Sacred Heart

Drawing our life from the Eucharist, our parish family will live the mission of Jesus Christ through prayer, faith formation, and service.

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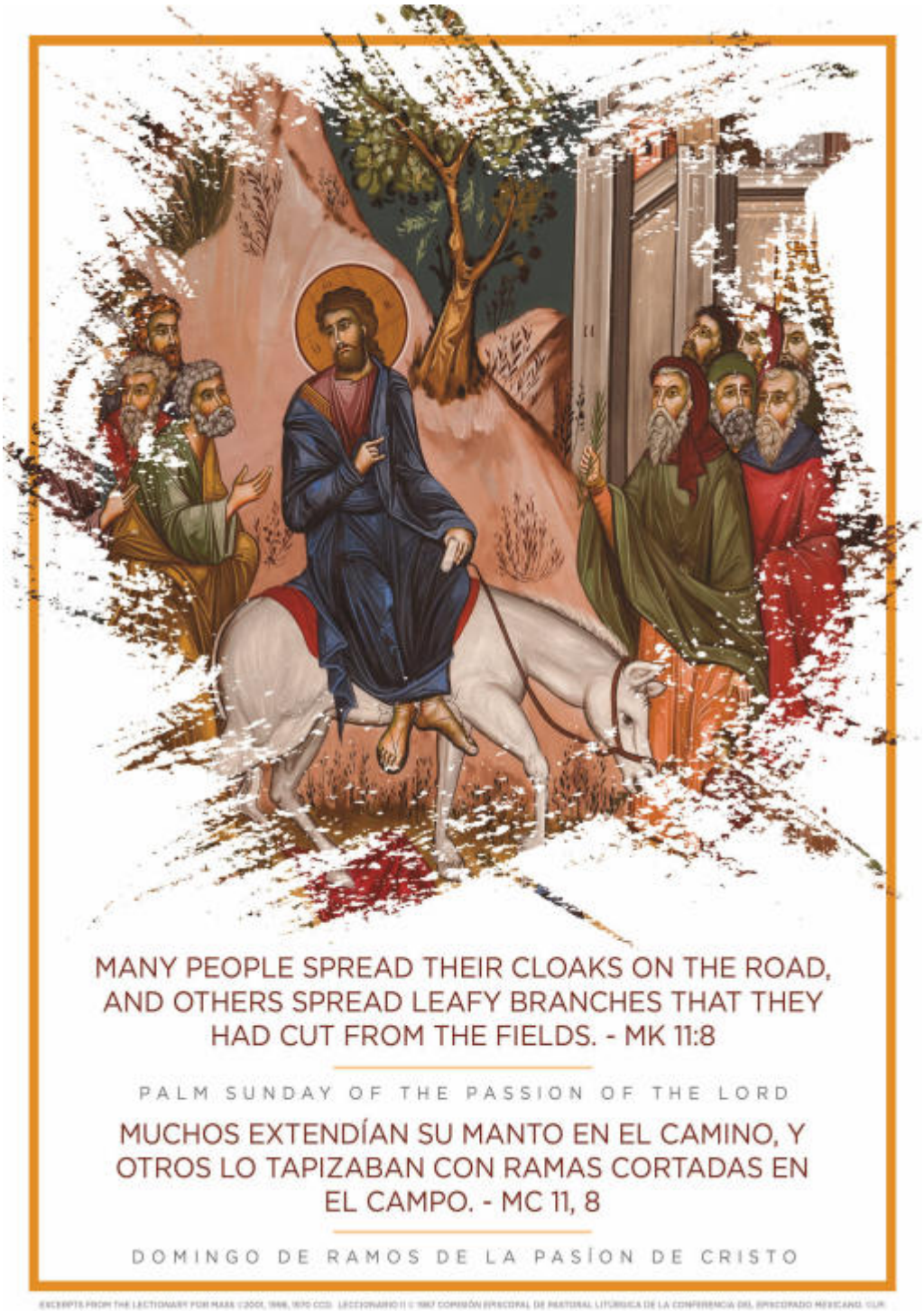
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

March 28, 2021



This Week

Tuesday, March 30
6:45 am Reconciliation
7:15 am Daily Mass

Wednesday, March 31
6:45 am Reconciliation
7:15 am Daily Mass
8:15 am St. Mary's Mass

