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**PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION**

April 13, 2025

**JESUS**  
REMEMBER ME WHEN YOU  
COME INTO YOUR KINGDOM

LUKE 23:42



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**WEDDINGS**

Please contact Fr. Martino for an appointment  
minimum of four months before wedding date.

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday-,5p.m.-Sunday, 8:30 & 11a.m.

**CONFESSIONS**

Saturday, 4:00-4:30 p.m. or Upon Request

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

Tuesday, 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday, 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, 8:30 a.m.

Friday, 7:00 p.m.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

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Sunday 9:45 a.m.-10:45 a.m.

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**

We welcome your contributions to the  
bulletin. Deadline is Wednesday, by 12:00 p.m.

# Journey OF Faith

## The Last Supper

The account of the institution of the Eucharist may be found in the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, and Luke as well as in Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians (see Mt 26: 17-29; Mk 14:12-25; Lk 22:7-20; 1 Cor 11 :23-26). Jesus chose the Passover feast as the time in which he would institute the Eucharist and would undergo his dying and rising (cf. CCC, nos. 1339-1340). With the institution of the Eucharist, Jesus gave the Passover its new and definitive meaning. He showed himself to be the High Priest of the New Covenant, offering himself as a perfect sacrifice to the Father. Jesus changed the bread and wine into his Body and Blood, given now as an offering for the salvation of all people.

For I received from the Lord for what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night he was handed over, took bread, and after he had given thanks, broke it and said,

"This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes. (1 Cor 11 :23-26)

By the words "Do this in memory of me," Jesus commanded the Apostles and their successors to repeat his actions and words "until he comes again." From the earliest times, the Church has remained faithful to this command. Particularly on Sunday, the day of Christ's Resurrection, the faithful has gathered for the Breaking of the Bread. This practice

of the Eucharist, there is the narrative of the foot washing (Jn 13: 1-20) at the beginning of the Last Supper, which sets the tone of humble service, exemplified by Christ and fulfilled in his death on the Cross. The Church has selected this Gospel for the Holy Thursday liturgy, highlighting Christ's teaching: "If I, therefore, the master and teacher, have washed your feet, you ought to wash one another's feet. I have given you a model to follow, so that as I have done for you, you should also do" (Jn 13:14-15).

Christ's Last Supper Discourse (Jn 14: 1-17:26) reflects Eucharistic themes of divine love, a union with Christ as intimate as a branch is to a vine, and a priestly prayer for the Apostles and those who would believe through them.

## Scripture Readings

Week of Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, Year C — Sunday, April 13, 2025

Sunday, Apr 13 Lk 19:28-40/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49

Monday, Apr 14 Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday, Apr 15 Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2,3-4a,5-6ab,15+17/Jn 13:21-33,36-38

Wednesday, Apr 16 Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10,21-22,31+33-34/Mt 26:14-25

Thursday, Apr 17 Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15

Friday, Apr 18 Is 52:13—53:12/Ps 31:2+6, 12-13, 15-16, 17+25/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday, Apr 19 (1) Gn 1:1—2:2, (2) Gn 22:1-18, (3) Ex 14:15—15:1, (4) Is 54:5-14, (5) Is 55:1-11, (6) Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4, (7) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/(1) Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10+12, 13-14, 24+35 or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22, (2) Ps 16:5+8, 9-10, 11, (3) Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18, (4) Ps 30:2+4, 5-6, 11-12a+ 13b, (5) Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6, (6) Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11, (7) Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15,18-19 /Rom 6:3-11/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Lk 24:1-12





# PALM SUNDAY

## Passion of the Christ Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion (Year C)

What is written about Me is coming to fulfillment," Jesus says in today's Gospel (see Luke 22:37).

Indeed, we have reached the climax of the liturgical year, the highest peak of salvation history, when all that has been anticipated and promised is to be fulfilled.

By the close of today's long Gospel, the work of our redemption will have been accomplished, the new covenant will be written in the blood of His broken body hanging on the cross at the place called the Skull.

In His Passion, Jesus is "counted among the wicked," as Isaiah had foretold (see Isaiah 53:12). He is revealed definitively as the Suffering Servant the prophet announced, the long-awaited Messiah whose words of obedience and faith ring out in today's First Reading and Psalm.

The taunts and torments we hear in these two readings punctuate the Gospel as Jesus is beaten and mocked (see Luke 22:63-65; 23:10-11,16), as His hands and feet are pierced (see Luke 23:33), as enemies gamble for His clothes (see Luke 23:34), and as three times they dare Him to prove His divinity by saving Himself from suffering (see Luke 23:35,37,39)

He remains faithful to God's will to the end, does not turn back in His trial. He gives Himself freely to His torturers, confident that, as He speaks in today's First Reading: "The Lord God is My help...I shall not be put to shame."

Destined to sin and death as children of Adam's disobedience, we have been set free for holiness and life by Christ's perfect obedience to the Father's will (see Romans 5:12-14,17-19; Ephesians 2:2; 5:6).

