



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 Is 50:4-7, Phil 2:6-11, Mk 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39
 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: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14, 1 Cor 11:23-26, Jn 13:1-15
 Friday: Is 52:13-53:12, Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9, Jn 18:1-19:42
 Saturday: Vigil: Gn 1:1-2:2 OR 1:1, 26-31A, Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2 9a, 10-13, 15-18, 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, Mk 16:1-7

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY March 30, 2015
 7:00AM Pearl and Wallace Bolcavage
 9:00AM Susan Mellina
 2:00-9:00 PM Diocesan Confessions
TUESDAY March 31, 2015
 7:00AM Joseph Benedicto
 9:00AM Anna Borodynko
WEDNESDAY April 1, 2015
 7:00AM Alan Meyers
 9:00AM Donald Cleary
THURSDAY April 2, 2015, Holy Thursday
 9:00AM Morning Prayer Service
 7:30PM Concelebrated Mass
FRIDAY April 3, 2015, Good Friday
 9:00AM Morning Prayer Service
 Please see page 11 of this bulletin for other scheduled services for this day.
SATURDAY April 4, 2015, Holy Saturday
 9:00AM Morning Prayer Service
 10-12 Noon Confession (No Evening Confession)
 No 5PM Mass
 8:00PM Easter Vigil--Priest's Intention
 8:00PM Easter Vigil--Spanish- In auditorium
SUNDAY April 5, 2015, Easter Sunday
 7:30AM Priest's Intention
 9:30AM Priest's Intention
 10:00AM Priest's Intention—Auditorium
 11:00AM Priest's Intention
 12:30PM Parishioners of St. Ignatius Loyola
 5:15PM No Mass
 6:00 PM Mass in Spanish



Mark Stapleton, Cecilia McLaughlin, John & Mary D'Antonio, CPL. Garrett Carnes, USMC, Philip Zederbaum, Michael Maher, Patrick McGee, Dawn Levchenko, Harry Mulligan, John Lupski, Raymond Morris, Maria Estupinan, Theresa Locke, Maureen Remsky, Joanne Wallick, Margaret Kropac, Brian Crowley, Newborn Luke Major, Mary Burdo, William Lee, Ernest Calza, Pedro Doblado, William Horbs, Rose Marie Heitschusen, Angelique Cadarr, Phillip R. Sanita, Clare McCarthy, Jr., Justin David Wall, Sara Olsson, Dan Creamer, Helen Mackreth, Thomas Duffy, Sandra Reinhardt, Marcel Chaillol, Christopher Noya, Henry Niggemeier, Sally Brandis, Martin D'Amico, Rev. Martin L. Klein, Lucy Mize, Barbara Teer, Virginia Perna, Manuel Da Silva, Harold Smith, Pasqual Malerba, Michael Russo, Alexander Abruzzo

*We Pray For Our Dead
 And We Mourn With You*

Mark Whelehan
 Florence M. Talbot



Rectory Hours for Holy Week

Holy Thursday, April 2nd
 Office will close at 4PM
 Good Friday, April 3rd
 Front Office Only 9-12 Noon
 Holy Saturday, April 4th
 9AM to 2PM
 Easter Sunday, April 5th
 Office Closed

"Belong More Deeply"

Easter Sunday– April 5, 2015

Theme: Jesus has risen.

Breaking Open the Word

Suggested text for faith sharing: Second Reading, from Colossians 3:1-4

Brothers and sisters: If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Think of what is above, not of what is on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory.

Or 1 Cor 5:6b-8

Brothers and sisters: Do you not know that a little yeast leavens all the dough? Clear out the old yeast, so that you may become a fresh batch of dough, inasmuch as you are unleavened. For our paschal lamb, Christ, has been sacrificed. Therefore, let us celebrate the feast, not with the old yeast, the yeast of malice and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

Step One: Listen to the Word

As you hear this very brief reading, what words or phrases strike you? What image or feeling lingers for you?

Step Two: Look into Your Life

Question for Children: What sacrifices do you make for those whom you love?

Question for Youth: Even the disciples had a hard time understanding Jesus' Resurrection – it is that surprising. What does Resurrection mean to you? What does Easter mean to you?

Question for Adults: In what ways has God called you to die in Christ? How is this expressed in your own life?



