## Saint John the **Baptist**

## Latin Mass Community

# An Apostolate of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter

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Sunday: 7am and 11am Mon. & Tues.: 7:15am Wed., Thur., Fri.: 6pm Saturday: 8am Holy Days of Obligation: 7:15am & 7pm

Confession offered 30 min. before all Masses or by appointment +++



**Weddings**: Please inquire 6 months prior to intended date.

Schola: Wednesdays after 6 PM
Mass
Choir: Sundays after 11AM Mass

#### **BULLETIN WEEK 12**

#### 2015

## **Liturgical Calendar and Mass Intentions**

Sun. Mar 22	Passion Sunday (1st cl.)
7:00 am	Pro Populo
11:00 am	Souls in Purgatory
Mon. Mar 23	Feria of Passiontide (3 <sup>rd</sup> cl.)
7:15 am	Souls in Purgatory
Tues. Mar 24	Feria of Passiontide (3 <sup>rd</sup> cl.)
7:15 am	Souls in Purgatory
Wed. Mar 25	Annunciation of the BV Mary (1st cl.)
7:15 am	Celebrant's Intention
7:00 pm	FSSP Priests
Thurs. Mar 26	Feria of Passiontide (3 <sup>rd</sup> cl.)
6:00 pm	Emma Hanson
Fri. Mar 27	Feria of Passiontide (3 <sup>rd</sup> cl.)
6:00 pm	Confraternity of St. Peter
Sat. Mar 28	Feria of Passiontide (3 <sup>rd</sup> cl.)
8:00 am	Confraternity of St. Peter
Sun. Mar 29	Palm Sunday (1st cl.)
7:00 am	Pro Populo
11:00 am	Jake Molder+

WELCOME visitors! St. Edmund Campion missals/hymnals are available in the back of the church. At the traditional Mass, Holy Communion is received on the tongue, and kneeling, if possible. There no need to respond 'Amen'. Chapel veils to borrow are available in the foyer of the church. If you would like to register to join the community, fill out a census form, found on the table in the back of the church, and turn in to Fr. Magiera.

#### By the Numbers For the Week of 8 March, 2015

Sunday Mass Attendance: 7:00 am = 11 11:00 am = 158 Total = 169

Regular Collection: \$ 1,715.54 Total Deposits: \$ 1,715.54

Daily Mass attendance for week: 52

Confessions for week: 17

<u>Propers for Today's Mass</u>: The Propers for Passion Sunday can be found on page 125 of the Campion Missal/Hymnal.

**Religious Instruction** for First Communicants will take place today after the 11:00 am Mass. Adult catechism will meet Monday, March 23.

**Feast of The Annunciation**: Two Masses on the feast of The Annunciation at 7:15 am and Sung Mass 7:00 pm.

<u>Knights of the Altar</u> will meet on Saturday March 28 after the 8:00 am Mass. All servers are required to attend.

Final Stations of the Cross will begin at 6:45 pm, Friday, 27 March.

**NOTE:** Please volunteer to help the Hand Maids of the Lord clean church on April 4 which is Holy Saturday.

<u>Mass Schedule</u>: There will be NO Masses offered on Easter Monday (April 6) and Tuesday (April 7). Father Magiera will be away for a meeting on April 13, 14, 15, and 16. There will be no Masses offered here that week, but the intentions for those Masses will be said by Father while he is in Nebraska.

Annual Rummage Sale: Several people have asked about having our annual rummage sale. Spring will be a good time to clean house, garage, and attic for donations to a sale. Details have not all been worked out, but we are considering Friday May 1 and Saturday May 2. Start looking for items to donate and watch bulletin for more details.

<u>The Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter</u> is hosting a two-week, outdoor summer camp for boys ages 13 to 15 years old at Custer State Park located in South Dakota. For more information please visit www.seminarycamps.wordpress.com

Please Remember these Prayer Intentions: For the living: John Wade (Afghanistan), Janet Sorrels (health), June Gardner (health), Christopher Bogowith (health), Gary Crouch (health), Karola Kozlowska, Ludwik Kozlowski, Jr., Christopher Brady (health), Cameron Intruzo Hadreca (health), Diane D. Wolfe (health), John Farrell (health), Linda Barry (health), Crawford Family.

And for the dead: John Andrew Makovec, Sue Whitehead, David Crockett, Shawn Trusty, Donald Greer, Gail Brooks, Patrick W. Kordsmeier, Scott Shiplett, James Steven Moore, Vergie Crimmins, Bill Barry, John Tully, Ron Prince, Lenora Price, Dorothy Lochner, Myrtle Powers, Gregory Backus, Billy-Joe Campbell, James Honeycutt, Sandra Friedl, Isadore L. Sonnier, Jean Murry, Bonnie McDonald, Jan Widuch. *Requiescant in pace. Amen. (To add an intention, please call the office.)* 

### Dear Community Members,

This Sunday is known as Passion Sunday. It begins the two week period known as "Passiontide." Technically, this Sunday is liturgically identified as the First Sunday of the Passion. Palm Sunday, likewise, has the name Second Sunday of the Passion or Palm Sunday, *Dominica II Passionis seu in Palmis*. You will notice that all the statues and the crucifixes are veiled in purple.

The veiling is, technically, to take place following *Nones* of Saturday (before Passion Sunday). The scriptural reason is the last line of the Gospel for this Sunday which says, "But Jesus hid Himself and went out of the temple." This was in order to avoid being stoned by the Jews and to preserve His Life until it was time for Him to give It up on the cross. When the Lord hides Himself, it is only all the more fitting for His saints to hide themselves as well. Hence the veiling of all statues and images.

Here and there, you'll find statues veiled in churches where the Traditional Latin Mass is NOT celebrated at all. When asked why, the faithful parishioner is such a church might say, "well, it's been our tradition; we've always done it." I'm sure that's true, but the ironic thing is that in no Gospel for this Sunday in the Ordinary Form – and remember there is a three year lectionary cycle – is the Gospel we have on this day. So, it's actually kind of odd that statues be veiled in any church where the Traditional Mass is not said. Don't get me wrong, it's nice that the tradition is observed, but if there is no liturgical reason for doing so, then it's a tradition without foundation. "We've always done it this way" isn't really a good reason for doing something. Now, this is not to say that those devoted to the Ordinary Form are the only ones who do this. Sometimes, even we follow this line of thinking.

This coming Friday, i.e., 27 March, will be the last time we will formally follow the Way of the Cross. If you haven't yet availed yourself of this means of grace, you'll have one last chance.

This past Thursday, we celebrated St. Joseph's Day. This coming week, we will celebrate The Annunciation, a first class feast, with Low Mass at 7:15 AM and Sung Mass at 7:00 PM. Another wonderful source of Lenten Graces, my children and my friends.

Father Magiera