## Mary, Mother of the Church Parish Special Message from Father Lavorgna

March 19, 2020

Dear parishioners and friends,

We are always joined together spiritually to God and each other. Even if apart physically during these difficult, challenging and uncertain times -- we all turn to our Lord Jesus in a spirit of conversion. The Lenten season is a time of sacrifice, self-denial, and increased awareness of our certain need for God and our care and concern for each other. Jesus loves us and Jesus is with us. Holy Mary, Mother of the Church, intercedes for us. Continue to pray and mediate upon the Sacred Scriptures. Offer devotions. Be good to each other. Follow our necessary health and safety precautions, guidelines, and regulations so we can overcome the scourge of the coronavirus. Stay united as a family rooted in faith, hope and love.

Please remember that the television Mass is broadcast each day at 10AM on WCCT-TV (QB20) and WCTX-TV (MY TV 9) it can also be streamed from the ORTV website: www.ortv.org. The Mass is also broadcast on the Eternal Word Television Network (EWTN) several times a day. Their website is: www.ewtn.com

While watching and praying the Mass via television or online, you can make a spiritual communion. We are always united in the Eucharist, no matter where we are, as members of the Body of Christ.

I am praying for the needs of all the parish family and for our society. All the way -- to God's embrace

Sincerely, Fr. Lavorgna