

March 3, 2024



Our Lady of the Lake

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Third Sunday of Lent

Since the Passover of the Jews was near, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area. — Jn 2:13b-15a

Schedule of Masses

4:00 pm (Saturday Vigil)

Sunday Masses

7:00 am, 8:45 am

10:30 am (Live streamed)

12:30 pm (Spanish/Español)

5:00 pm

Weekdays

Mon. 8:30 am & 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Tues.-Fri. 8:30 am & 5:30 pm

Sat 8:30 am

First Friday Mass with Anointing

8:30 am & 5:30 pm

Confessions

Monday & Wednesday 9:00 am - 9:30 am

Tuesday & Thursday 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Saturday 9:00 am - 9:30 am

First Friday 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

First Saturday 7:00 am - 7:30 am

(or by appointment)

Holy Hour with Benediction

Tuesday 9:00 am or Friday 3:00 pm

Morning Prayer

Monday - Friday 7:30 am

Rosary

Monday - Saturday 7:50 am

Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick 928-855-2685



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The law liberates and leads us to freedom. It is to be trusted for it is a source of wisdom. Jesus speaks of the ultimate freedom to be won for us by his being raised up. He is the sign of the power and wisdom of God.

Pastor's Corner

The Value of Fasting

Beloved Parishioners,

Fasting is one of the core aspects of Lent and the goal of fasting is to discipline our minds, body and spirit and draw close to God in a more profound way. All the major religions of the world especially, Christianity, Islam and Judaism have fasting as one of their religious duties. The familiar days of fasting from the Apostolic times are Wednesday and Fridays. The Friday fasting is mostly observed in many Christian cultures to recall the day of the Crucifixion. The scripture, both Old and New Testament, is filled with references with fasting. In the Book of Joel 12:2 we read "Even now declared the Lord, return to me with all your heart, with fasting, weeping, and mourning." In the New Testament, Jesus himself gave us an example of fasting in scriptures. "Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. And he fasted forty days and forty nights and afterwards he was hungry." This happened at the beginning of His public ministry; it shows us how Jesus went into fasting and prayer before He began His public ministry. It tells us the need of fasting and prayer whenever we are to embark on any project of importance.

Fasting also helps us draw close to God in a deep spiritual journey. When fasting we deny ourselves food, drink or some pleasure and focus more on God. The essence of fasting is not to reduce weight but to rid us of unnecessary attachments, which become obstacles to giving ourselves completely to God.

Lent gives us a very graceful opportunity to fast as we journey with the Lord in these forty days of sacred period which includes fasting, prayer, and almsgiving. Fasting from food and drink are not the only things that we can fast from. We can fast from too much time on TV/Movie to maintain the discipline of the eyes. We can also fast from social media and

secular music to control our distraction. We can also fast from bad words and hurtful words against others to look inwards and see if we are not doing the same thing against those we judge and criticize. We can also fast from slander, jealousy and pride which destroy our relationship with God and one another. These other aspects of fasting are necessary as they are part of the self-restraint and discipline of Lent. However, there are those who cannot fast from food because of health challenges or age; but fasting from sin is encouraged for everyone.

Furthermore, fasting and prayers go together because whenever we are fasting, we are in the spirit of prayers and God's Holy Spirit becomes more present in our lives. There are numerous spiritual benefits one gets from embarking on fasting. It helps to hear deeper God's voice in our lives as the period of fasting restrains us from falling into occasions of sin. Embarking on fasting for spiritual growth can help to discover some hidden sins that we may not have confessed. Fasting also helps us build a closer relationship with God. We become sober internally which allows us to seek God's face in a more profound way that brings us closer to God. Fasting can teach us to pray with the right motives. At times, our motives can be disordered as we come before God in prayer but during the fasting period the motives are most often better directed. In fasting we recognize our need for God who comes to fill our heart and desires. Finally fasting helps us build a strong prayer pattern.

Beloved parishioners, as part of our Lenten observances I encourage everyone to decide on the nature of fasting to embark on this period. Remember, as I said earlier, that whatever you give up as part of your fasting should be used for the good of others, especially the needy and the poor.

