

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

THE MASTER HAS NEED OF IT.

— LUKE 19:31 —



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SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 2025

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6th Lent Palm Sunday: **Holy Week: A Faith Journey** [Lk 22:14—23:56](#)

Palm Sunday marks the beginning of the Holy Week. Wherever you are this Holy Week, whatever you do to observe the Holy Week, just do it all with love and gratitude to God who loved us so much He sent His only Begotten Son, who suffered so much, and died, and rose again for you and me.

All our prayers, fasting, and acts of charity throughout Lent lead to this week. It is a week filled with high emotion and drama, the PASSION of the Son of Man who suffers and dies a cruel death and three days after rises to give us new life. The Passion narrative tells us how much God loves us and how hopeful our situation is. Now, God invites us to a journey of faith, a way of life, or a new level of existence. Pope Benedict XVI, Pope Emeritus, describes it as follows: *Being Christian is a path or, better, a pilgrimage; it is to travel with Jesus, to journey in the direction He has pointed out and is pointing out to us.* May this Holy Week be an opportunity for all of us to follow Him, know Him better, and love Him more.

The Father invites us to travel this Holy Week by following Jesus' way of the cross. The *WAY* is surrendering to the Will of God, suffering, dying, rising, giving one's life out of love, and bringing life to others. It is a way of being one with God. He creates us from the beginning and wills our eternal communion with Him. The *WAY* that this comes about is receiving the likeness of God as a GIFT of LOVE from Him. The second reading gives us a perfect model when Jesus Himself walks the way of the passion: *Who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God - something to understand. But he emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, coming in human likeness and found human in appearance. He humbled himself, becoming obedient to death, even death on a cross. (Phil. 2:6-8).*

I invite everyone this Holy Week to *a journey of faith with Jesus*, to walk with Jesus, and to get to know Him better! Be with Him at the institution of two sacraments, of Priesthood and the Eucharist on Holy Thursday. Be with Him in the garden of Gethsemane and spend the night with Him as He embraces the cup of suffering. Be with Him as He carries His cross up to Mt. Calvary to feel His pain and agony on the cross. And to hear His voice as He utters: It is finished (*consumatum est*), as He breathes His last. For all these to become a reality this Holy Week, we must **slow down, be still, be silent, and listen**. I pray that you find a quiet moment of prayer with the Lord this Holy Week.

Let this journey of faith this Holy Week be a journey with others. In concrete terms, let us share joyfully and generously whatever time, talents, and treasures we have for the last and the least among us. Let us not make the observance of the Holy Week merely an observation, where we attend the traditional *practices and rituals* without really being absorbed, moved, and changed.

Let us set aside our program this Holy Week and enter the Solemn Triduum, heightening the program of God in our lives. I propose this Holy Week that we make a sacrifice of *switching off* our temporal and personal programs and *switching on* to God. Be participants in the story of love that unfolds before us this Holy Week.

Be pilgrims and not tourists. Let God speak to us and not us talking to Him through our set of devotions and prayers. *If some things do not happen as scheduled, Lord, may I remember that I am a pilgrim, not a tourist!*

Lord, let our earthly journey not be about going fast and far but the way to Your heart. Amen.





Sunday April 13, 2025

Donut Sunday

CDA Raffle Sales

- 9:00 am RE Class Grades 1 –5
- 4:00 pm XLT Adoration

Monday, April 14, 2025

- 7:00 pm Troop 432 Meeting

Tuesday, April 15, 2025

- 8:30 am Adult Bible Study
- 5:00 pm Prayer Shawl Group

Wednesday, April 16, 2025

- 8:30 am SVDP
- 12:00 pm Adoration closes until 4/21
- 12:15 pm Mass instead of 6:00 pm
- 4:30 pm RE Classes Grades 1– 5
- 6:30 pm Triduum Rehearsal

Thursday, April 17, 2025

Holy Thursday

No Morning Mass, Adoration

- 5:00 pm La Pieta Prayer Group
- 6:00 pm Evening Mass
- 6:00 pm Cub Scouts

Friday, April 18, 2025

Good Friday

No Morning Mass, Reconciliation, Adoration

- 5:30 am Men’s Ministry
- 3:00 pm The Passion of Our Lord

Saturday, April 19, 2025

Holy Saturday

No Morning Mass

- 8:00 pm Easter Vigil

DAILY MASS TIMES

Monday - Saturday	7:30 am
Monday, Tues., Thurs., Fri.	12:15 pm
Wednesday Evening	6:00 pm

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, 4:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday	7:00 am - 7:25 am
Wednesday	5:15 pm - 5:45 pm
Saturday	2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Monday - Saturday	6:55 am
Sunday	6:25 am, 8:25 am, 10:25 am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday	8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Closed 1st and 3rd Monday of the month 2 pm - 3 pm for Staff Meetings

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PASTOR, Fr. Bing Colasito
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MISSION OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

WEEKEND MASS

Sunday	9:00 am
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RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

Sunday	8:30 am
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ADORATION - Thursdays	7:00 am
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*This Week's
Worship Aide*