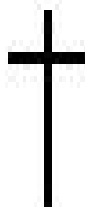
ST IGNATIUS LOYOLA GOLF CLASSIC

This weekend, members of the Golf Committee will be outside the church after all the Masses selling early bird raffle tickets for a chance to win three cash prizes of \$250.00, \$150.00 and \$100.00. The cost is \$10 per ticket, 3 tickets for \$20, and 6 tickets for \$30. **You do not have to be present to win.** All proceeds from the Golf Classic go to the support of our Parish.

*We Celebrate our Sacraments
Marriage Banns*



*Jonathan Mollenthiel
Our Lady of Lourdes, Queens Village
Jacqueline Lopez
St. Ignatius Loyola*



SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Sunday, March 22, 2015 \$11,950

Sunday, March 23, 2014 \$11,326

Pastor's Corner

Palm Sunday
Holy Week
Mk 14:1-15:47

It is difficult to believe that we are concluding our Lenten Season, with all the snow and cold, as we now journey into Holy Week. My hope is that this Lenten season has been fulfilling and grace-filled in helping your journey closer to God.

This period of Holy Week is not only a time for us to weep, but also a time to be grateful because this is the week that changed and saved the world. Instead of just focusing on Jesus' sufferings 2,000 years ago, we should focus on the love that underlines this suffering. Jesus died for the love of you and me so that we can experience a redemption that brings us an eternal life with God forever. During this Holy Week, may we embrace Jesus' ways of loving, knowing that it often involves a cross. Think of the times we have shown that same love for another or failed to do so. Wouldn't we sacrifice ourselves for our family members, friends and/or loved ones? Jesus has done the same for us. If we were to ask Jesus if he would do this all over again, he would answer us with "I never regretted it" (INRI).

Jesus' journey to Calvary is as much our journey as it is His. Any crosses that we carry in our lives, is helped by the fact that we do not carry them alone. He is right there alongside us. We can shift its weight to Him because we are intimately united with Him through the Paschal Mystery (Jesus' suffering, death and resurrection). Since he overcame the cross, we realize that we too can face any obstacles that life places on our path. In the Gospel of Mark, it is not until the cross that Jesus is recognized as the Son of God by the centurion. That means that in our suffering, God's presence is with us in a special way. With Jesus, our Calvary becomes the pathway to personal transformation that opens us to a resurrection power that helps us recover from any heartbreak, pain or challenge that awaits us.

Lent ends on Holy Thursday afternoon. Beginning with the Holy Thursday Evening at the Mass of the Lord's Supper, we begin the Triduum (The 3 Days) where we can best express our thanksgiving to Jesus for his ultimate sacrifice of giving his life for us. The Triduum continues until Easter Sunday evening after the 7pm Mass. We invite you to participate in the **Bi-lingual Mass on Holy Thursday, the Celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday, the Easter Vigil, which includes a Bi-Lingual Service of Light on Holy Saturday** and rise with Him **on Easter Sunday** at Mass during the day.

CONGRATULATIONS (FELICITACIONES) TO MARIO GOMEZ & JOSE CONTRERAS!

Last Saturday, Deacon Mais and I had the opportunity to attend a Mass for men who were preparing for the Permanent Diaconate at the Seminary of the Immaculate Conception in Huntington. We have two men from our parish, Mario Gomez and Josè Contreras, currently in the Diaconate formation program. There are at least three steps that lay men need to complete before being ordained as deacons. They are Candidacy, Lector and Acolyte. Mario and Josè have just completed the step of Candidacy. This means they are now formal candidates in the Diaconate program for our Diocese.

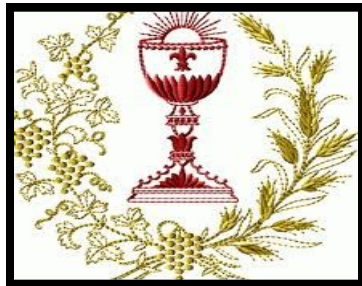
Currently, their role has been to serve at the 7pm Mass in Spanish. They are eager to take on a wider role in our parish as they come closer to the Diaconate. Please keep Mario and Josè, their wives and families in your prayers. This is a rigorous program that they are undertaking on top of their regular work schedule. Both are very dedicated to the parish. They will be a fine addition to helping us build God's kingdom here in Hicksville. God bless you Mario and Josè.

