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Thurs - 7:00 AM Communion Service
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Sunday Mass 9:00 AM - Radio 94.3 FM &
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St. Mary Parish - Odanah
Saturdays 4:00 PM

St. Florian Parish - Ino 11:00 AM every second Sunday St. Peter Parish - Dauby

Thursday 8:30 AM - Mass 11:00 AM every first, third & fifth Sunday

Ss. Peter & Paul Parish - Moquah Monday 8:30 AM - Mass 11:00 AM every fourth Sunday

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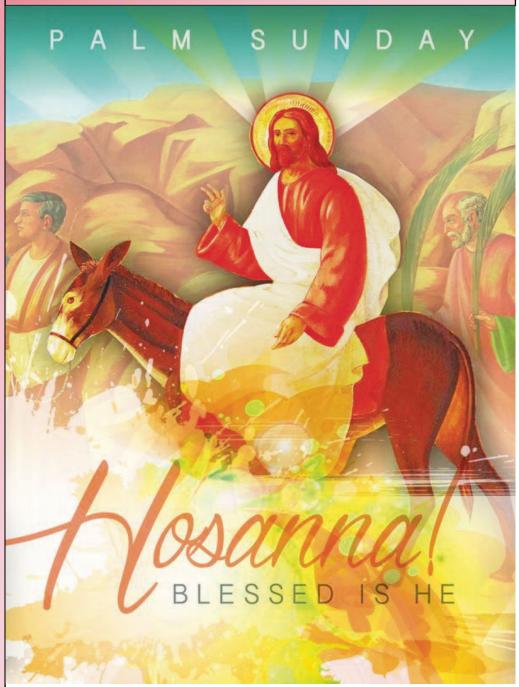
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April 2, 2023
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



# Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Community Mission Statement

We, the people of Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Community, believe we are called by God to live our faith and to bring others to Christ by our words and actions.



# Father Jerome's Message...Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

The Messiah defies expectations. Though it was prophesied by the prophets and read by all time and time again, they did not believe or expect something like this before their eyes. It looks like they were good readers, but it did not make any sense when they saw it with their own eyes.

The crowd who followed Jesus did not know what to do or what to say. They all joined with others shouting "Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord; hosanna in the highest." This was a rousing entry to Jerusalem and the whole city was shaken. They had the answer for the question – "Who is he?" They replied, "This is Jesus the prophet, from Nazareth in Galilee."

Our Lenten journey reaches its culmination in the Passion Week. We should have enough insight and inspiration, drawn by the Spirit, to come close to Jesus who is before our eyes as the 'Lamb of God.' We can draw enough courage to face any challenges arising from day to day life and continue to follow Him in His Paschal Mystery.

**Thought of the Week:** "Everyone else who was ever born into the world, came into it to live; our Lord came into it to die." (Fulton Sheen)

Question of the Week: Will you make yourself free to walk with Jesus in his final moments?

Evangelii Gaudium (The Joy of the Gospel) is a 2013 apostolic exhortation by Pope Francis "On the proclamation of the Gospel in today's world."

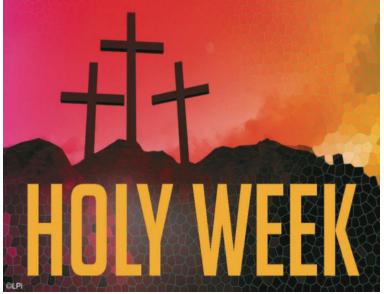
# CHAPTER TWO: AMID THE CRISIS OF COMMUNAL COMMITMENT

# I. Some challenges of today's world

Some cultural challenges

61. We also evangelize when we attempt to confront the various challenges which can arise.[56] On occasion these may take the form of veritable attacks on religious freedom or new persecutions directed against Christians; in some countries these have reached alarming levels of hatred and violence. In many places, the problem is more that of widespread indifference and relativism, linked to disillusionment and the crisis of ideologies which has come about as a reaction to any-thing which might appear totalitarian. This not only harms the Church but the fabric of society as a whole. We should recognize how in a culture where each person wants to be bearer of his or her own subjective truth, it becomes difficult for citizens to devise a common plan which transcends individual gain and personal ambitions.

