



Corpus Christi Catholic Community

Building the Body of Christ

March 25, 2018

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Sunday Reflection



Return To The Story

Our humanity bleeds through today's Gospel passages in more ways than one. We see both elation and fall, hope in the midst of the darker sides of our natures. If we allow it, these Gospels hold a mirror to our own fickle hearts. The crowds cry "Hosanna" and the Apostles profess allegiance unto death. In a manner of days — even hours — Jesus is betrayed, abandoned, denied, condemned, tortured, and executed. As God, he could have stopped this horrific narrative from unfolding, but he doesn't. He allows free will to play itself out.

There are nearly two millennia between this spectacle and us. We can stand safely removed, if we choose. But Lent invites us to return to this story. Lent invites us to find ourselves in the people we encounter there. Are we the repentant woman at Bethany? Are we naysayers of such lavish piety? Have we acted in a way that betrays those we love or denies what we know to be good and true? Have we fallen asleep in our faith? Have we unfairly accused *(continued on page 3)*

Thank You

Dear Corpus Christi Parish,

Thank you so much for your contribution to the Michigan Coalition for Human Rights (MCHR). Your donation of \$150 will help sustain MCHR's work in educating our communities and taking action against assaults on human rights. Through your gift, you have become a vital part of MCHR's endeavor to celebrate today's human rights heroes and to teach and inspire our future social justice leaders. We appreciate your support and all you do to bring peace and justice issues before the people of Michigan.

Peace, *Cary S. McGehee*, MCHR Chair

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Over the counter medications will be collected for HOM's April mission trip next weekend- see inside items needed

Corpus Christi Directory

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Sat 4 pm, Sun 9 am & 11 am

Daily/ Holy Day Masses:

See next column.

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Sacrament of Reconciliation: Each Saturday at 3:30 pm or by appointment. Communal services are held during Advent and Lent.

Sick Calls and Communion Calls: Please notify the parish office when there is serious illness in your household. We are happy to make home visits and to visit hospital and nursing home patients as well. We appreciate being notified so we may keep the sick in prayer and place them on our prayer list.

Baptisms/Weddings: Call the Parish Office for more information.

This Week at Corpus Christi

Monday, March 26

8:30 am Mass

7:00 pm Emmaus Group 7

Tuesday, March 27

8:30 am Mass

10:30 am Holy Thu Meal Prep

7:00 pm Emmaus Group 8

Wednesday, March 28

8:30 am Mass

10:00 am CHURCH DECORATING

6:00 pm Holy Thu Meal Preparation and Set Up

Thursday, March 29

Holy Thursday

8:00 am Holy Thu Meal Preparation

4:30 pm Holy Thu Meal Set Up

6:15 pm COMMUNAL MEAL GATHERING

6:30 pm COMMUNAL MEAL

7:30 pm MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Friday, March 30

Good Friday (Day of Fast & Abstinence)

9:00 am CHURCH DECORATING

12:30 pm STATIONS OF THE CROSS

1:30 pm GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY

3:00 pm CHURCH DECORATING

Saturday, March 31

Holy Saturday

9:30 am Vigil Minister Set Up

10:00 am BLESSING OF EASTER FOOD

10:30 am Vigil Minister Practice

1:00 pm RCIA Candidate Practice

8:30 pm EASTER VIGIL

10:30 pm EASTER VIGIL RECEPTION

Sunday, April 1

Easter Sunday

HAITI OUTREACH MISSION OTC COLLECTION

9:00 am Mass

10:45 am Noah's Ark Nursery

11:00 am Mass

11:00 am Catechesis of the Good Shepherd I

4:00 pm Better Men Outreach

Alleluia!

The Triduum

by Julianne Wallace

The Triduum (TRIH-du-um) is the time of the Church year when we celebrate the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. This three-day celebration begins with the Holy Thursday Mass and continues on Good Friday with the Liturgy of the Lord's Passion. At the end of this liturgy, we leave the church in silence, waiting to celebrate the glory of our Lord's resurrection. Then, on Saturday at sundown, the Church re-gathers to celebrate the final, and most grand moment of the Triduum: the Resurrection of our Lord.

The Mass on **Holy Thursday** is commonly known as the Feast of the Lord's Supper. This Mass is a time for Catholics to remember the Last Supper where Jesus and his apostles gathered to celebrate Passover. In the Holy Thursday celebration, two ritual actions stand out among the rest: The Washing of the Feet and The Celebration of the Eucharist and the Eucharistic Procession.

