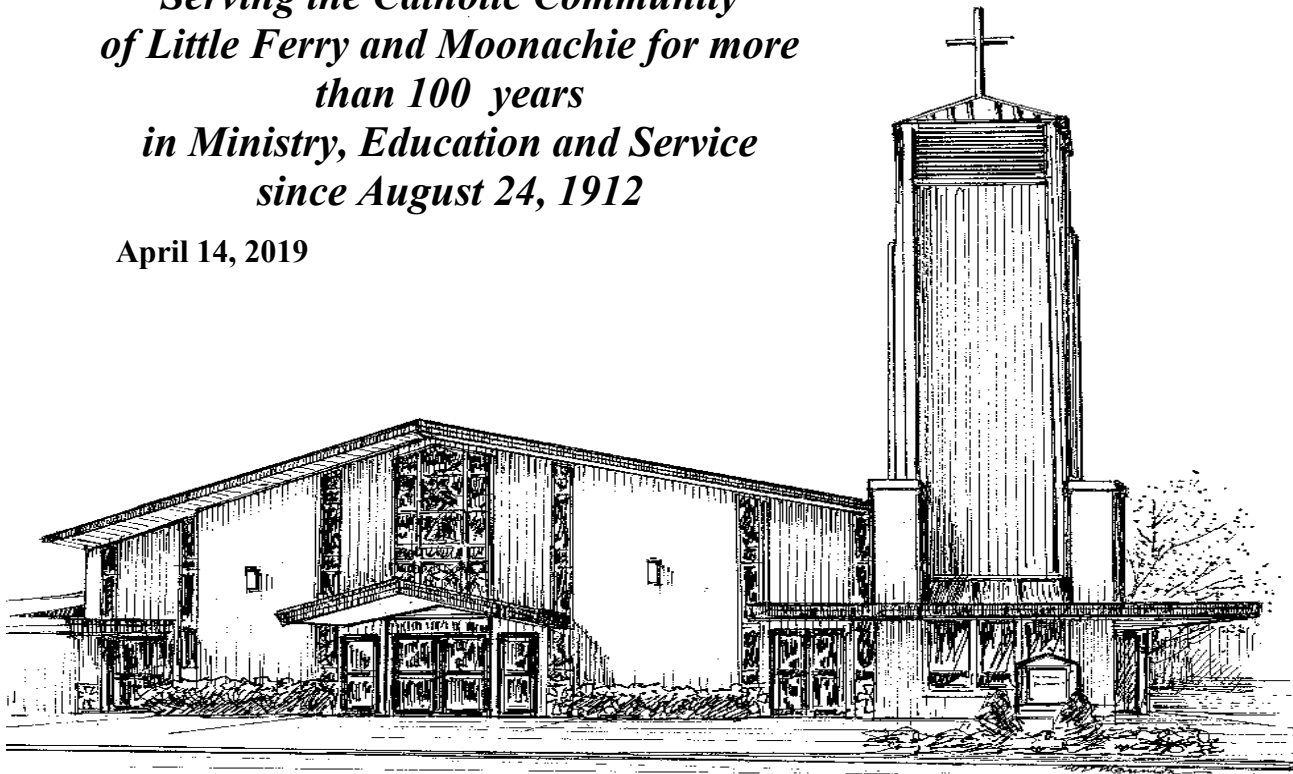


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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM and 12:00 Noon

Weekdays: Monday 7:00 PM

Tuesday to Friday 8:00 AM

Saturday 9:00 AM

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays at 1:00 P.M.

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By appointment only

Religious Education

201-641-3937

Sunday to Thursday

The Holy Eucharist for this Week

5:30 PM Patricia Lynch [8A]

SUNDAY, April 14, 2019

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

8:00 AM Aleksander Ratynski
10:00 AM Elizabeth & Daniel Weir & Theresa & Thomas Leonardi
12:00 PM Del Duca, Competiello & Cinque Families