[56] Cf. Propositio 13.



# Monday of Holy Week

Monday, April 3 8:30 am Mass Ss. Peter & Paul, Moquah *Tuesday of Holy Week* 

Tuesday, April 4 7:00 am Mass Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland

Wednesday of Holy Week

Wednesday, April 5 7:00 am Mass Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland **Holy Thursday** 

Thursday, April 6 6:00 pm Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland

Good Friday

Friday, April 7 Noon Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland

Easter Vigil

Saturday, April 8 8:30 pm Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland

Easter Sunday

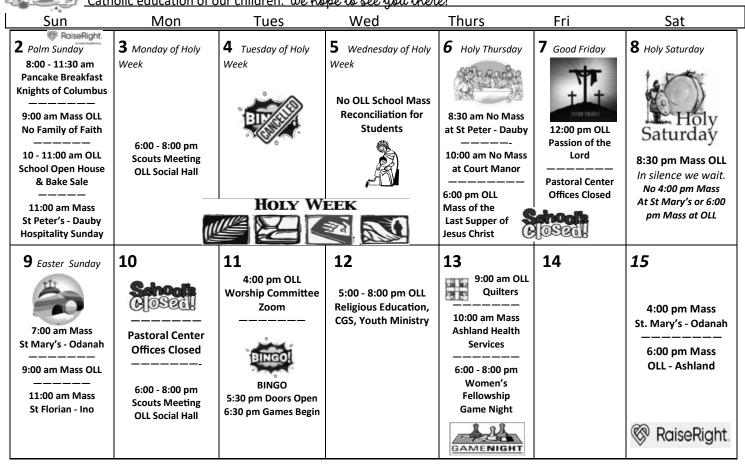
Sunday, April 9 7:00 am St. Mary's, Odanah

9:00 am Our Lady of the Lake, Ashland

11:00 am St. Florian, Ino

# **How We Make a Difference Together...**

- Holy Week: This week we celebrate the summit of our liturgical year the Sacred Paschal Triduum. The Triduum begins with the evening Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, reaches its high point in the Easter Vigil, and closes with evening prayer on Easter Sunday. Please use the schedule found on page two, and the calendar below, to plan to participate in the beautiful, prayerful, observances of the passion, death and resurrection of Our Lord, Jesus Christ. We thank the talented volunteers who have planned music and special environments to commemorate this sacred week.
- Soup & Bread Suppers: We sincerely thank Chef Carl Stanley for preparing the delicious homemade soups offered during the Lenten Suppers that preceded Stations of the Cross and Benediction on Friday evenings at Our Lady of the Lake. We genuinely appreciate the generous stewardship of time and talent of Carl, and the dedicated crew of volunteers who assisted in serving the meals and took care of clean-up. We are grateful for the generous supper donations from Hansen's Washburn IGA, John & Julie Doane and the anonymous donors who contributed to the success of the soup and bread suppers. The spirit of hospitality, friendship and socialization during the suppers was a gift!
- Lenten Mission: We are grateful to Deacon Clarence, Deacon John, Deacon Owen and Deacon Tim for guiding the discussions of our Lenten Mission: Presence - The Mystery of the Eucharist. Attendees of the mission explored the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist, from its origins in Sacred Scripture, to its profound role in the life of the Church and her members. What a beautiful way to prepare for the joy of Easter. We appreciate the stewardship of time and talent shared by our deacons in providing our Lenten Mission.
- Lenten Almsgiving: We are extremely grateful for the generous donations to our Lenten Almsgiving Challenge. The stewardship of treasure has been tremendous! Donations continue to be received, watch for a challenge summary in the near future.
- BINGO: With the observance of Holy Week and the special solemnity and time of devotion to the Passion of Christ, there will be no BINGO on Tuesday, April 4th. Please share this information with family and friends who participate in our weekly BINGO games.
- BAKE SALE: Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School will host a Palm Sunday Bake Sale this weekend. A variety of delicious homemade treats will be available for purchase after Masses. Plan to tour the school, have breakfast with the Knights of Columbus, and take home some delectable confections. All proceeds support the Catholic education of our children. We hope to see you there!





