# Saint James Catholic Community Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion March 24, 2024



#### St. James Catholic Church

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#### Mass Schedule:

Weekdays: Monday - Friday, 8:15am Saturday, 5:00pm Sunday, 8:00am, 10:30am, 5:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 4pm and Anytime by request

#### St. James Catholic Church

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# Mission Statement

We, the community of St. James, are a prayerful and Eucharistic people who treasure our Catholic traditions. We strive to grow in our faith by being good stewards of the

gifts God has given us; sharing God's truth with all. As the Body of Christ, we are called to love and serve everyone, especially the marginalized, with joy and hospitality.

#### **PREPARING FOR DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**



In preparation for Divine Mercy Sunday, the Lord asked St. Faustina to make a Novena of Prayer from Good Friday to the following Saturday.

These nine days of prayer before Divine Mercy Sunday are like the nine days of prayer in the Upper Room before the day of Pentecost. For each of the nine days our Lord gave St. Faustina a different intention.

Each of us can make a Novena of Prayer for these intentions and others by praying the novena on pages 7 and 8 of this bulletin.

If you are on the St. James email list you will receive the Novena intentions and prayers for each day beginning on Good Friday.

#### A Special Promise of Mercy

Our Lord's promise to grant complete forgiveness of sins and punishment on the Feast of Mercy is recorded three times in the *Diary of St. Faustina*.

I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My mercy (*Diary* 1109).

Whoever approaches the Fountain of Life on this day will be granted complete forgiveness of sins and punishment (*Diary* 300).

The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion will obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment (*Diary* 699).

It's allowed for one to go to confession up to 20 days before or after Divine Mercy Sunday.

### Divine Mercy Celebration St. James Church April 7 1:30pm – 3:00pm

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and

2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and

3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or *crayon*@*ombudsmankcsj.org*, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816.392.0011 or *true.francis@diocesekcsj.org* for more information.

### From the Pastor's Pen

Probably most of us will not be forced to enter a place of great danger. Yet, police and firefighters must sometimes experience life-threatening situations. Certainly people in some parts of our world family face dangerous situations daily: starvation, threats of violence, homelessness, human trafficking, evictions. In the gospel reading today we listen once again to the story of Jesus as he enters Jerusalem for a final time. At first it appears that Jesus is being welcomed with shouts of "hosanna," but danger lurks in the city. Plans have already been made for his arrest, condemnation, and the death penalty.

How are we to respond to the events of this liturgy? We have heard the story many times. We can't change history, but we can meditate on the response of Jesus. No turning back. No pleas of innocence. No outrage of the injustice. Jesus was simply determined to do what he had to do, his mission to bring reconciliation and redemption. From a human point of view, it must have been heart-wrenching. Undeserved suffering. Undeserved death.

All of us are accustomed to taking a palm, holding it up during the blessing, taking it home and placing it on display, perhaps behind a crucifix or holy picture. I wonder how many of us consider that in taking and displaying a palm we remember that we are standing in solidarity with Jesus. We are willing to be in a place of danger for the sake up building up the Kingdom of God. An example: it can be a danger to witness to the values of our faith, our defense of the value of every human life, by standing in front of an abortion clinic with a pro-life sign. It can be very intimidating. We could be the subject of vicious words, threats, name-calling. Yes, sometimes in our witness to faith values we stand in a place of danger. We pray today for the courage to enter Jerusalem with Jesus, the place of danger but also the place of salvation.

My prayers are with you each day.

Fr. Michael

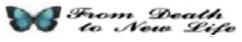


#### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat 4pm until finished; any time requested. Sacrament of Baptism: Baptismal Preparation Classes: Once a month Contact Kirsten Maggi in the parish office, ext. 204 or kirsten.maggi@stjames-liberty.org Religious Education: For Preschool through adult spiritual development, please notify office of needs. New Parishioners: Please register at the parish office. We Welcome You!

### Mass Intentions

Week of March 25 - March 31		
Monday 8:15am	+Michael Stefancik, Sr.	
Tuesday 8:15am	+Claude and Amanda Thomason	
Wednesday 8:15am	+Marie Sprofera	
Thursday 7:00pm	<i>Mass of the Lord's Supper</i> Maureen and Randy Sprinkle	
Friday 7:00pm	Passion of the Lord Good Friday Service - no Mass	
Saturday 7:00pm	<i>Easter Vigil</i> <b>†</b> Dan Habiger <b>†</b> JoAnne McMahon	
Sunday 7:30am 9:30am	Easter Sunday <b>†</b> Terry Bartels <b>†</b> Walter and Rusty Holt <b>†</b> Mary Jane Holt <b>†</b> Pat Clark <b>†</b> Janie Denning	
11:30am	+ Rita Lowe	
No 5:00pm Mass on Easter Sunday		



#### Our prayer support is with ...

The Family and Friends of Terry "Mike" Bartels who passed away on March 11. Stephanie McNeil, her family members and friends on the death of her father Joseph Becchina who passed away on March 8.

