

St. Mary's

Polish National Catholic Church

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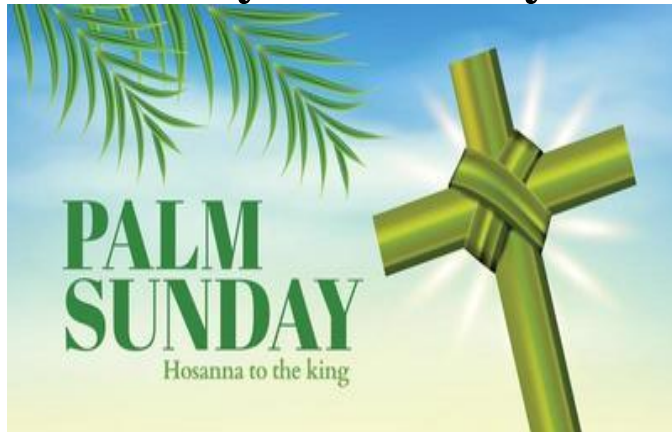
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Palm Sunday -6th Sunday of Lent



April 2nd, 2023

9am Mass: Gene Mora of. by daughter Cherie Kugler

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

Lector – Bob Samelson

Greeters – Gail Perz & Claire Hunek

Collectors – Pete O'Connor & Bob Samelson

- Palm Sunday Procession begins 9am Holy Mass

-Parish Bake Sale and Coffee Hour follows Holy Mass

TO OUR VISITORS – We welcome you to St. Mary's today. Please consider joining us in the Fellowship Hall for our bake sale & some refreshments. We hope you will be with us again!

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, April 3rd

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

6:30pm – Choir Rehearsal

TUESDAY, April 4th

3pm – (Chicago) Diocesan Chrism Mass takes place with elevation of clerics to the order of Sub-Deacon

7pm – Polish Genealogical Society Meets

WEDNESDAY, April 5th

4pm – Weekly Food Ministry provided

6pm – Bible Study meets in Fellowship Hall

THURSDAY, April 6th - Maundy (Holy) Thursday

7pm – Holy Mass of the Institution of the Holy Eucharist with the Mandatum (washing of feet), presentation of Blessed Holy Oils and procession to the Altar of Repose

6-8pm: Women's AA

FRIDAY, April 7th - Good Friday

11am – Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified

3pm – Stations of the Cross and procession of Crucified Christ

7pm – Service of Tenebrae

SATURDAY, April 8th - Holy Saturday

8:30am – 10am – Kolaczki Pickup

Noon – Basket Blessing

3pm – Holy Saturday Liturgy of New Fire followed by Basket Blessing

8pm – AA Meets

SUNDAY, April 9th – Solemnity of our Lord's Resurrection

7am Resurrection Procession and Mass: Glory to God!

10am Traditional Rite Mass: Glory to God!

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

Lector – Marzena Krulik

Greeters – Barb Bogzevitz & Martha Repede

Collectors – Pete Moritz & Gene Stepanik

- Easter Procession and Resurrection Liturgy takes place at the 7am Sunrise Mass.

- Easter Egg Hunt follows 7am Holy Mass only

- Easter Food reception follows 7am & 10am Holy Mass

Announcements

PASSIONTIDE – Passiontide continues, the last two weeks before Easter. It commemorates the solemn turn the church takes in the Lenten Season as Christ prepares for the Passion. You'll notice the crucifixes in church are covered, that the organ is muted at times, and that "Lord for us, your wounds were suffered" replaces "Glory be to the Father..."

CANON – Today, and for most of April, we will use the 3rd Eucharistic prayer on p. 84, the Canon of St. Basil.

LENTEN CROSS – The Mission Team sponsored the raising of the prayer cross once again. All prayers will be offered to Almighty God and burned with the New Fire during the Holy Saturday Liturgy.

NEXT RESTAURANT FUNDRAISER- takes place at Applebees in Independence. There, we will receive 15% on each check on Thursday, April 13 from 11am-close (lunch AND dinner!). Flyers are available near the parish mailboxes for more information.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS –Peace and blessings to all who worshiped our Lord and enjoyed walking the path of Christ these past Lenten Fridays.