Holy Thursday, April 1
6:45 am Reconciliation
7:15 am Morning Prayer
6:30 pm Holy Thursday Mass

Good Friday, April 2
6:45 am Reconciliation
7:15 am Morning Prayer
1:00 pm Good Friday Liturgy
6:30 pm Good Friday Liturgy

Holy Saturday, April 3
8:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass

Easter Sunday, April 4
8:00 am Easter Mass
10:00 am Easter Mass
12:00 pm Spanish Easter Mass

2021
Catholic Ministries Appeal
Share the Light of Hope.

Due to COVID-19, our Mass times are now as follows: Daily Mass is Tuesday through Friday at 7:15 am. Mass on Saturday is at 5 pm. On Sunday, Mass in English is at 8 am and 10 am and in Spanish at 12 pm.

A Word From Fr. Swamy

On Palm Sunday, Christians celebrate the Triumphal Entry of Jesus Christ into Jerusalem, the week before his death and resurrection. Palm Sunday marks the beginning of Holy Week, which concludes on Easter Sunday. When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the crowds greeted him with waving palm branches and by covering his path with palm branches. Immediately following this great time of celebration in the ministry of Jesus, he begins his journey to the cross.

The Triduum of Easter is the three-day celebration of Jesus' paschal mystery. It presents us with the central mystery of the Christian life, perhaps of life itself—dying to rise, death to life. Even though the Church spreads the triduum liturgies over three days (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil), what we commemorate is one single movement—Jesus' passage through the pain, humiliation, and suffering of death to the glory and triumph of Resurrection and new life.

Good Friday is perhaps the most difficult liturgy of the triduum, because it commemorates the gruesome death of Jesus Christ. The tendency might be to overemphasize death to the point of having a wake service or funeral for him with the pounding of nails and taunts of "Crucify him, crucify him." But we must remember this death is not once and for all. Jesus is alive. So Good Friday must be celebrated with an eye to Easter Sunday's Resurrection. It is the premier day to highlight dying to selfishness and sin in order to live a new life.

Saturday (the Easter Vigil) is the crown of all liturgies. The Church outdoes itself tonight. This is what it's all about. This is what we celebrate in one way or another all year long. We light the new fire, proclaiming Jesus to be our light and our life. We hear the readings that tell the primal stories of who God is and of who we are and before that the exultant song proclaiming the night of nights when Jesus rose. We bless the waters of baptism through which new members are initiated into the Church. Take time to participate with the Lord Jesus during these special days that lead up to the great feast of Easter.

Everyday Stewardship–Recognize God in your Ordinary Moments

Walk Every Step with Christ

Holy Week is a week for being mindful. We must set loose the baggage of Lent, and not be deterred by the dazzling sunrise of Easter morning beckoning in the distance.

It's okay for us to be excited for Easter. We've waited so long, after all. In my opinion it's one of the best feelings there is: the yearning we have in our hearts for the Resurrection as we embark on Palm Sunday. And in a purely logical sense, many of us have Easter celebrations for which we are preparing, and practical considerations to contend with. It's going to be a busy week, one likely full of happy distractions.

But my friends, we simply must keep our feet on the ground. Let's not "skip" Holy Week. Resist the urge to flip to the last page of the book, to fast-forward to the final scene of the movie. Don't rob yourself of the journey. This week is a blessed opportunity. It is this week that teaches us who we are. In the span of the Triduum, we have the birthday of the priesthood, the institution of the Eucharist, the sacrifice on Calvary and so many other vivid and meaningful scenes.

It may sound strange, to advise someone to savor the moments of Holy Week. There are so many violent and hear trending moments, after all. But this is the valley of tears, remember—we are not in Heaven yet. And here, in our fallen, sin -filled world, it is the heartrending moments that seem to matter the most.

These are the moments that define us as Catholics. Live them. Cherish them. Be present for each one.

-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

Our Faith Community

A Word from the Holy Father

"We are all missionary disciples." -Pope Francis

Reserve your seats for Holy Week

For Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Weekend, reservations are needed for all Masses and Liturgies. Please visit https://bookapew.com/app/mn/shc/ to reserve your seat today!

