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Mass Schedule:
Sunday 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am
12:15 (Spanish) 4:30 (Vietnamese)
Saturday 8:15am, 4:30pm (Vigil)
Daily (Mon-Fri) 7:00am, 8:15am
1st Friday Exposition 12:30-4:45pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays 3:15-4:00 pm or by appointment
Baptism
4th Sunday of every month 2:00pm
Contact Parish Office for information.
Marriage
Arrangement to be made 6 months prior to the wedding
Parish Office Hours
Mon-Thurs 8:45am-5:00pm Fri 8:45am--12:00 noon

Parish School
Rodney Pierre Antoine, Principal
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And as he rode (into Jerusalem), they spread their garments on the road. As he was now drawing near, at the descent of the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" (Luke 19:36-38)

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion (the full name), the first Sunday of Holy Week within the Lenten Season, commemorates Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem preceding his passion. As he entered, the people of Jerusalem recognized Jesus as their king, saying "Hosanna to the Son of David; Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

Traditionally in the Western Church, the Palm Sunday service begins with the "blessing of the palms", where the palms used in the procession that follows are blessed. It is during this time that the story of Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem is read. Then a procession into the church building follows. If there cannot be a procession from the outside of the church, a solemn entrance, taking place entirely within the church, may be done. The hymns and psalmody are related to Christ's office as King. Traditionally the Gloria Laus (i.e. All Glory Laud and Honor), written by Theodulf of Orleans, is sung. Many times the worship service contains a "preaching of the passion", where different events in the last days of Christ are read publicly within the Eucharistic service. In modern Catholic services, the priest and/or a combination of readers read aloud the passion narrative from the Gospel.

Palm Sunday is also called Fig Sunday, because figs were traditionally eaten that day, memorializing the fig tree cursed by Christ after his entry into Jerusalem. In England, Palm Sunday was called Olive or Branch Sunday, Sallow or Willow, Yew or Blossom Sunday, or Sunday of the Willow Boughs, named for the local replacements for the traditional palm branches.

Various customs have developed to celebrate Palm Sunday. In the Slavic countries, the faithful walked through their buildings and fields with the blessed palms, praying and singing ancient hymns. They then laid palm pieces on each plot of ground, in every barn, building, and stable, as a petition was made for protection from weather and disease, and for a blessing upon the produce and property.

(From Church year)
**PALM (PASSION) SUNDAY**  
**MARCH 28, 2010**

No Children’s Liturgy of the Word on 
Palm Sunday or Easter Sunday

2:00 pm  
Baptisms  
in Church

| Events of the Week: (Holy Week)  
March 29 thru April 3 |
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| 3:30 pm  
CCD Classes          |
| 3:30 pm  
CCD Parent Faith Share  |
| 7:00 pm  
Adult Confirmation Class |
| School  
SMC |
| WED 3/31             |
| 7:00 pm  
Spanish Ministries   |
| 7:30 pm  
RCIA               |
| SMC  
SMC  
AE Rm |
| THU 4/1              |
| 8:00 am  
HOLY THURSDAY  
Morning Prayer (No mass) |
| 7:30 pm  
Mass of the Last Supper (Adoration follows until midnight) |
| Church  
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| FRI 4/2              |
| 8:15 am  
GOOD FRIDAY  
Morning Prayer (No Mass)  
Stations of the Cross (by school children)  
Veneration of the Cross (Tri-lingual) |
| 12:00 noon  
Solemnity of the Easter Vigil (followed by a reception for the new Catholics and Confirmandi in the Gym) |
| 3:00 pm  
7:30 pm |
| SAT 4/3              |
| 8:15 am  
HOLY SATURDAY  
Morning Prayer (No Mass)  
Solemnity of the Easter Vigil |
| 8:00 pm  
followed by reception in Gym |
| Church  
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**COLLECTIONS**  
Mar. 21, 2010

- Sunday Collection: $9,835.00 
- Children: $4.00 
- Bishop’s Appeal: $2,526.00

Thank you for your generous contributions. 
Please consider remembering us in your will.