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Theme: A Loving and Obedient Relationship with God Brings Peace

3rd Sunday of Lent Year B, March 3, 2024

1st Reading Exodus 20:1-17, 2nd Reading 1 Corinthians 1:22-25, Gospel John 2:13-35

In today's first reading we are called to a complete obedience and respect for God's commandment if we are to maintain a good relationship with God and with one another. God's commandment is designed for our good and when we obey it for what it is, it gives meaning to our lives as the only way we can demonstrate our love for God is to keep His commandments. Thus, Jesus tells us in John's Gospel "If you love me keep my commandment." Jn 14:15

Today's Gospel describes the encounter between Jesus and the temple officials within the courtyard of the temple as the Passover of the Jews draws near. The area may be what we call today the Narthex, the space between the main Church and outside of the church building. The Passover is the greatest of all the Jewish feasts. Everyone flocks to Jerusalem to celebrate this great feast because of its significance in the lives of the Jews. Thus, part of the celebration would require certain sacrifices that would be made in the temple. Those who come for the feast would need to buy the required animal for participation in the temple worship. Many need to change their foreign currency to local currency to be able to purchase the animal needed for the sacrifice. This created an occasion of exploitation of these pilgrims and neglecting the essence of the main sacrifice. The law says that every adult male Jew who lives within fifteen miles of Jerusalem was bound to attend it. It was not only the Jews in Palestine who came to the Passover but Jews all over the world as it was the dream of every Jew, no matter the land he stays to celebrate at least one Passover in Jerusalem.

This desire to celebrate the Passover in Jerusalem coupled with all the required taxes every male of a certain age is meant to pay turned the temple court a

place of exploitation instead of a place of worship. Moreover, this exploitation is happening in the house of God against those who have come to worship God with a pure heart and mind. These acts of wickedness in the hearts of temple religious officials were what moved Jesus to kick them out of the temple.

Jesus comes to purify the temple to restore it as a place designated primarily for true worship and sacrifice to God. By His action He identifies Himself as the new and living temple in which the divine presence dwells. As members of Christ's body, we need to constantly purify ourselves of anything that obstructs us from listening to the word of God and obeying His commandment. As can be seen, these actions brought a lack of reverence to temple that is meant to be a Holy and Sacred place. Worship without reverence can be terrible as it becomes a worship which does not recognize the holiness of God. That made Prophet Isaiah to say, "This people draw near with their mouth and honour me with their lips, while their hearts are far from me." Isaiah 29:13.

This is an invitation to examine ourselves and how we revere the places of worship in our individual lives, especially when we enter the church. It equally calls for an evaluation on the Church authority if fundraising for some projects has taken over the true worship of God in our Churches and celebration. The example of Jesus in today's Gospel calls for a rethink of how we revere places of worship, by our actions and dressing in the Church. As we journey in this Lent let us equally draw closer to God by a life of repentance, purification, and prayer by listening to God's word.

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Divine Wings Gala



You have been drafted to a M.A.S.H. themed dinner and dance gala. The gala will be on Saturday, April 20, 2024 at 6:30 pm at the Havasu Air Center. We want you there so save the date! More information to come.

Online Giving

Scan this QR code to visit our Online Giving Site.

Thank you for your donations!



