

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN

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PALM SUNDAY THE SECOND SUNDAY IN PASSIONTIDE April 9, 2017

DIVINE WORSHIP ORDER OF HOLY MASS Low Mass 8:00 am, Sung Mass 10:30am, Low Mass 6:00 pm See Mass card or Missalette

THE LITURGY OF THE PALMS COMMEMORATING OUR LORD'S ENTRANCE INTO JERUSALEM

Antiphon *Hosanna filio David* (Mt 21:9)

Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he that cometh in the Name of the Lord: O King of Israel, hosanna in the highest.

+In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit

The priest says the exhortation "Dear Brethren..."

GREETING AND PRAYER

(The Priest says:)

Hear the words of the holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew

Matthew 21:1-11

When they drew near to Jerusalem and came to Beth'phage, to the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, saying to them, "Go into the village opposite you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. If any one says anything to you, you shall say, 'The Lord has need of them,' and he will send them immediately." This took place to fulfil what was spoken by the prophet, saying, "Tell the daughter of Zion, Behold, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey." The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; they brought the donkey and the colt, and put their garments on them, and he sat thereon. Most of the crowd spread their garments on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. And the crowds that went before him and that followed him shouted, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!" And when he entered Jerusalem, all the city was stirred, saying, "Who is this?" And the crowds said, "This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth of Galilee."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

(Blessing of the Palms follows. Please turn page)

The Blessing of the Palms

Priest: The Lord be with you.
People: And with thy spirit.
Priest: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.
Priest: Let us give thanks unto the Lord our

God.

People: It is meet and right so to do.

The Priest then says the prayer.

The Priest then with hands extended says the prayer of the blessing of palms.

The Palms are then distributed. During which the following Antiphon and Psalm is chanted:

Antiphon

Confitemini Domino (Ps 118: 1, 22, 23, 27, 28)

Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he that cometh in the Name of the Lord: O King of Israel, hosanna in the highest.

- V. O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is gracious; because his mercy endureth for ever. *Antiphon*...
- V. The same stone that the builders refused, is become the headstone in the corner. *Antiphon*...
- V. This is the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes. *Antiphon*...
- V. God is the Lord, who hath showed us light; bind the sacrifice with cords, yea even unto the horns of the altar. *Antiphon*...
- V. Thou are my Giod, and I will thank thee; thou art my God and I will praise thee. *Antiphon*...
- V. Glory be to the Father...
 As it was in the beginning... *Antiphon*...

(Other antiphons may follow)

After the distribution the Priest then says a prayer.



THE PROCESSION OF THE BLESSED PALMS IN HONOR OF CHRIST THE KING

Priest: Let us go forth in peace.

People: In the Name of Christ. Amen.

Procession 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM: People are to Sing Hymn 154, All Glory Laud and Honor

Procession 10:30 AM: The People are to go to their place in the pews. The choir will chant several antiphons and hymns, Including hymn 154.

The Priest then says the final prayer of the procession.

Antiphon at the Entrance *Domine, ne longe* (Ps 22: 19, 21, 1)

O Lord, remove not thy succor afar from me; have respect to my defense, and hear me: deliver me from the mouth of the lion; yea, from the horns of the unicorns hast thou regarded my cry.

(Ps) My God, my God, look upon me; why hast thou forsaken me: and art so far from my health, and from the words of my complaint?

O Lord...

The Collect for Purity, Summary of the Law, and Kyrie are omitted.

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, who, of thy tender love towards mankind, hast sent thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, to take upon him our flesh, and to suffer death upon the Cross, that all mankind should follow the example of his great humility: mercifully grant that we may follow the example of his patience, and so be made partakers of his Resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

First Reading

Isaiah 50:4—7

The Lord GOD has given me the tongue of those who are taught, that I may know how to sustain with a word him that is weary. Morning by morning he wakens, he wakens my ear to hear as those who are taught. The Lord GOD has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious, I turned not backward. I gave my back to the smiters, and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard; I hid not my face from shame and spitting. For the Lord GOD helps me; therefore I have not been confounded; therefore I have set my face like a flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame.

Tract after the First Reading

Deus, Deus meus (Ps 22:1-8,17b,18,21,23,31,32) 8am & 6pm Responsorial lector & people. 10:30am Chanted by choir

My God, my God, look upon me:
why hast thou forsaken me,
and art so far from my health and from the words
of my complaint?

V. O my God, I cry in the day-time, but thou hearest not:

and in the night season also I take no rest.