Celebrating Mass Safely during COVID-19

-Wearing a mask is required by all over the age of 5 unless medical or other health concerns prevents it.
-Those over age 65 are strongly encouraged not to attend. **Anyone showing symptoms of sickness or has a sick household member should not come to church.**
-Seating is limited. Only sit in open pews and reserve your seat beforehand at https://bookapew.com/app/mn/shc/
-Continue following all social distance guidelines.
-Obligation to attend Mass is dispensed until further notice
-Receive Communion only on the hand. No one's obliged to receive Communion.
-Collection baskets are in the entrances of the church. No collection will be taken during Mass.
-The nursery is closed until further notice. We ask that you do not let your children in the nursery.

Patriotic Rosary for the Healing of Our Nation

St. Joseph Catholic Church from 6:30 pm-7:30 pm on March 29. "If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land."
-2 Chronicles 7:14

Sacred Heart Website Makeover

The Sacred Heart website will be getting a makeover in the coming months. Due to our current site becoming outdated, we will be giving it a new look and layout that will be more user friendly and pleasing to the eye. Stay tuned! Until we launch the new look, the website will still look the same and you can still access the bulletin, the livestream Masses, and your church accounts as normal.

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursdays from 8 am-7 pm

"The culmination of the Mass is not the consecration, but communion."
-Saint Maximilian Kolbe

No Daily Mass on April 6

There will be no Daily Mass on April 6. Instead, there will be Morning Prayer at 7:15 am. All are welcome!

Celebration of Service Banquet

Knights of Columbus annual Celebration of Service Banquet will be held on April 9 at the Columbian Center, 820 S. Elm Ave. Social hour will be 5:30-6:30 pm. Meal and program to follow. Fr. Andrew Vogel will speak about his adoption journey. The beneficiary of this banquet is Catholic Charities Baby Bottle Campaign. Free Will donations for this charity will be collected. Any Knight that would like to donate an item or service for a silent auction is appreciated. Cost for the meal is $10 per person. Contact Rich Gerdts to make reservations and/or donations. Text or call 507-456-3684 or email srgerdts@gmail.com

St. Vincent de Paul

March 28—Fifth Sunday of Lent: Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of the holiest of Christian weeks. Let us pray for the grace to take up our own cross and to follow Jesus through death to new life. During Lent, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring the mercy of Jesus into the hearts of the others, by providing 74 meals at Vincent's Table, as well as assistance with groceries, utilities and rent bills to many of our friends in need. Membership: We meet the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month at St. Joseph's at 6:30 pm. If you would like further information on growing your spiritual life and serving those in need in our community, please join us at a meeting or contact Deb McManimon at dmcmanimon72@gmail.com. Our phone is 507-676-5508.

Catholic Ministries Appeal 2021

Through your support, the Catholic Ministries Appeal funds diocesan-led ministries throughout the 20 counties of southern Minnesota. Thank you for providing opportunities to thousands of people to draw closer to Christ because of your generosity. If you haven't already contributed, please return your CMA pledge card or give online at www.catholicfsmn.org

Saint of the Day—St. John Climacus

"A chaste man is completely oblivious to the difference between bodies. The rule and limit of absolute chastity is to have the same feelings regarding animate and inanimate beings, rational and irrational." -St. John Climacus

News and Events in Our Faith Community

The Search—No session during Holy Week. We will finish up the series the week of April 5.

We will finish up the series the week of April 5 with Session 7: Why A Church? How do I access this man who lived 2,000 years ago? How do I live this call of love? We uniquely encounter the love of God in his Church. But really? The Church? There are so many negative views of the Church. It's out of touch. It's full of bad people. It's just too boring. Maybe when we say "the Church" we mean a little more. The Church is the family of God that's been lovingly gathered through our entire story. It's the place where we were meant to encounter his grace that prepares us for every step of life. The God that is love knows how we're made—material and spiritual—and we need tangible ways to live our faith. We can't be spiritual but not religious. This is where we'll find ultimate happiness in life. This is where the God that has been seeking humanity, who wrote the deepest desires onto our human hearts, encounters us. Jesus' first words to humanity in the Gospel of John are "what do you seek?" The one that asked the question not only knows the answer—he is the answer. The answers to everything. And you find him most profoundly here in his Church. There are still study guides available, if you would like to start the series on your own or with your family. You can pick up a study guide at St. Joes and email Deb McManimon at dmcmanimon72@gmail.com for instructions to register for Formed or you can call or text if you have questions 507-271-1737.