**STEWARDSHIP**

This Sunday, Mar. 28, Sixth Sunday of Lent

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**HOLY WEEK SERVICES**  
2010

**March 31 Wednesday**

11:00am to 3:00 pm  
Priests available in the 
Church for Sacrament 
of Reconciliation

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| 8:15 am  
Morning Prayer  
(No morning Mass) |
| 7:30 pm  
MASS OF THE LAST SUPPER  
ADORATION FOLLOWS UNTIL 12:00 midnight |

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| 8:15 am  
Morning Prayer  
(No morning Mass) |
| 12:00 Noon  
Stations of the Cross in the parish hall (By school children) |
| 3:00 pm  
LITURGY OF THE LORD’S PASSION |
| 7:30 pm  
VENERATION OF THE CROSS (Tri-lingual celebration) |

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| 8:15 am  
Morning Prayer  
(No morning Mass, no confessions)  
No afternoon Mass) |
| 8:00 pm  
SOLEMNITY OF THE EASTER VIGIL (followed by a reception for the new Catholics and Confirmandi in the Gym.) |

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The measure of greatness is not the number of servants you have, but the number of people you serve.
Holy Week
Experience the Triduum
with your Children

To reinforce all that your child has learned in religious education classes; take your child to the liturgies of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday. These days remember and celebrate the heart of our Christian faith ~ Jesus’ last supper with His friends, His crucifixion, and His resurrection to new life. Each sacred day reminds us of how we passed over from death to new life at our Baptism.

The liturgies of Holy week have more for children to see and hear than any other liturgies of the year. In religion class children learn with other children. At liturgies the whole Church gathers. Watching others worship tells children how adults value and express their faith.

Children learn concretely. Concrete symbols fill the Holy Week liturgies and make them memorable for children. The Mass of the Lord’s Supper on Holy Thursday they witness the ritual of the washing of the feet ~ just as Jesus washed his friends’ feet ~ a concrete act of service.

On Good Friday we remember that Jesus died on the cross for us, we hear the long story of Jesus’ passion and venerate the cross by touching or kissing it.

On Holy Saturday the liturgy begins with the new fire kindled in the dark of night. Everyone waits in a church in darkness and receives a candle lit from the new Easter Candle. The church fills with light. We hear scripture stories that remind us of all God has done for us from the creation of the world until now. We baptize the catechumens in Jesus’ new life. The priest sprinkles the whole parish community with newly blessed Easter water. The newly baptized put on white robes to be confirmed and receive first Holy Communion.

The teachers have prepared your child to celebrate Holy Week. When you take part in these liturgies with them, you share with them your Easter faith and experience together, the mystery of God’s life-giving love for us.

~ Sandi Walton

Pray for...
The Sick & Homebound:
For all who are ill that through the touch of Jesus, they may be restored to the fullness of life, especially for our Parishioners at this time:

PRAY FOR THE DEPARTED:
Pauline Perotti, Paul Nahm,

Mass Intentions Mar. 28 thru Apr. 4

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The SVdP conference wish to thank Father Augustine and our parish family for the generous donations to the recent food drive. Our pantry is filled with your gifts that will feed the families in need from our community.

May God Bless you.

Dimas Resendez, President
St. Felicitas SVdP Conference
CONGRATULATIONS

Easter Calla Lilies/Flowers

Your beautiful Calla Lilies are needed again this year. Please bring your FRESHEST LILIES on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 30th – 31st, 2010 to the Parish Office. They will be used on Holy Thursday, Easter Sunday and during Easter Octave Week. Thank you for contributing to make the beautiful and prayerful environment in our church for everyone.

Eucharist Adoration on Holy Thursday

“Stay with Me! Remain here with Me! Watch & Pray!”

Everyone is welcome to remain & spend time with Jesus as long as you wish:

9:30 - 10:00  Pastoral Care Ministers & Loaves & Fishes Ministry
10:00 - 10:30  Spanish Community
10:30 - 11:00  Vietnamese Community
11:00 - 11:30  Eucharistic Ministers
11:30 - Midnight  Holy Cross Sisters

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:  Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday:  Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday:  Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89;
             Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21
             Lord’s Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14;
             Ps 116;
             1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15
Thursday:  Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25
Friday:  Is 52:13 -- 53:12; Ps 31; Heb 4:14-16;
           5:7-9; Jn 18:1 -- 19:42
Saturday:  a) Gn 1:1 -- 2:2 [1:1, 26-31a];
           b) Gn 22:1-18 [1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18];
           c) Ex 14:14 -- 15:1; d) Is 54:5-14;
           g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28;
           h) Rom 6:3-11; i) Lk 24:1-12
Sunday:  Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118; Col 3:1-4
         or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9
         or Lk 24:1-12 or (at an afternoon or evening Mass) Lk 24:13-35

Vacation Bible School

Planning your summer vacation?

