

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*

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Weddings: Please inquire 6 months
prior to intended date.

Schola: Thursdays after 6 PM Mass

Choir: Sundays after 11AM Mass

BULLETIN WEEK 12

2016

Liturgical Calendar and Mass Intentions

Sun. Mar 20	Palm Sunday of Lent (1st cl.)
7:00 am 10:30 am	Pro Populo Peter Nalu
Mon. Mar 21	Monday of Holy Week (1st cl.)
7:15 am	Michael Peoni
Tues. Mar 22	Tuesday of Holy Week (1st cl.)
7:15 am	Thanksgiving to St. Jude
Wed. Mar 23	Wednesday of Holy Week (1st cl.)
6:00 pm 6:45 pm	Mrs. Johnson+ Tenebrae of Holy Thursday
Thurs. Mar 24	Holy Thursday (1st cl.)
6:00 pm	Marie Pickle+
Fri. Mar 25	Good Friday (1st cl.)
9:00 am 2:00 pm	Tenebrae Solemn Liturgy (No Intention)
Sat. Mar 26	Holy Saturday and Easter Vigil (1st cl.)
7:00 am 10:30 pm	Tenebrae Intentions of Confraternity of St. Peter
Sun. Mar 27	Easter Sunday (1st cl.)
7:00 am 11:00 am	Pro Populo Ann Webster+

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 March 6, 2016

Sunday Mass Attendance: 7:00 am: 30 11:00 am: 147 Total: 177

Sun. Collections: Reg: \$3,761.70 Catholic Relief Service: \$179.75

Total Deposit: \$3,941.45

Daily Mass attendance for week: 52

Confessions for week: 19

Propers for Today's Mass: The Propers for Palm Sunday can be found on page 131 of the Campion Missal/Hymnal.

Holy Week Schedule: **Spy Wednesday**, after 6PM Mass, Tenebræ of Holy Thursday; **Holy Thursday**, Solemn Mass 6PM, Procession to Altar of Repose Stripping of Altars, Compline; **Good Friday** 9AM, Tenebrae, 2PM, Solemn Liturgy, Compline; **Holy Saturday** 7AM Tenebrae, 10:30PM Easter Vigil, Solemn Midnight Mass; **Easter Sunday** 7AM Mass and 11AM Solemn Mass.

Special Collections: Holy Thursday Collection for Diocesan Seminarians. Basket in the entrance for donations for the Holy Land on Good Friday. Building Fund collection on Easter Sunday.

Feast of the Annunciation: This feast has been transferred from March 25 to **April 4** because it could not be celebrated during Holy Week and had to be moved to the first Monday after the Octave of Easter. We will have the regular 7:15 am Mass and then a sung Mass at 6:00 pm.

April Brunch: The April Brunch will be held on the first Sunday of the month due to Divine Mercy Sunday. Divine Mercy devotions will be held at 3:00 pm in the church. Please attend brunch and plan to stay for Devotions at 3:00 pm.

Retreat by Fr. Jose Uppani to be held April 1 thru 3, 2016 at St. Scholastica Center in Fort Smith. See flyer on bulletin board for more information.

Pilgrimage to France: Fr. Greg Hart will lead a pilgrimage to France from Sept. 19 to 30, 2016. Among sites visited are: Lourdes, Cluny Abbey, Cathedral of Chartres, Lisieux, the Normandy Beaches, Notre Dame Cathedral and others. See bulletin board for more information.

Please Remember these Prayer Intentions:

For the living: June Gardner (health), Gary Crouch (health), Members of the Kozlowski families, Jolanta Widuch, Diane D. Wolfe (full recovery), Linda Barry (health), Crawford Family, Peter Orłowski Family, Penny Witter (health), Gail Demerest (health), Eric Couron Family (Special Intention).

And for the dead: John Andrew Makovec, Sue Whitehead, Janet Sorrels, 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, John Farrel, Jean Murry, Bonnie McDonald, Marie Honeycutt, Catherine Sparks, Carolyn Bruich, Earl Bradberry, Fr. Venantius Preske, Joseph Max Bulmanski, Justice Antonin Scalia.

Dear Community Members,

Hosáanna Fílio David! Hosanna to the Son of David. The Lord enters Jerusalem in triumph. This could be the day the Jews have waited centuries for. A new King, greater than David and Solomon could be crowned; a king to break the shackles of Rome! Yet, because this God-Man, this Divine Person, did not conform to their ideas of a savior, an earthly king, His triumphant entry into the city was quickly forgotten.

A mere six days later, He left that same city, scourged, hated, spat upon, carrying the cross on which He would die, and staggered to that sublime altar where His Sacrifice would change the world forever, paying for the sin of Adam and all sin, past, present and future, and offer man the salvation he so desperately needed. All mankind had to do was accept it. Did it then? Does it today? Would it? Will it ever? Looking around ourselves today, I would say the jury is still out on that question.

To be sure, billions of people have taken Our Lord up on His offer or will do so. But, mankind as a whole? As the contemporary saying goes, “not so much.” Most of mankind is too busy killing one another, aborting the unborn, murdering the elderly, contracepting, divorcing and illicitly remarriage, having sex without strings, trans-morphing into whatever kind of bodily monstrosity appeals to the imagination, engaging in unspeakable perversions, contracting burlesque “marriages” and saying that life couldn’t be better and how terrible it is for the “unenlightened” to sit in judgement of those liberating “ideals.” After all, isn’t it much more important to be nice and not offend anyone? And how dare Holy Communion be refused? How mean-spirited can that Catholic Church be? Really?

Well, no, not in my book. Our Lord goes to His Death a few days after Palm Sunday. We can’t let Him die for us and do nothing about it. We can’t just let him sacrifice Himself and then return to our sinful lives, our family dysfunction, our unabashed pride, our misplaced superiority, our spiritual arrogance, our omniscience, our wounding of loved ones, our nasty secrets, our petty squabbles, our shunned responsibilities, our complacency, our apathy, our unkindness, our injustice, our deafness to His Voice.

Let us show Our Lord that we love Him because of His Sacrifice. Let us show Him that his Death, more than anything else, teaches us how to live! There is still time, my children and my friends.

Father Magiera