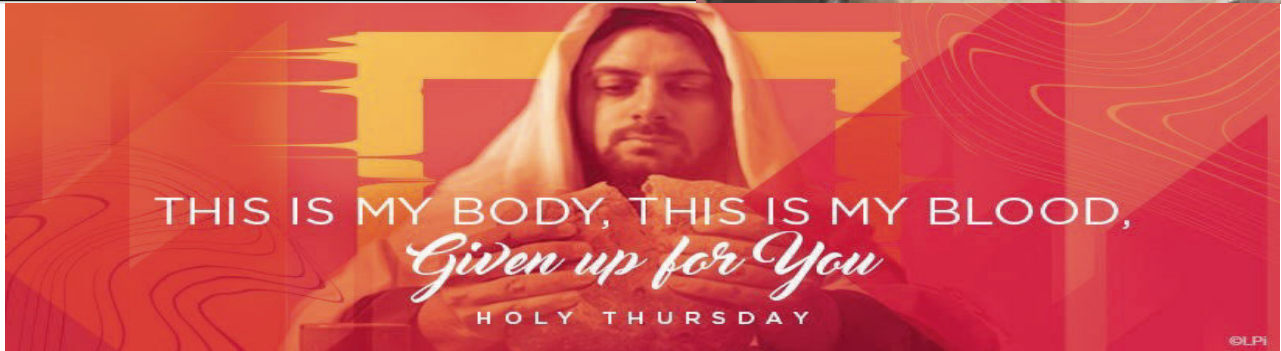
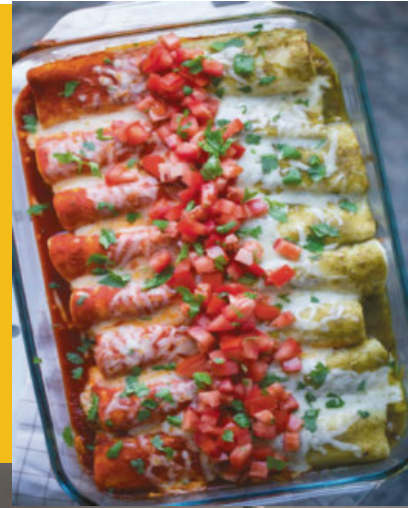
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Let us help you celebrate Cinco de Mayo! Youth Ministry will be selling homemade delicious enchiladas!

For \$40 you can order a take home tray of chicken enchiladas that is enough for four.

Tickets will be sold after mass April 26/27 and May 3/4.

Pick up your Meals on Sunday May 4th from 5 to 6pm



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State tax credit eligible donations to St Vincent de Paul for tax year 2024 can be made anytime throughout the year. **You can also make donations for tax year 2024 up until April 15, 2025.**

Families filing a joint return can claim an AZ state credit up to **\$938** and up to **\$470** for single filers for 2024.

Many Parishioners make recurring donations using WeShare, the Parish's on-line giving portal. This is an easy way to donate and helps us to provide support to the community throughout the year. Sign up for WeShare on the Parish website or if you need additional information, please call the St Vincent de Paul office at (623) 465-9694.



As always, thank you for your continued support for the work of the Society in our community.

Don't delay giving to those in need - Sirach 4:1-10





4pm - Mass
Followed by
Mark Hart



Praise / Worship
& Adoration
Led by
Matt Ficarra

Please Join us for a special Lenten Event
with **MARK HART!**

Sunday April 13th

At Saint Rose Catholic Church 4pm—6pm

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Easter Flower Memorials

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Names will be inscribed and placed in a
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Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 13th

7:00 am All Parishioners
9:00 am G † Laura Trombley
9:00 am Jim & Madeline Condon
(Thanksgiving)
11:00 am † Eulogio Sr. & Lucia Domingo
4:00 pm † Edwin Salinas Arquines

Monday, April 14th

7:30 am Fr. Samuel (Thanksgiving)
12:15 pm † Alex Kovar

Tuesday, April 15th

7:30 am † Charles And Lauren Banach
12:15 pm † MaryKay Williams

Wednesday, April 16th

7:30 am † Michael Labrys
12:15 pm Amy Capobianco (Thanksgiving)

Thursday, April 17th

6:00 pm Mary Serke (Healing)

Friday, April 18th

Saturday, April 19th

8:00 pm Michael & Matthew Hudson
(Thanksgiving)

Easter

EASTER SUNDAY MASS TIMES

7:00 am
9:00 am
11:00 am

Good Shepherd Mission

9:00 am

Holy Week Mass

Holy Thursday 6:00 pm
Good Friday 3:00 pm
Holy Saturday 8:00 pm

OLPH Novena will be
cancelled next week
April 16,2025.



RSVP for Fr. Joy's Celebration

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

*Please join us for dinner as we
celebrate Fr. Joy!*

**Friday, April 25th at 6:00 PM
Parish Office**

RSVP within the Flocknote

Kindly RSVP by **Friday, April 11th**

A Note on Gifts

We are accepting **monetary gifts** for Fr. Joy's
upcoming trip home.

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