Mass Intentions & Readings

Sunday	March 3	Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17 1 Cor 1:22-25	Jn 2:13-25	7:00 am Parishioners 8:45 am Mel Weiss † 10:30 am Corine Whitridge † 12:30 pm Jesus Landeros & Victor Alfonso Magdaleno † 5:00 pm Fred Perretta † 8:30 am Bill Reynolds 5:30 pm Jane & Gil Krische S/I 8:30 am Joe Meffert 5:30 pm Sister Genevieve SBS † 8:30 am Arlen Klostermeier † 5:30 pm For the New Martyrs 8:30 am Barb Stiers † 5:30 pm Erminia Ontiveros † 8:30 am Charles Ronnie Chaumont † 5:30 pm Joanne Huggins † 8:30 am Thomas Osvoid † 4:00 pm Deacon Patrick Toilolo H/B 7:00 am Uranie Laplace S/I 8:45 am Robert Streeter † 10:30 am Medy Kinzie H/B 12:30 pm Parishioners 5:00 pm Laurie Ann Mildenberger †	(Ione Weiss) (MaryAnn Hill) (Familia Cortes Aldaco) (Perretta Family) (Sylvia Reynolds) (Dale & Angela Hancock) (Mary Meffert) (Judith Vaughn) (School Staff) (Marianne Misiak) (Linda Ontiveros) (Randy & Chere Bartlett) (Karen Whinnery) (The Stowers Family) (OLOL Staff) (Uranie Laplace) (Gene McClead) (Betancourt Family) (Mom & Dad)
Monday	March 4	2 Kgs 5:1-15ab	Lk 4:24-30		
Tuesday	March 5	Dn 3:25, 34-43	Mt 18:21-35		
Wednesday	March 6	Dt 4:1, 5-9	Mt 5:17-19		
Thursday	March 7	Jer 7:23-28	Lk 11:14-23		
Friday	March 8	Hos 14:2-10	Mk 12:28-34		
Saturday	March 9	Hos 6:1-6 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23 Eph 2:4-10	Lk 18:9-14 Jn 3:14-21		
Sunday	March 10	2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23 Eph 2:4-10	Jn 3:14-21		



Pope's Prayer Intentions for March - For the New Martyrs
We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

Calling All Carpenters

Do you do woodworking? Can you make shelves? We are looking for some parishioners to volunteer to make some shelving and cabinets for the parish. If you can volunteer your time, talent, and tools, please contact Patti at the Parish Office at 928-855-2685. Thank you for your thoughtful consideration to this request.



Parish Council Meeting

All Parishioners are invited to take part in our next Parish Council Meeting. We will meet on Tuesday, March 12, 2024 at 5:30 pm in the JP II Garage. If you have questions, please call 928-855-2685.

Hand Carved in Bethlehem

Please stop by the Tables of Religious Wares (Nativity set, rosaries, statues, crucifixes, charms, etc.) after all the Masses the weekend of March 2 & 3, 2024. Ayman Khair is representing about 180 Christian families from Bethlehem. These families have been dependent upon sales of their hand carved religious articles to tourists of the Holy Land. Due to the conflict in the Middle East and the Pandemic, tourism has been stopped completely from March 2, 2020, till February 2022, and now because of what is going on in the Holy Land tourism has stopped completely. It is very important to support them at this critical time, since they have no income and there is no tourism at all. In order to survive, they have turned to Christian communities in the United States to purchase their articles. These **hand carved religious articles are beyond description**. Carved from **wood of the sacred Olive tree**, this workmanship has been traditional for these families for hundreds of years. It is hoped that through the efforts of Mr. Khair, these families who have little income are able to stay alive and survive in the Holy Land. Sadly enough, the Christian population dropped from 22% to less than 2% in the last 20 years. Thank you in advance for your support.



Our Lady of the Lake Gift Shop

Shop Hours:

Monday through Friday

9:00 am—12:00 Noon

Saturday 3:00 pm—6:00 pm

Sunday 7:00 am—2:00 pm

New Merchandise arriving weekly.

Baptism, 1st Holy Communion,
and Confirmation items available.

New crucifix's and Rosaries also available.

Thank you for supporting our Gift Shop!

March Anniversaries

Couples that will be celebrating their Wedding Anniversary during the month of March will have an opportunity to receive a special blessing, at all the Masses celebrated this weekend on March 2nd & 3rd.

Catholic Men's Fellowship Group

We are a group of men who come together every first Thursday of the month from 7:00 am to 8:00 am to pray and share our faith. Our next meeting is on Thursday, March 7, 2024, in the Holy Family Parish Center. Just bring your Bible, we furnish the rest, including breakfast.

