



Holy Week

April 8 5:00pm	Saturday Lenten Weekday Mass (<i>Minnie Wagner</i>)
April 9 8:30am	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>)
10:45am	<i>Ecumenical Blessing of Palms (DMT Motors)</i>
11:00am	Mass (<i>Elaine Hammond</i>)
April 10 8:30am	Monday of Holy Week Mass (<i>Annette Wojtkowski</i>)
6:45pm	Communal Penance Service*
7:45pm	Bible Study "Joy of the Gospel" (Hall)
April 11 8:30am	Tuesday of Holy Week Mass (<i>George Donnelly</i>)
7:00pm	<i>Chrism Mass at St. John's Cathedral, Cleveland</i>
April 12 12 Noon	Wednesday of Holy Week Mass (<i>Minnie Wagner</i>)
8:00pm	AA Meeting (Church Hall)
Easter Triduum	
April 13 7:30pm	Holy Thursday of the Lord's Supper Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by Adoration of the Holy Eucharist until 11pm
April 14	Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)
2:00am	<i>Stations of the Cross (outside, weather permitting)</i>
3:00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion
4:15pm-5:15pm	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation*</i>
7:30pm	Celebration of the Lord's passion
8:30pm-9:15pm	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation*</i>
April 15	Holy Saturday of Holy Week
10:00am	<i>Decorating of the Church for Easter</i>
11:30am-12:30pm	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation*</i>
1:30pm	Easter Food Blessing
	Easter Vigil in the Holy Night
9:00pm	Vigil Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>)
April 16	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
8:30am	Mass (<i>Margaret M. Bauza</i>)
11:00am	Mass (<i>August and Eleanor Stuldreher</i>)

Scriptures for Week of April 9, 2017

Sunday	Mt 21:1-11 (Procession); Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/ Mt 26:14-27:66
Monday	Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday	Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday	Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25
Thursday	Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a,8b-9/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21 Mass of the Lord' Supper Ex 12:1-8,11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
Good Friday	Is 52:13-53:12/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1-19:42
Easter Vigil Mass:	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
Sunday	Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10 or Lk 24:13-35



Read and pray the Scriptures daily



From the Pastor's Desk

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord joins us with all the disciples of the Lord Jesus of every time and place. In the faith we share, we follow Our Lord as He enters Jerusalem to the Hosannas of the people. We share in the Gospel account of the Passion of the Lord. Day by day we follow our Lord. On Holy Thursday we reaffirm the call to service, the institution of the Holy Eucharist and the Priesthood. Good Friday brings to walk with Jesus on the road to Calvary. With Mother Mary, we witness His crucifixion, death and burial. Holy Saturday provides us with opportunity for prayerful reflection. Then it is the Vigil of the Holy Night and Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord...may this most holy week be filled with a lively faith made holy by prayer, fasting and sharing (especially with those most in need). *May I encourage you to encounter Christ in of the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Monday's Penance Service*, Good Friday*, Holy Saturday*).* Remember that Good Friday is a day of Fast and Abstinence. Consider keeping the Good Friday fast until the Easter Vigil. I pray that together as we share in this holy time we may all experience the special grace of God's mercy and peace as never before. Let us pray...

*Almighty ever-living God,
Who as an example of humility for the human
race to follow caused our Savior to take flesh
and submit to the Cross,
graciously grant that we may heed His lesson
of patient suffering
and so merit a share in His Resurrection.
Who lives and reigns with You
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.*

Amen.

*Collect, Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord,
Roman Missal, 3rd Edition*

In Your Charity

Please pray for George Donnelly, father of The Reverend Sean J. Donnelly and grandfather of The Reverend John Schneider. May George and all our beloved deceased forever live in the joy of the Resurrection and may his family and friends be granted consolation. Amen.



Sunday, April 9th, 2017
 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the
 Lord
And when he entered Jerusalem
the whole city was shaken
and asked,
"Who is this?"
Matthew 21:10

Family Perspectives

The story of Christ's passion recalls the betrayal and indifference of others that led to his crucifixion. In our homes, family members sometimes feel betrayed or ignored by those who should love them best. Through Christ's passion and death we have been given new life. We too, can give new life to our family relationships whenever we act with compassion and forgiveness.

General Intercessions

That children, parents and families suffering from the pain of divorce will find deep, healing hope and compassionate love through Jesus' saving cross and suffering. We pray to the Lord. Amen

Please Pray For



Ann, Benich, Richard Bennett, Celia Bican, Dennis Babb, Logan Boone, James Brigotti, Heidi Burmeister, Johannah Conner, Frank, Millie Fritz, Tom Gardner, Chris Gibbs, James Ging, Marilyn Griffith, Angie Grimes, Jennifer Grimes, Tayha Hostetler, Kathy James, Ellen Jansen, Jill, Kathleen Jones, Maureen Joyce, Marca Kaplar, Helen Kracker, Carol Leach, Ramona Lucas, Paul Marcene, John McDermott, Megan, Annalisa Menke, Audrey Menke, Menke Family, Bill Misencik, Marjorie Morgan, Molly, Ashley Munoz, Natalie, Nate, Carroll O'Donnell, Richard Edward and Richard William Parker, Anika Patrick, Bridget Perez, Michael Phillips, Jacqueline Polcen, Edna Raber, Rita, Bruno Ruppel, Rosanne Sanford, Bonita, Steve Sheets, Dylan Trecaso, Mallory Trecaso, Theresa "Tess" Slenn, Miriam Sommers, Stephen Sommer, Shirley Southard, Amy Stephen, Paul Stephen, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, Clara Szydlowski, Patty Tesmer, Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Paul Trecaso, Sylvia Trecaso, Patricia Wiatrowski, the refugees (the many are children), those seeking spiritual healing, suffering with any addiction and all who are forgotten...

Good Friday Collection

Pope Francis has asked parishes to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. Visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday for more information about Christians in the Holy Land. Thanking you in advance for your generosity and prayerful support!

CSR Rice Bowls

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter into our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, and others who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Visit www.csricebowl.org for additional information.

Church in Central and Eastern Europe

This weekend's second collection is for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. It helps illuminate the way for people of the region to restore the Church and build the future in 20 countries, many of which still struggle to recover in the aftermath of Soviet rule. Funds from this collection support reconstruction, education, formation, and poverty outreach. For more information, please visit www.usccb.org/ccee. Once again thank you for your payers and generosity.

Weekend of April 2, 2017

Sunday Offering	1,943.00
Monthly Offering	225.00
Church Maintenance	120.00
Catholic Relief Services (additional)	10.00
Easter Decorations (additional)	306.00

Thank you for your generous support!