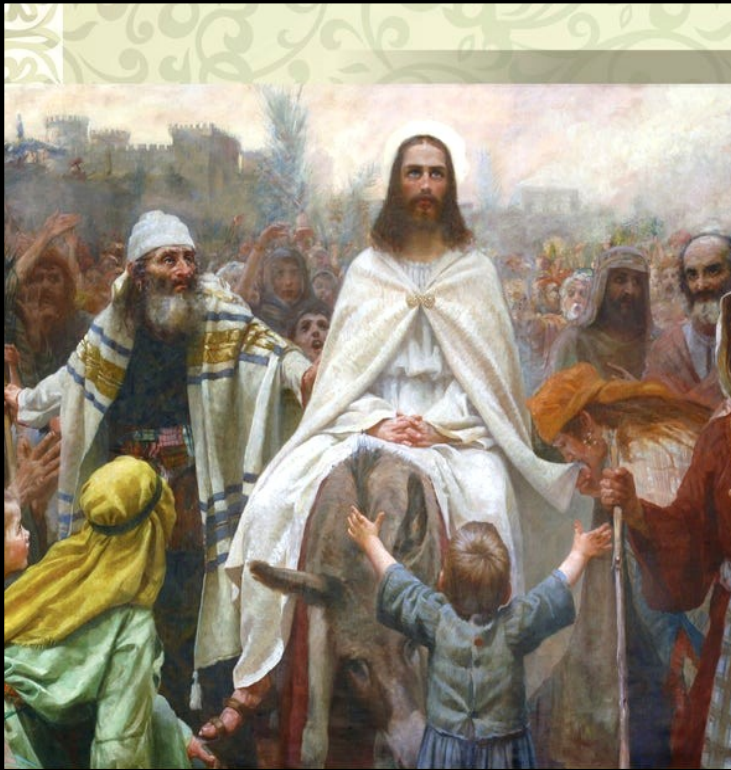


Saint Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church



Palm Sunday April 10, 2022

As he rode along, the people were spreading their cloaks on the road; the whole multitude of his disciples began to praise God aloud with joy for all the mighty deeds they had seen. - Lk 19:36, 37b

PALM SUNDAY
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Parish Calendar Events

- 04/11 Monday, (Lenten Confessions) 7:00 to 8:00 pm
- 04/12 Tuesday, Chrim Mass 10:30
(St. Joseph the Workman Cathedral)
- 04/12 Tuesday, (Lenten Confessions) 5:00 to 7:00 pm
- 04/13 Wednesday, (Lenten Confessions) 4:00 to 6:00 pm
- 04/14 Holy Thursday, Mass of the Last Supper 7:00 pm
- 04/15 Good Friday, Passion of the Lord 1:00 pm
- 04/16 Saturday, Easter Vigil Mass 8:00 pm
(with incense)
- 04/17 Easter Sunday Mass 8:00 am (NO Incense)
Mass 10:30 (with incense)
- 04/30 Saturday, Extravaganza (community center)
6:00 to 10:00 pm / Drawing at 9:00 pm

Mass Schedule

- Monday, April 11th **St. Stanislaus**
No Mass *Lenten Confessions*
7:00 to 8:00 pm
- Tuesday, April 12th
Chrim Mass 10:30 am
St Joseph the Workman Cathedral (La Crosse)
Lenten Confessions
5:00 to 7:00 pm
- Wednesday, April 13th
Mass 8:15 am *Lenten Confessions*
† Charlie Ray 4:00—6:00 pm
- Thursday, April 14th **Holy Thursday**
Confessions 6:00 to 6:45
Mass of the Last Supper 7:00 pm
Raissa Alandy SP.I.
- Friday, April 15th **Good Friday**
Confessions 12:30
Passion of Our Lord 1:00 pm
- Saturday, April 16th **Holy Saturday**
Easter Vigil 8:00 pm (with Incense)
† Donald & Ihla Zwicker
- Sunday, April 17th **Easter Sunday**
Confessions 7:30 - 7:50 am
Mass 8:00 am (No Incense)
† Mary Ann Peckham

Confessions 9:30 -10:15 am
Mass 10:30 am (with Incense)
Our Parish Family

THE TRIDUUM

PASCHAL TRIDUUM

The Easter Triduum—which begins with the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper on Maundy Thursday, reaching its high point in the Easter Vigil, and closes with Evening Prayer on Easter Sunday, is the summit of the Liturgical Year. It commemorates Christ's Paschal Mystery, i.e., the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus.

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From your pastor . . .