Help Needed at the Soup Kitchen

The Soup Kitchen Ministry needs volunteers! We are looking for individuals to help prepare the meals; this involves a full day commitment on either Tuesdays or Thursdays on a year round basis. Positions are also available on Saturday mornings. Please join us to help those in need within our community. Please contact Linda Nitschke at 928-855 2685.

Easter Flowers

What better way to express
your joy in the risen Lord than
to adorn His Altar at Easter!

We will be accepting donations
for flowers to decorate the sanctuary throughout
the Easter season. Your donation may be made
in memory of a loved one or for your own
special reasons. In the coming week, look out for
the envelopes provided in your envelope packet
or in the pews, and return them prior to Palm
Sunday, April 2nd. The envelopes may be placed
in the collection basket or brought to the Parish
Office.



*Thank you for
your Stewardship*



Plate Collection for February 24 & 25, 2024

Envelope, Loose Checks & Cash **\$18,698.00**

Online Giving Feb. 19 - Feb. 25 - Plate Collection

(Please visit www.ourladyofthelakeromancatholicparish.org to establish an online giving account.)

Regular \$3,581.00

Regular total \$22,279.00

Budgeted for the week of February 25th \$30,000.00

Deficit: \$7,721.00

This does not include the school financials.

Thank You for Supporting Religious Education

Many thanks to all our Parishioners who assisted in our fundraising efforts to help our Catechists get to the RE Congress in Anaheim, California.



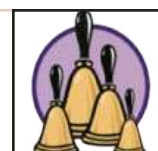
Celebrate St. Joseph



Please join us on Tuesday, March 19, 2024 in St. Joseph Hall for breakfast to celebrate St. Joseph, following the 8:30 am Mass. There will be no Tuesdays with Mary. Breakfast will be hosted by Our Lady of the Lake Roman Catholic Parish. Please call the Parish Office at 928-855-2685 to RSVP.

Bell Choir

We are looking for new members to bring back our Bell Choir. Practices are held on Wednesday evenings. If you are interested in joining, please call Martha at 928-855-2685.



Campaña anual de Caridad y Desarrollo

Hoy comienza la campaña anual de Caridad y Desarrollo. Gracias a los que han dado su donación al CDA! Por favor de su donación al CDA entrando al sito de internet www.give.dphx.org

A Spiritual Journey to Spain, France & Portugal

October 11-24, 2024

14-Days Tour

\$6,095 (All Inclusive)

With 25 Participants

Join Father Tony as we tour Sagrada Familia, Barcelona Gothic Quarter, Lourdes, San Sebastian, Leon, Santiago de Compostela, Fatima and Lisbon.



For more information, please pick up a flyer in the Narthex or at the Parish Office or you may call Alex International Tours at 928-486-3104/928-486-3990.

If interested, please call the Parish Office at 928-855-2685.

A \$100 discount will be given to those who sign up and pay the \$1,500.00 deposit before March 6, 2024.



High School Retreat

For students in grades 9 through 12 of High School. Our High School Retreat will be on Friday, March

8th from 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm and Saturday, March 9th from 8:00 am to 2:30 pm. The fee is \$35 for the retreat.

Lunch will be served on Saturday. Please bring a refillable water bottle and wear closed toe shoes. You are encouraged to bring a notebook & pen! Please sign up with Elliott Seidel in the Parish Office or after

Youth Ministry sessions on

Wednesdays at 8:00 pm. For any questions or concerns please call 928-855-2685 or email eseidel@ourladylh.org.

Charity and Development Appeal

The annual Charity and Development Appeal has begun. Thank you to those who have already made their gift to the CDA! Please make your gift to the CDA at www.give.dphx.org.

Fridays During Lent

8:30 am Mass followed by

All Day Adoration

9:00 am to 5:30 pm

Mass - 5:30 pm

Stations of the Cross

6:10 pm—English—Outside

6:20 pm—English—Inside Church

6:30 pm—Spanish—Outside



Christ in the Neighborhood You're invited!

Join us for round 2!

