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WEEKEND MASSES

ST. JOHN CHURCH 1405 FIRST AVENUE SATURDAY 4:30 PM

SUNDAY 10:30 AM

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SUNDAY 9:00 AM

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Fifth Sunday of Lent

March 21, 2021

Great Family Lent Events

Why not plan to take the family to Stations before a Fish Fry Dinner this Friday? Do Lent with Kids! Stations of the Cross & Benediction



take place at Holy Trinity Church from 7:00 to 7:30 PM. You could call in your Fish Fry order by 4:30 PM then pick it up on your way home!

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Easter Flower Offering

If you'd like to remember loved ones with an Easter flower offering, please use the envelope in the March packet and drop it in the collection basket, slip it through the parish office front door mail slot, or send it via USPS. The list of names will be posted in both churches for Easter. Please print names clearly and make your donation by next Sunday - Palm Sunday, March 28th.

2021 HOLY FAMILY EASTER EGG HUNT

Holy Saturday, April 3rd **Holy Trinity Grounds**



11 AM - Arrive early! It's over in minutes!

Presented by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Knights Council 1610

Three Age Groups:

3 & under 4 to 7 8 to 10

All participants should bring their own basket and must be accompanied by an adult!

Thank you in advance for wearing face masks and practicing social distancing at this event!

Are You Missing Fr. Civille's Friday Robocalls?

Call the parish office 422-0602 and make sure we have your current phone number!!



HOLY FAMILY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday and Sunday - March 20 and 21

4:30 PM Mass SJ Walter & Mary Jane Diver

9:00 AM Mass HT Irene Uleman

9:00 AM Mass live streamed and available on the website anytime.

10:30 AM Mass SJ Oscar & Betty Koeppel - Wed Ann Rem

The Catholic faithful who reside in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati continue to be dispensed from the obligation of attending Sunday Mass / Holy Day Mass. - ARCHBISHOP DENNIS SCHNURR

Monday, March 22

6:00 PM Mass HT Rita Mackey

Tuesday, March 23

8:15 AM Mass SJ23 Special Intention — *students / staff only!*

12:10 PM Mass HT Jack Wagner

Wednesday, March 24

12:10 PM Mass HT Jeannine Pfeffer

Thursday, March 25

12:10 PM Mass HT Matthew Chartrand

Friday, March 26

8:00 AM Mass HT Maurice DeBrosse - Birthday Rem.

Saturday, March 27

4:30 PM Mass SJ August F. Chupka, Jr. - Birthday Rem.

Sunday, March 28 Palm Sunday

9:00 AM Mass HT Jacob Parks - Anniversary Remembrance

10:30 AM Mass SJ Antonio & Eva DeBiasi / Salvatore & Giulia Misenti

Weekly Collections Stewardship Sunday, March 14th \$18,715

Thank you for your generous stewardship!

Covid-19 Vaccine - Two Local Options

While many parishioners are getting the Covid-19 Vaccine through their family doctor or their pharmacy, there are other options. Centerpoint Health is offering the Covid-19



vaccine every week to eligible patients by appointment only at the Franklin location. You are eligible based on age according to our records. Please call 513-217-9165. - OR -

Call the City of Middletown Health Department 513-425-7844 and leave a message that includes your name, date of birth, address and phone number and they'll call you!

Daily Scripture Readings

Mon: Dn 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62 / Jn 8:1-11

Tues: Nm 21:4-9 / Jn 8:21-30

Wed: Dn 3:14-20,91-92,95 / Jn 8:31-42

Thurs: Is 7:10-14; 8:10 / Lk 1:26-38

Fri: Jer 20:10-13 / Jn 10:31-42 Sat: Ez 37:21-28 / Jn 11:45-56

Sun: Is 50:4-7 / Phil 2:6-11 / Mk 14:1-15:1-39

In Your Prayers Please Remember

Jason Umberg at Sycamore Medical Center, Greg Dearth and Jeanne Long at Atrium Medical Center, Nancy Penny at UC Medical Center and Jack Fishbaugh in rehab at Mt. Pleasant.

Almsgiving Envelope in the **March Envelopes Pack**

In place of alms boxes this year, we've opted for a special Almsgiving Envelope. Donations will be sent to Sr. Sarah's clinic in Guatemala. Pleases make your check payable to Holy Family Parish. We typically collect the Almsgiving at the Holy Thursday Mass or any day of Holy Week and on Easter. Thank you!