Be sure to mark your calendars for the week of July 12th through July 16th and plan to have your children attend. Each day from 9:00 a.m. to Noon. Everyone between the ages of Kindergarten and 6th grade are invited! Registration forms will be available soon. If you should have any questions, please call Sandi in the Religious Education office at 483-4880.

In the “Five from the Font” article in the parish Lenten supplement to the bulletin, the parish is asked to unite their own faith journey to the resurrection with that of the Elect preparing for the Sacraments of Initiation.

The importance of prayer is highlighted as one way of support and encouragement for those who will join our community.

During this Lent, the Elect have been anointed with the Oil of Catechumens and have participated in the Scrutinies. In their final days of preparation, they will participate in a retreat for the immediate preparation for the Sacraments.

Please continue to join us in prayer for:

Christina Rogge, Lucinda Morte, Anton Seaton, Patrick Godfrey, Steve Ruiz

as they prepare for the Easter Vigil.
DOMINGO DE PALMAS DE LA PASION DEL SEÑOR

Y en cuanto El entro en Jerusalen, a medida que iba avanzando, la gente extendia sus mantos sobre el camino. Al acercarse a la bajada del Monte de los Olivos, toda la multitud de los discípulos, por los poderosos Milagros que ellos habian presenciado, comenzó a alabar a Dios con gritos de alegría, diciendo “¡Bendito el que viene como Rey en nombre del Señor!” ¡Paz en el cielo y gloria en lo mas alto de los cielos! (Lucas 19:36-38)

El Domingo de Palmas de la Pasion del Señor (nombre completo) dentro del Tiempo de Cuaresma, es el Primer Domingo de Semana Santa que precede a la pasión de Jesus, conmemora la entrada triunfal de Jesus en Jerusalen. Y en cuanto El entro en Jerusalen, la gente reconoció a Jesus como su rey, diciendo “Hosanna al Hijo de David; Bendito es el que viene en nombre del Señor!”

Tradicionalmente, en la Iglesia Occidental, el servicio del Domingo de Palmas, comienza con la “bendición de las palmas”, donde las palmas usadas en la procesión son seguidamente bendecidas. Durante este tiempo, la historia de la entrada triunfante de Jesus, en Jerusalen, es leida. Sigue entonces la entrada de la procesión al templo, y si no se puede hacer una entrada desde el exterior del templo, quizá se pueda hacer una entrada solemne dentro del templo. Los himnos y las salmodias estan relacionadas a Cristo como Rey. Tradicionalmente el Gloria Laus (todo honor y toda gloria) escrita por Theodulf of Orleans, es cantada. Varios momentos del servicio de adoración, contienen una “predicación de la Pasion”, donde diferentes sucesos de los últimos días de Cristo son leidos públicamente dentro del servicio Eucarístico. En los servicios Catolicos modernos, el sacerdote o una combinacion de lectores, leen en alto el Evangelio narrado de la pasión.

Al Domingo de Palmas, se le llama también Domingo de Higos, porque los higos fueron tradicionalmente comidos en este dia, recordando el árbol de la higuera, maldecido por Jesus después de su entrada en Jerusalem. En Inglaterra, el Domingo de Palmas fue llamado Ollivos o Domingo de la Rama de Centrino o Sauce, de Tejo o Domingo de Florescencia, o Domingo de la Rama de Sauce, llamados asi por los nombres locales, para reemplazar al tradicional Domingo de Ramos de Palmas.

Varias costumbres se han desarrollado para celebrar el Domingo de Palmas. En los países Eslavicos, los fieles caminan con sus palmas benditas, a través de sus edificios y campos, van orando y cantando himnos antiguos. Dejan entonces, pedazos de palmas sobre cada campo de hortaliza, granero, edificio y establo, como una petición hecha para protegerlos del tiempo y de la enfermedad y como una bendición para la produccion y la propiedad.

Artículo seleccionado por Father Augustine Joseph. (From Church Year).
Traducción: Mercey Zamora

VIERNES SANTO

La Iglesia no permite la celebracion Eucaristica. sin embargo tendremos la celebracion liturgica que incluye reflexion sobre la Pasion del Señor, cantos de meditacion, distribucion de la Comunion y adoracion de la Santa Cruz. Sera una celebracion “Trilingue” (Ingles, Español y Vietnamese)
Hora: 7:30 P.M.