April-June 2024

Third Saturday of the month

4:30-6:30 pm

(Once placed in a small group, the day may change if necessary to accommodate the personal group's schedules)

"The small group setting allows for people to share their life stories... stories which we would never hear just meeting them at the Church or at a meeting. We heard an incredible story. We now feel a connection with that fellow parishioner, a bond that wasn't there before. Our relationship is forever changed."

- Sherry Ketner

"I love going to the homes, getting to know people better, and hearing their stories. This is great! I love it." - Fr. Tony Okolo

"I got to meet some friends, and even got to know some people I have seen many times at Church but never spend time with.

Good company, good food, good stories-and best of all was sharing stories of faith. We build each other up."

- Melanie Sarino

Registration forms are in the Narthex. Fill out and leave in the gift Shop, offertory, or Parish Office.

MARY'S PRAYER GARDEN

Have you seen

Mary's Prayer Garden?

If you have any questions or are interested in purchasing a brick, there will be a representative in the Narthex before and after Masses the weekend of March 9th and 10th or you may contact Rosalie Smith at 928- 846-2601.



Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court #2213

CDA Bunco & Luncheon

The Catholic Daughters are sponsoring Bunco at the Columbian Hall located at 186 London Bridge Road on Saturday, March 9, 2024. Doors open 11:00am, Lunch is served at 11:30 am. The cost is \$10.00. For more information or reservations, please call Phoebe Miller at 909-806-0456.



Golf Cart Drivers

We are currently looking for volunteers who are able to drive the golf cart around the parking lot before & after Sunday Masses to assist Parishioners who have trouble walking from their car to the Church. Volunteers must have Safe Environment Training, be at least 25 years old, and have a valid driver's license. Please call the Parish Office at 928-855-2685 to volunteer.

Havasu Columbian Bingo

Join us to play or volunteer! We have two sessions at our Columbian Hall located at 186 London Bridge Road every week:
Mon. - Doors open 4 pm, Games start 6 pm
Wed. - Doors open 11 am, Games start 1 pm
Volunteers are needed! If you have questions or wish to volunteer, please call Denise at 619-805-5145



CRS Rice Bowl For Lent, For Life

What you give up for Lent changes lives. Please pick up a Rice Bowl box in the Narthex of the Church. Please return your offering to the Gift Shop or the Parish Office before Holy Thursday, March 28, 2024. For more information, please visit crsricebowl.org.



The Oremus Rosary Makers meet the first Thursday of the month. Our next meeting will be March 7, 2024 at 9:30 am in St. Joseph Hall. If you would like more information on becoming a member, or would like to donate to our cause of making rosaries to send throughout the world to the needy, please contact Annette Troffer at 661-972-1070 or Janel Silva at 928-706-6565.

Good to be Catholic



Come join us for the Lenten Experience, as we delve into our Catholic tradition and culture. We will embolden our senses with excellent Lenten food and drink. Come & see how Lent is an important time of awakening through the restoration of faith, repentance, and the Paschal Mystery as remedy.

The Kitchen Confessional is the setting for our next session. Please join us on Monday, March 4, 2024 at 6:00 pm in the Church. Fr. Michael will highlight various cultural samplings of Lenten Cuisine and drink that will stir our appetites for knowledge of why it's Good to be Catholic!



Virtue of the Month

Since 2017, Our Lady of the Lake Catholic School has been teaching the Virtues Program developed by the Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist in Ann Arbor. Our goal is to unite all aspects of our Parish by continuing to incorporate this program. Each month we will share in learning about a Virtue, applying it to our lives, and finding inspiration from the Saints and Scripture supporting the Virtue. The Virtue for March is responsibility.