MONDAY, April 15

7:00 PM Mario Hroncich

TUESDAY, April 16

8:00 AM Alan Lucich

WEDNESDAY, April 17

6:00 PM Jerry Mattessich



HOLY THURSDAY, April 18

7:00 PM People of Our Parish Family



GOOD FRIDAY, April 19

12:10 PM Stations of the Cross
7:00 PM People of Our Parish Family



HOLY SATURDAY, April 20

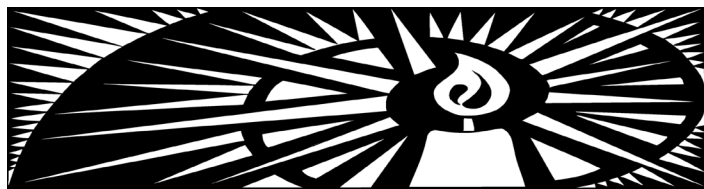
8:00 PM People of Our Parish Family



SUNDAY, April 21, 2019

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:00 PM
People of Our Parish Family



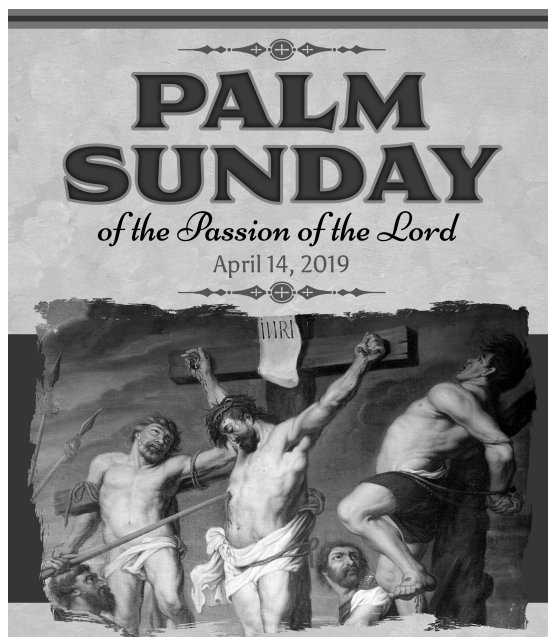
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Victor Traverso
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Palm Sunday of
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— Isaiah 50:7a

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THE STORY OF OUR REDEMPTION

We begin the final week of Lent with these familiar readings. This year, we hear the Passion from the Gospel of Luke. These readings for Palm Sunday and the Passion used to be read on successive Sundays. Now they are combined into a single feast, so that we may see the whole sweep of the glory and the suffering played out. Jesus accepts the adulation of the crowd, the foreshadowing of his glory in the Resurrection. He bids farewell to his disciples in his last Passover, and forgives his tormentors as he dies on the cross. Later this week, we enter the Holy Triduum of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday, when the whole story of our redemption will play out once again.

TODAY'S READINGS

Gospel at the Procession with Palms -- Jesus entry into Jerusalem (Luke 19:28-40).

First Reading -- In spite of my sufferings I am not disgraced. I am not put to shame (Isaiah 50:4-7).

Psalm -- My God, my God, why have you abandoned me? (Psalm 22).

Second Reading -- Christ emptied himself, and God filled this emptiness with exaltation (Philippians 2:6-11).

Gospel -- The account of Christ's passion according to Luke (Luke 22:14 -- 23:56 [23:1-49]).

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Monday: Monday of Holy Week; Income Tax Day

Tuesday: Tuesday of Holy Week

Wednesday: Wednesday of Holy Week

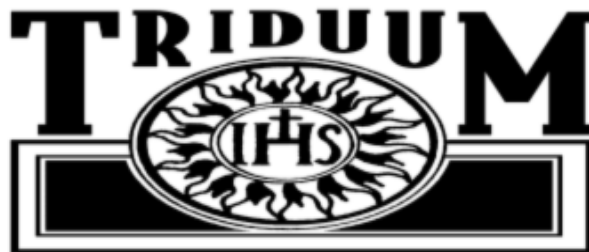
Thursday: Holy Thursday; The Sacred Paschal Triduum

Friday: Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday);

Fast and Abstinence; Passover begins

Saturday: The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night;

Holy Saturday



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**We lift up to the Lord
in our prayers and
good works for: the
sick, frail and the
homebound.**

Shirley Pizza	John McConnell
Catherine Mary Moncello	Baby Amato Jordan
Camilla Leventhal	Julian Morgan
Nicole Grano	Margaret Tremper
Michele Porta	Johanna Hanush
Giovanna Careri	Lena Vitale
Grace Ehler	John Thomas Lazur Dersch
Julio Sanchez	Alvaro Arguello
Anna Semioli	Robert, Evelyn & Kim Zienkiewicz
Florence Navarro	Kevin Michael Francis
Lucille Millar	Florence Corbiserie
Paula Kelnhofer	Rose Ratynski
Ann Meyer	Philip Dittmar
Adele Rovito	Jacqueline Palmadessa



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FOOD PANTRY

This weekend, April 13 & 14 is our Parish Food Pantry collection. Items can be dropped off at church after any Mass, and placed in the empty room outside of the restroom. We are in need of items people cannot buy with food stamps, such as laundry detergent, dishwashing liquid, and personal hygiene products. We are also in need of coffee and cold/hot cereals.