In the solemn celebration of **Good Friday**, we remember the Passion and Death of Our Lord. The service is marked by several important rituals including the proclaiming of the Passion according to John, the Veneration of the Cross, an extended form of General Intercessions, and finally, the distribution of Communion (reserved from the Holy Thursday celebration of the Eucharist).

The Easter Vigil on **Holy Saturday** includes the lighting of the Easter Fire and Paschal Candle (the large candle that we will use throughout the year), the singing of the Exsultet (the Easter Proclamation), the expanded Liturgy of the Word that traces time through Salvation History (the story of our Salvation), the Liturgy of Initiation (where new people come into the Church), and the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. All these rituals come together for one purpose: to remember and recall the saving deeds of our God on our behalf. Here's an explanation of two moments from the celebration.

Throughout these three days, we experience the highs and lows in our faith, ending with the ultimate high — the new life of the resurrection. The Easter Season begins with the Easter Vigil, and we enter a time (50 days) when endless "Alleluias" will ring out throughout all of our liturgical celebrations. May you experience the joy of new life in your own way this Easter Season. Have a happy and blessed Easter!

(excerpted from *Your Essential Guide to the Triduum: Taking you step-by-step through the three-day celebration of the Church at <https://bustedhalo.com/ministry-resources/walking-through-the-triduum>*)

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others of a crime or immorality we imagine, though perhaps they didn't commit? Do we help others carry their burdens? Do we stand in solidarity with those who suffer? Do we care for the dying?

This week, take up today's Gospel again. Look carefully at the Passion narrative and sit with it in silence. Find yourself in the story and ponder its meaning for your own life. Journey with Jesus to the foot of the Cross so that you too may say, along with the faithful centurion, "truly this man was the Son of God!"

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Young Adult News

GUIDE TO THE TRIDUUM (3 DAYS)

The Triduum is somewhat like a three-day prayer marathon, and if you are a novice there may be some rituals that are unfamiliar to you. Julianne Wallace's **Your Essential Guide to the Triduum: Taking You Step-By-Step Through the Three-Day Celebration of the Church** is available at www.bustedhalo.com and will help you walk and pray through the liturgies of the Triduum.

CATHOLIC SUMMER CAMP EMPLOYMENT

Camps Connect, a collaborative between St. Vincent de Paul camps and CYO camps, is hiring camp counselors, activity staff, and kitchen staff for Summer 2018; camps are located near Carsonville MI on the shores of Lake Huron. For more information, please visit www.campsconnect.org or contact Lori at 810-622-8744 or admin@campsconnect.org.

CONTEMPLATIVE LEADERS IN ACTION

Contemplative Leaders in Action (CLA) is a two-year spiritual formation and leadership development program for young adults in their mid-20s to late 30s started by the Jesuits in New York in 2008. The program is part of the "Faith in the D" initiative sponsored by Saints Peter and Paul Church. For more information, please contact the parish office.



Church of the Home

children, do at home for Holy Week and Easter? Here are some suggestions from Lynn Gilliam (senior editor of Pockets, a magazine for children):

- have simpler meals; eliminate desserts; talk to your children about how giving up something we enjoy can remind us of Jesus' giving up his life for us
- read together about the events of the last weeks of Jesus' life in your Bible; children who are old enough and enjoy reading can read some of the passages
- add the events of Holy Week to your family prayers; example: "God, we remember today how Jesus served his friends by washing their feet. Help us to serve others, too."
- on Easter Sunday, celebrate at home — as well as at church — in a big way; hang a "Christ is risen" banner in your home; have special food; decorate the spaces where your family gathers with fresh flowers

For more Holy Week ideas, visit these websites:

<https://www.loyolapress.com/our-catholic-faith/liturgical-year/holy-week>

<http://christianchildrensauthors.com/2012/04/05/the-last-supper-brought-to-life/>

<https://everthinehome.com/two-minutes-day-celebrate-holy-week-family/>

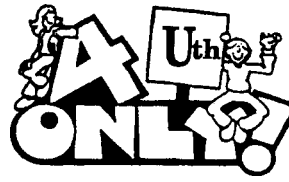
<https://www.buildfaith.org/holy-week-at-home-family-practices-for-the-triduum>

Infertility Support Group

Our Lady of Consolation Infertility and Miscarriage Support Group meets on the second Monday of each month in the small social hall at St. Fabian Catholic Church, 32200 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills for prayer, reflections, sharing, and fellowship. For more information, please visit olc-infertility.weebly.com or email olc.infertility@gmail.com.