R. And thou continuest holy:

O thou worship of Israel.

V. Our fathers hoped in thee: they trusted in thee, and thou didst deliver them.

R. They called upon thee, and were holpen: they put their trust in thee, and were not confounded.

V. But as for me, I am a worm, and no man: a very scorn of men,

and the outcast of the people.

R. All they that see me laugh me to scorn: they shoot out their lips, and shake their heads, saying,

V. He trusted in God, that he would deliver him: let him deliver him, if he will have him.

R. They stand staring and looking upon me:

V. They part my garments among them, and cast lots upon my vesture.

R. Save me from the lion's mouth: thou hast heard me also from among the horns of the unicorns.

V. O praise the Lord, ye that fear him: magnify him all ye of the seed of Jacob.

R. My seed shall serve him: they shall be counted unto the Lord for a generation.

V. They shall come, and the heavens shall declare his righteousness unto a people that shall be born, whom the Lord hath made.

Second Reading

Philippians 2:6-11

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form he humbled himself and became obedient unto death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Tract after the Second Reading

Christus factus est (Phil 2:8,9) 8am & 6pm Responsorial lector & people. 10:30am Chanted by choir

Christ became obedient for our sakes unto death:
even the death of the Cross.

V./ Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him:
and given him the Name which is above every name.

THE PASSION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

Please stand

Music

Processional Hymn	154
	458
SANCTÜS	
	Mass Music booklet pg. 42
AGNUS DEI	Mass Music booklet pg. 8
	480
	Take and Eat, Joneas (Youth Choir)
	473

Adult choir will rehearse this WEDNESDAY at 7:00 pm.
No Youth Choir rehearsal this week.

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Intercessions (Form III): Missalette page 29

For those expecting children: Colleen & Jerry; Gennifer & Ethan; Amy & Benji; Emily & Walter; Rebecca & Brinton; Erin & Sebastian; Bethany & Seth; Edith & Timothy; Allie & Chris.

For those celebrating anniversaries: Sunday: Joyce Chukwu [B]; Erin Jones [B]; Tuesday: Eduardo Ruiz [B]; Ryan & Shelby Estrada [W]; Thursday: Gerald Kerr [B]; Martin & Sue Durbec [W]; Friday: Elizabeth Thomas [B]; Saturday: Eva Brignac [B]; Thomas Menezes [B]

For those in special need: Ruth; Fr. John Cornelius; Carolyn; Gaye; Erin; Celeste; Joanna; Laura Anne; Jameson; Rosemary; Teresa; Joseph; Carol; Cole; Mark; Melissa; Michael; Jared; Dan; Lisa; Sherri; Morgan; Kyle; Colette; Colleen; Rebecca; Otto; Anne; Margie; Chuck; Quin; Emma; Beverly; Shelli; Echo.

For those serving in our armed forces: Victor; Byron; Taylor; Luke; Tommy; Christian; Chelsey; Dillon; Mathew; Alton; Annie; Josh; Sebastian; Brandon; James; Jacob.

For the faithful departed:

Anniversaries of Death: *Sunday:* Wynelle Mills; *Monday:* Helen Anna Woods; Emil Millard Carlson; Thelma Mae Allen; Teena Harrington; *Tuesday:* Linda Lacey; *Wednesday:* Anna LaVerne Johnson.

ST. MARY'S THIS WEEK

Sunday, April 9

Masses at 8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Meet & Greet at 7:00 pm

Monday, April 10

Mass at 12:00 pm

S.I. Seth & Bethany Mills

Tuesday, April 11

Mass at 7:00 pm

S.I. Deann, Bryce, Zachary, Alex, Anibelle & Jack

Wednesday, April 12

Confessions at 11:00 am Mass at 12:00 pm

S.I. Maria Santa Gonzalez, RIP Adult Choir rehearsal at 7:00 pm

Thursday, April 13

Maundy Thursday Mass at 7:00 pm Watch at the Altar of Repose beginning at 9:00 pm

Friday, April 14

Watch at the Altar of Repose ending at 11:30 am Stations of the Cross at 12:00 noon Good Friday Liturgy at 7:00 pm

Saturday, April 15

Holy Saturday Liturgy at 9:00 a.m.
Saturday Morning Martyrs Men's Group at 8:00 am
Easter Vigil at 9:00 pm
Celebratory Reception following
Easter Vigil in the Parish Hall

Sunday, April 16

Masses at 8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Easter Egg Hunt at 12:15 pm Meet & Greet at 7:00 pm

NEXT SUNDAY IS THE SOLEMNITY OF EASTER DAY

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Miss us while you're traveling?
Go to thecatholicdirectory.com and sign up to have the SMV bulletin delivered to your inbox on Sunday mornings!