**We Are
HIRING**

New Position
8TH GRADE

Job description and application information can be found at the diocesan website:
<https://catholiccatholic.org/tw12.com/home/index.asp>

Also accepting applications for:

- Substitute Certified Teachers
- Substitute support staff (call the school office)

QUESTIONS
Call the school office
928-855-0154

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GRADES

- PreK3, PreK4
- Kindergarten
- First
- Second
- Third
- Fourth
- Fifth
- Sixth
- Seventh
- Eighth

QUESTIONS CALL BARD 928-855-0154

Family Focus

Christ Centered

Enrolling now

Enrolling now

2024-2025 ACADEMIC YEAR

Our Lady of the Lake Calendar of Events March 2024

Sunday 03 Mass Times 7:00 am, 8:45 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm & 5:00 pm Anniversary Blessings After all Masses Coffee & Donuts after Morning Masses Olivewood Sales Before & After all Morning Masses	Monday 04 Church - 8:30 am Mass & 7:00 pm Spanish Mass Confessions 9:00 am to 9:30 am St. Joseph Hall Jr. High Youth Ministry 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm Church Good to Be Catholic 6:00 pm HFPC - JPC 7:00 pm	Tuesday 05 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass Tuesdays with Mary 9:00 am Confessions 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm HFPC - OCIA 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm St. Joseph Hall Pilgrimage Meeting 5:30 pm	Wednesday 06 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass Confessions 9:00 am to 9:30 am School - Religious Education Elementary Catechism 3:15 pm St. Joseph Hall High School Youth Ministry 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm	Thursday 07 HFPC Men's Group - 7:00 am Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass St. Joseph Hall - 9:30 am Rosary Makers Meeting JPH Garage - 9:30 am Women's Bible Study School - Growing Disciples 1:30 pm School - Special Sacraments Class 3:30 pm Confessions 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm HFPC - 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study Church - Choir Practice 6:30 pm	Friday 08 All Day Adoration Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass JPH - Break Open the Word 9:00 am to 11:00 am Church - Holy Hour 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm Stations of the Cross 6:10 pm- English- Outside 6:20 pm- English- Inside Church 6:30 pm- Spanish- Outside High School Retreat 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm	Saturday 09 High School Retreat 8:00 am to 2:30 pm Church - 8:30 am Mass Confessions 9:00 am to 9:30 am Church - 4:00 pm Sunday Vigil Mass Mary's Prayer Garden Brick Sales before and after Mass in the narthex Knights of Columbus Membership Drive before & after Vigil Mass
Sunday 10 Mass Times 7:00 am, 8:45 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm & 5:00 pm Coffee & Donuts after morning Masses Mary's Prayer Garden Brick Sales before and after Mass in the Narthex Knights of Columbus Membership Drive before & after all Masses	Monday 11 Church - 8:30 am Mass & 7:00 pm Spanish Mass St. Joseph Hall Jr. High Youth Ministry 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm HFPC - JPC 7:00 pm	Tuesday 12 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass Tuesdays with Mary 9:00 am Confessions 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm HFPC - OCIA 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm JPH Garage Parish Council Meeting 5:30 pm HFPC - Catechist Meeting 6:00 pm	Wednesday 13 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass Confessions 9:00 am - 9:30 am School - Religious Education Elementary Catechism 3:15 pm St. Joseph Hall High School Youth Ministry 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm	Thursday 14 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass JPH Garage - 9:30 am Women's Bible Study St. Joseph Hall - Catholic Daughter's Meeting 10:00 am St. Joseph Hall - Jr. Catholic Daughter's Meeting 1:00 pm School - Growing