SECURITY HELP

A few weeks ago, I had a request in the bulletin that we were looking for volunteers to help with security at our Masses. I am now looking for volunteers **for security help** in our Old School Building during the evening hours **Monday, Thursday and Friday evenings from 6 to 9:30pm**. Recently, we had some vandalism in the boys restroom and other incidents. Unfortunately, some of our ministries are unable to take on the responsibility for taking care of the building. Also, we cannot afford to hire a security guard. If you are willing to give of your time, please contact me at the rectory. I am especially looking for police officers and guards, current and former. Your help will assure that events run more smoothly and all are safe as well as the integrity of the buildings. Thank you.

May God bless you and Mary keep you and your families. May we remember to perform our actions for the greater glory of God. *St. Ignatius Loyola, pray for us!*

Fr. Jim, Pastor



*The Bread and Wine this week
Are in Loving memory
of
Anna Palewski
From
Friends at St. Ignatius*



We have received a Congratulations letter from the Catholic Ministries Appeal stating they were pleased that our parish had reached our goal of \$80,000 for 2014 and they were sending us a check for \$16,032.08. Therefore, we want to say congratulations and a heartfelt thank you to each and every parishioner who helped us reach our goal.

As we go forward in 2015, we hope to reach our goal again of \$80,000 and also remember that **anyone from St. Ignatius Loyola Parish who gives to the Appeal this year, no matter the AMOUNT, will go into a RAFFLE. At the end of the year, four people will be chosen from the Raffle to have dinner in the rectory. This is a WIN WIN scenario.**



*The Candles this week
Are in Loving Memory
of
Anna Palewski
From
Friends at St. Ignatius*

The Acchords Live in Concert

Presented by

The Joseph Barry

Knights of Columbus

When: **Saturday, April 18, 2015**

Time: Doors open at 7:30pm

Where: St. Ignatius Loyola
Msgr. Tarrant Hall
Nicholai Street, Hicksville

Cost: \$36 per person

The Acchords will be performing hits from the 50s, 60s and 70s.

There will be an Open Bar, plus Sandwiches/ Wraps, Salads, Dessert and Coffee.

Please make checks payable to:

Edward J. Kenny Club

45 Heitz Place, Hicksville, NY 11801

Reservations required. No walk-ins.

No Money Accepted At The Door!

**For Reservations, please call Brian at
(516) 457-6190.**

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Fr. James T. Stachacz, Pastor

Elizabeth Fitzgibbon
Jaime Aldana
John Crayne
Kevin Stoltz

Bruce Wimbiscus
Joe Malerba
Kieran Sullivan

"The Council serves as a forum of consultation for the pastor and members, primarily by engaging them in ongoing dialogue about the needs, feelings, hopes and reactions of parishioners."

Guidelines for Pastoral Councils #B-2

Please feel free to contact any council member at any time regarding your needs, feelings, hopes and reactions. All council members can be reached through the rectory office.



St. Ignatius Loyola
Family Life Committee presents

Children's Easter Egg Hunt!

Sunday

April 12th*

1:30-3:30 pm

Msgr. Tarrant Auditorium



Cost:
\$4
per person
Includes
a hot dog,
a drink
& chips!

All are welcome but only children ages 12 and under may hunt

Would you like to assist
on our committee?

The Family Life Committee
needs more helpers!

We generally meet the first
Saturday of the month
at 11:30 a.m. in the
Old School (next meeting
3/28 due to Easter holiday).

Please email
smccartney42@gmail.com
for more information
or if you would like to
check out a meeting.

*Because we are working
with children and families,
volunteers are asked to
complete a diocesan child
safety seminar (VIRTUS),
held at various parishes
throughout the diocese.

**It may be the week after Easter Sunday, but it is still the Easter Season!*

We will begin with a brief prayer service, and follow with games, crafts
and of course, Easter Egg hunting (divided by age groups)

Cost: \$4 per person (children under 2 years old are free!) —

Includes a hot dog, a drink and chips (goldfish for the littler ones!)

