

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

March 28TH
2026

PALM SUNDAY
OF THE PASSION
OF THE LORD

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Ministers

Prayers for the Sick

Please help us keep the list of the sick updated.

If you would like to be on the email prayer chain or want to submit a prayer request of any kind please email joanconlon59@yahoo.com:

Blake Kuntz
 Jenny Funk
 Ann Kitzan
 Shane Focht
 Natalie Sutto
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 Daryl Wanner
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 Ashley Braem
 David Berger
 Ardie Krueger
 Heather Woroneicki
 Mitch Moszer
 Ardelle Tibor
 Jim Tibor
 Carletta Meuchel
 Greg Wanner
 Irene Wanner

Mass Intentions

Mar 28 th	6:30 PM	+ Clifford Goldade by Leonard & Irene Wehri
Mar 29 th	8:30 AM	+ Andy Dakken by Lois Wanner
Mar 31 st	9:00 AM	+Mark Gietzen
Apr 1 st	6:00 PM	+Jean Raaf
Apr 5 th	8:30 AM	For the People of the Parish

March 28TH - Saturday- 6:30 PM:

Lector: David Wanner
 Ushers: David & Cheryl Wanner
 Servers: Addison, Tegan & Talon
 Rosary: Volunteer

March 29TH- Palm Sunday- 8:30 AM:

Lector: Kirk Peterson
 Ushers: Lee & Sara Reinbold
 Servers: Cambri, Brynlee & Cade
 Rosary: Volunteer

March 31st - Tuesday- 9:00 AM

April 1st -Wednesday- Adoration 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM; Mass at 6:00 PM; Stations of the Cross at 6:30 PM

April 2nd- Holy Thursday-6:30 PM-

Lector: **Volunteer (1)**
 Ushers: Kerry & Brenda Richardson
 Servers: Linus, **(1 more)**
 Feet Washing: Eve Mollman, Don Wanner
(4 more)

April 3rd- Good Friday- 7:00 PM

Lector: Ken Duppong
 Ushers: Don & Deb Wanner
 Servers: KiAnna & Kinsley

April 4th - Holy Saturday- 7:30 PM:

Lectors: Nicole Vogle, Kevin Staiger
(1 more)
 Ushers: Kevin & Toni Staiger
 Servers: Jovie & Levi **(1 more)**

April 5th - Easter Sunday- 8:30 AM:

Lector: Ken Duppong
 Ushers: **Volunteer (2)**
 Servers: Linus **(2 more)**

**** Confessions 30 minutes before Mass****

**First, third and fifth Wednesdays
there will be Eucharistic Adoration
from 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM
followed by Mass**

Mass Schedule - Central Time

Masses at St. Ann's

Saturday 6:30 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM

Tuesday 9:00 AM

Friday 9:00 AM

Masses at Sacred Heart:

Saturday 9:00 AM & 4:00 PM

Sunday 10:30 AM

Thursday 9:00 AM

Parish Office Hours are 10 AM TO 1PM

Tuesdays and Fridays

The Church is open from

7:30 AM TO 7:30 PM Everyday

**ST. ANNS IS AN EMERGENCY STORM SHELTER
FOR THOSE IN NEED DOORS WILL REMAIN OPEN
DURING STORMS**

Daily Readings

March 28 *Ezekiel 37:21-28*

Jeremiah 31:10, 11-12, 13

John 11:45-57

March 29 *Isaiah 50:4-7*

Psalms 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24

Matthew 26:14-27:66

Philippians 2:6-11

March 30 *Isaiah 42:1-7*

Psalms 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14

John 12:1-11

March 31 *Isaiah 49:1-6*

Psalms 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17

John 13:21-33, 36-38

April 1 *Isaiah 50:4-9*

Psalms 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34

Matthew 26:14-25

April 2 *Isaiah 61:1-3, 6, 8-9*

Psalms 89:21-22, 25, 27

Luke 4:16-21

Revelation 1:5-8

April 3 *Isaiah 52:13-53:12*

Psalms 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25

John 18:1-19:42

Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9

April 4 *Genesis 1:1-2:2*

Psalms 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35

Matthew 28:1-10

Genesis 22:1-18

Upcoming Events

* **KC Breakfast and Women of Sacred Heart bake sale on Palm Sunday at Sacred Heart after the Sunday morning Mass**

* **Bookstore- There are Easter items available in the bookstore!**

***Bible Study- Monday nights at 7:00 PM**

***Rice bowl return box is available in the gathering space**

***Easter Flowers- envelopes to donate to the flower fund are available in the gathering space. If you would like to donate in the name of a loved one, please write their name on the envelope. Thank you!**

You can hand in envelope to the office or during the collection at Mass.

***Stations of the Cross Schedule for St. Anns:**

Every Wednesday at 6:30 PM

***SEARCH -April 17th-19th at the Badlands Ministry retreat center in Medora. The Cor Christi Institute at the University of Mary has two sessions, July 6-10 and July 13-17. If you want the registration forms for both retreats, please contact your parish DRE's or Fr. Gary. Know that our parishes will pay for the registration fees.**

Stewardship of Treasure:

Adult: \$1555

Loose: \$86

African Mission Appeal: \$475

Thank you for your donations!

