

April 10, 2022

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday: 8:30 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Friday:..... 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Summer Hours (June - August)

Monday–Thursday: 8:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.

Friday:..... 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

CLOSED SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (Vigil):..... 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Weekday: 8:00 a.m. & as announced

Holy Day: 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
or by appointment.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please call the office
for information or register online
www.holycrossfairview.org

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Eight month preparation and
membership required of either
Bride or Groom.

Contact **Fr. Thomas Tyler**
474-2605

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Couples should attend baptism
class during the pregnancy.

Contact the Parish office
474-2605. Do not choose
godparents before contacting
the office

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Preparation to become a
Catholic. Contact the
Parish office 474-2605
for more information

THE MISSION OF OUR PARISH

Holy Cross is a Catholic community of diverse people, rooted in a heritage of faith, united by the Eucharist and the Word of God. Following Christ's example, we seek through a variety of ministries, to know, love and serve God and one another.

Triduum



EASTER TRIDUUM – The *Easter Triduum* celebrates the core of our faith – the Paschal Mystery – the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ for our salvation. This Easter celebration begins with the *Mass of the Last Supper* and ends with *Evening Praise (Vespers)* on Easter Sunday. It is one, unified celebration of our core belief in who Jesus is, what Christ has done for us and what Christ calls us to live in our own lives.

PASCHAL FAST – The Constitution on Sacred Liturgy (#110) reminds us to “*keep sacred, the Paschal Fast . . . as a way of coming to the joys of the Sunday of the Resurrection with uplifted and welcoming heart.*”

What is the *Paschal Fast* and what makes it different from any other fast? The fasting of Lent is **penitential**, an act of repenting for our sin. Beginning on Ash Wednesday, it ends during the afternoon of Holy Thursday. As we enter the Easter Triduum with the Mass of the Lord’s Supper, we focus on what it means to be at the Easter Vigil. The fasting of Friday and Saturday is not penitential, but **anticipatory**. Such fasting is not only from food. Even more important may be the fasting from our normal work, fasting from seeking ways to be entertained or our cultural hunger for diversion. Catholics are called to live these days unlike any other of the year – and this is so— whatever our work, whatever our family situation or educational background. It is a great leveler, like the Eucharist itself – this *Paschal fast*.

(Resource: *Liturgy Training Publications*; Text: Gabe Huck. Used w/permission)

Easter Flowers

In the packet of church envelopes is one marked Easter Offering for Flowers, Art, Environment. The offering from this envelope is used to purchase flowers and other pieces to enhance our liturgical environment for the Easter season. Please consider returning the envelope as soon as possible. It is a special way you can honor the memory of a loved one you have lost.



Blessing of the Easter Baskets



In Slavic countries the blessing of Easter foods was an important tradition. This blessing is still found in the updated Roman Ritual, and is a wonderful practice which is still maintained by many Slavic & Polish-American families. The food items in the *święconka* (shvyehn-SOHN-kah), or Easter basket (the term also refers to the Easter Sunday breakfast at which the blessed food is eaten), have special significance. The basket is lined with an embroidered cloth or traditional folk fabric. The filled basket is covered with a white linen cloth (some have a colorful crocheted edging or embroidered design), representing the shroud of Christ. A typical basket would include symbolic foods like these: bacon, bread, Easter bread, butter (often shaped into a lamb), candle (which can be lit during the blessing by the priest), cheese, colored eggs, ham, sausage (*kiełbasa*), horseradish, salt, and sweets. **Fr. Tom will bless Easter Baskets Saturday morning at 10:30 AM in the Gathering Space by the west entrance.**

Thank you!

I would like to thank all the wonderful people who helped with our Lenten Fish/Shrimp Dinners. These dinners are not merely a fundraising event for our parish; more importantly, they are community events that strengthen our bonds with one another as we work together in serving others. In many ways, our Lenten Fish/Shrimp Dinners are a very small part of what it means for us to be a community of disciples of Christ: **we are persons of faith who work side by side in welcoming strangers, nourishing people with goodness, and serving the needs of others.**

What a wonderful spirit of community and generosity so many people displayed on Thursday and Friday nights as well as those who cleaned up on Saturday before the dinners began. Special thanks go to the Holy Name Society, the kitchen crew, the fish breaders, the cole slaw/potato salad makers and packers, cookie baggers, tartar and cocktail sauce-makers, those who donated towards the cookies, the food servers, the runners who walked with the customers, the ticket sellers, the clean-up folks and the laundry washer. Also thanks to all who came and supported the weekly dinners. A number of our volunteers were there every week. Everything was well organized and, of course, the food was outstanding. This is when we are at our best – a community of disciples who really care about each other and are dedicated to the Lord.