Please return the RSVP form below to the **St. Ignatius Loyola Rectory by April 9th**
or **Religious Education Office by March 28th** (Cash or checks accepted;
checks made payable to St. Ignatius Loyola) Adult supervision required — no drop offs!
Please call Suzanne at 653-1634 with any questions.

St. Ignatius Loyola Easter Egg Hunt - Attn: Family Life Committee

Family Name: _____ Phone # _____

children ages 0- 2 yrs: _____ (free) # children ages 3 - 5 yrs: _____

children ages 6 - 8 yrs: _____ # children ages 9 - 12 yrs: _____ # Adults : _____

Total # of people attending _____ @ \$4 per person = Total Enclosed: _____

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Anyone with a family member serving in the military, please forward their name and rank to our bulletin editor at bulletin1859@aol.com or bring the name to our Rectory Front Office. *We pray to give all of our soldiers the courage and strength to do the duty that is required of them. May they always remember our appreciation for the sacrifice they are making for us. We are thankful for the men and women who are willing to risk their lives to protect our freedom. I ask You to go with each of them and protect them wherever they go. Amen.*

Sgt First Class. Matthew Loheide
SSgt. Kevin J. Hennelly
Lt. Jonathan W. Lang
Lt. Jeanine A. Lang
SPC Justin T. Sikorski
Sgt. Mathew Burrafato
DCC James Pennington
Col. Paul J. Laughlin
Captain. Patrick O. Kelly, USMC
Staff Sgt. Thomas P. McLoughlin, USMC
Atan Lisa Olynk, USN
M Sgt. Michael Marascia
Sgt. Stephen L. Emlaw
P.O. Third Class E-4 Kyle A. Kamermayer, Navy
Major Edward A. McGoldrick, US Army
Steven Orbon, 1st Lt., U.S. Army
Lt. David Jacobs
Pvt. Thomas Wright
Airman Peter F. Clark, USAF
Capt. Joseph Whittaker, USMC
LCPL Michael J. Mc Ilwrath, USMC
1st Lt. James Michael Vaz, U.S. Army
Louis Bombardiere, USMC
Gunnery Sgt. Brian Moran, USMC
Second Lt. Bridget Flatley, USAF
Cpt. Richard Macchio
Pvt. Joseph Gergely, U.S.M.C.
LTJG Alie Disher, U.S.N.
LTJG John Patrick Orr, USN, C.E.C.
PVC Andrew Hughes
Airman Denis C. Clark, USAF
Sgt. Lotachukwu Okoye
1st Lt. Brian W. Way, USMC
PFC. Christopher Paradiso, U.S.M.
PFC Jim Arbelaez, US Marine
Sgt. Dustin Lusby
LTJG Christopher Medford, US Navy
Lt. Lindsay Conte, USN
Sgt. Matthew Mercurio
Sgt. Phillip Michael Yopp, U.S. Army

**This week at St. Ignatius Loyola-
e-mail parishfacilities@stignatius.us**

Sunday, March 29th

Golf Early Bird Raffle-At All Masses

2pm Mass for Hearing Impaired-Church

2pm Chess Club-Old School Cafe

3pm Hearing Impaired Soc.-Old School Cafe

Monday, March 30th-Holy Week-No Activities

Tuesday, March 31st-Holy Week-No Activities

Wednesday, April 1st-Holy Week-No Activities

Thurs, April 2nd-Holy Thursday-No Activities

Friday, April 3rd- Good Friday-No Activities

Sat., April 4th-Holy Saturday-No Activities



Couples that have been married fifty years or more will be honored at the following liturgies:

Sunday, April 19th-St. Lawrence the Martyr in Sayville. Registration must be received by April 6th
Sunday, April 26th-Maria Regina in Seaford. Registration must be received by April 13th.

Both liturgies will begin at 2:30pm.

Registration forms and complete instructions can be obtained at the rectory. If you have any questions, please call Suzanne at (516) 678-5800, ext. 207.

Couples may register for only ONE liturgy.



Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court #869

High School Scholarships are available to eighth grade parishioners entering a Catholic high school in September, 2015. Applications can be picked up at the Rectory or by contacting Ruth Medford at (516) 933-0906. Final date for submission is April 24th

COMMUNITY NEWS



Bus Trip to the Sands Casino
Bethlehem, PA
Hosted by St. Ignatius Loyola Church
Hicksville, NY

When: **Wednesday, April 22, 2015**
Cost: \$42 per person, which includes the driver's tip
Give back: \$30 slot play and \$5 food voucher
Time: Bus leaves at 9 am sharp.
Please arrive at 8:30 am
Return approx. 8:30 pm
Place: We will meet at Cantiague Park,
West John Street, Hicksville.
Reservations: call Barbara at (516) 935-5576
The first to pay is the first on the bus, etc.



You are invited to an Applebee's Flapjack Fund-raiser breakfast to support Glen Cove Hicksville Syosset League of Mercy Medical Center

When: **Saturday, April 18, 2015**
Time: 8am to 10am
Where: Applebee's
938 S. Broadway, Hicksville
Ticket Cost: \$12.00

Marge Kelly at (516) 587-7387

Enjoy A Short Stack for a Tall Cause!



On Good Friday, Catholics between the **ages of 18 and 59, inclusive**, are also bound to **observe the law of fast**, limiting oneself to a single full meatless meal and avoiding food between meals. Two other light meatless meals, which together do not equal a full meal, may be taken during the day.

Come join us!

St. Ignatius Loyola Parish Presents—A 6 day, 5 night trip to the Biltmore Estate and Asheville, NC—Sunday, April 26 to Friday, May 1, 2015—at the incredible price of only \$499 per person (add \$150 for single occupancy).

There is still time to sign up for this fabulous trip! If interested, please call Barbara at 935-5576



Our Lady of Fatima Devotions

Our Lady of Fatima devotions will be held on **Saturday April 4, 2015**, at 8:30AM, before the 9AM Morning Prayer Service

Nocturnal Adoration Society

Nocturnal Adoration will be held this month on **Saturday, April 11, 2015**. **It will begin at the conclusion of the 5:00 PM Mass and end with Benediction at 9:00PM. Come and spend one hour with the Lord.** Everyone is welcome to join in this vigil of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.



Chess Club

You are invited to join Mr. Toner and the Chess Club in the Old School Cafeteria for friendly games this **Sun., March 29th from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m**. All ages and all levels of players, from beginners to advanced, are encouraged to come down and play. Chess sets will be provided or you can bring your own set if you have one. For more information, call the Rectory at 931-

Our Parish Lenten Prayer

Dear Lord,

As I make my Lenten journey with You, send me Your Spirit, help me to give of myself, help me to turn away from sin, and help me to fast and pray, so that I may know You and serve You better. Let me be renewed through my journey to share Your grace with the world. Amen

St. Ignatius Loyola Parish in Hicksville is hosting an
Antique/Classic Car and Bike Show

You are invited to attend the St. Ignatius Loyola Parish "1st Annual Blessing of Antique/Classic Cars and Bikes Show".

Date: Sunday, April 19, 2015...rain or shine!

Place: Sears Parking Lot
North Broadway, Hicksville

Time: 9 am—4 pm

Cost: Cars and bikes will be welcomed with a \$15 Registration which includes the blessing by Father Jim and an accompanying certificate!
Spectators are admitted free of charge.

There will be Live Entertainment, Judge's Choice Trophies, a Chinese Auction, a 50/50 Drawing, food, and vendors. Come early—stay late. Be there or be square!

REFLEXIÓN



Hoy caminamos con Jesús rumbo al Monte Calvario. Con Su muerte en la Cruz, todos pudimos experimentar el amor abnegado que Él siente por nosotros. Nosotros también hemos sido llamados a imitarle.

Nuestro Salvador nos ama con un amor tan fervoroso y perseverante, que incluso la muerte no consiguió enfriarlo. El amor divino es más fuerte que la muerte. Ojalá que permanezcamos siempre al pie de la Cruz de Nuestro Salvador para poder alimentarnos de Su amor abnegado, el cual hemos sido llamados a imitar. Desde el inicio de la Cuaresma nos venimos preparando para celebrar los Misterios de la Pascua del Señor. Hoy, cercana ya la Noche Santa de la Pascua, nos disponemos a inaugurar en comunión con todo el pueblo de Dios, las celebraciones y los acontecimientos de la Pasión, Muerte y Resurrección de Jesucristo; esto es, la GRAN SEMANA para la Comunidad Cristiana.

