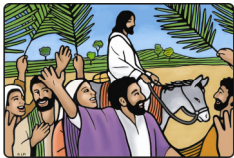


April 17, 2011: Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion



"Hosanna to the Son of David,
blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord;
hosanna in the highest."
And when he entered Jerusalem the whole city was shaken and asked,
"Who is this?" And the crowds replied, "This is Jesus the prophet,
from Nazareth in Galilee." — Mt. 21:9-11

LITURGY

MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS

Sunday, April 17, Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

(Mt 21:1-11/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/Mt 26:14---27:66)

8:00 am- Maggie & Forrest Timm, Sr.

10:30 am- For our Parish Family

Monday of Holy Week, April 18 (Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11)

7:00 am- John Haas

10:00 am- Doraine Buck (H'ville Rehab)

Tuesday of Holy Week, Apr 19 (Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38)

7:00 am- Deceased members of Julius & Helen Grahmann & Florentine & Adela Janak Families.

Wednesday of Holy Week, April 20 (Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25)

7:00 am- Living & deceased members of KJT No. 5

8:05 am- Eddie Schulte

12:05 pm- Special Intention

Holy Thursday (Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15)

10:00 am- Edna Liebham (Stevens)

7:00 pm (Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper)- For Rain

9:00 pm- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until Midnight

Good Friday of the Lord's Passion (Is 52:13---53:12/Heb

4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1---19:42)

12:00 Noon- Liturgy of the Lord's Passion – Living Stations, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion.

2:00 pm- Liturgy of the Lord's Passion – Living Stations, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion.

7:00 pm- Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday, Easter Vigil (Gn 1:1---2:2/Gn 22:1-18/Ex

14:15---15:1/Is 54:5-14/Is 55:1-11/Bar 3:9-15, 32---4:4/Ez

36:16-17a, 18-28/Rom 6:3-11/Mt 28:1-10)

7:00 pm- For our Parish Family

Easter Sunday, Resurrection of the Lord (Acts 10:34a, 37-

43/Col 3:1-4/Jn 20:1-9)

6:30 am- Genevieve Schulte

8:00 am- James Grahmann

10:30 am- Eugene Novak

5:00 pm- Lupe Barrera (Spanish Mass)



St. Mary's Holy Week Services

Good Friday Service: 3:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday Mass: 9:15 a.m.

Moravia Holy Week Services

Easter Vigil Mass (April 23): 6:00 p.m.

St. John Holy Week Services

Holy Thursday Mass: 7:00 p.m. Adoration after Mass until 8:30 p.m. (Confession- 6:00-6:55 p.m.)

Good Friday Service: 1:00 p.m. (Confession- 11:45-12:45 p.m.)

Easter Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m.

Bulletin Sponsor: In memory of John, Olga and Elrose Haas, and Marjorie Chanek.

Radio Broadcast Sponsor: Catholic Financial Life Branch #564.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, APRIL 17

-Fiddler's Frolics, KC Hall. Free admission today with Church bulletin. One bulletin per family.

-Baptism Preparation Class, 9:00 a.m. in the Rectory.

-St. Michael Church Festival, Veterans Memorial Park, Weimar. Fried Chicken & Sausage Dinner 11am.

-Community Palm Sunday Service, First Baptist Church, 3:00 p.m.

-Mandatory Freshman Confirmation meeting, 6:00 p.m., Cafeteria.

MONDAY, APRIL 18

-JCDA meeting, 3:45-5:00 p.m., Family Center.

-Catholic Daughters meeting, 7:00 p.m., Family Center.

-Dave Ramsey Course, 6:30 p.m., SHCS Band Hall.

TUESDAY, APRIL 19

-Quilting Circle, 9:00 a.m., KC Hall of Fame Room.

-No Adult Education.

-Serra Club meeting, 7:00 p.m., Jalisco's Café.

-KC Officer's meeting, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20

-CCD: Grades K-12th, 6:00-7:15 p.m.

-Scripture Study, 6:00-7:15 p.m., Mary's House.

-Divine Mercy Study/Prayers, 7:30 p.m., Church Cry Rm

FRIDAY, APRIL 22

-Stations of the Cross, 7:00 p.m. in church.

SUNDAY, APRIL 24

-Easter Egg Hunt after 8:00 a.m. Mass.

-Covered dish supper in Family Center after Spanish Mass.



Among our sick: Edna Key, Frank Fishar, Helen M. Appelt, Faith Del Castillo, Michael Gerdes, Marge Rehm, Renae Ross, Hubert & Mary Grahmann, Odessa & Doug Blumberg, Danielle Grady, John Pavliska, Rose Thumann, Dr. Michael Moore, John D. Henneke, Bill Gohlke, Donald Zabransky, Monica Barnes, Sterlin Ritchie, Brenda Grahmann, Ed Aulick, Ricky Skelton, Larry Appelt, Victor Pavliska, Robert Butschek, Derrick Berger, Alexis Hines, Victor Steffek, Anita Bohuslav, Anita Kallus, Emogene Kahanek, Daniel Wick, Josephine Janak, nursing home residents & the homebound.

Vigil Light: For the intention of Gene & Trudy Janak.