Sacred Heart Cemetery

Local Catholic Cemetery for the Owatonna parishes of St. Joseph and Sacred Heart. Questions or concerns regarding the cemetery? Please call either parish office: St. Joseph 507-451-4845 or Sacred Heart 507-451-1588.

Listening Device

Do you find it hard to hear during Mass? You can purchase a personal listening device so that you can hear the Mass better. The price is $100. Contact Garrick at 507-451-1588 if you are interested in purchasing one.

Give Alms to the Poor

"I tell you truly, this poor widow put in more than all the rest; for those others have all made offerings from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has offered her whole livelihood" (Lk. 21: 3-4). This week, answer Christ's call to Give Alms to the Poor by 1) Using Lectio Divina to pray with the Judgement of the Nations (Mt. 25: 31-46); 2) Fasting from any unnecessary spending this week; 3) Giving to anti-poverty organizations such as Catholic Charities, Catholic Relief Services, and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. For more ideas on how to put Christ's Mercy in Motion this Lent, visit www.ccsomn.org/mercyinmotion

Pray:
-Use Lectio Divina to pray with Matthew 25: 31-46 (The Judgement of the Nations)
-USCCB Prayer for the Poor
-USCCB Prayer to Confront Global Poverty
Fast:
-Fast from any unnecessary spending this week.
Give:
-Family Project: Keep a 'Call for Change' jar—save your loose change and donate the proceeds to change the lives of the marginalized. Decide as a family where to give the money each month.
-Donate to anti-poverty organizations such as Catholic Charities, Catholic Relief Services, and The Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Learn:
-PovertyUSA (en Español)
-Watch The Line, a documentary on Poverty in America.

Catholic Charities Counselors

Are you struggling more than usual with anxiety, worry, loneliness, or depression at this time. Catholic Charities' Counselors are here to help. To maintain social distancing, our therapists are using Telehealth. Please give our office a call to set up an appointment for one-on-one counseling or visit our website—507-455-2008 or www.ccsomn.org.

Real Presence Radio

Real Presence Radio, a Catholic broadcasting apostolate, bought a local signal—970 AM. 24 hours a day, you can tune in to uplifting and informative Catholic programming.

Noticias de La Comunidad en Español

La Apelación de los Ministerios Católicos de 2021

A través de su apoyo, la Campaña de Ministerios Católicos financia ministerios dirigidos por la diócesis en los 20 condados del sur de Minnesota. Gracias por brindar oportunidades a miles de personas para acercarse más a Cristo debido a su generosidad. Si aún no ha contribuido, devuelva su tarjeta de compromiso de CMA o haga una donación en línea en www.catholicfsmn.org.

Pláticas para Bautizos

Pláticas para Bautizos serán el segundo sábado de cada mes de 10 am a 12 pm, se tendrá que avisar con 1 mes de anticipación si es posible. Los bautizos se llevarán a cabo los sábados a la 1 pm o el Domingo durante o después de la misa en español. Informes con el diácono Placido 507-319-0031.

St. Mary's School and REP

Elementary Teacher, (1.0 FTE)—St. Mary's School, Owatonna, MN

St. Mary's School is seeking (2) full-time elementary school teachers, preferably of the Catholic faith, for the 2021-2022 school year. The teacher should possess a love of learning, be enthusiastic, have a focus on learning, possess good classroom management skills, be collaborative, have the ability to integrate technology into instruction, and believe that all children can learn. The candidate must support the school's mission and philosophy and have the desire to support and help the children grow in mind, body, and spirit through Catholic values. Please send a cover letter, resume, teaching license, and three letters of recommendation to Jen Swanson, Principal (jswanson@stmarys-owatonna.org) on or before March 26. Positions are open until filled.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

News and Events in Our Faith Community

Amazing Parish Prayer

Heavenly Father, you have gathered us together as a parish to be Your visible life in our world. Here we unite in worship, proclaim Your word, celebrate the Eucharist, and are sent forth to share Your love and make disciples. Lord, we take your Great Commission seriously and long for our parish to be so on-fire that we draw people to You. Help us in that endeavor, as we strive to work together—ordained, religious, and laity. Please make our parish amazing, through Your power and Your grace. Amen.

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My Own Church

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What is Cenacles of Life?

Can you help us protect the unborn? Do you want to preserve the sanctity of life? Cenacles of Life is a prayer group that meets each Friday at 12:00 pm at Sacred Heart to pray for an end to abortion and for a greater respect for all life. We pray two rosaries: one at 12:00 pm and one at 12:25 pm. Please join us for one or both rosaries.