Holy Week At Home

Holy Week and Easter provide a wealth of opportunities for remembering, meditating, and celebrating at church. Adults may set aside time for more intense prayer, study, and service. But what do families, especially those with younger



**Chosen To Follow
Wed/Thu, Apr 4/5
@ St. Colette
Parish, Livonia**

Youth in Grades 9 to 12 are invited to participate in an overnight program which includes opportunities to grow as a leader through evangelization training and skill development. Cost is \$55. For more information, contact Mrs. Michele Hudson at 313-622-2160.

NABA-Detroit Summer Program Sun, Jul 8 - Fri, July 13 @ Wayne State University, Det

The National Association of Black Accountants - Detroit Chapter is offering a FREE 1-week summer residency program for students currently enrolled in Grades 9 to 12 with a minimum GPA of 2.5. For more information or to access an application, go to www.nabadetroit.org (click on "ACAP") or call 248-262-6819. Applications are due and must be postmarked by April 30, 2018.

Discernment Overnight for high school young men @ Sacred Heart Major Seminary

A discernment overnight offers a young high school man (freshman - junior) a unique opportunity to experience the seminary and learn about the priesthood. For more information, visit www.detroitpriest.com.

Everyday Stewardship

I read a story recently about a teacher who donated to one of her former students a kidney. This tremendous act of selflessness came about because the young person had lost most of the function his kidneys due to an illness. Literally, that teacher gave the gift of life to someone who wasn't her own child or another family member. This is certainly radical stewardship.

How far would you go to give of yourself so that another might live? Would you have to love him or her like your own child or parent? No one can deny it would be a difficult decision, especially if your giving put your own health at risk.

Reflecting on these things helps to provide some perspective on the crucifixion of Jesus. Not only did he suffer tremendously at the hands of the Romans, (to page 7)



BULLETIN BOARD

DETROIT AT WORK OPPORTUNITIES FAIR

This event will be held Thursday, March 29, 2018 from 4:00 - 6:00 pm at McKenzie High School, 9275 Wyoming Avenue, Detroit. Visit www.detroitatwork.com for more information.

NOW HIRING:

Flex-N-Gate is starting construction on a facility located on Detroit's east side that will supply parts to Ford Motor Company. Applications are being accepted for a wide range of jobs at <http://flex-n-gate.com/Detroit>. United Lawnscape is hiring lawn and landscape team members age 18+. Full-time, all seasons; competitive pay; benefits; employee discounts; positive work environment; flexible scheduling for school. Call 586-651-0641, apply online at www.unitedlawnscape.com, or come to 12240 Merriman Road in Livonia.

TREADMILL FOR SALE: Spa-type treadmill purchased for \$1300, available for \$400. Call Joy at 313-399-3044.

HUSTLE EXERCISE CLASSES: Have fun while taking care of your heart health on Mondays at 7 pm at Franklin Athletic Club, 29350 Northwestern Hwy, Southfield; cost is \$5/class; no membership required. Sign in at the desk as a guest. Contact parishioner Kim Summers at 313-205-2883 for more information.

NOTARY PUBLIC AVAILABLE: Parish member; call 313-850-6219 (cell) or 313-635-2878 (residence). No calls after 8 pm please.

FREE ADULT TUTORING: Siena Literacy Center provides one on one tutoring to adults in reading, math, and ESL. Visit www.sienaliteracy.org or call 313-532-8404 for more information.

HANDYMAN AVAILABLE: Parish member. Reasonable prices. References available on request. Call David at 313-400-5523.

SENIOR HOME REPAIRS: The City of Detroit Housing and Revitalization Department is now accepting names for their Senior Home Repair grant program. Call 313-224-6380 for more information.

Time & Talent Opportunities



☐ Funeral Usher or Greeter

Volunteers are needed to serve as hospitality ministers for funeral liturgies. Ushers are needed to complete tasks specific to funerals. Greeters are needed to welcome family and guests at the church entrance and provide assistance to family and guests as needed. For more information or questions, contact Miriam Hudson at 313-537-5770.

☐ Coffee/Donuts Volunteer

Volunteers are needed to help with the Coffee/Donut Fundraiser after our 11:00 Mass by serving on one of our teams or serving as a substitute. Tasks include serving donuts, collecting funds, and clean up. We are also in need of a volunteer to pick up our donut order once every 5 weeks. Please call 313-537-5770 to sign up or for more information.