Disciples 1:30 pm School - Special Sacraments Class 3:30 pm Confessions 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm Church - Choir Practice 6:30 pm HFPC - 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	Friday 15 All Day Adoration Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass JPH - Break Open the Word 9:00 am to 11:00 am Church - Holy Hour 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm Stations of the Cross 6:10 pm- English- Outside 6:20 pm- English- Inside Church 6:30 pm- Spanish- Outside Parish Office & School Closed	Saturday 16 Church - 8:30 am Mass Confessions 9:00 am - 9:30 am St. Thomas More Room Companions on the Journey 10:30 am Church - 4:00 pm Sunday Vigil Mass
Sunday 17 Mass Times 7:00 am, 8:45 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm & 5:00 pm Catholic Daughters of the Americas & Knights of Columbus Corporate Communion Mass 8:45 am Coffee & Donuts after morning Masses	Monday 18 Church - 8:30 am Mass St. Joseph Hall Jr. High Youth Ministry 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm Church - Communal Penance Service 5:30 pm HFPC - JPC 7:00 pm	Tuesday 19 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass St. Joseph Hall St. Joseph Celebration Following Morning Mass Tuesdays with Mary 9:00 am Confessions 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm HFPC-OCIA 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm	Wednesday 20 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass Confessions 9:00 am - 9:30 am St. Joseph Hall High School Youth Ministry 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm	Thursday 21 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass JPH Garage - 9:30 am Women's Bible Study Confessions 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm Church - Choir Practice 6:30 pm HFPC - 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study	Friday 22 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass JPH - Break Open the Word 9:00 am to 11:00 am Church - Holy Hour 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm St. Joseph Hall Knights of Columbus Lenten Meal 6:00 pm Stations of the Cross 6:10 pm- English- Outside 6:20 pm- English- Inside Church 6:30 pm- Spanish- Outside	Saturday 23 Church - 8:30 am Mass Confessions 9:00 am - 9:30 am Church - 4:00 pm Sunday Vigil Mass
Sunday 24 Palm Sunday Mass Times 7:00 am, 8:45 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm & 5:00 pm Coffee & Donuts after morning Masses	Monday 25 Church - 8:30 am Mass St. Joseph Hall Jr. High Youth Ministry 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm Church - Altar Servers Practice 6:00 pm HFPC - JPC 7:00 pm	Tuesday 26 Church - 5:30 pm Mass Tuesdays with Mary 9:00 am Confessions 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm HFPC-OCIA 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm Church - Practice for Holy Thursday & Good Friday 6:30 pm	Wednesday 27 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass Confessions 9:00 am - 9:30 am School - Religious Education Elementary Catechism 3:15 pm St. Joseph Hall High School Youth Ministry 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm Church - 7:00 pm Tenebrae Confessions After Tenebrae	Thursday 28 Church - 8:30 am & 5:30 pm Mass JPH Garage - 9:30 am Women's Bible Study St. Joseph Hall - Jr. Catholic Daughter's Meeting 1:00 pm School - Growing Disciples 1:30 pm School - Special Sacraments Class 3:30 pm Church - 7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper	Friday 29 JPH - Break Open the Word 9:00 am to 11:00 am Confessions 10:00 am - 12:00 pm Live passion - 1:30 pm Church - Veneration of the Cross 3:00 pm St. Joseph Hall - Soup served 5:00 pm Stations of the Cross 6:10 pm- English- Outside 6:20 pm- English- Inside Church 6:30 pm- Spanish- Outside Parish Office & School Closed	Saturday 30 Confession 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Blessing of Easter Breads 12:00 pm Church - 7:30 pm Easter Vigil Mass