The Parish Offering

Weekly Offertory Forecast	\$6,000.00	
Actual Offertory Collected	\$4,398.00	
Variance	- \$1,602.00	
Thank you for your loving support.		

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

If you are scheduled to serve but unable to please arrange substitutes & call (817.460.2278) ASAP.

April 9

8:00 am Altar Server John Williams /Jon Carr Ushers Nance FitzGibbon & Gloria Vera

10:30am Master of Ceremonies Josh Vina Thurifer Brian Jones Crucifer Will Crawford

Torchbearers Nicholas & Tristan Naifeh

Boat Boy Henry Smith
First Reading Don Brignac
Intercessory Prayers Rease Parton

Oblationers TBD

Ushers Lonnie Jones / Bill Thomas

6:00 pm Altar Server
Ushers
Office Help
Rafael Refi / Vincent Lohla (C)
Charlene Schwartz
Paul Denning / Christy Assid

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The Tridunum Sacrum

Maundy Thursday

Mass at 7:00pm.

The Watch at the Altar of Repose 9:00 pm-11:30 am (in the Parish Hall)
Please sign up on the Roster for the Altar of Repose

Good Friday

Stations of the Cross at 12:00pm Good Friday Liturgy at 7:00pm

Easter Vigil

Mass at 9:00pm

Celebratory Reception immediately following in the Parish Hall

Please call **Jacqui Payne at 817-821-4162** for more info regarding what to bring

There will be a regular Mass schedule on
Easter Sunday
Easter Egg Hunt will follow the 10:30am Mass

Maundy Thursday Watch at the Altar of Repose

Please sign up for a time slot on the board in the Narthex. The Altar of Repose will be located in the Parish Hall.

TO THE PARISHIONERS OF SMV

A common refrain we may have heard in the past regarding Holy Week is to invite the people to "come walk with our Lord this week." That is certainly a fine expression of invitation, but I would like to propose that it is more than simply "walking" with our Lord. Walking is a relatively neutral term. We can let our minds wander and still follow the path. There is a time place in our lives when we are to exercise, clear our minds of daily concerns, or shake off stress. But to truly follow our Lord this coming week we must allow our hearts and minds to be engaged. We will hear the Passion read twice, once on Palm Sunday and on Good Friday. Hopefully this Lent we have attended the Way of the Cross, and at each Station we get a small glimpse of what it must have been like for Jesus to endure what most of us cannot truly imagine.

Since the earliest days of the Church, which was Catholic, she sought a means to engage the hearts and minds of the faithful. And that was through the liturgy of the *Triduum*, the three days at the end of Holy Week, culminating in Easter. There is a "duality" to Holy Week, meaning that it is part of our human nature and tendency to be both participants in the light of Jesus and participate in the darkness of sin, the sin of the Cross. Indeed, the first truth we need to confront is that we are both observer and participant. How could humanity do this, and at the same time we know we are part of humanity. The second truth we need to confront is that when we engage our hearts and minds on these earth shaking events we are (or should be) grief stricken. And at the same time we are indignant that such a thing could happen. The third truth is that as Dom Gueranger noted over a hundred years ago, "For if, by our sins, we have made ourselves guilty of the death of the Son of God, it is equally true that the blood which flowed from His sacred wounds has the power to cleanse us from the guilt of our crime." We are observer and at the same time participant. We are filled with grief and at the same time indignant. We are guilty and yet at the same time we know that the sin of the Cross is somehow, in some way, our path of wholeness, of entering into heaven.

These are not easy truths to understand. That is why Mother Church calls them mysteries. But they are mysteries that do not always have to remain complete mysteries. Their meaning can be discerned. That is why we need Lent; that time to face head-on the truth of our human nature and our human tendencies. Deep down, we don't like our sinful tendencies; we don't like carrying the baggage of the past, year in and year out; we don't like wallowing in pity and denial. The Cross, emblem of cruelty, suffering and death, is also the emblem of God's grace; of hope. Through her liturgy, the Church offers each of the faithful an opportunity to fully engage our hearts and minds to convert ourselves to the heart and mind of Christ. We don't simply invite you to come to the liturgies this week as it is vital for *your faith* to participate in heart and soul in the mysteries of Christ's Passion. And in that way we will find meaning to our life through His.

ad Jesum per Mariam (to Jesus through Mary) Fr. Dean



A. M. D. G.

Flowers: Palm Sunday: Palms only

Sanctuary Light: The Oliver family in celebration of Bethany & Seth Mills' first anniversary.