☐ Nursery Caregiver

Adult caregivers are needed to provide a loving, safe environment for infants and toddlers while their parents are at the 11:00 Mass on Sundays. The nursery is located in the convent building. Commitment is 1 ½ hours every 6 weeks. Caregivers are also needed on an on-call basis for other parish events (Infant baptism classes, young married couple events, etc.) Caregiver must be a registered member of the parish. A background check is required. Please call the parish office at 313-537-5770 to volunteer.

☐ RSVP Children's Tutor

The Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) matches adults 55 and older in a variety of volunteer opportunities and is currently seeking volunteer tutors to help youth in Oakland County schools. You must be 55 years of age or older and available to serve at least 4 hours per month. A background screening is required. You will also need to report hours served to RSVP staff each month. No experience is necessary. For more information, contact Allie Van Haverbeke at 248-559-1147 ext. 3945 or email vanhaverbekea@ccsem.org.

COMING EVENTS:

Mar 26 Christian Yoga

Come to Manresa Retreat House, 1390 Quarton Road (corner of Woodward), Bloomfield Hills on Monday, March 26 from 5:30 to 6:45 pm for this healthy, healing practice in an atmosphere of prayer, sacred music, and scripture. Cost is \$12; payment may be made by cash or check made out to Manresa on the day of the class. Bring your exercise mat, woven blanket (if desired), yoga block, and a strap or resistance band. Call 248-644-4933 for details.

Mar 27 Estate & Life Planning Wkshp

Many caregivers have questions regarding their legal and financial responsibilities when it comes to caring for their loved one. Next Shift is hosting a FREE program for caregivers on Tuesday, March 27 from 6:00 - 7:00 pm at the Hannan Center, 4750 Woodward Avenue, Detroit MI 48201. A light dinner will be provided. Registration is required; email smolinaro@hannan.org or call 313-833-1210. Find more information at www.nextshiftdetroit.com.

Mar 28 Conversations With...

The Sojourner Foundation will host "*Conversations With ... Women Who Insisted And Persisted*" on Wednesday, March 28 from 5:30 - 8:00 pm at the Roostertail Catering Club, 100 Marquette Drive, Detroit. The evening includes dinner, program, and grant awards. Olivian DeSouza will serve as program host. Tickets are \$75 (includes \$45 donation). See Kate Davis for tickets or more details.

Apr 3 - 6 Grief Support Groups

4/3, 6:00 - 7:30 pm, Bloomfield Hills
Hospice of Michigan Living On Group (248-334-1323)

4/5, 1:00 - 2:30 pm, Detroit
Hospice of Michigan Living On Group (313-578-6328)

4/5, 1:00 - 2:30 am, Southfield
Reverence Hospice Healing the Heart (586-464-4841)

4/6, 10:30 - 11:30 am, Royal Oak
Hospice of Michigan Grief & Loss Group (248-334-1323)

Apr 6 Prayer Gathering

The *Become The Fire* prayer gathering is held on the first Friday of each month at St. Scholastica Church, 8201 West Outer Drive, Detroit. Sponsored by the Companions of the Cross Lay Associates.

Retreat Schedule

- *Mon, Mar 26, 9:30 am - 11:30 am*

Women-to-Women

@ Manresa Jesuit Retreat House
1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills

The group will meet in the Manresa library for coffee and socializing, and then gathers for lectio divina (reading, reflecting, and praying with Scripture). Come away refreshed, renewed, heard, affirmed, supported, and spiritually nourished. No registration is necessary. Facilitated by Anne Smith. Donations to Manresa are gratefully accepted.

- *Wed, Apr 4, 1:00 - 2:30 pm*

Women of Faith

@ Capuchin Retreat Center
62460 Mt Vernon, Washington MI

Betty Navarre, Spiritual Director, facilitates this opportunity for women to get together on a casual basis, much as they did in the time of Mary. No registration is required. Free will offerings are gratefully accepted. For more information, call 248-561-4826 or visit www.capretreat.org.

- *Thu, Apr 5, 8:00 am - 3:30 pm*

A Day To Call Your Own

@ Manresa Jesuit Retreat House
1390 Quarton Road, Bloomfield Hills

Each month Manresa offers a day of rest in a place of peace. They will provide you a private room and a simple soup lunch. You decide how you want to spend the rest of your day: reflecting, praying, walking the property, reading, or just being. Pre-registration and \$40 non-refundable payment required. Call 248-644-4933 ext 10.

- *Fri - Sun, Apr 6 - 8*

REFLECT Retreat for Mid-Life Singles

@ St. Francis Retreat Center
703 East Main Street, DeWitt, MI 48820-9499

This retreat is designed for mid-life singles (mid-30s to mid-50s). Talks, Sunday Mass, and fellowship; cost is \$145 for meals and a single room. Call 586-770-1772 or visit www.ReflectRetreat.com.



