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"The bible speaks of living waters, of becoming a fountain of living water, of longing for running water, and of justice flowing as a mighty river. Yet, how can anyone speak about the 'waters of life' if these waters can no longer sustain life? Without water everything dies."

(Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, "You love all that exists... all things are Yours, God, lover of life", 2003)



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UN Millennium Development Goal (2000): Reduce by half, by 2015, the proportion of people without access to safe drinking water</li> <li>Ministerial declaration (2001): "Combatting poverty is the main challenge for achieving equitable and sustainable development, and water plays a vital role in relation to human health, livelihood, economic growth as well as sustaining ecosystems"</li> <li>1.2 billion people lack access to safe drinking water</li> <li>2.4 billion do not have adequate sanitation services</li> <li>2 million children die each year because of water-related illnesses</li> </ul>			December 04 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	February 05 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	<b>1</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mary, Mother of God</li> <li>New Year's Day</li> <li>World Day of Peace</li> </ul>
<b>2</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Epiphany</li> </ul>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>St. Elizabeth Ann Seton</li> </ul>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Blessed André Bessette (Canada)</li> </ul>	<b>7</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nativity of Jesus Christ (Julian calendar)</li> </ul>	<b>8</b>
<b>9</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Baptism of Our Lord</li> </ul>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>St. Marguerite Bourgeoys, Foundress, Notre Dame Congregation</li> </ul>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Theophany (Baptism of Our Lord; Julian calendar)</li> </ul>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (to January 30)</li> </ul>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>World Social Forum: Another World is Possible, Porto Alegre, Brazil (to January 31)</li> </ul>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conversion of St. Paul</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>St. Thomas Aquinas</li> </ul>	