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## Holy Mass

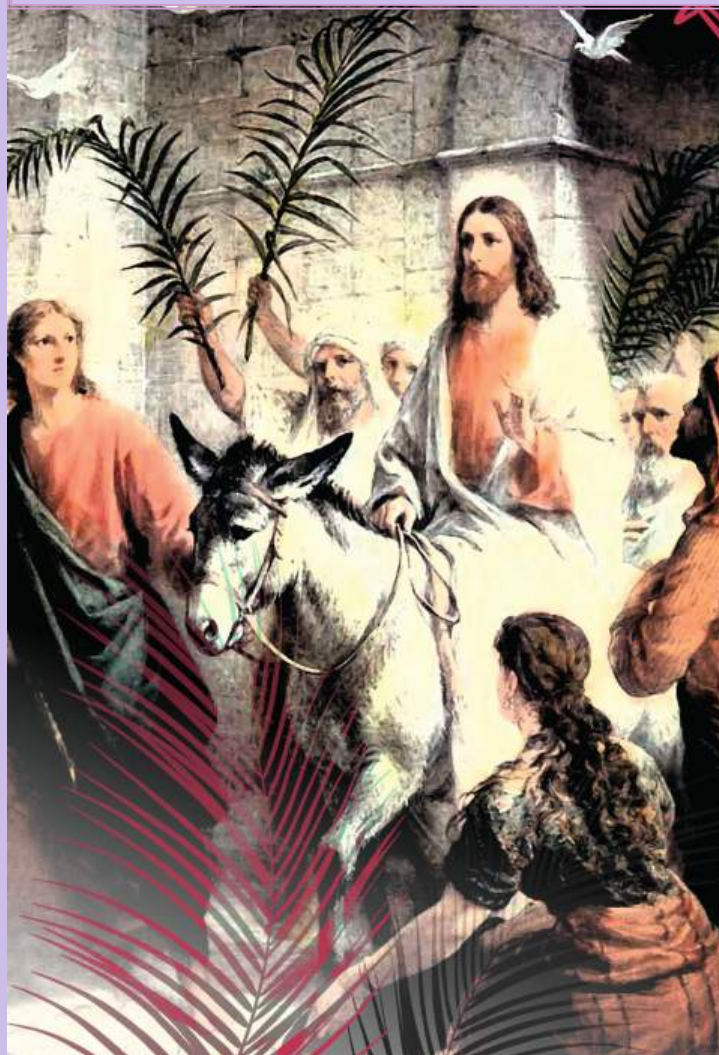
**Sunday: 7 am Low; 9 am High; 11 am High**

**Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday:  
8 am**

**Tuesday: 12:10 pm**

**Saturday: 9 am**

## PALM SUNDAY



## Confessions

Begin 35 minutes and end 10 minutes  
before each Mass

**March 24, 2024 ~ Palm Sunday**

## Mass Calendar and Intentions

### Sunday, March 24

Palm Sunday (I Cl)

6:00 AM Low Pro Populo (For the People)

8:00 AM High †James Norton by BF

12:00 Noon High †Roger DiDonato by YG

### Monday, March 25

Monday of Holy Week (I Cl)

8:00 AM Low DM & KM by B&RK

### Tuesday, March 26

Tuesday of Holy Week (I Cl)

12:10 PM Low †Lorraine Bedard by MP & JK

### Wednesday, March 27

Wednesday of Holy Week (I Cl)

8:00 AM Low †Philip Panzer by JB

### Thursday, March 28

Holy Thursday (I Cl)

6:00 PM High Fr. Brancich and Fr. Rice by Anon.

### Friday, March 29

Good Friday (I Cl)

3:00 PM High Mass of the PreSanctified

### Saturday, March 30

Easter Vigil and Mass (I Cl)

7:30 PM High Souls in Purgatory by DB

**Note: Stipend for Mass Intentions is \$10.**

To be listed here: Donation for **Sanctuary Lamp** is \$14

Envelopes for each are available in the vestibule and may be placed in the Sunday collection basket.

## Parish Announcements

**Please sign up to Adore Our Lord.** On Maundy (Holy) Thursday, at the end of Mass the Blessed Sacrament is moved to the Altar of Repose, Compline is recited, and the main altar stripped bare. The Altar of Repose represents the Garden of Gethsemane, and adoration at this altar continues throughout the night and Friday until the afternoon ceremony. At least two people need to be in the Church adoring at all times. There is a sign-up sheet in the vestibule; please sign up for an hour or more before you leave Mass today.