The Knights of Columbus will host an All-You-Can-Eat

Pancake and Sausage Breakfast Our Lady of the Lake Social Hall

TODAY!! Palm Sunday, April 2nd

Serving 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Cost: Adults - \$7 Children ages 5 to 11 - \$5 Children under age 5 - Free

New families touring Our Lady of the Lake School receive complimentary breakfasts.





# Gospel Meditation Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

What's your car? Let's say it's a fancy silver Toyota. Now imagine you're having lunch in a restaurant and suddenly see two men outside attempting to steal it. You run outside and confront them. They respond, "The master has need of it." How do you respond? Would you just let them take it, and leave you without a car? I don't think I would.

Yet that is precisely what the owners of the colt on Palm Sunday do. Stunningly, and perhaps a little comically, Jesus instructs two of his disciples to commandeer a colt for him to ride. And when they hear the disciples say, "The master has need of it," they let them take it. Of course, Jesus knew they'd let it go. He gave them the grace to let go of what is rightfully theirs. The result? That colt became perhaps the most famous and important animal ever. The beast plays a role in the redemption of the world.

As Holy Week begins, Jesus perhaps will send people to you to ask for something valuable to you. Perhaps it's your car. More likely it's something like your attention, time, or energy. It's natural to resist at first. We've got things to do, after all. But if the interruption is from Jesus himself, listen to that voice which calmly says, "The master has need of it." And simply let it go. You'll be amazed what the master will do with it.

— Father John Muir



# Lent Almsgiving Challenge

During the 40 days of Lent, we are called to fast, pray and give alms. This year's alms collection will benefit

Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School.

We invite you to contribute one dollar or more for each day of Lent. If we each commit to \$40, imagine the support we could collect for our school! Can you surrender one "fast

food" meal each week of Lent to contribute the dollars saved as alms? Can you sacrifice your daily/weekly specialty coffee to contribute to the Catholic education of a student?

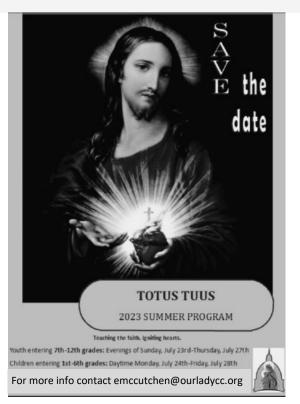
coffee to contribute to the
Catholic education of a student?
Fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) of
matching funds are available to
double your offering.

Almsgiving envelopes can be placed in the Sunday collection basket or delivered to the Pastoral Center or School office.



We are extremely grateful to the team of volunteers who worked diligently during Spring Break to begin our heating system project. The group did a phenomenal job of working together to begin the transformation from a pneumatic to digitally controlled heating system for

OLL school and church. The team installed the Johnson Control wiring and digital control boxes. We could not have asked for a better team of hardworking volunteers. *Thank you so much!* 







Are you looking for the perfect gift for Easter Baskets,

# Mother's Day, or planning ahead for the new high school or college graduate?

Whatever your gift needs might be, please stop in at the RaiseRight table (after Masses on the 1st and 3rd weekend each month) or the Pastoral Center to pick up gift cards that are used just like cash to purchase everything from gas and groceries, to food and beverages at local restaurants, to other essentials from vendors such as Amazon, Target, Bath & Body Works, Barnes & Noble and many more.

With every RaiseRight gift card purchase Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School earns revenue. Please consider putting your shopping dollars to work for our school.

# Women's Fellowship Ladies, you're invited to an evening of prayer, fellowship and fun!

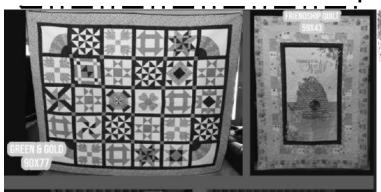


Thursday, April 13th 6:00 - 8:00 pm

# Our Lady of the Lake Social Hall

Snacks and your favorite board or card game are welcome, but not necessary to attend. No previous attendance required.

