

Sunday April 9th – Palm Sunday – 6th Sunday in Lent

9am: Holy Mass with Liturgy of the Palms

11am: dla parafia

Readings: Isaiah 50:4-7, Philippians 2:6-11, Matthew 26:14-27:66

Lector – David Micka

Greeters – Jeanette Chambers & Barb Bogzevitz

Collectors – Gene Stepanik & Greg Hodor

- SOCL, PTO Bake Sale & Coffee Hour follows 9am Holy Mass
- 12:45pm – Bowling at Red Circle Lanes ***note time change***

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, April 10th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

4:30-5:15 – 1st Holy Communion Class

TUESDAY, April 11th

Father Jason Attends Chrism Mass at St. Michael the Archangel Parish in Cedar Lake, IN

WEDNESDAY, April 12th

7:15pm – Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, April 13th – Maundy Thursday

7pm – Holy Mass of the Institution of the Eucharist

6-8pm – Women’s AA meets

FRIDAY, April 14th – Good Friday

11am – Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified

3pm – Youth Stations of the Cross – Carrying in of the Crucified Christ

7pm – Tenebrae

SATURDAY, April 15th - Holy Saturday

11am, 3pm – Basket Blessing

4pm – Liturgy of Holy Saturday –Basket Blessing follows service

8-9pm – Parma Saturday Meets

SUNDAY, April 16th – Easter Sunday–Solemnity of the Resurrection

7am: Resurrection High Holy Mass

10am: Resurrection Mass

Readings: Acts 10:34, 37-43, 1Cor 5:6-8, John 20:1-9

Lector – Chuck Repede

Greeters – Rose Kronen & Martha Repede

Collectors – John Kasperczyk & John Kobalka

- Pastor’s Reception takes place after both Masses- all welcome
- Easter Egg hunt takes place after the 7am Holy Mass

Announcements

HOLY WEEK – Please, whether in prayer or by attendance, make an effort to be part of the Holy Week preparation for Easter. The just-released Newsletter for April (emailed, mailed, and placed in parish boxes) includes what goes on during these days. Prayer, fasting, giving.

CANON/EUCHARISTIC PRAYER- Today, and for the entire month of April, we use the 1st Eucharistic Prayer.

BOWLING – Today, April 9, bowling takes place at 12:45pm rather than the customary 3pm time.

PHC FOOD COLLECTION – St. Mary’s is offering the chance at “directed Lenten denial”, an avenue of the Lenten tradition of almsgiving by asking parishioners to offer goods that will be given to the Parma Hunger Center and distributed to our local community. Our collection concludes Palm Sunday. The collected items will be brought over during Holy Week.

EASTER –Easter Sunday Masses will take place at 7am (Contemporary) and 10am (Traditional), both in English. Please note in your schedule these Mass time changes. There will be, as tradition, and Easter Egg hunt for the children after 7am Mass. There will also be a Pastor’s Reception, with kielbasa, ham, egg, etc. for all parishioners.

CHILDREN IN PROCESSION – As a reminder, we ask that you allow your children to process in the processions of Palm Sunday and Easter.

SPAGHETTI DINNER – St. Barbara’s Parish Guild is sponsoring their 4th Annual Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, May 6 from 5:30-8pm. The cost is \$10/Adults, \$7/Kids 6-12, Free for 5 and younger. All ticket sales are in advance – call Dane at 216-832-4971.

BIBLE STUDY POSTPONED –Bible Study originally scheduled for our 2nd Tuesday of the month has been postponed. See you on the 26th!

PLASTIC BAGS – You *know* you have plastic bags full of plastic bags in your home. The Mission Team is calling for a collection of these items, which will then be woven to make temporary bedding for the needy. This program will benefit those who have nowhere else to lay their heads in the coming months.

UPCOMING

Apr 16 – Easter Sunday!

Apr 22 – Hall Rental

Apr 23 – Bowling Sunday

May 3 – Next Food Ministry

May 19-21- Bowling Tourn.