### Sunday, March 24, 2024

2 pm Vespers (Church)

### Thursday, March 28, 2024

No Exposition

6:30 pm Maundy Thursday High Mass (Church) followed by Adoration at the Altar of Repose (until 3 pm Friday)

## From Your Priests



Fr. John Brancich, FSSP, Pastor

**Holy Week begins today** and is truly the most important week in the Church year. Every effort should be made to attend as many of the Masses and services as possible, especially the "Triduum" which is Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil. Our entire history of Salvation will be played out during the liturgies of this week. No morning Masses are allowed during the Triduum. As part of the Holy Week ceremonies, the Blessed Sacrament is removed from the tabernacle of the High Altar during the Triduum. One bows to the altar when the tabernacle is empty, but one genuflects to the crucifix after it is unveiled on Good Friday. Holy Water is removed from the fonts after the Mass on Thursday night until the new Easter water is made at the Easter Vigil. The Easter Vigil is the time when all things are new – a new fire is blessed, the new Paschal candle is blessed, and baptismal water for the year is made with the Holy Oils newly-blessed by the Bishop. You will not regret attending these splendid ceremonies.

**Monday of Holy Week, March 25<sup>th</sup>,** is a day for Confessions Diocese-wide. Confessions will be heard in this parish and in most parishes of the diocese from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. and from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. Verify specific times in a particular parish, but all the parishes are supposed to be making Confession available throughout the day and into the evening as close to these times as possible.

### Monday, March 25, 2024

9 am Church Cleaning

11 am Funeral (Church)

7 pm Server Practice for Good Friday (Church)

### Friday, March 29, 2024

No Church Cleaning

Noon Stations of the Cross (Church)

Until 3 pm Adoration at the Altar of Repose

3 pm Mass of the Presanctified (Church)

## Parish Announcements *(cont'd)*

**The Office of Tenebrae** will be chanted at St. Stanislaus on Spy Wednesday (March 27) evening at 7 p.m. Tenebrae is the Divine Office of the Church (Matins and Lauds) celebrated in a special way for the Sacred Triduum. The clergy will chant a series of psalms, chants, and lessons, lasting about 2 hours and is open to the public. Come to this ancient prayer to spiritually enhance your Holy Week.

**On Good Friday, the Stations of the Cross** will be prayed at 12 Noon instead of in the evening.

**Easter water, blessed during the Easter Vigil,** will be available in the Church. All are encouraged to bring a small container from home and take some of this water to sprinkle in your homes throughout the Easter season.

**There is a tradition of special Easter blessings of food.** Anyone who would like to have Easter food blessed (lamb or other meats, eggs, bread, fruit, cheese, Easter baskets, etc.) should bring them to the St. Joseph altar after the Mass on the Easter Vigil or Easter Sunday. Traditionally, this newly-blessed food is eaten at the Easter breakfast after Mass.



**Attending the Easter Vigil Mass** fulfills the Sunday obligation. One would not be required to attend another Mass on Easter Sunday morning, but you are certainly welcome and encouraged to do so.

**Good Friday (March 29) and Easter Monday, (April 1)** are staff holidays. The office will be closed both days.

**The date for Confirmation and First Communion** with Bishop Libasci has been set. He will come to administer those Sacraments on Saturday, June 15 at 10:30 a.m. More details will follow.

### Tuesday, March 26, 2024

9:30 am Church Cleaning  
7 pm Parish Choir & Men's Schola (Choir Room)

### Saturday, March 30, 2024

10 am Server Practice for Easter Vigil (Church)  
7:30 pm Easter Vigil and Mass (Church)

## Marriage Banns

**Let it be known to all here present** that Jesse Edwin Hettig, son of James and Mary of the Hettig family, and Kristen Marie Peik, daughter of Ronald and Leslie of the Peik family, intend to contract marriage between themselves. Therefore, we admonish all that if anyone is aware of any existing impediment that would prohibit marriage between them, that he is obligated to reveal it as soon as possible to the Pastor or the Bishop, and this serves as the second publication of these Banns.

**There is no parking in the Triangle Credit Union** lot during business hours, so please remember not to park there during the daytime services on Good Friday. Also, our parking agreement for the two lots on the left side of the Church only applies on Sundays, so there is no parking there during the week.



**The collection on Good Friday** supports those in need in the Holy Land and the works of the Franciscans of the Holy Land Sunday who serve the Catholic minority and maintain the holy places, shrines, and Churches there.

## Weekly Parish Financial Support

### March 17, 2024

Checks/Envelopes	\$	4,861.21
Cash		2,212.00
Online		5,025.59
Other Income		460.15
(Candles, Flowers, Misc.)		