Stewardship UPDATE



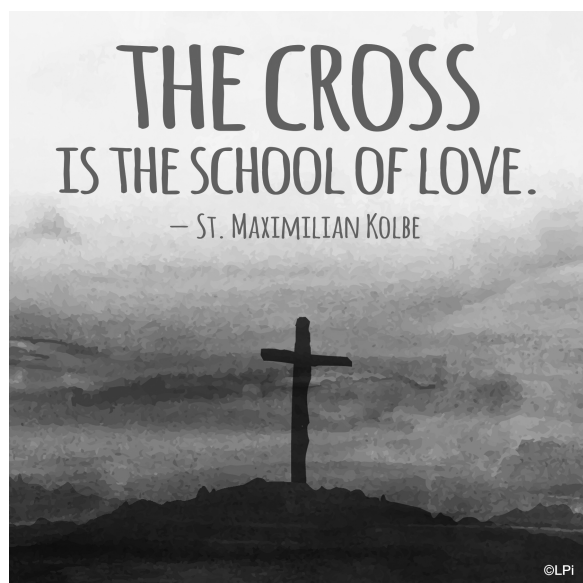
Collection Report

Weekly Budget	\$ 7834.00
Sunday Offerings 3-18-2018	\$ 6226.59
CRS Collection 3-18-2018	\$ 285.00
Shortfall for the Budget Year	\$ 0.00

Everyday Stewardship *(continued from page 4)*

he gave his life for us so we might live forever. What does true stewardship look like? The cross is a symbol to us of total surrender. When we are called to give of ourselves in ordinary ways in daily life we sometimes hesitate and think twice. Perhaps when we are unsure we should look to the cross and there we can find our strength. And then when the call comes to truly sacrifice and place our trust in God, we may have already developed a lifestyle that makes responding, "yes," that much easier.

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Scriptures for the Week

Readings for the Week of March 25, 2018

Sunday Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7
Phil 2:6-11/Mk 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39
Monday Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25
Thursday Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26
Jn 13:1-15
Friday Is 52:13-53:12/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9
Jn 18:1--19:42
Saturday Vigil: Gn 1:1--2:2/Ex 14:15--15:1
Is 55:1-11/Rom 6:3-11/Mk 16:1-7

Easter Sunday

Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8
Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or Lk 24:13-35



Questions of the Week

First Reading (Jer 31:31-34)

Around 600 BC, just prior to Israel's exile into Babylon, the prophet Jeremiah spoke of a "new covenant" that God would establish for his people. According to Jeremiah, what makes this covenant unique from past covenants?

Second Reading (Heb 5:7-9)

Hebrews tells us that Jesus "learned obedience from what he suffered." What has the suffering in your life taught you?

Gospel Reading (Jn 12:20-33)

Jesus speaks about being "troubled" for his "hour" has come (a reference to his impending suffering and death). What does this struggle tell us about Jesus?

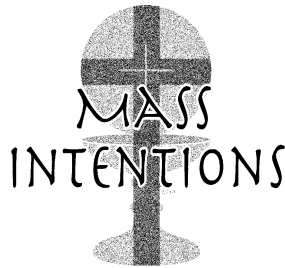
Please Pray For The Deceased

Bella Williams, mother of Fr. Clarence Williams

Gerri Heinrichs, cousin of Andrea Baier/Mary Mathis



Please Pray For Those In The Military: Jared Brooks (Marines), Caija Campbell (Army), Anthony Carson (Army), Anthony Ford (Army), Jonah LaTour, Jon LaTour, John Maurer (Air Force), Robbie Mayes (Marines), Christopher Moniere (National Guard), Corey Sullivan (Army), and Lance Walker II (Army).



**March 26
thru
April 1**

Monday	8:30 am	+ Patty Gordy (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Tuesday	8:30 am	+ Johnny Mae Rayford (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Wednesday	8:30 am	+ Daniel Springer (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Thursday	7:30 pm	For Our First Communion Candidates
Friday	1:30 pm	<i>Good Friday Liturgy</i>
Saturday	8:30 pm	For Those Receiving Easter Sacraments
Sunday	9:00 am 11:00 pm	For the People of Corpus Christi + Virginia Wodarski (req by Dolores Wodarski)



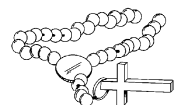
Please Pray For Our Sick Members:

