solemnity of the Annunciation**  **of the Lord** |
| **March 27th**  May all mothers facing difficult pregnancies  be lovingly accompanied as they prepare  to encounter Christ anew  through the gift of their children;  *We pray to the Lord:* | **Fourth Sunday of Lent** |