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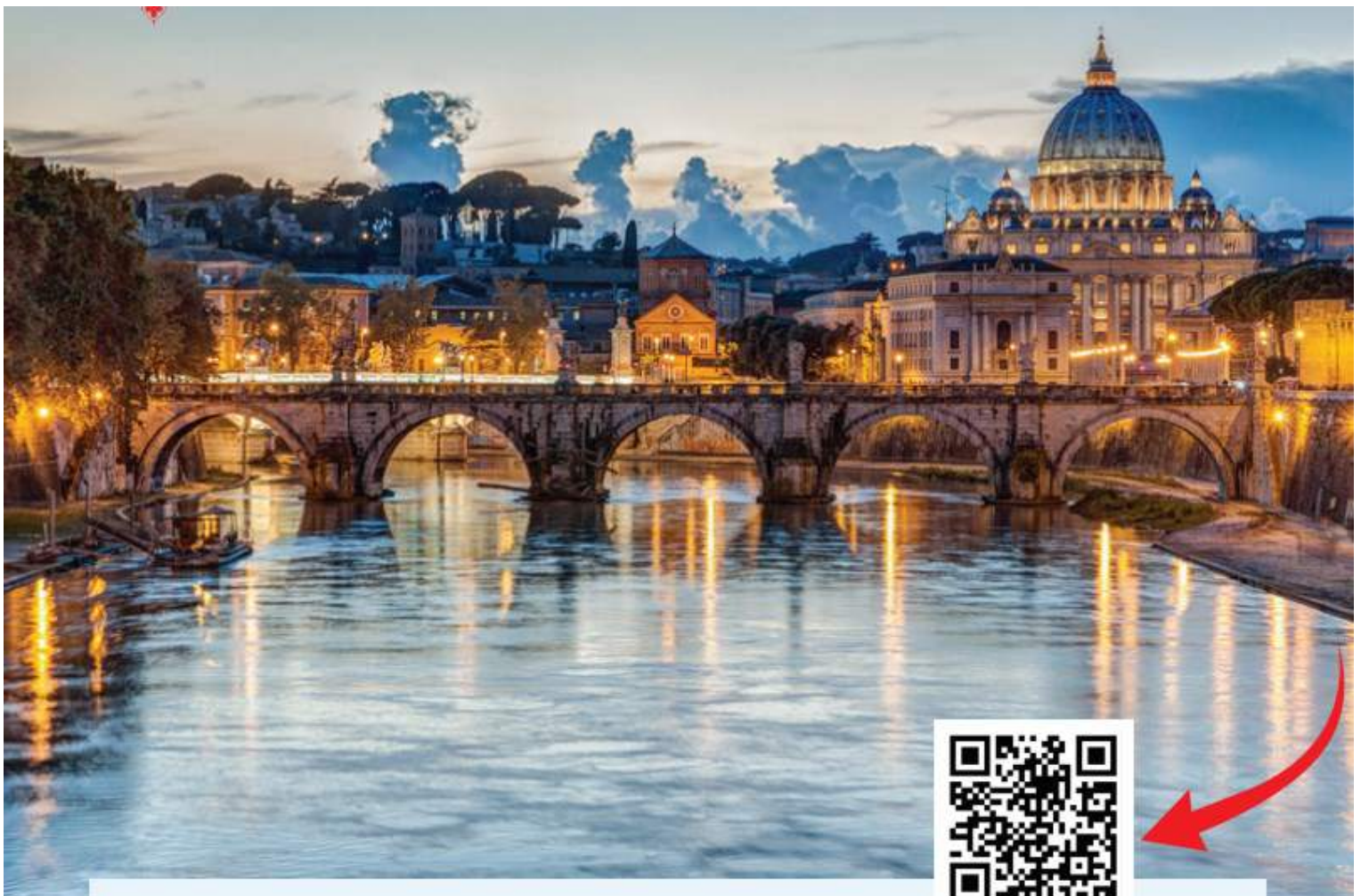
### Wednesday, March 27, 2024

No Junior Choristers  
7 pm Tenebrae (Church)

### Sunday, March 31, 2024

2 pm Vespers (Church)





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# Holy Week

## **Palm Sunday** *March 24, 2024*

- 6 am Low Mass
- 7:20 am Confessions
- 8 am High Mass with Solemn Palms, Blessing & Procession
- 12 Noon Low Mass

## **Holy Monday** *March 25, 2024*

- 7:25 am Confessions
- 8 am Low Mass
- 11 am – 1 pm Confessions
- 5-7 pm Confessions

## **Holy Tuesday** *March 26, 2024*

- 11:35 am Confessions
- 12:10 pm Low Mass

## **Spy Wednesday** *March 27, 2024*

- 7:25 am Confessions
- 8 am Low Mass
- 7 pm Tenebrae

## **Maundy Thursday** *March 28, 2024*

- NO Morning Masses or Exposition
- 5:30-6:15 pm Confessions
- 6:30 pm High Mass of the Lord's Supper  
Solemn Transfer of the Blessed Sacrament, Vespers, Stripping of the Altars, Compline
- 8:30 pm Adoration at the Altar of Repose thru the night ending 3 pm Friday  
*Holy Hour sign up sheet in vestibule*

## **Good Friday** *March 29, 2024*

- NO Morning Mass
- 12 Noon Stations of the Cross & Confessions
- 3 pm Mass of the Presanctified

## **Holy Saturday** *March 30, 2024*

- 6:30 pm Confessions
- 7:30 pm Easter Vigil  
Blessing of new fire and candle, Prophecies, Baptismal water, High Mass

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