HOLY THURSDAY
7:00 PM

Coordinator
Jo Ann Kamensky

Eucharistic Ministers
(NEED 2)

Lectors
Mary Buckner

Ushers
(NEED 3)

Altar Servers
Logan Watts
Rebekah Watts
Charlie Chevalier
Sam Lee

GOOD FRIDAY
3:00 PM

Coordinator
Jim Terry

Eucharistic Ministers
Ron Kramzer
Jo Ann Kamensky

Lectors
Ann Walker
(NEED 1 MORE)

Ushers
(NEED 3)

Altar Servers
(NEED 2)

EASTER VIGIL
8:30 PM

Coordinator
Jo Ann Kamensky

Eucharistic Ministers
Need 2

Lectors
Barb Lee
Sr. Linda Fusco
(NEED 3 MORE)

Ushers
(NEED 5)

Altar Servers
Shannon Hulings
Logan Watts
Charlie Chevalier
Sam Lee

EASTER SUNDAY
9:00 AM

Coordinator
Jim Terry

Eucharistic Ministers
Gary Quinlan
Connie Quinlan
Andy Holland
Sarah Holland
Siobhan Kobal

Lector
Laura Cramer

Ushers
(NEED SEVERAL)

Altar Servers
(NEED 2)

THE 2022 LENTEN COLLECTION
MOUNT OF MERCY
Thank you to all who participated in the Mount of Mercy Collection for Fairview Community Food Pantry.
Volunteers are needed after Mass Sunday, April 10 to sort and pack the items.

A QUICK REMINDER
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There **cannot** be a 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, April 16 because the **Great Easter Vigil Mass** begins at 8:30PM.



The Church Office closes at **Noon** on **Thursday, April 14** and is **CLOSED** **Friday, April 15.**

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY
SWING INTO THE SEASON GOLF SALE
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Saturday, April 23rd
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Any questions: Contact Larry Russell 814-774-3644

PALM SUNDAY





We are united by the Eucharist and the Word of God as one Holy Cross Church family. As we each have been blessed with different gifts, we are called to share from our abundance to serve God and one another. Thank you for your generous support.



Due to the early bulletin deadline, the offertory report will be placed in a future bulletin.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday	April 11, 2022
8:00 AM	Barb Walk Req. by Tanya Wirick
Tuesday	April 12, 2022
	NO MASS
Wednesday	April 13, 2022
8:00 AM	John & Wanda Malczynski Req. by Peg Mallin
Thursday	April 14, 2022
7:00 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Friday	April 15, 2022
3:00 PM	Good Friday Service
Saturday	April 16, 2022
8:30 PM	Holy Cross Parish Family
Sunday	April 17, 2022
9:00 AM	Kathryn Zeiler Req. by The Watts Family

Our sanctuary lamp will burn this week in memory of

WILLIAM NOLAN


Requested by

Cindy & Don Murosky

(If you wish to request that the sanctuary candle burn in honor or memory of a loved one or for some other specific intention, please call the office. Donation \$10.00).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 10, 2022

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 and 17/
Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 

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

Thursday: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16abc, 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: *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/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-
28/ Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/
Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/
Lk 24:1-12

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
Lk 24:1-12 or, Lk 24:13-35

MEETINGS AND EVENTS THIS WEEK

Tue. 4/12 6:30 PM Pastoral Council - P
Thu. 4/14 7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper - WS
Fri. 4/15 9:00 AM Lector Rehearsal - WS
9:30 AM Altar Server Rehearsal - WS
3:00 PM Good Friday Service - WS
Sat. 4/16 9:00 AM Altar Server Rehearsal - WS
Music Rehearsal—WS
11:00 AM Lector Rehearsal - WS

HOLY WEEK



SCHEDULE

Holy Cross

Catholic Church

Fairview, Pa.

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 2022

The Liturgy of the Lord's Supper 7:00 p.m.
Adoration until 10:00 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 2022

The Liturgy of the Lord's Passion 3:00 p.m.

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2022

THE GREAT EASTER VIGIL 8:30 p.m.
There is NO 5:00 Mass on this Saturday

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2022

Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

Please Note: The Parish Office will close at



**Happy
Birthday**

*Goes out to
Bruce Stoltz*

*who turned 90 years young on April 3rd
We wish him a very, Happy, Happy Birthday!*

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