This is why God greatly exalted Him. This is why we have salvation in His Name. Following His example of humble obedience in the trials and crosses of our lives, we know we will never be forsaken, that one day we too will be with Him in Paradise (see Luke 23:42).

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www.SalvationHistory.com*

## SUNDAY'S READINGS Palm Sunday—Year C

**Procession**—Luke 19:28-40: Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, riding on a donkey and receiving a royal welcome from the crowds who hailed him as the Messiah and King who came in the name of the Lord.

**First Reading**- Isaiah 50:4-7: The prophet's unwavering faith in God's help and faithfulness in times of struggle, even in the face of opposition and ridicule, and his determination to continue proclaiming God's message despite the challenges he faced.

**Responsorial Psalm**—Psalm 22: Psalm 22 is a lamentation that expresses feelings of abandonment, isolation, and despair, yet also includes expressions of trust and hope in God's deliverance and salvation. It is a powerful prayer that resonates with many who have experienced deep suffering and pain.

**Second Reading**—Philippians 2:6-11: This reading highlights the humility and obedience of Jesus in his sacrifice for humanity, emphasizing his willingness to empty himself and become a servant, ultimately submitting to death on the cross. The passage calls for believers to follow Jesus' example of humility and service, recognizing him as Lord and King of all.

**Gospel**- Luke 22:1-23:56: The events leading up to Jesus' crucifixion, including the Last Supper, his arrest, trial, and eventual crucifixion. The passage highlights the shame and suffering associated with this form of execution, as well as the magnitude of Jesus' love for humanity.



# HOLY WEEK EVENTS

**Palm Sunday**  
**This Year Bring Your Own Palm**

**Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm**

**Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00 am Mass**

**Tuesday – No Noon Mass**

**Chrism Mass: 11:00 am Cathedral Basilica  
of St. John the Baptist, Savannah**

**Please try to attend**

**Wednesday—Mass: 8:30 am  
Adoration to follow**

**Holy Thursday-No Morning Mass**

**Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:00pm**

**Good Friday-Stations of the Cross: 3:00pm**

**Fish Fry: 5:30 pm (Sign-up sheets in the back)**

**Passion of the Lord Service-7:00pm**

**Holy Saturday– Easter Paschal: Mass 8:00pm**

**Easter Sunday– Mass 8:30 am and 11:00 am**

*"Father, into your hands I commend my spirit"*

*~ Luke 23:46*



## Ministry Schedule

**Apr. 17 Holy Thursday**

**7:00 p.m.**

AS A & M Folland, & C Cordeiro

EM C & R Kitchen

L T Humphries

U Y Carr & G Hixenbaugh

**Apr. 18 Good Friday**

**7:00 p.m.**

AS E & J Cosgrove, & A Negron- Irizarry

EM A & G Bazemore

L D Curtis

U J Richtman & M Shinholser

**8:00 p.m. Holy Saturday Easter Paschal**

**Apr. 19**

AS I Rivera, G, L, & S Wimberly

EM J Sheahan & G Hixenbaugh

L D Curtis & P Walters

U D Avard & R O'Sako

**Apr. 20**

**8:30 a.m.**

AS T & L Frye & P & J Whatley

EM V Singley & C Cordeiro

L C Frye

U M Vinson & J Richtman

**11:00 a.m.**

AS J Howard, M Stark, Z Adams, & S Moreno

EM J & J McIntosh

L R Colanero

U M Shinholser & A Soto



## Easter Flower Offering Envelopes

Easter flower offering envelopes are available in the basket on the ushers table to honor or in memory of a loved one. Please return before Easter Sunday.

## Pray for the Sick



Bryant Abney, Howard App, Owen Austin, Tony Branham, Denise Burdick, Mona Burnham, Tommy Buttimer, Andy & Kathy Chester, Chrystal Christensen, Zane Cook, Michael Dennis, Emmory Kate Ely, Peter Giammaria, Annabelle Grace, Dorothy Green, Angela Grovenstein, David & Henry Matzdorf, Loretta Matzdorf, Mr. Edger, Caitlin Forte, Ann Furmeister, Catherine Grace, Marty Haloda, Mr. Harold, Camila Haynes, RuthAnn Hein, Hank Heller, Greg Hood, Stephanie Horton, Miss Jessica, Charles & Desaya Jiles, Jean & Norman Johnson, Pat Jordan, Justin Family, Miss KK, Wendy Karpowicz, Bill Kelley, Nick Knight, Janice Kosek, Sandra Kowalski, Jean Lafond, Yvan Lafond, Chris Lewis, Rosa Lewis, Khalil McGill, Richard Meeks, Sister Nuala Mulleady, Lorraine Nessar, Rick Nettles, Chuck & Sherrie Nettles, Roy & Mildred O'Connor, Gloria O'Sako, Ron O'Sako, Ken Otto, Curtis Parker, Jimmy Parker, Mary Lou Paulsen, Dianna Robider, Veronica Rodriguez, Brock Ross, Kevin Rusk, Linda Rzonka, Miss Laura, Miss Sharon, Miss Lindsey, Mr. Sam, Susanne Sears, Joanne Skorich, Angel Smith, Tim Strickland, TJ Strickland, Sofia, Sylvia, Nicolina Tassone, Josie Taylor, Christa Ward, Tom Wells, Kaleigh Wilson, John Zink