Our Faith Community

Divine Mercy Sunday in the Year of St. Joseph.

Divine Mercy Sunday is April 11. St. Joseph's Church will host an Hour of Prayer from 3-4 pm. The hour will include exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, and we will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet. All are invited and welcome! On the Second Sunday of Easter in 2000, Pope John Paul II declared the Second Sunday of Easter, "Divine Mercy Sunday." "I became aware of the Lord Jesus clothed in a white garment. One hand was raised in blessing, the other was touching the garment at the breast. From the opening of the garment at the breast there came forth two large rays, one red and the other pale…After a while Jesus said to me: 'Paint an image according to the pattern you see, with the inscription "Jesus, I trust in You." (Diary 47) These words taken from the diary of St. Faustina Kowalska, are the words of Jesus as he guided the visionary to capture the image he wished to reveal to the world of himself as the Lord of Divine Mercy. And you, Faustina, a gift of God… obtain for us an awareness of the depth of divine mercy, help us to have a living experience of it and to bear witness to it among our brothers and sisters. May your message of life and hope spread throughout the world, spurring sinners to conversion, calming rivalries and hatred, and opening individuals and nations to the practice of brotherhood. Today, fixing our gaze with you on the face of the risen Christ, let us make our own your prayer of trusting abandonment and say with firm hope: Christ Jesus, I trust in You! Yezu, Ufam Toble! -St. Pope John Paul II

An Alternative to Envelopes

Sacred Heart has electronic giving, known as EFTs. What're the benefits of using EFTs? We're able to record donations and give you a contribution statement at the end of the year for tax purposes as we do for envelope users. EFTs are also a nice alternative for those who forget their envelopes or misplace them. If you want to sign up, contact the Parish Office. They'll send you a form to fill out. Electronic giving is customizable—you can set it up as weekly, monthly, bi-monthly, or even quarterly! You can donate to other causes, known as "Specials," such as St. Vincent de Paul, Social Justice, and much more. Sacred Heart greatly appreciates all donations. Thanks for your generosity!

Furniture to Donate?

Furnishing Hope, a subsidiary of the St. Vincent de Paul Society (SVDP), is a great place for you to donate your gently-used beds, dressers, kitchen tables & chairs, sofas, love seats, and upholstered chairs. Curbside or garage pickup service available ($50 fee) or drop off at our warehouse (no charge). Call 507-676-1324 to set an appointment. Donated furniture is then made available free to needy families who are referred to Furnishing Hope by SVDP, other nonprofits, and social service agencies.

Volunteer Section

Liturgical Ministers

April 3-4, 2021

Sacristans

Lead:	Becky Berkley
8:00 pm	Tina Heim, Tom Soukup
8:00 am	Bill Lawrence
10:00 am	Tricia Johnson

Altar Servers

8:00 pm	Reid Olinger, Matthew Larson, Tate Berkley
8:00 am	Tate Berkley, Ella Seykora
10:00 am	Marcus Haggerty, Reid Olinger

Readers

8:00 pm	Emily Larson, Dale Springer
8:00 am	Rich Gerdts, Sue Gerdts
10:00 am	Dave Effertz, Holly Guenther

Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 pm	Dcn. Scot Berkley
8:00 am	Rebecca Berkley, Nancy Villwock
10:00 am	Thomas Schmitt, Janet Simon

Greeters

8:00 pm	Craig Larson, Kelli Larson
8:00 am	Bruce Schuette, Mary Schuette
10:00 am	Rich Gerdts, Sue Gerdts

Rosary Leaders

8:00 pm	No Rosary Today
8:00 am	F. Wayne Starman
10:00 am	Thomas Schmitt

April Ushers

8:00 pm	Brian Carlson, Jay Lindholm, TWO VOLUNTEERS
8:00 am	Roger Limberg, Eric Tucker, Ron Kubicek, Noah Kubicek
10:00 am	Jason Buryska, Nic Matejcek, Sam Matejcek, Patrick Haberman, Michael Haberman

Church Dusters

Week of March 28: Tiffany Lempiainen, Hannah Lempiainen

Week of April 4: Barbara Hartle

Looking for Volunteer Meals on Wheels Drivers

Can you spare an hour each Wednesday morning in April? In just an hour, you can bring a meal to a community member in need. Matthew 25:35 says, "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me." If you are interested in learning more, contact Janet Mealey at jmealey127@gmail.com or 507.475.4612.