De ahí que acompañar a Jesús en la procesión, implica ir también con Él a la pasión, en su entrega plena a la voluntad del Padre.

Todo cristiano, si quiere serlo de verdad, ha de recorrer este camino de su Maestro. Esto queremos celebrar; a esto nos disponemos.

PARTICIPA DE LA SEMANA SANTA.
NO TE LA PIERDAS!
VEN! INVITA OTRAS PERSONAS.

BAUTIZOS

CLASES: A Las 5:30 PM. Segundo y Tercer Domingo de cada mes, en el sótano de la escuela. Padrinos, madrinas, papás y mamás deben asistir a las clases, y quedarse en la misa de las 7 PM. No es necesario hacer una cita para registrarse, pues en la clase lo hacen. No olvides traer el registro de nacimiento del niño.

LOS BAUTIZOS SON LOS ÚLTIMOS SÁBADOS DEL MES, A LA 1:00 PM. Mayo 30, Junio 27, Julio 25, Septiembre 26, Noviembre 28, Dic. 26.

Comunícate con ROSA y ROBERTO ROMERO: 516-749-4693 / 516-749-5135.

CONFESIONES

Sábado 28 de Marzo
de 4 - 5 PM

Lunes 30 de Marzo
de 2- 9 PM

Viernes 3 de Abril
de 9:30 a 11:00 AM

Sábado 4 de Abril
de 10:00 am a 12:00PM
TE ESPERAMOS!

SEMANA SANTA

No te la pierdas por favor. Invita a tus familiares y amigos. Esto es evangelizar!

Dios te recompensará!

Domingo de Ramos, 29 de Marzo:

7:00 PM / Misa en Español.

Jueves 2 de Abril:

7:30 Misa de la **Cena del Señor** y vista al santísimo sacramento hasta la 12:00

Viernes 3 de Abril:

2:00PM **Viacrucis en Vivo (Ingles)-Jóvenes SCJ**

7:00PM **Viacrucis en vivo (Esp.) Jóvenes SCJ**

Y Liturgia de la Palabra y Sagrada Comunión.

Sábado 4 de Abril: Auditorio de la escuela. 8:00 PM.

Celebración de la **Vigilia Pascual** en español

Domingo 5 de Abril: 6:00 PM celebración de la

Resurrección del Señor

SIRVIENDO A DIOS EN LA PARROQUIA:

PASTOR: Rev. James T. Stachacz

PASTOR ASOCIADO: Rev. Saúl Londoño

COORDINACIÓN: Mario Gómez y Erika A.

CATEQUESIS: Colleen Tuzzolo: Educación

Religiosa Niños 516 935 6873 / Mario Gómez

José Contreras, Karina del Mar, Delfina

Hernández Rosa-José Romero, Julieta

McLaughlin: Educación Religiosa Adultos

CLASES BAUTIZOS: Roberto y Rosa Romero

CLASES INGLÉS: Lissette Muñoz, Gloria V.

Josué Flores, Kerry Engrert, Ingrid Aguilar.

COMITÉ FESTEJOS: Lorena Medrano, Erika y

Jaime Aldana, Maribel Adames, Luis Reyes,

Tesla Calderón, Ana Berrios, Rosa Molina,

Cistina Díaz, Álvaro Meléndez.

COMUNICACIONES: Ytala y Gabriel Ruiz, Maria Romero.

COMENTARIOS MISA: José Contreras

CORO DE LOS NIÑOS: Leiny & Tony Escobar

DIVINA MISERICORDIA: Delfina Hernández,

Asunción Rivera .

ENSAYOS BODAS , CELEBRACIONES DE 15-

16 AÑOS: Lorena Medrano, Leny Escobar.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN: Rosio Rivera, Rosa

Gutiérrez y Servidores.

HOSPITALIDAD Y COLECTAS: Marta Romero,

Luis Reyes,

JARDÍN HISPANO: Fidel Zabala - Guadalupe

LECTURA MISAS DE LOS NIÑOS (AS):

Viviana Echeverry y Dina Tenas.

