



Jesus
Loves You!

February Domestic Church AT HOME PROJECT

Building Faith, Strengthening Families, Growing in Love!

One of the Church's greatest saints, Augustine of Hippo, once wrote, *"You made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you."*

Another way of saying that is that we all have a God-shaped hole in our heart that God is constantly asking us to let Him fill.

Jesus said to His disciples and He says to us that we should love others as He has loved us. In the Bible stories of Jesus' life and mission, we see that Jesus' love of others is always life-affirming, restorative, creative, and generous. When Jesus heals, He heals the whole person: body, mind, and spirit. His love lifts up and recognizes value.

In the month of February, the secular world turns our attention to Valentine's Day. In so many ways, this celebration makes love into a commodity. *This is not the love we are called to* as disciples of Jesus Christ.



*Love is patient, love is kind.
It does not envy, it does not boast,
it is not proud. It does not dishonor
others, it is not self-seeking,
it is not easily angered.
It keeps no record of wrongs.
Love does not delight in evil but
rejoices with the truth.
It always protects, always trusts,
always hopes, always preserves.*

Love never fails.

1 Corinthians 13

OUR FEBRUARY DOMESTIC CHURCH PROJECT

Everyone in your family is invited to...

Create a Personal Love Note Box!

- Each person should leave the box outside his or her bedroom door.
- Be creative in making your boxes!
- Every day for the rest of the month, leave a note in each person's box.
- Surprise them by expressing kindness, affirming a positive trait or action, and acknowledging what each person adds to your life!

Ideas for your Love Notes:

- You are loved!
- I'm proud of you!
- You have a kind heart!
- You make our family special!
- Thank you for being you!



Share With Us!



Share pictures of your love note boxes with us and some of the more meaningful expressions of love you receive by emailing the Religious Education Director,

Mrs. Azzolini, at
StMonicaCCD@yahoo.com.



We will share your pictures on our social media Facebook page!

Happy Valentine's Day!



Please email your pictures by
FEBRUARY 28th!

Let's fill our homes with love, kindness, and the love of Jesus!