One of the obvious features of the interior of our Church at this time in Lent is the veiled statues and crucifix. The covering of the statues and crucifix has traditionally been associated with our Lord going into hiding before his triumphal entry into Jerusalem. We recall in Saint John's gospel that the enemies of Jesus picked up stones to throw at him. He was able to elude their violence by hiding from them, in that it was not yet his hour (to die). The veiling of the statues is meant to create a spiritual soberness within our minds and hearts during these final days of Lent, as we seek to unite ourselves more closely to Christ in his passion and death.

As you leave the church this Palm Sunday, you are welcomed to take with you the palms that were blessed at Mass and which were used to commemorate the triumphal entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem. Because these palms have been blessed they are considered to be sacramentals, i.e., blessed objects used for a sacred purpose. In discarding them, they should be either burned or buried. Please to do not place them in the trash. It is the blessed palms that are used for the ashes that mark our foreheads on Ash Wednesday.

With the celebration of Palm Sunday, we have begun Holy Week. On Tuesday, there will be no morning Mass scheduled at the parish so that I can attend the Chrism Mass at the Cathedral in La Crosse that begins at 10:30 a.m.

At the Chrism Mass the bishop will bless the three oils that will be used in the administration of the sacraments. These oils are: oil of the infirmed (sick), oil of catechumens and Holy Chrism. The oil of the sick is used in the administration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, the oil of catechumens is used in administering the Sacrament of Baptism and Holy Chrism is used for administering the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Orders. These oils are transported to the parish by the pastor who is expected to attend the Chrism Mass. Another reason each priest is expected to attend the Chrism Mass is that during the Mass, all priests in attendance stand before the bishop and renew their promises made on their ordination day.

The Holy Triduum (three great days) is Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil (Holy Saturday). The Mass of the Last Supper which includes the foot washing begins at 7:00 p.m. and will conclude with a one-hour vigil following the Eucharistic procession that brings the Mass to its conclusion. Incense will be used at this Mass. The Good Friday service will begin at 1:00 p.m. It is a day of fasting (only one full meal) and abstinence, i.e., without meat.

The Easter Vigil will begin at 8:00 p.m. This year Marissa Ewing will be initiated into the Faith through Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion. Incense will be used during this Mass.

Easter Sunday Masses will be at 8:00 a.m. (no incense) and 10:30 a.m. (with incense).

We should all look forward to these days when we celebrate the Paschal Mystery that brings about the world's salvation, namely, Jesus Christ's suffering, death and resurrection.

Until I write again, may God bless you and all the parishioners of Saint Mary Parish during this Holy Week.

Monsignor Roger J. Scheckel



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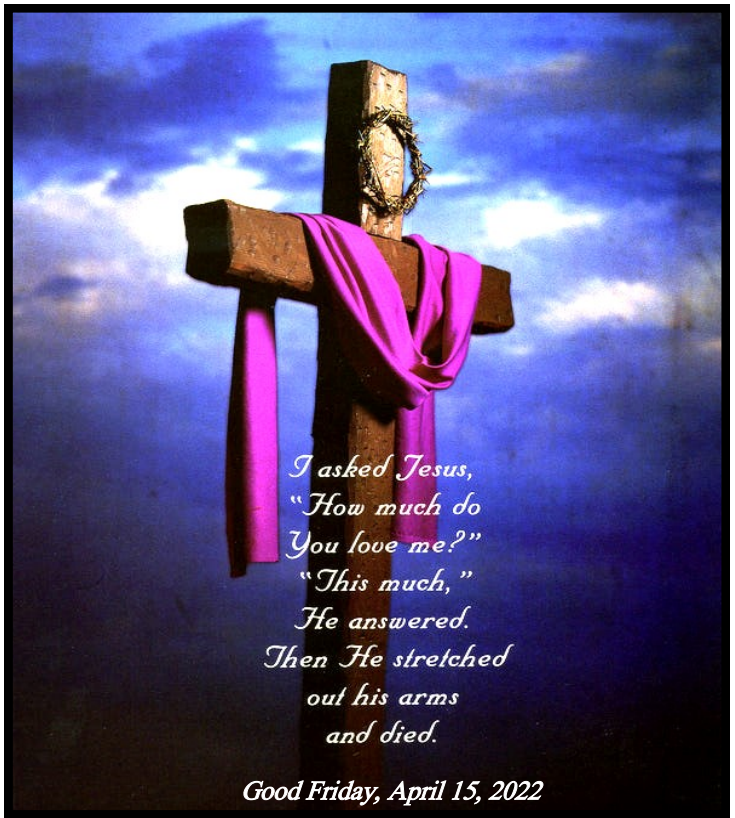
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Wedding Planning Information

For those seeking the Sacrament of Marriage in our Church
please notify the pastor as soon as you are engaged,
but **not less than six months**
prior to the proposed wedding date.