Good Friday Pilgrimage

April 2nd

1:30 - 7 PM St. John Church

Have you ever wanted to join in the



Holy Cross - Immaculata Church in Mt. Adams? We're bringing this Good Friday Lenten **Pilgrimage to Holy Family Parish!** Following the 1:30 p.m. Good Friday service, Father Civille will bless the steps at St. John's for the opening start to this holy tradition of praying the steps. You are invited to pray the steps alone, with your family, with your friends, or just by joining others in prayer! Bring your intentions and pray silently along the way up the steps ending at the Grotto, where you will be invited to light your own votive candle. Outdoor Stations of the Cross will also be available for prayer / mediation

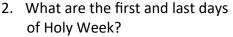
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How Much Do YOU Know About the Catholic Faith?

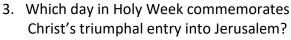
Special Holy Week Quiz!

Find the answers on page 5.

- 1. When does Holy Week fall?
 - (a) the first week of the year
 - (b) the first week of Lent
 - (c) the week before Easter
 - (d) the last week of Advent



- (a) Palm Sunday / Easter
- (b) Holy Monday / Holy Saturday
- (c) Holy Monday / Good Friday
- (d) Palm Sunday / Holy Saturday



- (a) Holy Thursday
- (b) Holy Wednesday
- (c) Good Friday
- (d) Palm Sunday
- 4. What does Holy Thursday commemorate?
 - (a) the crucifixion
 - (b) the Last Supper
 - (c) Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem
 - (d) the Resurrection
- 5. Celebration of Mass is typically forbidden on which of these holy days?
 - (a) Good Friday
 - (b) Holy Monday
 - (c) Holy Thursday
 - (d) Holy Tuesday
- 6. On which of these holy days would you typically find the altar either stripped clean or covered in black?
 - (a) Holy Saturday
 - (b) Holy Wednesday
 - (c) Holy Tuesday
 - (d) Palm Sunday

Introductions to Sunday Readings

by Bishop Ken Untener, in collaboration with Catherine Haven and Fr. Bill Taylor

First Reading - Jeremiah 31:31-34

The prophet Jeremiah ministered at a difficult time in Jewish history. Jerusalem, their beloved capital, had been destroyed and most of the people taken captive to far-off Babylon. In this gloomy setting, Jeremiah expresses the conviction that the Lord will raise up a new leader from the line of David to restore and rebuild their homeland.

Second Reading - Hebrews 5:7-9

The Letter to the Hebrews was written to a Christian community that had become dispirited and whose faith was faltering. Jesus is presented in today's passage as a model of suffering and a source of strength in time of need. (This passage is also part of the second reading on Good Friday.)

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

March 21st and 28th

March 21st - Third Scrutiny Raising Lazarus from the Dead 11:30 AM St. John Undercroft

If you're interested in becoming Catholic, please call the parish office 422-0602.

State Route #122 Clean Up Crew Saturday, April 17th

8:30 - 10:30 AM Jacot Park

Join the gang picking up trash along SR #122 from Dixie Hwy to Breiel Blvd. This is the main entrance to our city and we want to keep it looking good! We meet at Jacot Park at 8:30 a.m. and finish up by 10:30 a.m. Mark your calendar for three more Saturdays: June 26th Aug 28th Oct 23rd Bring your kids and grandkids! This is a great chance for kids to perform - and for the important adults in their lives to model - community service!

Wanted: Tutor for 8th Grade Student

Wanted: a tutor for an 8th grade student at St. John XXIII Catholic School. Subjects to tutor are Math, Social Studies and Science. Location, time, and salary are all negotiable. Call 513-727-1839.

TUTOR



Readings for Saturday and Sunday

First Reading - Jeremiah 31:31-34

The days are coming, says the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant I made with their fathers the day I took them by the hand to lead them forth from the land of Egypt; for they broke my covenant, and I had to show myself their master, says the Lord. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord. I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts; I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer will they have need to teach their friends and relatives how to know the Lord. All, from least to greatest, shall know me, says the Lord, for I will forgive their evildoing and remember their sin no more.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Second Reading - Hebrews 5:7-9

In the days when Christ Jesus was in the flesh, he offered prayers and supplications with loud cries and tears to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverence. Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered; and when he was made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel - John 2:13-25

The Lord be with you.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

And with your spirit. Glory to you, O Lord.

