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**Sunday, March 28, 2021 — Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**

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## **INDOOR MASSES:**

**Monday—Saturday: Morning Prayer 7:30 AM.**  
**Monday—Saturday: Mass 8:00 AM (English)**

## **OUTDOOR MASSES:**

**Saturday: 5:30 PM (CANCEL) & 6:45 PM (Spanish).**  
**Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, (English),  
11:30 AM (English) 5:30 PM (CANCEL)**

**Holy Days:** The schedule will be announced

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION :**  
**Saturday, 4:30 PM in the Parking Lot**

**SACRAMENTS:** Contact the Parish Office

**Tuesdays, 5:00 - 6:00 PM:** Prayer Hour for Peace.

**First Fridays, 8:30-10:00 AM:** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour for Vocations, Benediction.

**Fridays, 7:00-8:00 PM (Spanish):** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour, Benediction.

**First Saturdays, 8:30-9:15 AM:** Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima (Rosary and meditation on the mysteries).

## Sunday, March 28, 2021 — Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

### Palm Sunday 2021

Today Palm Sunday or Passion Sunday, is the first day of Holy Week. Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday are called the Triduum—the most important liturgical celebration of the Church year spread out over three days. Then a week from today, of course, we have Easter Sunday. I am so happy to celebrate these Holy Days with all of you! Last year, we only had music ministers and lectors for our Holy Week liturgies.

Today, there are two Gospels proclaimed. The first Gospel, proclaimed before the procession with palms, tells us of Jesus' triumphant entrance into Jerusalem. Later in the Mass, at the usual time, the passion of Jesus is proclaimed, and this year it will be according to the Gospel of Mark. Thus Palm Sunday takes the name from the first Gospel proclamation, and Passion Sunday from the second Gospel proclaimed.

When we were in ordinary time, we were hearing the Gospel of Mark proclaimed in sequential order during weekday Mass, and we could hear tension rising between Jesus and the forces of evil. In Mark's narrative, the chief priests and scribes began seeking a way to put Jesus to death after he drove out the money changers from the temple, yet they charged him with blasphemy—a capital offense still to this day in some Muslim countries. Yet when presented before the Romans, his crime was presented as a political one, charging that Jesus claimed to be king of the Jews. After he was sentenced to death, Jesus did not speak again until his final cry from the cross. Two thousand years later, we are still mystified that the one without sin was put to death, and yet the saving power of the cross is just as real and present to us.

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Again, I'm very happy to celebrate the mysteries of our salvation with you in person. I was looking at last year's bulletin, and on Palm Sunday last year thanks to Bob Brasich and Kathy Haliburton, our Palm Sunday Mass was the first Mass to be livestreamed. A year later, we are still streaming a Sunday Mass on Facebook.

This time last year, the Young Professionals were planning a Zoom prayer service, and our drive-in confessions and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament were very popular. A year later, they are still meeting on Zoom for Bible study. A year ago, we also were planning our food distribution schedule, which grew during the most economically challenging part of the pandemic and served at least 20 families who had reduced ours or no job, for over 20 weeks. This outreach service happened thanks to the leadership of Br Arturo Renteria, OSA, with support from a number of anonymous benefactors, and The Saint Augustine Foundation. Earlier this year, Br. Arturo stopped serving at our parish. He is focusing on other online ministries.

God bless,

Fr Carlos, OSA

### From Our Bishop on Covid Vaccines

Bishop Robert McElroy, urges everyone who is eligible to please vaccinate, and reminds us that there is no moral impediment, but on the other hand a moral reason to protect others.

### ACA

Thank you to those of you who have pledged/given to the Annual Catholic Appeal. If you have not participated yet, you can help us reach our assessment. Any amount counts toward our assessed goal. Please visit:

<https://giving.diocese-sdiego.org/>

### Do you have Good memories of the last 25 years?

Parishioner **Dan Keays** would love to interview you about the last 25 years of the parish. Please contact him [dankeays@gmail.com](mailto:dankeays@gmail.com).

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### Book Club: Mere Christianity by C.S. Lewis

Book Club will gather by Zoom on **April 10th**. The book will be Mere Christianity by CS Lewis. Meetings will be twice a month on **Saturdays at 11:00am**. Please contact **Elisa Ambre** for more information:

[mrselisaambre@gmail.com](mailto:mrselisaambre@gmail.com)



### March 29-April 3

Mon. 8:00 AM	Maria Meador <b>HB</b> Louis Canedo †
Tues. 8:00 AM	Gene Kohmescher † Ray & Amy (Page) Baksh †
Wed. 8:00 AM	Ruth Baker † Brennan Michael Blum †
Thurs.	Holy Thursday †
Fri.	Holy Friday
Sat. 8:00 AM	Holy Saturday

† Rest In Peace **HB** Happy Birthday **HA** Happy Anniversar

### First Reconciliations

Congratulations to all of our First Communion students. They have all experienced God's mercy in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. All of our school students also had the opportunity of this sacrament. Thanks to Frs Michael and Jim for their assistance.

### FB Report

#### MASS AND FEASTS

Mass continues to be live streamed on Saturday and Sunday. Holy Hour is streamed on Fridays at 7 p.m. These videos are available on the Parish Facebook page. The Divine Office is livestreamed from the Augustinian Recollect Nun in Tlaxcala, Mexico.

#### SOLEMNITY OF ST JOSEPH

A reading of Patris Corde was shared.

#### AUGUSTINE AND IMMIGRATION

Information for a March 31st talk on this topic was shared.