ENTRANCE SONG

Christ in me Arise

Trevor Thompson

Christ in me arise and dispel all the darkness. Christ in me arise with your power and your strength. Christ in me pour out your blessing and healing. Christ in me arise and I shall rise with you. You. You.

Be now my vision; open these eyes, showing me all that I must see. Onward to the kingdom, you are the way. Arise in me and I shall rise with you.

Be now my foot-steps, leading the way, taking me where I must go. Onward to the kingdom, you are the way. Arise in me and I shall rise with you.

Psalm 19

Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

OFFERTORY SONG

You Are Near

Dan Schutte

Refrain: O Lord, I know you are near, standing always at my side. You guard me from the foe, and you lead me in ways everlasting.

Lord, you have searched my heart, and you know when I sit and when I stand. Your hand is upon me protecting me from death, keeping me from harm.

Where can I run from your love? If I climb to the heavens you are there; if I fly to the sunrise or sail beyond the sea, still I'd find you there.

Prayer to Saint Michael, the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

COMMUNION SONG

Change Our Hearts

Rory Cooney

Refrain: Change our hearts this time, your word says it can be. Change our minds, this time, Your life could make us free. We are the people Your call set apart, Lord this time change our hearts.

Brought by your hand to the edge of our dreams. One foot in paradise, one in the waste. Drawn by your promises, still we are lured by the shadows and the chains we leave behind.

Now as we watch you stretch out your hands, offering abundances, fullness of joy. Your milk and honey seem distant, unreal, when we have bread and water in our hands.

Show us the way that leads to your side, over the mountains and sands of the soul. Be for us manna, water from stone, light which says we never walk alone.

CLOSING SONG

Jerusalem, My Destiny

Rory Cooney

Refrain: I have fixed my eyes on your hills, Jerusalem, my destiny! Though I cannot see the end for me, I cannot turn away. We have set our hearts for the way; this journey is our destiny. Let no one walk alone. The journey makes us one.

In my thirst, you let me drink the waters of your life. Here among you I have met the savior, Jesus Christ.

The Unity Prayer

MY ADORABLE JESUS,
MAY OUR FEET JOURNEY TOGETHER.
MAY OUR HANDS GATHER IN UNITY.
MAY OUR HEARTS BEAT IN UNISON.
MAY OUR SOULS BE IN HARMONY.
MAY OUR THOUGHTS BE AS ONE.
MAY OUR EARS LISTEN TO
THE SILENCE TOGETHER.
MAY OUR GLANCES
PROFOUNDLY
PENETRATE EACH OTHER.
MAY OUR LIPS PRAY TOGETHER TO
GAIN MERCY FROM THE ETERNAL FATHER.
AMEN

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CANTO DE ENTRADA

Tu Palabra Me Da Vida

Juan A. Espinosa

**Tu palabra me da vida, confío en Ti, Señor.
Tu palabra es eterna en ella esperaré.**

Dichoso el que, con vida intachable, camina en la ley del Señor. Dichoso el que, guardando sus preceptos, lo busca de todo corazón.

Postrada en el polvo está mi alma; devuélvame la vida tu palabra. Mi alma está llena de tristeza; consuélame, Señor, con tus promesas.

Salmo 18

Señor, tu tienes palabras de vida eterna.

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Luis Alfredo Díaz

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El también camina entre todos ellos, un rostro radiante en la multitud; y pocos le notan, más cuando le notan, detienen su marcha, y siguen tras El.

Y así poco a poco un pueblo se forma que vive en el mundo, pero no es de el, que tiene problemas, como todos ellos, pero no parece padecer por ello.

ORACIÓN PARA HACER UNA COMUNIÓN ESPIRITUAL

(Para aquellos que no pueden recibir la comunión en este momento)

**Creo Señor mío que estás realmente presente en el Santísimo Sacramento del altar. Te amo sobre todas las cosas y deseo ardientemente recibirte dentro de mi alma; pero, no pudiendo hacerlo ahora sacramentalmente, ven al menos espiritualmente a mi corazón. Y como si te hubiese recibido, te abrazo y me uno todo a Ti
Oh Señor, no permitas que me separe de Ti.
Amen.**

CANTO DE COMUNIÓN

Espero en Ti, Señor

Santiago Fernandez

Espero en ti, Señor, mi alma confía en tu palabra. Como el centinela a la aurora, mi alma te espera, Señor.

Desde el abismo clamo a ti Señor, escucha mi clamor. Estén atentos tus oídos, mi Dios, a la suplica de mi voz.

Desde el abismo clamo a ti Señor, escucha mi clamor. Ten misericordia de mi, Señor, libérame con tu perdón.

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Oración a San Miguel Arcángel

San Miguel Arcángel, defiéndenos en la lucha; sé nuestro amparo contra la maldad y asechanzas del demonio. Pedimos suplicantes que Dios lo mantenga bajo su imperio; y tu, Príncipe de la milicia celestial, arroja al infierno, con el poder divino, a Satanás y a los otros espíritus malvados que andan por el mundo para la perdición de las almas. Amén.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

(For those who are not able to receive Communion at this time)

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separate from you. Amen

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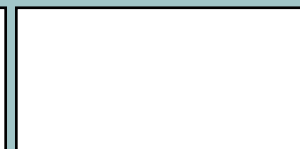
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