July 6-9 – PolishFest

LENTEN CROSS – The Mission Team is sponsoring the Lenten Prayer Cross. It was raised on Ash Wednesday and placed in the back, parking lot side corner of the church (Mary’s corner – her statue and window reside there!). The prayers that have been posted upon

it will be offered on Holy Saturday, as they will be burned (along with the old, collected palms) in the Holy Saturday liturgy at 4pm.

KIELBASA ORDERS – Yesterday was a productive kielbasa-making day! If you didn't place a pre-order, there *might* be some left...

OLD PALMS – Old palms have been collected. A reminder that palms are blessed in church today and are to be held in the highest regard. Please do not throw them away – save them and bring them to church next Lent in order for them to be properly disposed of.

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners:

Barbara Baranowski	Jeanette Chambers	John Spilka
Bill & Joan Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun
Stan Dobrowski	Anna Dawidziuk	Frank Dominik
Craig & Judy Atherton	Mary Ann Loschelder	Tom Petrie
Chester & Helen Budney	Floyd & Elaine Rzonca	Amy Dreger
Chester & Ann Warzala	Hilda Grabowski	Louise Cygan
Pat Glatzer	Len Pryer	Johanna Markiewicz

Please pray for family and friends of St. Mary's:

Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Michael Cosevin
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Baby Emma
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	David Vaden
Joanel Rollen	Anne Komorowski	Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Bp. Stanley Bilinski	Muffie B.
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Fr. Gus Sicard	Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysiak	Chris Minch
Alison Jambor	Edna Samelson	Jason Dreger
Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzurhoff	Mike Curran
Chet Nezelkewicz	Rich Dombrowski	Greg Soucie
Coleen Howard	Bp. Thomas Gnat	George Pofok
Mark & Kim Andreas	Caroline O'Connor	Barbara Thome
Jeannie Bartko Muran	Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Doris Repede
Stephanie Milla	John Clark Sr.	Brian Sidle
Al Tomasello	Shannon Alberino	Corey Wasko
George Beggin	Marilyn Girard	Donna Kidd
Rose Kazinetz	Daniel Morgan	

Also those who are in nursing homes or assisted living:

Gene Mora

Polly Gajda

ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING
ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD

Lord, bring all service personnel safely home!!!

Bless them, O Lord.

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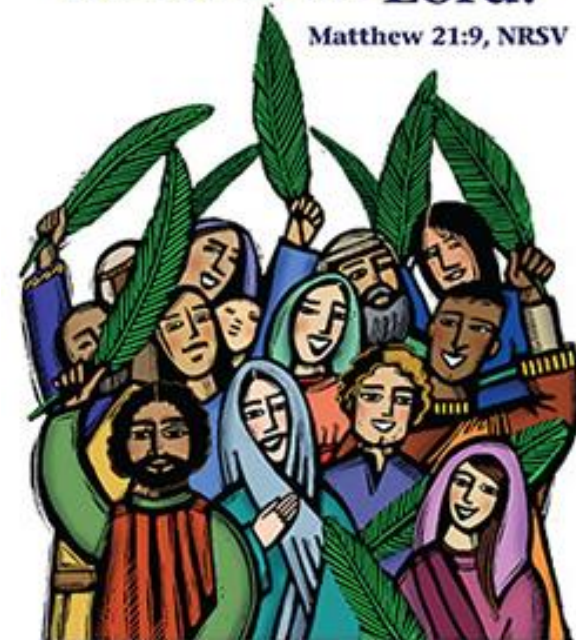
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Palm Sunday – The Sixth Sunday in Lent

**Blessed is the one
who comes in the
name of the Lord!**

Matthew 21:9, NRSV



April 9, 2017

TO OUR VISITORS – We welcome you to St. Mary's today. Please consider joining us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments. We hope you enjoyed your time with us and plan on worshipping with us again.