#### WORLD DOWN SYNDROME DAY

A prayer was shared for people with Down Syndrome and their families.

### Confessions

Weather permitting, Confessions are at **4:30 PM** on Saturdays. In the parking lot.

**NO confessions on Saturday, April 3.**

### Holy Week Schedule Horario de Semana Santa

#### ALL MASSES ARE OUTSIDE

Except 9:30 Easter Sunday—Outside and Church \*\*

#### Holy Thursday / Jueves Santo: April 1

**7:00 PM – (bilingual)** Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by Adoration in the Hall until 10:00 PM.

**7:00 PM – (bilingue)** Misa de la Cena del Señor seguido de adoración en el auditorio hasta las 10:00 PM.

#### Good Friday / Viernes Santo: April 2

**2:30 PM – (English)** Stations of the Cross

**3:00 PM – (English)**

Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord

**7:00 PM – (Español)** la Pasion del Señor

#### Holy Saturday / Sabado Santo: April 3

**7:00 PM – (bilingual)** Easter Vigil

– (bilingue) Vigilia Pascual

#### Easter Sunday / Domingo de Pascua: April 4

**7:30 AM (English) -**

\*\* **9:30 AM (English) -** additional Mass in the Church.

**11:30 AM (English) -** outside

**1:00 PM (Spanish/Español)**



### We are called

Join our faith community in a life-changing Lenten journey with *CRS Rice Bowl* with daily prayers, weekly fasting and almsgiving box.

**Please bring them back on Palm Sunday, March 28.**



### Somos Llamados

Únete a nuestra comunidad de fe en una jornada de Cuaresma con *Plato de Arroz de CRS*, que cambia vidas con oración diaria, ayuno semanal y una cajita para donativos. **Por favor tráigalo de regreso el Domingo de Palmas, 28 de Marzo.**

### Retrouvaille Weekend April 8-11

Retrouvaille is a weekend retreat for couples who want to rediscover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. Please contact Charlie & Charlene Victory – Community Coordinators [victoryretro@gmail.com](mailto:victoryretro@gmail.com) (951-259-9475)

## Annual Lenten Talks

This year will be the 4th year that we have Lenten talks. **Fr Sarfraz** will continue to deliver the second talk on the last words of Jesus on **March 31st at 7 pm in the church.**

## ST. PATRICK'S CENTENNIAL COUNTDOWN: # 1

The Centennial Committee invites all parishioners to participate in the planning and celebrating of our parish's **100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**. Watch this space each Sunday for dates, updates and other important and interesting information and invitations.

### Readings for the Week:

**March 29 – April 4**

**Sundays: Year B — Weekdays: Year III**

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

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

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

Thursday: Ex 12:1-8,11-14;  
Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc,17-18;  
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;  
Heb 4:14-16;5:7-9; Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday: Gn 1:1—2:2;  
Ps 104:1-2,5-6,10,12,13-14,24,35;  
Ps 33:4-5,6-7,12-13,20-22;  
Gn 22:1-18; Ps 16:5,8,9-10,11;  
Ex 14:15—15:1;  
Ex 15:1-2,3-4,5-6,17-18;  
Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2,4,5-6,11-12,13;  
Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-3,4,5-6;  
Bar 3:9-15,32—4:4; Ps 19:8,9,10,11;  
Ez 36:16-17a,18-28  
Ps 42:3,5;43:3,4; Rom 6:3-11;  
Ps 118:1-2,16-17,22-23; Mk 16:1-7

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

### Parish Office Closed

Please note that our office will be closed next **Friday, April 2 and Monday, April 5** for the Easter holiday. Happy Easter!

## **Domingo de Ramos y de la Pasión del Señor**

Este día, introduce la celebración de los misterios más hondos y bellos de nuestra fe, nos presenta ya la grandeza que nos espera en la semana que comienza. Y por eso la Iglesia, después de invitarnos a cantar aclamaciones al Mesías Pacífico y verdadero Rey, nos invita a mirar en un solo y maravilloso conjunto qué fue lo que entonces sucedió, para que nuestros oídos se acostumbren a la música de drama y de amor que es la Pasión del Señor.

Miremos, pues, con ojos de gratitud y escuchemos con oídos de discípulo el sublime testimonio de este relato. Nada hay semejante en las páginas o escritos de esta tierra. Nada se compara a la altura de ese perdón que, como en cascada, cae desde la Cruz para hacer un nuevo diluvio, no de venganza y castigo, sino de misericordia y de gracia. Nada tan útil y saludable como esta historia de redención, la única que será de nuestro interés cuando nuestros ojos se cierren a las vanidades de esta tierra y tengan que abrirse, para gloria o condena, en la eternidad.

Fray Nelson Medina, OSA

### **Anuncios**

El lunes pasado, un grupo de hombres voluntarios vinieron a terminar detalles del templo. Dios los bendiga!

El martes pasado, la junta de padres ayudando a padres no se pudo realizar.

El jueves pasado vino a compartir un tema la Hermana Trinidad de las Siervas de la Palabra.

El viernes se celebró la solemnidad de San José, de quien toma su nombre este año en la Iglesia. Se les invita a buscar y leer la carta encíclica Patris Corde. San José ruega por nosotros.

El próximo Sábado será la Vigilia Pascual, y el domingo a la 1:00 PM será la Misa de Pascua de Resurrección.

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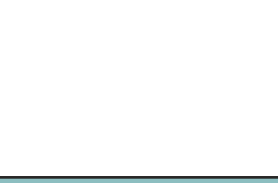
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