LITURGIA DOMINICAL NIÑOS: Carmen-

Gabby y Daniela Gómez, Cindy Medrano,

Verónica Saquicela, Olga Carvajal, Jackeline

Zabala, María Lazo, Ivania, Flor, Kaylan, Ashley

MINISTERIO DE LA PALABRA: Jaime Aldana

MINISTERIO DE LOS ENFERMOS: Rosio

Rivera, Romy Taveras, Rosa Gutierrez.

MINISTERIO SAGRADO CORAZÓN DE

JESÚS: Karina del Mar y Jovana Arteaga.

MINISTERIO DE MÚSICA Y DANZAS: Leiny y

Antonio Escobar

MINISTROS EXTRAORD. DE LA COMUNIÓN

Y SACRISTÍA: Juan Hernández, Rosío Rivera.

MONAGUILLOS (Servidores del Altar)

Lester & Carmen Zelaya, Viviana Echeverry

MOVIMIENTO FAMILIAR CRISTIANO

CATÓLICO: Roberto y Rosa Romero.

PASTORAL JUVENIL: Carlos Campos, Ytala y

Gabriel Ruiz, Lissette Muñoz, Carla Duran,

Samuel Sánchez, Katie Crayne, Eliséo

Meléndez, Francesca, Isabel Agosti & Diego.

PRE-CANA: Mario y Dora Gómez

Seguridad: Orlando Cruz, Diego Echeverry

Retiro de Cuaresma:

Gracias a todas las personas que hicieron posible este evento tan espiritual de sanación. Que Dios los Bendiga!





HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES 2015

MASSES

Sunday of the Lord's Passion (Palm Sunday) – March 29th

Blessing of Palms at all the Masses

All Masses are in the Church

Masses – Saturday 5:00 pm(procession with Palms at 4:45pm)

Sunday 7:30am – 9:30am (Procession with children)

9:45 am (auditorium)

11:00 am-12:30 p.m –2:00pm (for the hearing impaired) 5:15 pm

Mass in **Spanish** – 7:00 pm

Monday – Tuesday - Wednesday

March 30th –March 31st-April 1st

Masses at 7:00 & 9:00 am

Holy Thursday - April 2nd

Morning Prayer – 9:00am

Concelebrated Mass & Procession – 7:30 pm (Bi-lingual)

Visits to the Blessed Sacrament until 12:00 midnight

Good Friday – April 3rd

Morning Prayer - 9:00 am

Stations of the Cross - 12:00 noon

Living Stations of the Cross – 2:00pm

Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion with

Holy Communion – 4:00pm

Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion with

Holy Communion **Spanish** – 7:00pm

Holy Saturday - April 4th

Morning Prayer – 9:00am

NO 5:00 p.m. Mass

Easter Vigil Service and Solemn Mass –8:00 pm (bi-lingual opening - outside)

Spanish Easter Vigil and Solemn Mass

In the (**auditorium**) - 8:00 pm

Easter Sunday – April 5th

7:30 – 9:30 –11:00 am - 12:30 pm

10.00 a.m.in the (**auditorium**)

NO 5:15 p.m. Mass

6:00p.m. Spanish Mass in Church

Sacrament of Reconciliation

(Confessions)

*Monday March 30th 2-9pm

Friday April 3rd – 9:30 – 11:00am

Saturday, April 4th – 10:00am – 12 noon

No Evening Confessions

***Diocesan wide day for Confessions**



The Sixth Week of Lent: Palm Sunday

REPENT

Meditations for the
Season of Lent

AND BELIEVE

The King of the Jews

Mark 14:1–15:47

The final week of Jesus' life was filled with activity, from his triumphal entry into Jerusalem on Sunday until his death on Friday. We remember his actions, his prayers, his trial, his sufferings, and finally his death. As Lent draws to a close, we have the opportunity to join our sorrows more deeply with him so that we, too, can rise again with him on Easter.



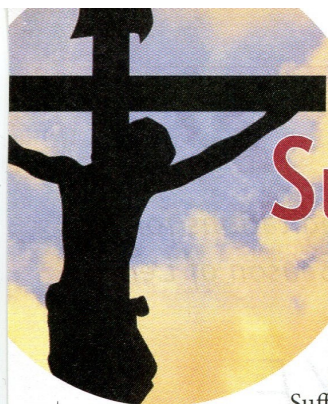
Today we are given the entire story of the Passion that will play out this week. One way to enter more fully into these events is to imagine that you are present at Christ's passion. Take in the details and think about what you would have been thinking or feeling if you were present when Jesus entered into Jerusalem to be greeted by palms and "Hosannas." How would you have reacted when the woman poured precious oil on his feet? What would have been going through your mind at the Last Supper, the Garden of Gethsemane, or the way of the Cross? By allowing yourself to enter more fully into the experience of the Passion, Easter Sunday will become even more meaningful.