Full schedule of summer events coming soon! womenfellowship@ourladycc.org







# **Quilt Raffle** Benefitting Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School

Drawing will take place Friday, TICKETS April 28th, 2023 during The Knights of Columbus Fish Fry at Our Lady of the Lake

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Tickets are available at OLL School & Pastoral Center Offices.





Elect and Candidates in your prayers as they prepare for their union with the Catholic Faith during Holy Week. The Elect and

Candidates have attended several educational sessions since last fall. On Palm Sunday, they will participate in an afternoon of retreat and reflection when most of them will receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation. During the Easter Vigil, each will receive the Sacraments of Initiation.

Luca Daví David Dizmang Ella Dizmang Torin Dizmang

Peter Macky Elizabeth Macky Elenore Macky Eríc Sherck

Kelly Taylor

Lord God, We thank you for these catechumens whom you have called. Strengthen them in faith, that they may know you, the one true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent. Keep them clean of heart and make them grow in virtue, that they may be worthy to enter into the holy mysteries.

# Mass Attendance - March 25 - 26



St. Mary's 48 people **OLL** - Sat Evening 138 people OLL - Sun Morning 169 people Ss. Peter & Paul 26 people



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Holy Week

Sunday, April 2 Palm Sundav

Mt 21:1-11/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24/Phil 2:6-11/Mt 26:14—27:66

Monday, April 3

Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday, April 4

Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15, 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday, April 5

Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34/Mt 26:14-25

Thursday, April 6 Holy Thursday

Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 16-16bc, 17-18 /1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15 Friday, April 7 Good Friday

Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42 Saturday, April 8 Easter Vigil

Stories of Salvation see usccb.org for complete list of readings for Easter Vigil Sunday, April 9 Easter Sunday

Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 /Col 3:1-4/Jn 20:1-9

### PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS - March 25 - 26

Regular Collections	<u>OLL</u>	<u>Dauby</u>	<u>Moquah</u>	<u>Ino</u>	<u>Odanah</u>
Sunday Collection	\$4,328	\$235	\$757	\$25	\$318
Electronic Giving	\$320				
Total for the Week	\$4,648	\$235	\$757	\$25	\$318
Renovations	\$161				
School	\$15				
Loan Campaign	\$210				
Easter Flowers	\$350				
World Concern	\$695				
Fuel					
Other	\$25		\$103.51		\$11
<b>Grand Total</b>	\$6,104	\$235	\$860.51	\$25	\$329



Saturday, April 1

4:00 pm - St Mary's - Odanah George & Philomene McBride Family

George McBride Jr. † (Birthday 4/07) 6:00 pm - Our Lady of the Lake Terry Wille † (Birthday 4/04)

Robert "Bob" Baron †

Sunday, April 2 9:00 am - Our Lady of the Lake

David Skulan † Margaret & Emery Sharron †

11:00 am - St Peter - Dauby Nancy Pagac † Deceased of the Skulan & Francisco Families †

Monday, April 3 8:30 am Ss Peter & Paul-Moquah Fnd to Abortion

Tuesday, April 4 7:00 am Our Lady of the Lake William "Bud" Schroeder † Tony Johanik †

Wednesday, April 5 7:00 am - Our Lady of the Lake Living & Deceased † of the Ernest **Gentry Family** Virginia Wright †(Anniversary 4/02) Thursday, April 6 Holy Thursday 6:00 pm - Our Lady of the Lake Tony Johanik † Dick Swanson †

Friday, April 7 Good Friday 12:00 pm - Our Lady of the Lake The Passion of Our Lord, Jesus Christ

Saturday, April 8 Holy Saturday 8:30 pm - Our Lady of the Lake Shirley Starosta † Jane Hnath † (Birthday 4/09)

Sunday, April 9 Easter Sunday 7:00 am - St. Mary's - Odanah Intentions of Our Faith Community 9:00 am - Our Lady of the Lake Eugene (Birthday 4/11) & Dorothy Caven † Lawrence Hagens †

11:00 am - St Florian - Ino Geraldine Fix † Tony Johanik †



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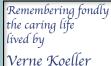
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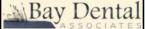
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