CHURCH PROPERTY– We will tentatively hold a clean-up day on Saturday, April 22, beginning at 10am. Anyone can come, and especially helpful would be if you brought your own rakes, shovels, brooms, hedge trimmers, and gardening gloves. Lunch & snacks provided

FOOD COLLECTION – Thanks to all who donated! We collected on behalf of the Parma Hunger Center and our own parish Food Ministry. We partnered with the Polish National Union of America spring program: People Need Us- Roll away the Stone of Hunger, sponsored by PNU District 5 & 12 and hosted by Branch 112.

GOOD FRIDAY – There is a sign up sheet for Good Friday. It is tradition that members of the parish are present before the Blessed Sacrament at the altar of repose on Good Friday – please consider an hour of devotion.

KIELBASA – That smell you smell is the famous choir kielbasa! There is some quantity of kielbasa left for purchase – see Christine Paulus after 9am Mass today.

UPCOMING

Apr 5 – Bible Study
 Apr 6- Holy Thursday
 Apr 7 – Good Friday
 Apr 8 – Holy Saturday
 Apr 8- Kolaczki Pick-up
 Apr 9 – Easter Sunday
 Apr 13-Applebee's Fundraiser
 Apr 16-10am Mass, Parish Potluck/Easter Dinner follows
 Apr 18 – Parish Comm. Meets
 Apr 22-Property Clean-up Day
 Apr 28-9- M & E Nat'l Workshop, Reading, PA
 May 7 – Polish Parade Day
 May 15-17- WD Clergy Conf.
 May 20- Nat'l ANS Convention, Plantsville, CT
 June 2-3- Nat'l Bowling Tourney- Scranton, PA
 June14-17- Men's Retreat
 Aug 26 – Golf Tourney (here)

CHILDREN IN PROCESSION – As a reminder, we ask that you allow your children to process in the processions of Palm Sunday (9am Mass) and Easter Sunday (7am Mass). We also ask children to be present for the 3pm service on Good Friday.

KOLACZKI – For Easter are available by filling out the forms available in the Fellowship Hall. A container has 24 kolaczki for \$15 and is available baked or unbaked. Pickup is Holy Saturday, Apr. 8 8:30-10am.

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners, family and friends:

Helen Cummings	Pattie Dotson	John Spilka
Clarenece Sobocinski	Marty Bengela	June Zaun
Johanna Markiewicz	Anna Dawidziuk	Barb & Jim Lukas
Bill & Pat Glatzer	Mary Ann Loschelder	David Micka
Hilda Grabowski	Jim Giles	Mike Matis
Andy Cannizzaro	Lew Heifner	Claire Hunek
Nancy Kohut	Millie Dominik	Amy Dreger
Jack Spilka	John Wisniewski	Elaine Repede
Steve & Astrid Wisniewski	George Ziefle	Joseph Bischoff
Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Bob Kaczmarek
Michelle Ostrowski	Jane Hunter	Jo Orlovski
Jay Grabowski	Pam Chesar	Kenny Mach
Jeff Lukas	Bill Zychowski	Jennifer Kmitt
Laina Dachtal	Ben Parojcic	Paulette Lilli
Cherise Pacanovsky	Loretta Baldwin	Cecelia Hall
Jeremy Steinbreck	Doreen Stanley	Louise Moritz
Richard & Edna Samelson	Cathy Pieciak	Daniel Morgan
Ron & Jill Joreski	Bryson Dzurhoff	Sheri Sefcik
Rich Dombrowski	ShaunaSmullen	Diane Black
Sue Ann Penney	Stephanie Milla	Dan Ewanko
Kathleen Sobocinski	Caroline O'Connor	Linda Marks
Linda & Rick Duffy	Marilyn Girard	Patrick Kmitt
James & Bobbi Moss	Robert Owen Miller	Mary Cawley
George & Linda Makovicka	Shannon Alberino	Kim Penney
Wojciech Federowicz	George Bennett	Phil Repko
Fr. Jim Ploskonka	Greg Banaszak	Bill Kastak

ALL WHO ARE IN NURSING HOMES OR ASSISTED LIVING

ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING

ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD

Bless them, O Lord.

Poblogoslaw im, O Boze