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MARRIAGE

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Parish social committee: Contact the parish office.

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Contact Fr. Joy Abraham at the parish office.

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Weekday Masses:

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Experiencing Holy Week

Lent concludes with Holy Week when, like the early Christians, we prepare for Easter by an intense recollection of the final events of Jesus' life:

Palm Sunday: This day we hold palm branches in our hands and feel the breeze blow past our faces as we wave them. The same sensation was felt by followers of Christ when they welcomed Jesus into Jerusalem. The palms were symbols of honour and respect, as flags would be today. Those who saw Jesus riding into town on a donkey were happy to see Him and honored Him with praise as the ruler of their lives. We, too, honour Jesus on this day (and every day) as our humble King, who will soon be crowned with thorns.

Holy Thursday: This day offers us with an opportunity to truly taste and see that the Lord is good. On this night, we eat the bread and drink the cup, which are Christ's body and blood in this Holy Meal, just as the disciples did on the night He was betrayed. This sacred eating and drinking washes us of our sins and fills us with refreshment to carry on in our faith, devoted to Jesus, the Saviour of our souls.

Good Friday: This day we gather in silence before the Cross of Christ. The priest and deacon will prostrate themselves, face down on the floor, before the suffering of Jesus. We will listen to the Passion read from the Gospel of St. John. We will kneel in silence when we hear the final words of Jesus on the Cross, when He says, "It is finished," bows His head, and gives up His spirit. We will mark the day with fasting, with hearts that remember the death of our Lord. We will be without words before the torture of an innocent Man.

Holy Saturday, (Easter Vigil): Tonight is the greatest night of the Church's year of prayer, the night for rejoicing and singing. We move from darkness to light, from word to action, through baptism and confirmation to eucharist. The vigil begins after darkness has fallen. The new fire is blessed, the Easter candle is lighted, and then the candles of the community light up the darkness of the

church building. The message does not need further words to explain it. The experience of Holy Week each year helps us in some small way to feel, sense and see in our mind's eye what Jesus endured in His Passion and death for us and what he accomplished in His Resurrection from the dead. It is a week that encapsulates for us what the Church at large lives and teaches from day to day and invites us to follow.

Holy week Schedule:

Palm Sunday, March 23 & 24 Saturday 5 pm & Sunday at 8.30 am & 10.30 am.

Holy Thursday, March 28 at 7.30 pm.

Adoration from 10 pm to 8 am.

Good Friday, March 29, at 3 pm, Passion and Death of our Lord. Stations of the Cross by the youth at 7pm.

Holy Saturday, March 30, at 7.30 pm

Easter Sunday, March 31, 8 am, 10 am & 12 noon.

Holy Thursday Adoration from 10pm to 8 am

After the Mass of the Lord's Supper, the Adoration will continue at the Altar of Repose throughout the night till Good Friday at 8 am. Come and spend an hour with the Lord in the garden of Gethsemane.

Way of the Cross at Holy Name of Jesus

Every year on Good Friday at 7 pm, our youth present an original and creative Way of the Cross. They are preparing something special again this year. Please join us.

Donate Easter Flowers

If you would like to donate flowers in white, yellow or pink to decorate the sanctuary for Easter, please deliver them or donate towards their purchase.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mar.24	Isaiah 50.4-7	Mark 14.1-15-47
Mar.25	Isaiah 42.1-7	John 12.1-11
Mar.26	Isaiah 49.1-6	John 13.21-33,36-38
Mar.27	Isaiah 50.4-9a	Matthew 26.14-26
Mar. 28	Exodus 12.1-8, 11-14	John 13.1-15
Mar.29	Isaiah 52,13-53.12	John 18.1-19
Mar.30	Genesis 1.1-2.2	Mark 16.1-8



Saturday, March 23

Maurice Gallev

5pm Caroline & Luigi Falcone Alice Savewick

by family by Elide & Sonia Patrizio

by Spouse Diane

Sunday, March 24, Holy Week / Palm Sunday

8:30 Jose & Annie Da Costa by family Zoldoz family

by Maria Zerdin

by family Rosa Santamaria

10:30 For Parishioners

Tuesday, March 26

Mary E. Foster & family by Spouse by Rosanna Annina Pace John Dore by Deirdre

Wednesday, March 27

Francesco Margiotta by Giuseppe Margiotta

Bonnie & Ray Turner by family Mass in Thanksgiving by Alfred

Holy Thursday, March 28

7:30 p.m. Mass of The Lord's Supper

Good Friday, March 29

3:00 p.m. Celebration of the Passion of the Lord 7:00 p.m. The Stations of The Cross by youth

Holy Saturday, March 30

7:30 pm Celebration of the Easter Vigil

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

Pope's Prayer Intention for March: We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.