Lamp at the Crucifix: The Oliver family *in celebration of Kyle Roberts' birthday.*

Lamp at the Shrine of Our Lady: The Blue family *in loving memory of Bennie Stallings.*

Lamp at the Shrine of Joseph: Carole Shockley for the Hames family.

Lamp at the Shrine of St. Therese: Carole Shockley *for the Shockley family.*

Lamp at the Shrine of Blessed Charles I: Terry & Craig Southard in thanksgiving for the success of Celeste Southard's surgery.

ORDINARIATE DISCERNMENT DAYS

The Chancery and Cathedral will host Discernment Days in June for young men who may be considering a priestly vocation in the Ordinariate. Taking place from June 28 to 30, these will be days of prayer, fellowship, and discussion on priestly life and ministry, and will include participation at the Mass of Ordination on June 29. This discernment program will be open to young men between the ages of 16-35. More details will be forthcoming and Fathers Patrick Allen and Chuck Hough, both members of the OCSP Vocations Team, will assist the Bishop in hosting this event. Please talk to Fr. Dean for details.

Help us decorate the **Altar of Repose** by bringing a potted plant/flowers. They will be used Thursday night through Friday in the church at the Altar of Repose and then used to decorate **the church for Easter**. We would love to have your donations by **noon on Maundy Thursday**.

Let's make our Church beautiful for the Resurrection of Our Lord!!

Please come & help the Altar Guild decorate the church & parish hall following the 9:00 am
Liturgy on Holy Saturday.
Please plan to be there.

Easter Vigil Champagne Reception

will immediately follow the Easter Vigil. Please, to help with clean up, bring finger foods that do not require heating or utensils for eating.

SMV will provide beverages.

SMV Annual Easter Egg Hunt will follow the 10:30 am Mass on Easter Sunday. Please donate plastic eggs filled with candy or treats (please, no chocolate). Please note: items other than candy, MUST be safe for all ages.

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, April 17th and will be open from 9:00am-12:00pm from Tuesday, April 18-Friday, April 21st.





Einzug Jefu in Jerufalem.

Aber viel Bolls breitete bie Aleiber auf ben Beg, bie andem hieben Zweige von ben Bammen, und ftreueten fie auf ben Beg. Das Boll aber, bas vorgieng und nachfolgete, schrie und fprach : hoffanna bem Gobn Dandb, gelebet fei, ber de fommt in bem Rammen bes HERRY! hoffanna in ber hoffe!



The Bishop of the Ordinariate, his Excellency, Steven. J. Lopes will celebrate Maundy Thursday: The Mass of the Lord's Supper here at St. Mary the Virgin. Maundy Thursday is on April 13 and Mass is at 7:00 pm. Let us show our Bishop the love we have for SMV &

the Ordinariate.

Share in the Mission.

As members of a larger family of Catholics in the Ordinariate, we are given the opportunity to support our shared mission of evangelization through the Bishop's Appeal. Our parish has a goal of \$23,675.00 for this year's appeal. Give to this year's appeal and you will: provide for formation opportunities for your clergy and seminarians; inspire your brothers and sisters in faith through Ordinariate-wide communications; support parish development across the Ordinariate...and much more! First-time donors to the appeal receive a complimentary DVD of the Mass of Ordination of Bishop Lopes. Thanks you for your support. For more info, visit ordinariate.net/bishopsappeal or pick up a pledge card today! Thank you!

Interested in a Catholic Education for Your Child? Concerned about how to pay for it?

If you have a child in pre-K to 7th grade, and would like to give them a
Catholic school education,
but have some concerns about the cost, we would like to talk with you!

At St. Maria Goretti Catholic School,

There are innovative scholarship opportunities available.

Please call us!
Fr. Luke Robertson, TOR, at: 817-274-0643
frlukerobertson@smgparish.org



Join Bishop of Fort Worth, Michael Olson, Religious &laity at the 33rd Annual Good Friday Rosary Vigil for Life, 12:30 – 2:00 pm, April 14, at Planned Parenthood, 6400 John Ryan Road, Fort Worth. Pray for the babies & their Moms, & thank God for all the graces given to those who fight

against the horror of abortion.

For more information call 817-738-1086 or email <u>mubcare@gmail.com</u>. Park on the Streets *not in Harris Hospital, Gladney or other Private parking*.