May the healing hand of our Lord Jesus be felt by all who are coping with grief and missing loved ones.

 Contact Info

 St. James School: PS-8th grade offered. Call the School Office, to inquire, 781-4428

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 Sacrament of Marriage: 9 months advance notice

 Anointing of the Sick: Please call the parish office.

 To Schedule an event in our Parish Facility: email cecilia@stjames-liberty.org or call the Parish Office, ext. 202.

 All Bulletin articles must be submitted by Monday 12Noon to: bulletin@stjames-liberty.org

#### INFORMATION ABOUT HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES

Easter Vigil (Holy Saturday) - 7pm Weather permitting, this service will begin outside. Please gather in the area just below the fountain as we begin this service.

The following services will be live-streamed on Facebook and YouTube.

> Holy Thursday Mass at 7pm Good Friday Service at 7pm Easter Sunday Mass at 7:30am



The Parish Office Will Be Closed On Friday, March 29 In Observance of Good Friday



BLOOD DRIVE TUESDAY, MARCH 26 12:30 - 6:30PM St. James Social Hall Details on Page 6



Hope Cards Will Not Be Sold Holy Saturday - March 30 Easter Sunday - March 31

### **Additional Confession Time During Lent**

Fr. Michael is offering the following additional time for Confession:

**Tuesday, March 26** From 4:00 - 5:00pm





Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00 pm



Stations of the Cross - 3:00 pm In the Prayer Garden weather permitting Good Friday Service - 7:00 pm



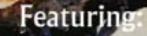
Easter Vigil 7:00 pm



Mass Times 7:30am 9:30am 11:30am

Note: There is no 5:00pm Mass Easter Sunday

# The St. James Parish Choir Presents: "The Seven Last Words of Christ" by Théodore Dubois Directed by Daniel A. Baker



Soprano Kirsten Maggi

> Tenor Sean Sweeden

Baritone Asher Tillman

# Monday, March 25th, 2024 7:00 PM

St. James Catholic Church 309 S. Stewart Road Liberty MO, 64048 Organist Jacob Hofeling



# Blood Drive March 26

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Every two seconds someone needs blood and each patient's needs can be different. That is why the actions of each blood donor are crucial to their care.

If you are age 17 and older (age 16 with signed parental consent), healthy and feeling well the day of the drive, we invite you to join us at the next Community Blood Center blood drive here at St. James.

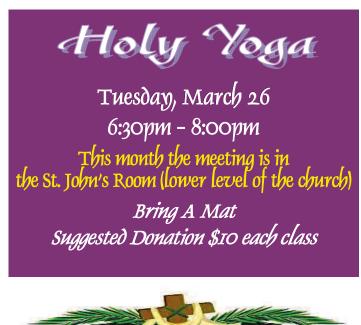
The drive will be on **Tuesday**, **March 26**<sup>th</sup> in the Social Hall from **12:30-6:30PM**.

Appointments are encouraged and can be made online at **savealifenow.org/group** using **Group Code:ES**.

You may also contact Nikki at 816-407-1208 or **<u>kpower@kc.rr.com</u>** for help scheduling a time convenient for you. Walk-ins will be welcomed if space allows. If you have medical eligibility questions, please call 1-800-688-0900.

Thank you for taking time to be a blood donor and save lives.

~LET EVERY ACTION OF MINE BE SOMETHING BEAUTIFUL FOR GOD~ ST. TERESA OF CALCUTTA



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### Someone is Watching and Wondering



Today's liturgy is one of contrast, conflict, misunderstanding, and almost reversal of our Lenten journey of turning away from sin and being faithful to the gospel. The readings suggest that our introspection, discernment, and conversion are abruptly halted as we first sing Hosannah in the Highest,

then cry out "Crucify him!" Of course each time we celebrate mass we are faced with the reality and darkness of Good Friday beside the light, promise, and joy of Easter. For me, however, today in particular I am faced with the contrast and division that continues to exist in my life. I know that my love for Christ Jesus continues to grow, yet I also know how easy it is to fall back into old habits, feelings of discouragement and despair, succumbing to the darkness rather than walking into His light. When I recently found this image above, I recognized immediately how closely it represents the pattern of my life; a constant shifting back and forth between goodness and evil; living with Christ or living in sin; walking in the light or hiding in darkness.

Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn was a 20th-century Russian writer, Soviet dissident, and winner of the Nobel Prize. Perhaps his most famous work, The Gulag Archipelago, describing his eight years as a political prisoner, contains one of the most famous and I must confess accurate lines describing the razor sharp edge between good and evil: "It was granted me to carry away from my prison years on my bent back, which nearly broke beneath its load, this essential experience: how a human being becomes evil and how good. . . I was convinced that I was doing good, and I was well supplied with systematic arguments. . .Sometimes [we are] squeezed one way by exuberant evil and sometimes it shifts to allow enough space for good to flourish. One and the same human being is, at various ages [times], under various circumstances, a totally different human being. At times he is close to being a devil, at times to sainthood. . .even within hearts overwhelmed by evil, one small bridgehead of good is retained. . .and even in the best of all hearts, there remains. . .an un-uprooted small corner of evil." Within each of our hearts there is a fine line between good and evil, oscillating back and forth. Perhaps this is the mark of true temptation within each of us.

This Passion Sunday I feel forced to re-examine the ease with which I rationalize my actions. Are my actions centered in the love of Christ, or like the angry crowd am I willing to "crucify others" again, and again, and again? Although I sing praises of joy, do I quickly return to evil and demand reparations for perceived harms inflicted by others? Where is that thin line within, oscillating between good and evil? Hosannah vs crucify him! Lord, help me realize, "there is always hope" when I place my faith and trust in you.

Your Sister in Christ, Sandy Gagnon

March 24, 2023

#### THE NOVENA TO THE DIVINE MERCY

Jesus asked that the Feast of the Divine Mercy be preceded by a Novena to the Divine Mercy which would begin on Good Friday. He gave St. Faustina an intention to pray for on each day of the Novena. In her diary, St. Faustina wrote that Jesus told her: "On each day of the novena you will bring to My heart a different group of souls and you will immerse them in this ocean of My mercy. On each day you will beg My Father, on the strength of My passion, for the graces for these souls."

#### FIRST DAY - GOOD FRIDAY - MARCH 29

# *Today bring to Me* all mankind, especially all sinners, and immerse them in the ocean of My mercy.

Most Merciful Jesus, whose very nature it is to have compassion on us and to forgive us, do not look upon our sins but upon our trust which we place in Your infinite goodness. Receive us all into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart, and never let us escape from It. We beg this of You by Your love which unites You to the Father and the Holy Spirit.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon all mankind and especially upon poor sinners, all enfolded in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. For the sake of His sorrowful Passion show us Your mercy, that we may praise the omnipotence of Your mercy for ever and ever. Amen.

#### SECOND DAY - HOLY SATURDAY - MARCH 30

# *Today bring to Me* the souls of priests and religious, and immerse them in My unfathomable mercy.

Most Merciful Jesus, from whom comes all that is good, increase Your grace in men and women consecrated to Your service, that they may perform worthy works of mercy; and that all who see them may glorify the Father of Mercy who is in heaven.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the company of chosen ones in Your vineyard upon the souls of priests and religious; and endow them with the strength of Your blessing. For the love of the Heart of Your Son in which they are enfolded, impart to them Your power and light, that they may be able to guide others in the way of salvation and with one voice sing praise to Your boundless mercy for ages without end. Amen.

#### THIRD DAY - EASTER SUNDAY - MARCH 31 Today bring to Me all devout and faithful souls, and immerse them in the ocean of My mercy.

Most Merciful Jesus, from the treasury of Your mercy, You impart Your graces in great abundance to each and all. Receive us into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart and never let us escape from It. We beg this grace of You by that most wondrous love for the heavenly Father with which Your Heart burns so fiercely.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon faithful souls, as upon the inheritance of Your Son. For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, grant them Your blessing and surround them with Your constant protection. Thus may they never fail in love or lose the treasure of the holy faith, but rather, with all the hosts of Angels and Saints, may they glorify Your boundless mercy for endless ages. Amen.

