



## Saint John XXIII University Parish/Catholic Center

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*The Paulist Fathers Serving the University of Tennessee*

Palm Sunday

April 2, 2023

*1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a;  
Eph 5:8-14;  
Jn 9:1-41*

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday at 5:05 pm

### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 10 am (Lent) and 5:30 pm

Sunday: 9 am, 11:15 am,  
5:30 pm, and 9 pm

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday and Thursday - 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm  
or by appointment

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Congratulations!

Please call the office at least 4 months before  
your planned wedding date.

### WANT TO BE CATHOLIC?

Please contact Fr. Rich at  
(865) 523-7931 or [fr-rich@john23rd.org](mailto:fr-rich@john23rd.org)

## St. John XXIII Holy Week Schedule

### Holy Thursday

Thursday, April 6

No 5:05 pm Mass

Mass at 7:30 pm

### Good Friday

Friday, April 7

Noon - Outdoor Stations of the Cross

3:00 pm - Commemoration of the Lord's Passion

No 5:05 pm Mass

### Holy Saturday

Saturday, April 8

No 5:30 pm Mass

8:30 pm - Easter Vigil

### Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 9

9 am and 11:15 am - Mass

No Evening Masses

### Easter Monday

Monday, April 10

Building and Office Closed

No 5:05 pm Mass or Confessions

### Is Your Pet Star-Quality?



The Paulist Fathers will be showing a "Paulist Pet Walk" 15 minutes before the broadcast of the Spirit of Hecker Awards on April 22, and we want to see your pets! Please email any photos or videos (10 seconds or less) to [media@paulist.org](mailto:media@paulist.org) by **April 14**. Please include your pet's name and your home parish in the information in the email.



# Spirit of Hecker Awards Watch Party



**Register for the Online Event!**  
**paulist.org/HeckerAwards**

*\$10 suggested donation enters you in a raffle*

We will be hosting a watch party in the Paulus Room  
after the Saturday evening mass on **April 22!**  
**It will be a catered event, so please RSVP to**  
**john23music@gmail.com.**

## Easter Lily Donations

**T.J. and Sue Paulus**  
in memory of *Albert & Ella Paulus*

**Loree and Eric Skvara**  
in memory of *Carolyn & Don Skvara,*  
*Robert & June Langnecker,*  
*and Charles & Hazel Chimley*

**Frank and Jamie Provenza**  
in memory of *John & Inzia Provenza*

**Richard and Moira Connelly**  
for the *Connelly and Ambrose Families*

**Rev. Dan Whitman**

**John Platfoot and Rosey Mattson**  
for *Wilma Platfoot,*  
*Betty Harshbarger,*  
*and Herbert Platfoot*

**Dan and Pat Murphy**  
in memory of the *Murphy and Campbell Families*

**Vincent D'Innocenzo**  
in memory of *Helen M. D'Innocenzo*

## Scripture Readings for the Week of April 2, 2023

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion</b> <b>Procession:</b> Mt 21:1-11 <b>At Mass:</b> Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14-27:66
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Monday of Holy Week</b> Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Tuesday of Holy Week</b> Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 & 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Wednesday of Holy Week</b> Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 & 33-34; Mt 26:14-25
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Holy Thursday of the Lord's Passion</b> <b>Chrism Mass:</b> Is 61: 1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:21-22, 25, 27; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21 <b>Evening Mass:</b> Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Good Friday of the Lord's Passion</b> 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
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Easter Vigil in the Holy Night of Easter</b> Gn 1:1—2:2 or Gn 1:1, 26-31a; Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22; Gn 22:1-18 or Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11; Ex 14:15—15:1; Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18; Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13; Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Rom 6:3-11; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Mt 28:1-10
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>The Resurrection of the Lord</b> Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10 or Lk 24:13-35



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## **Insights and Awareness**

### **Topic 70 -**

### **Confession**

The Act of Contrition and words of absolution get new transitions starting this Lent.

You can view this topic at:

<https://www.john23rd.org/insights>

(Sponsored by the Social Concerns Committee).

## **Modern Day Simon of Cyrene**

Palm Sunday marks the beginning of Holy Week. As we walk with Jesus this week, we remember the countless women, children and men who carry heavy crosses even today: crosses of hunger, of vulnerability to climate change, or of a lack of resources. How—like Simon of Cyrene—can you help to carry the crosses of our sisters and brothers in your local community and around the world?

Visit [crsricebowl.org/holy-week](http://crsricebowl.org/holy-week) to learn more.

Rice bowls are available in the lobby

## **NEXT WEEK'S EVENTS**

### **April 3-9**

**Monday:** 4:00 pm - Confessions  
5:05 pm - Daily Mass  
7:00 pm - Justice Knox Meeting

**Tuesday:** 5:05 pm - Daily Mass  
7:00 pm - RCIA

**Wednesday:** 5:05 pm - Daily Mass  
7:00 pm - VolCatholic

**Thursday:** 7:30 pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper

**Friday:** 12:00 pm - Outdoor Stations of the Cross  
3:00 pm - Commemoration of the Lord's Passion

**Saturday:** 8:30 pm - Easter Vigil

**Sunday:** 9:00 am - Easter Sunday Mass  
11:15 am - Easter Sunday Mass

## **Pope Francis' Prayer for April:**

### **For a Culture of Peace and Non-violence**

“We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.”

## Prayer Requests

Let us pray for peace and justice throughout the world. Other prayers are needed for Jo Andrews, Vic Kaminsky, Erin Kirkpatrick, Scott Hernandez, Kylie Hemphill, Dominic Mackey, Chance Adams, Jeyden, Peg Hart, John Fox, Mary L. Fox, Jamie Davis, Kathy Kuczka, Karen Pearson Rich, Connie Beeler, Christine Wade, Jerry Carney, V. J. D'Innocenzo and his family, Beth Long, Dino Carbetta, the family of Mufide Rende, Ellen Wavrek, Emilian, Charles, Carlos, Michel, Fernando, Esteban, Sebastian, Margaret Dusichka, Diane Dusichka, Ray Bieniek, Geneva Stewart, Anna Platfoot, Brendan Barry, Ernst Edel, displaced tenants of Walker Springs Apartments, the Acheampong family, the Odoi family, the Bentil family, the Thompson family, the Deku family, Tom Mulligan, Tom Walsh, residents of Serene Manor, those serving in the military, and for any too reserved to let us know.

Scan the QR code to register with  
St. John XXIII!



## Lector Schedule

**April 1-2**

Sat. 5:30pm Steve Hillenbrand - John Sobieski  
Sun. 9:00am Cid Letsinger - Lee Campfield  
Sun. 11:15am Ed Howley - Jim Dutkosky

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