Our Gift to God: Envelopes-\$5,596; Rice Bowl-\$950; Japan Victims-\$120; Loose-\$1,195; Children-\$55 (2 wks).

Anniversaries:

Karl & Brenda Henneke	25 years	April 19
Bohumir & Mary Ann Pustejovsky	57 years	April 21
John & Charlene Pillow	30 years	April 22

If you would like to donate towards our Easter flowers, you may come by the Rectory or place your donation in an envelope & drop it in the collection basket. *Thank you!*

Please pray for the blessing of rain!

The week between Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday, Holy Week, is the most sacred time of year for Catholic Christians. During this special time, we enter into the passion of Christ – His crucifixion, death, and resurrection – through liturgical celebration and personal conversion. While the season of Lent is a very important time in the Church, it is helpful to remember that our Lenten practices (prayer, fasting, and almsgiving) are meant as preparation for the three days of the Triduum. The Second Vatican Council returned emphasis to the Triduum – Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Vigil/Easter Sunday – as the center of our faith.

The three days of the Triduum are counted as the Hebrews counted their days, from dusk to dusk. Lent officially ends and the Triduum begins at dusk on Holy Thursday and continues through dusk on Easter Sunday. Because we cannot separate Jesus' death from His resurrection, the Church teaches that the Triduum is really one celebration that lasts for three days. We do not spend all of the three days in church, of course, but at various times during these days we are called to gather together at church to celebrate and remember the saving action of Christ.

Religious Education (CCD) ~ Office 798-3124
Angela McConnell, Coordinator

April 17: Mandatory Freshman Confirmation meeting, 6:00 p.m., Cafeteria.

April 20: Stations of the Cross – all grades.

April 21: Holy Thursday Mass, 7:00 p.m. Confirmation students participate.

April 27: End of year catechist meeting.

April 30: First Communion practice 9:00 a.m.

Sacred Heart Catholic School (Office: 798-4251)

April 21: Classes dismissed at Noon. No extended care.

April 22 & 25: No school.



The Youth ConneXion
Greg & Kris Hermes 798-0655



Music Practice: Teens, young adult & young at heart, meet at the Youth House at 6:00 p.m. on Mondays.

Adoration in the chapel ends on Wed., April 20 at 6:00 pm. Adoration will be held in the main body of the church on Holy Thursday after the 7:00 pm Mass until Midnight. Adoration resumes on Easter Sunday, April 24 at 6:00 pm.

On Good Friday, our parish will take up the annual Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land. Your financial contribution helps to support the struggling Christian community and to protect Christianity's holiest places.

Please be generous.



Easter Flowers Donations: The Ridgeway Family-\$20; Lillian Haas-\$10; In memory of Grace Liska-\$25; In memory of Alex Thomas by the family-\$10; Roland & Georgia Schaefer in memory of deceased relatives-\$20; Sarah Jansky in memory of Paul Jansky-\$10.

Calendar Membership: **Apr 6:** Joe Henke-\$100; **Apr 7:** Mary Ann Etzler-\$100; **Apr 8:** Brandon Woytek-\$100; **Apr 11:** Tommy Reiler-\$50; **Apr 12:** Sandra Mullen-\$50; **Apr 13:** Gene & Maureen Schott-\$100; **Apr 14:** Jim Henneke, Houston-\$100.

The Catholic Daughters Awards & Religious Appreciation Dinner will be held during the **May** meeting instead of April as stated in the Newsletter.



Prayer for Rain: Almighty God, we are in need of rain. We place our trust in You. Look on our dry hills and fields, dear God, and bless them with the living blessing of rain. Then the land will rejoice, and the rivers will sing Your praises, and the hearts of men and all living things will be made glad.

– Fr. Tommy's Corner –

The Creed (part III) – To emphasize that Jesus is equally and perfectly God as God the Father, the Nicene Fathers give a series of three phrases to bring home the point. Jesus is “God from God,” since Jesus shares the divine nature with the Father: Jesus (God) is from the Father (God). Jesus is “Light from Light.” Just as we cannot take a “portion” of light and divide it from the “rest” of light, the divine nature cannot be divided from the Father and Jesus (and the Holy Spirit). Jesus is “true God from true God.” This phrase is referencing again the wrong belief held by Arius that Jesus was made to be God, even though there was a time that He was not God. The Fathers of the Nicene Council clearly reiterate the orthodox (true) faith, that Jesus is true 100% God because He comes from the true 100% God the Father and this happens through the eternal begetting by the Father. Therefore Jesus is God by nature, by who He is, and not by being made to be God at a later time. So now we come to a very precise theological term that the new translations will reinstate: “consubstantial,” which describes the fact that Jesus is exactly the same nature as the Father, and therefore equally God. This word “consubstantial” simply means “with the same substance.” Substance is being used in a philosophical way here. In our modern usage, substance designates something that is material, like “chemical substance.” However, from a philosophical usage, which is how the Council Fathers intended it, “substance” is the word to mean “what something is.” And what something is cannot always be sensibly perceived. That is what led Arius into his heterodox (wrong) belief. He could not “see” how Jesus could be eternally God, equal to the Father and the Holy Spirit, so Arius created the theory that then Jesus was not God from the beginning. But we know Arius was wrong!