#### FOURTH DAY - MONDAY - APRIL 1

# *Today bring to Me* those who do not believe in God and those who do not yet know Me.

Most compassionate Jesus, You are the Light of the whole world. Receive into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart the souls of those who do not believe in God and of those who as yet do not know You. Let the rays of Your grace enlighten them that they, too, together with us, may extol Your wonderful mercy; and do not let them escape from the abode which is Your Most Compassionate Heart.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the souls of those who do not believe in You, and of those who as yet do not know You, but who are enclosed in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. Draw them to the light of the Gospel. These souls do not know what great happiness it is to love You. Grant that they, too, may extol the generosity of Your mercy for endless ages. Amen.

#### FIFTH DAY - TUESDAY - APRIL 2 Today bring to Me the souls of those who have separated themselves from the Church.

Most Merciful Jesus, Goodness Itself, You do not refuse light to those who seek it of You. Receive into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart the souls of those who have separated themselves from Your Church. Draw them by Your light into the unity of the Church, and do not let them escape from the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart; but bring it about that they, too, come to glorify the generosity of Your mercy.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the souls of those who have separated themselves from Your Son's Church, who have squandered Your blessings and misused Your graces by obstinately persisting in their errors. Do not look upon their errors, but upon the love of Your own Son and upon His bitter Passion, which He underwent for their sake, since they, too, are enclosed in His Most Compassionate Heart. Bring it about that they also may glorify Your great mercy for endless ages. Amen.

#### SIXTH DAY - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 3

# *Today bring to Me* the meek and humble souls and the souls of little children, and immerse them in my mercy.

Most Merciful Jesus, You yourself have said, "Learn from Me for I am meek and humble of heart." Receive into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart all meek and humble souls and the souls of little children. These souls send all heaven into ecstasy and they are the heavenly Father's favorites. They are a sweetsmelling bouquet before the throne of God; God Himself takes delight in their fragrance. These souls have a permanent abode in Your Most Compassionate Heart, O Jesus, and they unceasingly sing out a hymn of love and mercy.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon meek souls, upon humble souls, and upon little children who are enfolded in the abode which is the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. These souls bear the closest resemblance to Your Son. Their fragrance rises from the earth and reaches Your very throne. Father of mercy and of all goodness, I beg You by the love You bear these souls and by the delight You take in them: Bless the whole world, that all souls together may sing out the praises of Your mercy for endless ages. Amen.

#### SEVENTH DAY - THURSDAY - APRIL 4

# *Today bring to Me* the Souls who especially venerate and glorify My Mercy and immerse them in My mercy.

Most Merciful Jesus, whose Heart is Love Itself, receive into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart the souls of those who particularly extol and venerate the greatness of Your mercy. These souls are mighty with the very power of God Himself. In the midst of all afflictions and adversities they go forward, confident of Your mercy; and united to You, O Jesus, they carry all mankind on their shoulders. These souls will not be judged severely, but Your mercy will embrace them as they depart from this life.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the souls who glorify and venerate Your greatest attribute, that of Your fathomless mercy, and who are enclosed in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. These souls are a living Gospel; their hands are full of deeds of mercy, and their hearts, overflowing with joy, sing a canticle of mercy to You, O Most High! I beg You O God: Show them Your mercy according to the hope and trust they have placed in You. Let there be accomplished in them the promise of Jesus, who said to them that during their life, but especially at the hour of death, the souls who will venerate this fathomless mercy of His, He, Himself, will defend as His glory. Amen.

#### EIGHTH DAY - FRIDAY - APRIL 5

# *Today bring to Me* the souls who are in the prison of purgatory, and immerse them in the abyss of My mercy.

Most Merciful Jesus, You Yourself have said that You desire mercy; so I bring into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart the souls in Purgatory, souls who are very dear to You, and yet, who must make retribution to Your justice. May the streams of Blood and Water which gushed forth from Your Heart put out the flames of Purgatory, that there, too, the power of Your mercy may be celebrated.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon the souls suffering in Purgatory, who are enfolded in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. I beg You, by the sorrowful Passion of Jesus Your Son, and by all the bitterness with which His most sacred Soul was flooded: Manifest Your mercy to the souls who are under Your just scrutiny. Look upon them in no other way but only through the Wounds of Jesus, Your dearly beloved Son; for we firmly believe that there is no limit to Your goodness and compassion. Amen.

#### NINTH DAY - SATURDAY - APRIL 6 *Today bring to Me* the souls who have become lukewarm, and immerse them in the abyss of My mercy

Most compassionate Jesus, You are Compassion Itself. I bring lukewarm souls into the abode of Your Most Compassionate Heart. In this fire of Your pure love, let these tepid souls who, like corpses, filled You with such deep loathing, be once again set aflame. O Most Compassionate Jesus, exercise the omnipotence of Your mercy and draw them into the very ardor of Your love, and bestow upon them the gift of holy love, for nothing is beyond Your power.