Attention Liturgical Ministers

Jordan finished the new ministry schedules and has posted them. The schedule runs from April 1 to August 1. Thank you for serving in these vital ministries!

Parish Information Page

Readings for the Week of March 28, 2021

Monday: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14 [1a]/Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17 [cf. 15ab]/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34 [14c]/Mt 26:14-25
Thursday: Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 [2a]/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21; Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18 [cf. 1 Cor 10:16]/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
Friday: Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25 [Lk 23:46]/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42
Saturday: Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 [30] or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 [5b]/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Ex 14:15—15:1/Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 [1b]/Is 54:5-14/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 [3]/Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [Jn 6:68c]/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 [42:2] or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [3] or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Mk 16:1-7
Next Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or Lk 24:13-35

Las lecturas de la semana del 28 de Marzo de 2021

Lunes: Is 42, 1-7/Sal 26, 1. 2. 3. 13-14 [1]/Jn 12, 1-11
Martes: Is 49, 1-6/Sal 70, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 15 y 17 [cfr. 15]/Jn 13, 21-33. 36-38
Miércoles: Is 50, 4-9/Sal 68, 8-10. 21-22. 31 y 33-34 [14]/Mt 26, 14-25
Jueves: Misa Crismal: Is 61, 1-3. 6. 8-9/Sal 88, 1. 2-3. 3-4. 5-6 [2]/Ap 1, 5-8/Lc 4, 16-21; Misa Vespertina de la Cena del Señor: Ex 12, 1-8. 11-14/Sal 115, 12-13. 15-16. 17-18 [cfr. 1 Cor 10, 16]/1 Cor 11, 23-26/Jn 13, 1-15
Viernes: Is 52, 13—53, 12/Sal 30, 2. 6. 12-13. 15-16. 17. 25 [Lc 23, 46]/Heb 4, 14-16; 5, 7-9/Jn 18, 1—19, 42
Sábado: Vigilia: Gn 1, 1—2, 2 o 1, 1. 26-31/Sal 103, 1-2. 5-6. 10. 12. 13-14. 24. 35 [30] o Sal 32, 4-5. 6-7. 12-13. 20-22 [5]/Gn 22, 1-18 o 22, 1-2. 9. 10-13. 15-18/Sal 15, 5. 8. 9-10. 11 [1]/Ex 14, 15—15, 1/Ex 15, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 17-18 [1]/Is 54, 5-14/Sal 29, 2. 4. 5-6. 11-12. 13 [2]/Is 55, 1-11/Is 12, 2-3. 4. 5-6 [3]/Bar 3, 9-15. 32—4, 4/Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 11 [Jn 6, 68]/Ez 36, 16-28/Sal 41, 3. 5; 43, 3. 4 [42, 2] o Is 12, 2-3. 4. 5-6 [3] o Sal 50, 12-13. 14-15. 18-19 [12]/Rom 6, 3-11/Sal 117, 1-2. 16-17. 22-23/Mc 16, 1-7
Domingo siguiente: Hch 10, 34. 37-43/Sal 117, 1-2. 16-17. 22-23 [24]/Col 3, 1-4 o 1 Cor 5, 6-8/Jn 20, 1-9 o Mc 16, 1-7 o Lc 24, 13-35

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Upcoming Mass Intentions

Tuesday, March 30●Tuesday of Holy Week
7:15 am Don Nechville †

Wednesday, March 31●Wednesday of Holy Week
7:15 am Evelyn Kubat-Beers †
8:15 am Marcella Jeno † (St. Mary's Mass)

Thursday, April 1●Holy Thursday
6:30 pm Susan Kramer †

Saturday, April 3●Holy Saturday
8:00 pm LeRoy Proulx †

Sunday, April 4●Easter Sunday
8:00 am Tyron Mercado †
10:00 am Dylan Lattery †
12:00 pm Parishioners

Find Us Online

Sacred Heart has a Facebook page that you can "like" to stay up to date on Parish information and view Catholic content throughout the week. We have a YouTube channel which you can follow. We also have a website that you can use to stay up to date on Church events: www.sacredheartowatonna.org/

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National Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-799-7233
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