POINTS TO PONDER

- What part of the Passion narrative touches you the most deeply?
- Can I set aside time this week to simply be in the presence of the Lord?
- As I prepare for Easter, am I spending as much time on spiritual preparations as I am on Easter baskets and a special meal?

And though every day a man lives may rightly be a day of repentance, yet is it in these days more becoming, more appropriate, to confess our sins, to fast, and to give alms to the poor; since in these days you may wash clean the sins of the whole year.

— St. John Chrysostom



CATHOLIC INSIGHTS

Suffering Servant

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The Old Testament, especially the Book of Isaiah, foretold that the Messiah would have to suffer and die. During this Holy Week, look up the following Scripture passages and see how they can be applied to Jesus, the Suffering Servant of God.

Isaiah 49

The words of God's servant about himself.

Isaiah 50

How salvation will come through the suffering of God's servant.

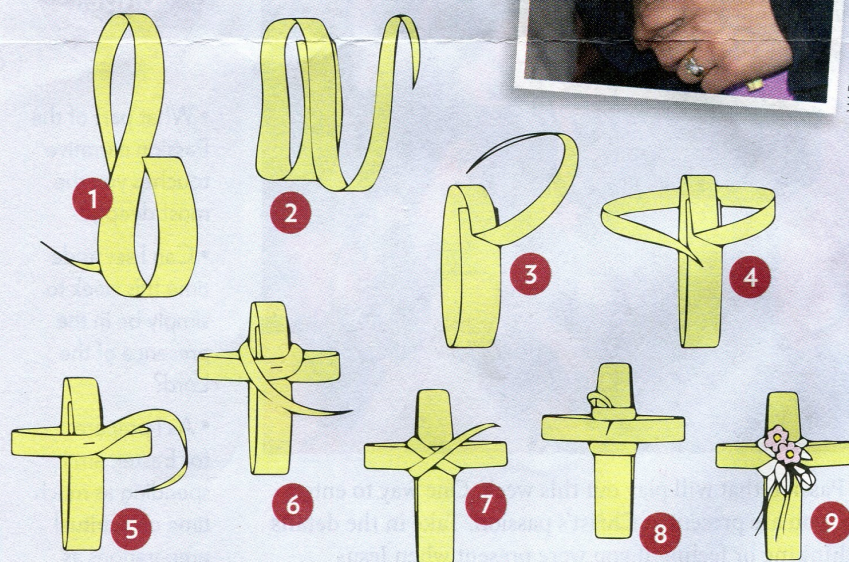
Isaiah 52

The suffering of God's servant will be the salvation of many nations and peoples.

FamilyActivity

Palm Crosses

A traditional way of preserving palms from one year to the next is to make palm crosses.



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"Jesus' entry into Jerusalem manifested the coming of the kingdom that the King-Messiah was going to accomplish by the Passover of his Death and Resurrection. It is with the celebration of that entry on Palm Sunday that the Church's liturgy solemnly opens Holy Week."

— *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 560

Karen Callaway

LENT PRAYER

Unto to you, I cry, my God!

"My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?" — Psalm 22:2

Out of the depths of my sorrow, I call to you. Do not let me be forgotten, Lord, but hear and answer me.



HOLY THURSDAY liturgy recalls the Last Supper and the First Eucharist, where Jesus models for us how to serve when he washes the disciples' feet. It also commemorates the establishment of the priesthood. —

GOOD FRIDAY is the only day of the year on which Mass is not celebrated. The Good Friday liturgy, in its solemnity, invites us to enter deeply into the passion of Our Lord. This is a day of fasting and abstinence.

HOLY SATURDAY is the final day of preparation for Easter. During the Easter Vigil, new members are brought into the Church, and we celebrate the great mystery of our redemption. The Pascal candle that is lit at the Vigil remains throughout the year.