Andrea Baier	Winnifred Gayle	Nancy Loper	Bernice Slaughter	Evelyn Brantley	Jim Lorenger
Ken Banka	Rosemary Givens	Valerie McDonald	Anita Stephens	Beverley B-Johnson	Beverly Miller
Doris Billion	Sr Rachelle Harper	Virginia Moyer	Donna Storie	Michelle Cagle	Margaret Nielsen
Paul Billion	Clint Harris	Gina Nunnally	Colletta Sykes	Joseph Cagle Sr	John Onwudinjio
Nat Black	Irma Horton	Shirley Oldenburg	Brendia Thomas	Phyllis Clyburn	Evangeline Pruett
Marcelle Blackmon	Mary C. Hustoles	Elaine O'Neill	Charlotte Turner	Clairmina Danjou	Hulda Reed
Alelia Busby	Edward Hustoles	Sharon Ortman	Irene Unsleber	Felisa Deluna	Isiah Searls
Angeline Butler	Gloria James	Sue Padalino	Adele Waddell	Judories Fort	Joseph Shelton
Aggie Conti	Roswitha Jordan	Helen Parkman	Kathy Wilson	Branch Gassoway	Mary Pat Shelton
Terrie C-Henderson	Sandy Kalman	Chris Phanord	Maureen Zink	Margaret Gassoway	Robert Wheelwright
Sheri Dargin	Richard Kohler	Vernard Plain		Martha Harris	
Kevin DeMatas	Fannie Larkins	Sally Rimbort	Homebound:	Ed Hill Jr	
Renita Fletcher	Myrna Leonard	Joy Robinson	Synia Benjamin	Ruth Hill	
Roy Ford	John Johnson	Tanisha R-Erickson	Jackie Bodenhorn	Ronald Hills	
Shelley Forter	Bob Lindsay	Pauline Simpson	Darlie Bouie	Marie Leonard	

**Please call the
parish office
(313-537-5770)
to add or remove
a name from our
prayer lists.**

Please Pray For Our Relatives and Friends:

Susan Absher	Natacha Desir	Millie Harris	Scott McDonald	James Pefley	Kathy Smith
Kelley Adams	Joanne Dorais	Bob & Jane Hazen	Anthony McNeal	Alicia Penman	Beverly Sneed
Duncan Alfes	Elizabeth Dowining	Antoinette Henry	Michael McNeece	Jerome Perry	Sam Sombom
Cynthia Archer-Gift	Lloyd Earl	Summer Henry	Jerry Mercier Jr	Marquon Perry	Evelyn Spittle
Jim Agnello	Germain Ederhart	Jane Houck	Jim Messink	Reginald Phillips	Nicholas Stephens
Tony Baines	Clida Ellison	Tom Hustoles	Darwin Mills	Robert Pierce	Ralph Stephenson
Sue Bates	Ethan	Robert Jarey	Florence Mills	Anthony Plain	Gus Sternberg
Edward Bejesky	Virginia Etherly	Donica Jaynes	Willard Mitchell	David Remo	Rochelle Stewart
Katy Bessey	Phillip Faucher	Aliyaa John	James Molloy	Sandra Reynolds	Trevor Sullivan
Kenneth Black	Clara Fletcher	Fred Johnson	Karen Momper	Michael Rice	Frances Sykes
Angela Blakely	Ronald Fletcher	Dorie Kaiser	Elizabeth Moore	Matthew Rich	Patt Taylor-Braxton
J C Boston	Barbara Ford	Bill Kelley	Shirley V Moore	Viola Richburge	Rick Thompson
Bobbie Bowie	Jerry & Patricia	Shirley Kenney	Louis Morzynske	Dorothy Roberson	Gerry Tremonti
Linda Brown	Franks	Mary Alice Kenny	Joyce Mulhall	Eugene Rohde	Robert Vanden Berg
Ron Brown	David & Kara Fribley	Kristen Kingzett	Mignon Murray	Alfredo Rojas	Al Victors
Auby Bryson	Barbara Gay	Katie Lutz Kissell	Sara Nell-Wallace	Patrick Ryder	Kelley Walker
Barbara Bryson	Nestelyn Gay	Ed Kmett	Margaret Nelson	Lou Sabatini	Lance Walker
Eric Burch	Sherman Gilmore	Erin Knight	Ernestine Nimmons	Anthony Salem	Brady Wesley
Henry Burch II	Elwood Gneckow	Fred Kolp	Glory Njoku	Frank Salem	Dennis Wheelwright
Jenny Churchill	Shawn Gore	Marta Lagos	Charles Nutt	Sherry Samuel	Sr Luanne Wilhelm
Audrey Cieslak	Bob Grant	Dianne Leitertman	Charlotte O'Neill	Ethel Mae Sanders	Jamal Williams
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Holy Week at Corpus Christi Parish

As we move from the “hosannas” of Palm Sunday to the remembrance table of Holy Thursday, may our faith strengthen us to go from the Good Friday Cross of Calvary to the living waters of Holy Saturday and to the joy of Easter “Alleluias!”