Some Greeks who had come to worship at the Passover Feast came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, "Sir, we would like to see Jesus." Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Amen, amen, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit. Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will preserve it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me. I am troubled now. Yet what should I say? 'Father, save me from this hour?' But it was for this purpose that I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name." Then a voice came from heaven, "I have glorified it and will glorify it again." The crowd there heard it and said it was thunder; but others said, "An angel has spoken to him." Jesus answered and said, "This voice did not come for my sake but for yours. Now is the time of judgment on this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw everyone to myself." He said this indicating the kind of death he would die.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



OUR DOORS ARE OPEN: No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church, no matter what your current family and marital situation, no matter what your age, race, background, personal history, etc., no matter what your own self-image — you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here at Holy Family Parish. Our doors are open!

Mass Prayers and Responses

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow.

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

Invitation to Communion

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Answers to the Special Holy Week Quiz

1. (c) Holy Week is the last week of Lent, just before Easter, and focuses on Jesus' final days on earth before his Resurrection, celebrated on Easter Sunday. It is a time of preparation for Easter in which worshippers take an active part in the Gospel story through symbolic rituals and the hearing of pertinent scriptures. **2.** (d) Holy Week begins on Palm Sunday and ends on Holy Saturday, just before Easter. It doesn't include Easter Sunday, which is the first day of a new church season -Easter Season - the fifty days from Easter to Pentecost. 3. (d) A typical Palm Sunday will usually include a reading of the Gospel account of how Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a donkey to shouts of hosanna and worshippers will often be given palm leaves to wave. Some weave these palm leaves into the shape of the cross. 4. (b) Holy Thursday commemorates Christ's final Passover meal with his disciples, when he instituted the practice of the Eucharist. Some churches hold services that include foot washing, in remembrance of how Jesus washed the feet of his disciples at the Last Supper. 5. (a) Good Friday commemorates Christ's crucifixion and is generally observed in a somber manner. It is typically a day of fasting and Mass is never celebrated on Good Friday except in the special exemption of the Vatican or a local bishop. **6.** (a) The altar is typically stripped after the service on Holy Thursday and remains so until the Easter Vigil.

Hymns for Saturday and Sunday

Entrance -

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

- 1. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
 "Come unto me and rest;
 Lay down, O weary one, lay down
 Your head upon my breast."
 I came to Jesus as I was,
 So weary, worn, and sad;
 I found in him a resting place,
 And he has made me glad.
- 2. I heard the voice of Jesus say,
 "Behold, I freely give
 The living water; thirsty one,
 Stoop down, and drink, and live."
 I came to Jesus as I drank
 Of that life-giving stream;
 My thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
 And now I live in him.

Horatius Bonar, 1808-1889, Traditional English folk song

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Communion - How Great Thou Art

 O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds thy hand hath made.
 I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, The pow'r throughout the universe displayed;

Refrain:

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee; How great thou art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee; How great thou art! How great thou art!

- When through the woods and forest glades I wander, And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
 When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze;
- And when I think that God, his Son not sparing, Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin;
- 4. When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation, And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration And there proclaim, "My God, how great thou art!"

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Closing - Lord of the Dance

 I danced in the morning when the world was begun, And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun, And I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth; At Bethlehem I had my birth.

Refrain:

Dance, then, wherever you may be; I am the Lord of the Dance, said he; And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be; And I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.

2. I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee,
But they wouldn't dance, and they wouldn't follow me;
I danced for the fishermen, for James and John;
They came with me and they dance went on.

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Baptism Preparation Class - These classes are held quarterly: March, June, September and December.

The actual date, time and location will be announced in the weekly bulletin. Please call the parish office to register.

Baptisms - Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism.

Becoming a Member of Holy Family Parish - Fill out a Census Form at the parish office or download it under FORMS at www.holyfamilymiddletown.com. Drop your completed form in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office.

Becoming Catholic - Please call the parish office to find out more about the RCIA process.

Bulletin Deadline - Submit announcements in hard copy or to monica@holyfamilymiddletown.com by noon Tuesday.

Hospitalization or Death in the Family - Please notify the pastor as soon as possible by calling the parish office.

Marriages - Couples wishing to be married must set the date with the pastor at least six months in advance.

Nursery - Due to the coronavirus, the 10:30 AM Mass Nursery is temporarily closed.

Parish Religious Education Program - Due to the coronavirus, Sunday Preschool is canceled and Monday K-8th Grade have an in home program. Contact Dee Golembiewski, DRE, with questions.

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