



HOLY WEEK

Monsignor John A. Ecker, Pastor



Why do we call this week, beginning today, “Holy Week”? Because the most sacred salvation events of Jesus’ life, death and resurrection-the salvific acts which promise us salvation and redemption in the Lord are all commemorated this week.

Beginning with His triumphant entry into Jerusalem today, we quickly review His betrayal by Judas and on to the events of Holy Thursday, when we celebrate the Institution of the Holy Eucharist, the priesthood and the washing of the feet of His apostles as a sign and example of humility and service.

Then, on to the horrendous events of Good Friday when we ponder His love for us and the passion, suffering and death of Jesus on the Cross, His reception into the arms of His mother and burial in the tomb.

And then onward to the glorious Resurrection of the Lord, celebrated on Holy Saturday night at the Easter Vigil, the lighting of the great Easter Candle, the Baptism of our Catechumens and Solemn Reception into the Church of our Candidates, the Sacraments of Initiation and the glorious celebration of the Resurrection at the vigil and at all Masses of that Sunday.

A Holy Week, a week of sorrow and ultimate joy and our celebration of the great Easter Festival which is our source of life, light and hope. Check the schedule in our bulletin and be a living part of why this week is especially **HOLY**.



LITURGY FOR PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

SCRIPTURE READINGS #1049-1050

Opening Hymn All Glory, Laud and Honor No. 483

Responsorial Psalm: 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

Gospel Acclamation

*Christ became obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.
Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name.*

Offertory Hymn O Sacred Head Surrounded No. 489

Sanctus No. 304

Memorial Acclamation No. 215

Amen No. 218

Agnus Dei No. 311

Communion Hymn Were You There No. 488

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Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday: 5:30PM & 7PM (Spanish)
Sunday: 7, 9, 11AM, 1PM (Spanish) & 7:00PM Life Teen

Daily Mass Schedule
Monday, Wednesday Friday: 7AM
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 8AM
Spanish Mass Tuesday: 7:00PM

Reconciliation
Saturday: 4:00PM or by Appointment

Baptisms
Please call Parish Office

Weddings
Four months preparation required

Adoration
Fridays 7:30AM-6:00PM Benediction

Monday Evening Prayer
Weekly 5:30PM-Chapel

Complete Staff listing inside.

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 3, 2023

M April 03 Monday of Holy Week
T April 04 Tuesday of Holy Week
W April 05 Wednesday of Holy Week

TH April 06 Holy Thursday
F April 07 Good Friday
S April 08 Holy Saturday

•THANK YOU FOR YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERING•



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GOOD FRIDAY INTERFAITH COMMEMORATION OF THE SEVEN LAST WORDS OF CHRIST

As is our tradition and custom, an interfaith service will be held at **St. Joseph Church on Friday at noon**. Please come and invite your friends and neighbors (sponsored by the Yakima Association of Faith Communities).



HELP!

We need your assistance this Saturday, April 8th 9AM-12PM to decorate our Cathedral for the Easter Season. Please plan to assist us. Thank you!

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
Acts 10:34, 37-43 Col 3:1-4;
Jn 20:1-9 (42)



ONLINE

Sunday Offering
FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS GIVING!



Monday, April 3rd

7:00AM Mass
5:30PM Sung Lenten Eve Prayer

Tuesday, April 4th

8:00AM Mass
5:30PM English Mass
7:00PM Spanish Mass

Wednesday, April 5th

7:00AM Mass
5:30PM Stations of the Cross

Holy Thursday, April 6th

No morning or 5:30PM Masses
7:30PM Mass of the Last Supper (Washing of Feet)
Adoration (Chapel) until 10:00PM

Good Friday, April 7th

No morning services or Adoration
7:30PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday, April 8th

No morning/evening Mass or scheduled Confessions
8:30PM Solemn Easter Vigil

AFTER MASS GATHERINGS

Just a reminder: refreshments (coffee, juice, cookies and snacks are available after 9AM, 11AM English Masses and after the 1PM Spanish Mass each Sunday). An opportunity to get to know one another.

JOB OPENING

The Diocese of Yakima seeks a highly motivated, energetic individual to serve as the Administrative Assistant for the Bishop. This person will perform administrative and secretarial assignments utilizing in-depth knowledge of the operations and procedures of the Diocese of Yakima. In addition, the Administrative Associate will provide support to the diocesan leadership and assist with projects and diocesan events. For more information contact 509-965-7117.

JEWISH PASSOVER

Jesus' own religious tradition, the foundation of our Holy Week/Easter celebrations, begins this Wednesday, an 8 day festival commemorating the freedom of the Jewish people from Egyptian captivity. We join in prayer with our Jewish brothers and sisters for an end of persecution and harassment, even in our community.

CATHEDRAL CHOIR

Our Music Director is still looking for bell ringers, children's choir members, and more choir members. Contact Michael at music@stpaulyakima.org if interested.

NEW RCIA INQUIRY SESSIONS STARTING

Not a Catholic, or have only received baptism, and are interested in learning more about our Faith:

- RCIA is the process by which non-Catholics enter the Catholic Faith.
- At St. Paul Cathedral we offer a series of informal Inquiry Sessions for those who are seeking truth and want to journey closer to God and life in the Church.

Catholic and interested in learning how you can share your Faith:

- Be an evangelist-one called by God to share and spread the Faith.
- Invite someone to attend with you, maybe a family member; spouse, parent or child; a business associate or fellow worker; a classmate, teacher or student; whoever is curious and looking for that which we possess and so often take for granted.

Inquiry sessions start Tuesday, April 18, from 7-8PM, in the Assembly Place. Experience the Good News and start the journey today!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



TO: Hilary Jessup, Heather Layton, Amy Wingerter, Lorie Allen, Ed Boettcher, Danny Critzer, Jack Sutton, Ellen Jackson, Wyatt Marchand, Brendan O'Connor, Christina McGree, Chelsie Modest, Megan Rutschilling, Peter Berg, Allen Brown, Jennifer Maxwell, Dylan Ringer, Derek Rowden, Benjamin Urlacher, Jeanne Whitaker, Kristi Anderson, Sandra Wellner, **STANLEY ELLQUIST, FRANK ELSOM**, Eirka Valencia, Phillip Posada, Alex Guerrero, and how could we forget, our great **RAY MELKI**, our maintenance manager, a major fix-all man-last week. A belated Happy Birthday to him!