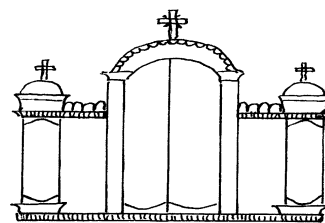
Please note: At this time we are *not* in need of canned vegetables.

**The Pantry will be open on
Wednesday, April 17th for those who
qualify.**

NEW HOURS:

from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**The wonderful generosity of our
parishioners every month is very much
appreciated by those we try to serve**



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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**Our parish Eucharistic Adoration of
the Blessed Sacrament will take place
Wednesday, April 17th.**

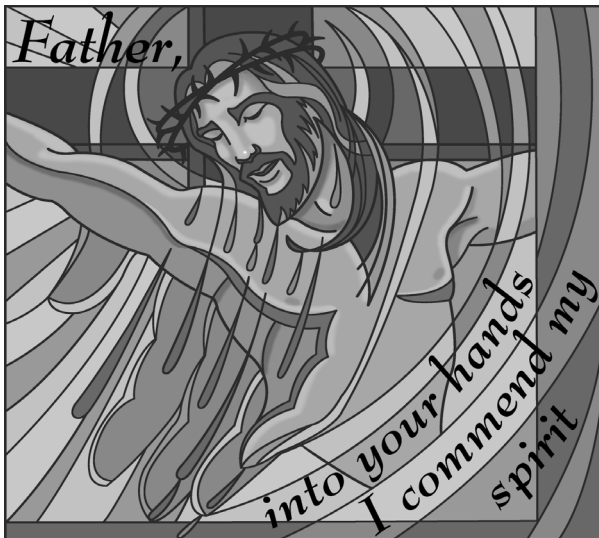
**Mass will be
celebrated at 6 p.m. Adoration will
follow until 7 p.m. We will close with
Benediction of the Most Blessed
Sacrament.**

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The next meetings of the Prayer Shawl Ministry will be on Wednesday, April 10, 24 and May 8 and 22.. The Prayer Shawl Ministry is made up of 10 members who work hard to produce knit and crochet Prayer Shawls. We have distributed over 200 Prayer Shawls to individuals who need Prayers, this can be anything from illness to loss to going for your Doctorate; anytime you say to someone, please pray for me, we would love to help with a shawl. The Shawl can be for you personally or you can ask for it as a gift to someone else. To request a Shawl, you can either stop in at our meeting or you can call Ellie at 201-641-0883

Holy Week Ministry Sign-up

Sign-up sheets are in the back of the church for Holy Week and Easter. Volunteers are needed to ensure we have enough support to make this the Holiest of times in the Church year.



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2019 HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday, April 14

Masses at 5:30 PM (*Saturday, April 13*).
8: 00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 PM

Monday of Holy Week, April 15

Chrism Mass at 7:30 PM at
Sacred Heart Cathedral in Newark

Holy Thursday, April 18

Mass of The Lord's Supper at 7:00 PM
*Church will be open for prayer until Midnight or
until last worshipper leaves*

Good Friday, April 19

Stations of the Cross at 12:00 Noon
Celebration of the Lord's Passion
7:00 PM

Holy Saturday, April 20

Easter Vigil at 8:00 PM

Easter Sunday, April 21

8:00 AM, 10:00AM, 12:00PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Individual Reconciliation at St. Margaret's
Saturdays (except Holy Saturday)
From 1:00 PM—2:00 PM

Tuesday of Holy Week, April 16
7:00—9:00 PM

Wednesday of Holy Week, April 17
5:00—7:00 PM

Holy Thursday of Holy Week, April 18
2:00 PM—5:00 PM

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