March 25 Palm Sunday

4:00 pm Mass (Sat, Mar 24)
9:00 am Mass
11:00 am Mass

March 29 Holy Thursday

6:15 pm Gathering
6:30 pm Prayers & Communal Meal
7:45 pm Mass

March 30 Good Friday

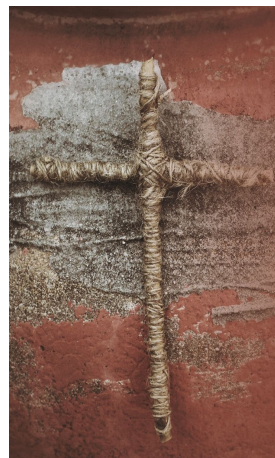
12:30 pm Stations of the Cross
1:30 pm Passion of the Lord

March 31 Holy Saturday

10:00 am Blessing of Easter Food
8:30 pm Easter Vigil

April 1 Easter Sunday

9:00 am Mass
11:00 am Mass



Lenten Disciplines of Fasting & Abstinence

Catholics in good health ages 18 to 59 are required to fast and to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Fasting consists of eating only one meal, with the possibility of two smaller snacks that do not add up to a single full meal.

Catholics age 14 and older are to abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent.



Encounter Our Neighbors

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, those who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Please visit www.crsricebowl.org for more information.

Our CRS Rice Bowl Lenten journey will end on Easter Sunday. Please plan to place a check or cash in the envelope that came with your Rice Bowl. Place the envelope — NOT THE BOWL! — in the offertory basket during the Easter season.

Congratulations!



Valerie McNeece with volunteers on a mission trip to Haiti

Valerie McNeece has been named as the recipient of Mercy High School's 2018 Distinguished Alumna Award. Valerie's selection honors her lifetime of servant leadership as mother, teacher, photographer, and missionary.



Elaine O'Neill and family

Elaine O'Neill was honored with 18 others at the Detroit Catholic Pastoral Alliance's 2018 Urban Parish Spirit Award event on Thursday, March 15 at Sacred Heart Church in Detroit. For the 10th year, the DCPA recognized the unsung heroes who serve city parishes with wit, passion, love, joy, and commitment.



Sun, Apr 15 *We Proclaim "Jesus Is Lord"*

Registration is now open for the last session of this year's Generations of Faith! Our guest catechist will be **Mr. John Thorne**, executive

Generations of Faith 2018

"Disciples sitting at the feet of Jesus"



John Thorne

director of the Detroit Catholic Pastoral Alliance. The gathering begins immediately following the 11:00 Mass (there is only ONE Mass on GOF Sundays) in the church and is followed by lunch in the gym and earning groups for all ages, kindergarten thru adults. A nursery for babies and toddlers is also available.

SAVE THE DATE

Sojourner Foundation's "Conversations With ... Women Who Insisted & Persisted"

Wednesday, March 28, 2018, 5:30 - 8:00 pm

Roostertail Catering Club

100 Marquette Drive, Detroit

Tickets - \$75 (includes \$45 donation)

See Kate Davis for tickets & information

Pax Christi Conference "People, Poverty, Planet: Focusing on Human Dignity and Environmental Justice"

Saturday, April 14, 2018

SS. Simon and Jude Parish, Westland

For more information, call 517-481-5280

or email paxchristi.mi@gmail.com

Black Catholic Women's Conference "We Are Unleashed! Living Acts 29"

Saturday, May 5, 2018, 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Sacred Heart Major Seminary

2701 Chicago Boulevard, Detroit

Register at <https://bcwconference2018.eventbrite.com>
or contact Deborah Slaughter (313-920-3855)

HAITI OUTREACH MISSION TRIP 2018 Over-The-Counter-Medications List

ALL medications must have an expiration date
AFTER JUNE 1, 2018

Donations will be collected April 1 - 8. Place your
donations in the special box at back of church.