Readings for the week of April 10, 2022

Sunday: Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24
[2a]/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49

Monday: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17/
Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34/
Mt 26:14-25

Thursday: Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:21-22, 25 and
27/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21 Evening Mass of the Lord's
Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/
Ps 116:12-13, 15-16abc, 17-18/1 Cor 11:23-26/
Jn 13:1-15

Good Friday: Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25/
Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday: Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10,
12, 13-14, 24, 35 [30] or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22
[5b]/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8,
9-10, 11 [1]/Ex 14:15—15:1/Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18
[1b]/Is 54:5-14/ Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Is 55:1-
11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 [3]/Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ps 19:8, 9,
10, 11/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19
[12a]/Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Lk 24:1-12

Easter: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col
3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or,
Lk 24:13-35

EASTER FLOWERS



Please use the envelopes in your
packet or any (marked envelope)
to make a donation or memorial
for a loved one.

Thank you !!!

March 26/27, 2022 Stewardship

Total..... \$5,098.10

Updated contributions will be posted in future bulletins!
Thank you for your understanding.

Our parish administrator, Cheryl Blankenship has undergone surgery to replace her knee. For that reason, ordinary services provided at the rectory will be interrupted for a couple of weeks.

Your pastor will attempt to respond to your calls and visits, however if there is something that can wait until Cheryl returns to work that would be the best. Please keep Cheryl in your prayers for a quick and complete recovery.

Sportsman's Extravaganza

Saturday,

April 30th, 2022

**Grand Prize \$25,000.00
or 40 Acres of Land**



Holy Thursday, April 14th 7:00 pm

Lector: Donna Urbach

Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers: Tristan Arms, Connor & Laura Stoltz,
Baylee & Taylor Wertz

Gifts: Jeffrey Joseph

Good Friday, April 15th 1:00 pm

Lector: Sara Schultz

Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers: Eleanor, Emma & Mason Jelinek, Avery Kepler

Saturday Easter Vigil, April 16th @ 8:00 pm

Lector: Paul Peckham, Judy Murphy, Kaleb Frawley,
Gloria Joseph, Alisa Weiss

Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers: Brayden & Tristan Arms, Thomas Honer,
Ella & Will Weiss

Gifts: Brian Weiss Family

Sunday Easter, April 17th @ 8:00 am

Lector: Maly Krajco

Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers; Andrew Mata, Ainsley & Everett Myers
Adelyn Wertz

Ushers: Knights of Columbus **Gifts:** Bryan Myers Family

Sunday Easter, April 17th @ 10:30 am

Lector: Sara Schultz

Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Tully

Servers; Madalynn, Blake & Mckenna Mueller
Colin Halverson,

Ushers: Knights of Columbus **Gifts:**

Order of Confession

Priest: In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Penitent: Amen

Penitent: Bless me Father for I have sinned. My last confession was _____ ago and these are my sins.

(At this point you make a complete confession of your sins to the best of your recollection.) . . . and I am sorry for these and all the sins of my life.

(The priest will give you words of counsel and assign your penance)

Penitent: (Recites this Act of Contrition or any other one they may wish to use) **O My God, I am heartily sorry for having offended you. And I detest all my sins because of thy just punishments. But most of all because they offend you my God who are all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve with the help of your grace to sin no more and to avoid the near occasion of sin. Amen.**

Priest: (Recites the prayer of absolution) God the Father of mercies, through the death and resurrection of his Son has reconciled the world to himself and sent the Holy Spirit among us for the forgiveness of sins; through the ministry of the Church may God give you pardon and peace, and I absolve you from your sins in the name of the Father, and of the Son, + and of the Holy Spirit.

Penitent: Amen.

Priest: Give thanks to the Lord for He is good.

Penitent: And His mercy endures forever.

Priest: The Lord has freed you from your sins.
Go in peace.

Penitent: Thanks be to God.

(You now leave the confessional to carry out your assigned penance.)

Lenten Extended Confession Schedule

Monday, April 11th, 7:00 to 8:00 pm

Tuesday, April 12th, 5:00 to 7:00 pm

Wednesday, April 13th, 4:00 to 6:00 pm

**"It is so hard to admit
that one is a sinner;
it is so hard to climb
the hill of Calvary and
kneel beneath a cross and
ask for pardon, forgiveness.
Certainly it is hard.**

But it is harder to hang there."

~Archbishop Fulton Sheen~