Eternal Father, turn Your merciful gaze upon lukewarm souls who are nonetheless enfolded in the Most Compassionate Heart of Jesus. Father of Mercy, I beg You by the bitter Passion of Your Son and by His three-hour agony on the Cross: Let them, too, glorify the abyss of Your mercy. Amen.

#### HOW TO PRAY THE CHAPLET OF THE DIVINE MERCY

Our Father .. Hail Mary ... The Apostles' Creed

#### On the large bead after each decade:

Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

On the 10 small beads of each decade:

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

#### Conclude with:

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, Have mercy on us and on the whole world. *(Three times)* 

#### Birthdays this week: Today we celebrate all that you with God's help, have accomplished.

Susan Angles Maverick Brimer Jennifer Lollar Maya Gatzemeyer Marilyn Kelsey Barbara Knox Scott Lakebrink Tina Luchtefeld Ashlvnn Solberg Kara Vulie Courtney Watson Giavonna Amaro Jonathan Blanck Emma Bowles Tyler Clark Angela Frizzo Ralph Glaza Noah Hill Hadlieanne Hubble John Jamboretz Justin Madison Jeffrey Murphy Leslie Pfriem Natalie Schultz Sophie Siedlik Kennedy Smith Hannah Tritz Knox Westhoff Alaina Begulia **Reese Gabriel** Cambell Grosdidier Matthew Hummel Carrie Phillips Connor Jensen

Emma Lollar Brittnee Maggio Heather Mesh Jordan Mesmer Ronda Novitski Rachel Pearson Ricardo Quiroz Celia Hancock Luz Hedbera Michelle Leone Kevin Lewczyk Denise Mahon Rogers Nyberg Scott Page James Sandt Jennifer Schuele Alexa Spurlock Thomas Stanlev Maxine Vazquez Tyler Gant Anna Awasom Tim Buckholz Kimberly Burns Alexander Gibson Lucas Mulac Jeff Parrish Rvan Redshaw

Madelyn Sulkowski Joseph Aquirre Andrew Beltran Crystal Cogswell Logan Davis Ana Dolsky Matt Jordan Bobbi Krim Ava Martin Holly Merricks Michael Morris Isaiah Sprung Nathan Stanley Kristin Wiegert Whitney Yoder **Peyton Boman** Eleanor Burks Brooke Chase Meelap Coday Debra Doering Jessica Dold **Grayson Harned** Evelyn Howerton Carl Inzerillo Jack MacNeil Shirley Quint Stephanie Rizzo Erin Shumate Alexis Zimmerman

#### Military Outreach Ministry



Ann Marie Puck. an Accredited Veteran Service Officer, will be at St. James on Tuesday, March 26 from 4:00 to 5:30pm in the conference room behind the receptionist desk.

She will be glad to answer your questions and/or can provide information about any of the VA benefits and/or services and also to help individuals in areas such as applying for federal and state benefits.

# PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

# Parish Religious Education

### Feeding • Building • Living



#### PreK - 5

We will not have classes on Sunday, March 24th or Sunday, March 31st. Wishing you all a safe spring break and a Happy Easter.

#### Middle School

We will not have classes on Sunday, March 24th or Sunday, March 31st. Wishing you all a safe spring break and a Happy Easter.

#### **1st Sacraments**

Blessed First Communion books should be finished. We look forward to celebrating this sacrament with you all beginning 4/6. Happy Easter!

## St. James School News

Earlier this month our fifth grade classes walked the Stations of the Cross with a bilingual service in the prayer garden.

The students prepared reflections and said an Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be in Spanish at each station. It was a beautiful way to begin the school day and continue our Lenten journey together.