- ☐ GUAIFENESIN COUGH SYRUP
(like **Robitussin**, **Robitussin DM**)
- adult, children, infant
- ☐ COUGH & COLD PRODUCTS
(tablets or liquid)
- adult, children, infant
- ☐ DIPHENHYDRAMINE
(like **Benedryl** liquid)
- children
- ☐ ACETAMINOPHEN PAIN RELIEVER
(like **Tylenol**)
- adult, children, infant
- ☐ IBUPROPHEN PAIN RELIEVER
(like **Advil**)
- adult, children, infant
- ☐ NAPROXIN PAIN RELIEVER (like **Aleve**)
- ☐ LUBRICANT EYE DROPS
(like **Clear Eyes**, **Visine**, etc)
- ☐ PEDIALYTE - POWDER ONLY
(generic brands are fine)
- ☐ ANTI-DIARRHEAL MEDS (like **Immodium**)
- ☐ ANTACIDS (Tums, Rolaids, etc)
- ☐ INFANT FORMULA - POWDER ONLY
- ☐ BABY BOTTLES (4 or 8 oz plastic)
- ☐ VITAMINS - NO GUMMY BEARS! (they melt)
- adult, children, infant - WITH IRON
- ☐ TOOTH BRUSHES - INDIVIDUALLY PKGD
- ☐ TOOTHPASTE - SMALL OR TRAVEL SIZE
- ☐ CHILDREN'S GIFTS
(easily packable small items such as hair
ribbons/barrettes/beads, jacks, Matchbox
cars, kids' card games, jump ropes, etc.)
- ☐ WHEELED SUITCASES 25" - 26"
(in good condition)
- ☐ CASH DONATIONS

Weekend Ministries Schedule ■ March 31 / April 1 ■ Easter Sunday

	LECTORS	EMES	SERVERS	GREETERS	LITURGY OF WORD W/ CHILDREN	LITURGICAL ASSISTANT
Sat 8:30 PM	TBD	TBD	Chidi Dike Chioma Dike Nneka Dike David Mueller	TBD	-----	Ron Marine
Sun 9:00	TBD	TBD	James Hines Tara Lewis	Ernie Buckner Lynn James	-----	Renee Walker
Sun 11:00	TBD	TBD	Justin Martin Ijeoma Osuoha Udoka Osuoha Ugonna Osuoha	Christine Phanord Shirley Myles	-----	Ron Marine
	SUNDAY BUS DRIVER	NOAH'S ARK NURSERY	COFFEE/DONUTS 9:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00	COFFEE/DONUTS 11:00
	Magnus Dike	Lauren Rhyne Sylvia Onyegbule	No Coffee/Donuts - Easter Sunday	-----	-----	-----
CATECHESIS OF GOOD SHEPHERD 1		CATECHESIS OF GOOD SHEPHERD 2/3		RCIA CLASS		RCIA DISMISSAL
TBD		Sr Frances Gerhard		No Class - Easter Sunday		No Dismissal - Easter Sunday



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If you are in a crisis situation, call **1-800-799-7233** immediately.

UNITED WAY 2-1-1 IS NOW ONLINE:

Locate community service resources listed with United Way's 2-1-1 hotline at www.211.UnitedWaySEM.org.

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A post-abortion ministry for men and women suffering from the loss of their unborn child. Call **1-888-722-4355**.

AFFORDABLE CARE ACT

Call **800-318-2596** or visit healthcare.gov or marketplace.cms.gov

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If Jesus destroyed sin, why are sins still with us?

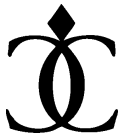
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Peter Long owned a large and successful business. When his son wanted to work for his father, Peter gave him a job, working in maintenance. He started him at the bottom so that he would better appreciate what it takes to run a business well. More importantly, Peter wanted his son to understand the whole business, and contribute to it, not just cash in on his father's success. They would both rejoice in a job well done.

We are the children of God, heirs of the Father's business, which is life. The struggle is between good and evil and the greatest weapon of evil is death. It is final, the end of hope and all possibility of change. Jesus must destroy death so that life, eternal life, might be possible. That is why Jesus dies: to take on sin's weapon and destroy it by his resurrection. It was not to satisfy God's sense of justice, but to meet sin on its own terms and defeat it. If sin triumphs in the death of Jesus, it is only for a moment. The final word will yet be spoken.

Since we are heirs and coworkers with God, ours is the struggle with the remnants of evil, its last desperate attempt to overcome good. Like Jesus, we are about the Father's business in our daily life, carrying the message of salvation to everyone. We are strengthened in our struggle and come to realize the great gift of life with which we are graced. It is our hope that one day we will rejoice with the Father in a job well done!

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