

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
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MARCH 20 – SATURDAY

Morning Reading: Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53
Vigil Readings: See Sunday
4:00 PM–Fr. Jim (English) – Marilyn Tasset
6:00 PM-Fr. Rudy-(Spanish)

MARCH 21 – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Jer 31:31-34; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:30-33
9:00 AM- Fr. Rudy-(Spanish)
11:00 AM –Fr. Pat –(English) – Joseph Ruter, Sr
12:30 PM – Fr. Rudy-(Spanish)

MARCH 22 – MONDAY

Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62; Jn 8:1-11
7:30 AM –Fr. Pat – Clifford Wolf

MARCH 23 – TUESDAY

Nm 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30
7:00 PM- Fr. Rudy-(Spanish)

MARCH 24 – WEDNESDAY

Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Jn 8:31-42
7:30 AM –Fr. Rudy – Frank Elsner

MARCH 25 – ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
6:00 PM- Fr. Rudy-(Spanish)

MARCH 26 – FRIDAY

Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42
7:30 AM –Fr. Jim – Jeanne Guenther

MARCH 27 – SATURDAY

Morning Reading: Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56
Vigil Readings: See Sunday
4:00 PM–Fr. Jim (English) – Shirley Fehrenbach
6:00 PM-Fr. Rudy-(Spanish)

MARCH 28 – PALM SUNDAY

Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1 - 15:47
9:00 AM- Fr. Rudy-(Spanish)
11:00 AM –Fr. Pat–(English) –Serenity Baumer
12:30 PM – Fr. Rudy-(Spanish)

Ministry Schedule: March 27-28

Lectors:

4:00 PM – S. Heidemann; 11:00 AM – S. Drury

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

4:00 PM – M. Sonenchein; 11:00 AM- J. Ruter

Servers:

4:00 PM – K. Fahey; 11:00 AM – L. Finke

FROM THE FINANCE COMMISSION

Sunday offering Goal to-date: \$ 328,960

Offerings received to-date: \$280,380

Amount needed to catch up: \$45,580

Our Weekly Goal is \$8,360.00

Thank you for your generosity.

Make it easy on yourself. *Use our direct debit system for your Sunday Stewardship offering.* To take advantage of this convenience, please call 541-1563.

4 GRAND CLUB

FOUR GRAND CLUB NEWS: Congratulations to Phyllis Schomaker, Regina Roellig, Chrysalis Health Care. They are the winners of the Week 28 drawing and each won \$25.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

BIRTHDAYS OF THE WEEK: James Poore (22), Jeanne McMahon (22), Brenda Wheelright (24), Barbara Kettler (24), Molly Pierani (24), Tom Wolterman (24), Phyllis Randolph (26), Rosemary Welz (26), Debora Schak (27), Tom LeSaint (27), Ken Horn (27), William Nastold (27), Francoise Healy (28).



THE JOURNEY WITHIN ... The Experience Of Lent

HOLY WEEK: WHAT TO EXPECT THIS YEAR

Next Sunday we begin Holy Week, the most sacred time of our Church year. Due to continued restrictions from the COVID pandemic, how we celebrate Holy Week this year will be a bit different from what we are accustomed to. Over the next two weeks, we will attempt to explain what we can expect to take place.

First of all, some of the restrictions we have seen for the last year have been lifted. We can again bless ourselves with holy water as we enter church, and there will be hymnals in the pews. However, the fundamental guidance remains in place with regards to **masking, social distancing, and cleaning.**

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord: Because of social distancing, we will not begin with the blessing of palms outside. As you enter the church, you will be given a palm and then you may proceed directly to a pew. After the opening prayers and Gospel reading, Father will walk through church and bless your palms.

As we have for many years, we will continue the practice of using lectors to read the Passion Gospel. You are encouraged to experience the Gospel by listening, rather than reading along, to more fully capture the depth of Christ's Passion.

Masses for Palm Sunday will follow our usual timetable: English Masses will be at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday and 11:00 a.m. on Sunday. Spanish Masses will be at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday and 9:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. on Sunday.

CELEBRATION OF THE TRIDUUM: HOLY THURSDAY THROUGH THE EASTER VIGIL will be further explained in next week's bulletin. However, here is a glimpse of what you can expect:

Holy Thursday: Archbishop Schnurr has granted permission to have a second Mass of the Lord's Supper. Our Masses will be at 5:00 p.m. (English) and at 7:00 p.m. (Spanish).

Good Friday: We will have two Liturgies of the Lord's Passion with Communion: 2:00 p.m. (English) and 7:00 p.m. (Spanish).

Holy Saturday: There will be only one Vigil Mass and that will take place at 8:45 p.m. and will be a bilingual liturgy.

We also encourage you to participate in Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m. on the three days of the Triduum.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: When the pandemic began, the St. Boniface Food Pantry responded by moving outside. On March 21, 2020, twenty-three families were greeted in the lower parking lot to receive food and personal care items on a very chilly Saturday afternoon. The drive-through Pantry continues to offer prebagged food and other items to families each weekend.

The St. Boniface SVdP Conference was formed in 1905 and on March 18, 1907, the Conference was fully aggregated into the International Council of SVdP. The Conference ministers to families in need with prayer, vouchers for clothing, furniture and beds, financial assistance, and the Food Pantry. New members are always welcome. Thank-you for your continuing prayers and support, especially your generous response to the Lenten Giving Calendar.

EASTER EGG HUNT: Don't forget to drop off your gift of prewrapped candy so the Easter Bunny will have adequate supplies for our kiddies.

VOCATION VIEW: Strangers come to Philip with the simple request: "Sir, we would like to see Jesus." In your actions and words, are you able to show the love of Christ to the stranger in your midst? (John 2:21)