### We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

Paul Nordhues Bob Mike John Terry Wyatt Morris Oliver Schmidt Jack Coughlin Wanda Decker Pierre **Rick Conard** Midge Weir Christello Family Joe Gonino Troy Annabelle Bill Merrigan Debbie Ludwig Pam & Paul Palmer Angie & Family Hannah, Caleb, Baby Gunner Jim & Barb Schmitt Stacci Kathy Peters Rob Campbell Susan Tallant Jane Hake Patrick Perry Joe Greenwald Evelyn Nash Blaize Adonis Gene Ruzicka David Bloomer Patrick Perry Bill Fessler Dustin Nancy Rutliff

Jason Robert Conard Eli Prine Kevin Jerry Kimmis Weston Peters Josette Berg Jamie Krisman Alex P. Darin Van Tassel Stephanie Stephens Christopher Peters Margaret Carver Aaron Anderson Monica Myers Jim Mooney Jean Weir JoAnn Judy Williford Carol Sam & Catherine Jim Whisnant Judy Smith Barb May Bill May Ron Hill Carol Winston Mary Schamel Rossfeld Bob Greufe Debbie Pickett Joseph Weir John & Brody Merriman Mary D. George Lori & Buster Gage Peggy Mosbacher

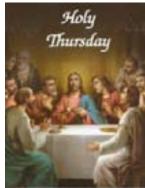
Glen & Mary Thilges Amy Cunningham Marilee Lacy Javier and Tatiana Bruce McCloskey **Finley Family** Phyllis Perez Teresa Marie Collins Jessica Lewey Dahlberg Ron Willis Connie & Terry Rigg Michelle & Isaac Sherree Grindel Joni Kurt Hosticka Lee Noel Billy Joe Ball III Stephen Davidson James Greufe Chad Watson Michael Damot Mary Krause Jim Tucker Pat Aten Catherine Ketter Bill Edwards Edward Adams Rick Manson Dee & Dan Van Leeuwen **Dick & Matthew Sutton** Beth Cook Tom & Annemarie Pfeiffer Matt Sutton Mary & Doug Schuster Debra Sutlief

Lauren Lakebrink Krueger Joseph Gorman Cameron & Antony Ron May Carol Weir Libbey Rall Julie Rush Pete & Connie Hollomon Dan Kandlbinder Jordan Taylor Doug & Susan Blair Jackie Rapp Jeff Lea **Bradley Jones** Thomas & Alexander Minniece Brandon Hutson Norma Molina Ramon Mendoza, Sr. Ramon Mendoza, Jr. Jim Miller Dorothy Bradford Mike Carr Pete Burmeister Kate Nowatzke Fran Norton's Family Phil Willoughby Mike Rodriguez Fred Massman Mary & Gabriel Wier Jake Harman Charles Mann **Douglas Shreffler** Jeff Ridder Kenny Walker Sabrina Hinkle

John Mreen Deacon Doug Hemke John Fessler Ricky & DeeDee Rory Elliott Todd Higgins Ron Shinkle Michael Ruiz Mauricia O'Brien Janet Ward & Jeff James Gubera Hazel Lewis Dan Tomc Rachel Johnson Jose Torres Dan & Bibi Chadwick Philip Pernice Don Taylor Nick Peters Desmond Arciga-Quenga Michelle Bacus Mark Schweitzer Bill Kirwan Deacon Bud Jackson Erwin Pat Carey & Family Diana Marchisio Wilfredo Crespo, Jr. John & Susan-Kelly Corsione Rodriguez Family Scott Neibergall Margie Myers & Mattea Jean and Richard Jackson Pamela & James Anderson Travis & Sarah Shay

The Curiel Family Barbara Fortier Barb Schwerv Nichole Stewart Kelly Gentrup The Hollomon Family Jacke & Enike Hayes Carla George Kyle Sellmeyer Margarita Mendoza Family Marie Brancato **Rich Curasi** John Brocato Barbara (Roach) Still John Pfannenstiel Mike Sheeley Troy Cronkite Matt Biskup Family Sam Porter Amy Villarreal Mary Kaye Masnado Randy Baumert Jackie Plack Pelling Kennedy Noel Holcumbrink Tony V. Sr. Chris Alvey Patrick O'Neill John McMahon Eddie Ansalmo Maria Giannelli Kenadee Gallagher Leah Biskup Coady Olivia Hernandez Laura Ann DiGiovanna Robert Doleshal

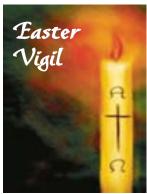
# The Paschal Triduum 2024



March 28 - 7pm Mass of the Lord's Supper



March 29 - 7pm Passion of the Lord



March 30 - 7pm Service of Light Liturgy of the Word

The summit of the Liturgical Year is the Triduum – from the evening of Holy Thursday to the evening of Easter Sunday. Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day unfolding for us the unity of Christ's Paschal Mystery.

The single celebration of the Triduum marks the end of the Lenten season, and leads to the Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord.

The Holy Thursday and Good Friday services will be live-streamed on Facebook and YouTube.

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