“Crucify Him! Crucify Him!” Holy Week is upon us and on Passion (Palm) Sunday, we relive once again the passion and death of Jesus Christ. But when we proclaim the Gospel account of Jesus’ entry into Jerusalem, we may find ourselves a bit perplexed. One day the crowd praised Jesus as God and the next day, they wanted Him killed. Their praises, “Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!” quickly turned into angry shouts of “Crucify Him! Crucify Him!” We should not be too surprised by the response of the people of Jerusalem, because sadly, this is how we at times live our lives. We are blessed with the gift of faith in Jesus Christ, but how easily this gift is set aside when life does not go our way. For these trials, He is often blamed. Unlike the crowd of Jerusalem, may we never turn against Jesus, because trying to live without Him in our lives is the heaviest cross of all.

Difficult Scripture Passages

“I pray not only for them, but also for those who believe in me through their word, so that they may be one as you Father are in me and I in you.” [John 17:20-21]

On the eve of His passion and death, Jesus prayed for the gift of unity among His disciples. But where is this unity among Christians today? There are many Christian denominations in our time. All claim to be the true inheritors of Jesus Christ’s Good News of salvation, but they differ in their beliefs and thus go their separate ways, as if Christ Himself were divided. Certainly, such divisions openly contradict Christ’s prayer for unity at the Last Supper. A divided Christianity is a cause for remorse, which should lead Christians to pray and long for true unity.

In our prayers and efforts for Christian unity, we must understand the unity which is envisioned. True unity is understood as: the profession of one Faith from the Apostles; a common celebration of divine worship (especially the Sacraments); and Apostolic succession through the Sacrament of Holy Orders. To deny these and related beliefs, such as the role of the papacy in the life of the Church, the centrality of the Holy Eucharist, or the need for ordained priests, is to separate oneself in some degree from unity with the Church. To accept everything that the Catholic Church teaches is evidence of true unity (communion) with Jesus Christ, the head of the Church.

What can we do to bring our fellow Christians to this unity? What can we do to bring them to the fullness of the Christian Faith which is found in Catholicism? First, we can always seek a conversion of heart, trying to live holier lives according to the Gospel message. Often, the unfaithfulness of Catholics serves as a stumbling block to other Christians, who wonder if we practice what we preach. People are often judged by their actions, not by their words, and a disregard for sinful deeds on the part of Catholics may in turn lead other Christians to disregard the Catholic Church. Second, invite fellow Christians to join in Catholic prayers, especially the Holy Mass, and in other expressions of our Catholic faith. Make them feel welcome in our Catholic parishes, for a hand extended in friendship and mutual respect often leads to hands united in common prayer and worship. Lastly, realize that our efforts in promoting Christian unity will fail unless we place all our hopes in Jesus Christ, the love of the Father, and the power of the Holy Spirit. Our human powers and gifts are limited, but the power of God working through us and our fellow Christians will lead in time to the desired unity in God’s holy people. The surest hope for convincing others to embrace Catholicism is to say less and to pray more. Our speech is limited in its power to change attitudes, but when God speaks to the heart, His power knows no limits.

[This concludes our series on *Difficult Scripture Passages*. Our next faith formation series will highlight some of the Eucharistic miracles of the Church].

Let Us Make Holy Week Truly Holy

This week, Catholics throughout the world will enter the most sacred time of the liturgical year, Holy Week. Each liturgy is so beautiful and powerful, as we recount the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. If you feel that in some way you were not faithful to your Lenten resolutions, I suggest one final resolution for the season of Lent: attend each Holy Week liturgy, especially those of the Sacred Triduum (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday). May God bless you this Holy Week as we, with deep gratitude, thank Jesus for laying down His life for us on Mount Calvary, so that we might experience the glory of everlasting life in Heaven.

Thank You for Your Christian Love, Lived in Almsgiving

Thank you to all our parishioners who took part in the time-honored Catholic Lenten tradition of the Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl. Please place them in the Rice Bowl receptacle that will be set up in the gathering space of each

parish church or bring them to the parish office. Thank you for giving alms to the Rice Bowl campaign, to help alleviate hunger and poverty in our local communities and in other countries as well. May you be rewarded for taking a portion of your blessings and offering it to the poor and needy in the name of Jesus.

On the Lighter Side

Pope Leo: "I'm sorry, did you say the Catholic Church is dwindling? I could not hear you over the 1.3 billion Catholics."

A Christian Point to Ponder

Whoever does not seek the cross of Christ does not seek the glory of Christ. [St. John of the Cross]

HOLY WEEK

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND
ST. ANNS- 6:30 PM
SACRED HEART- 7:00 PM

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 3RD
SACRED HEART- 3:00 PM
ST. ANN'S- 7:00 PM

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH
ST. ANNS- 7:30 PM
SACRED HEART- 7:30 PM

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5TH
ST. ANNS- 8:30 AM
SACRED HEART- 10:30 AM
MARIAN MANOR- 2:30 PM