## Pray for our Troops

CW5 Scott Durrer, MSGT Brian Lafond, A1C Aubriana Butchko, PVT Dylan Dickerson, SR Christopher Meinert, SSGT Patrick Gleaton, PFC William Bland, PFC, Dalen Baldwin, ENS Sean Garrett, LTJG Riley Garrett, PFC Katelyn Hartman, PFC Enzo Dennis, PO3 Caitlin Snow

## Mass Intentions

Sunday 04/13	+Veronica Rodriguez
Tuesday 04/15	No Mass
Wednesday 04/16	+Enrique Quintos
Thursday 04/17	♥For the Sick in our Parish
Friday 04/18	+Souls in Purgatory
Saturday 04/19	♥New Members of the Church



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Christ became obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Because of this, God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every other name.

PHILIPPIANS 2:8-9

## **Weekly Collection with YTD Figures**

### **Week of April 06, 2024**

Offertory/Online Collection	\$9,470.00
YTD Offertory Collection	\$313,202.00
Bills Paid this Week:	\$7,532.00
Bills Paid to Date:	\$297,395.00
Building Fund Collection	\$1,241.00
YTD Building Fund Collection	\$71,963.00
YTD S.P. A/C donation	\$36,839.00

### **Online giving QR Code**



Safe adults create safe, emotional spaces for children to talk about scary things happening in their lives.  
**Kids are more likely to speak up if they know, already, that you're going to believe them.**  
Have you told the kids in your life that you will believe them when it comes to their safety?



All who have faith in Christ and are baptized have an obligation to deepen and broaden the community life of their parishes. Some pastoral roles are specifically defined, filled by priests, deacons, religious or laity. But even these roles exist to enable all parishioners to work toward this building of community.

*The Parish: A People, A Mission, A Structure-USCCB*

## ***Meetings - Events – Announcements at St. Boniface***

### **Faith Formation - April 2025**

April 13 - No class/school break

April 20 - No class/school break

April 26 - First Holy Communion 5:00 Mass

April 27 - Class

### **Parish Council Nominations**

It's time again for our Parish Council nominations. Nomination sheets are in the back. Please put your nomination form in the white box. You can fill out the form for yourself or you can nominate a person. Please be sure the person is willing to fulfill the 3-year term before you fill out the form.

### **Parish Office**

The parish office will be closed at noon on Holy Thursday. Good Friday and Easter Monday we will be closed all day. However, I will be answering phones and emails from home. Also, on Thursday, April 24th, I will be having surgery, and will be out of the office for approximately 3 weeks. I will be doing some work from home, but will have someone in the office from 9 am to 2pm Monday-Friday. Please keep me in prayer for a speedy recovery.

### **Good Friday-Stations of the Cross & Fish Fry**

On Good Friday only, Friday, April 18, we will begin Stations of the Cross at 3pm, followed by fish fry at 5:30 pm. This is the final weekend to sign up for the fish fry. Sign up sheets are in the narthex. Good Friday service, The Passion of the Lord, will be at 7:00 pm.

### **Prayer and Play**

We would like to invite parents and caregivers to bring their little ones for snacks, prayer and fellowship every other Wednesday in the nursery. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, April 23, 2025, at 9:30 a.m.

### **St. Boniface Baptism Class**

**Wednesday, April 23**

**6:30-9:00PM**

A baptism class will be held on Wednesday, April 23, 6:30-9:00 PM. This class is required for parent(s) having their first child baptized in the Catholic Church. Before taking this class you must be registered in the parish and have met with Fr. Martino to discuss the baptism of your child(ren).

Please sign up for the class, no later than Sunday, April 20, by contacting Cindy Felipe, 912-596-4251.

### **Family Promise**

St. Boniface will be hosting Family Promise from Sunday, April 20 through Saturday, April 26.

There will be no collections for Family Promise during Holy Week. We will collect items on 4/26 through 5/4.

Please note the following:

- There will be a basket on the altar for gift cards and monetary donations.
- There will be a bin in the rear of the church for the following items:

Paper goods, Personal products, Laundry products, Cleaning products, New bath towels & New pillows .

Thank you for your continued support of Family Promise and keep the families in your prayers. If you have any questions, please contact Gerry Klock at 912-826-3566 or [gfklock@gmail.com](mailto:gfklock@gmail.com).

*Like splendid palm branches, we are strewn in the Lord's path*

-LATIN ANTIPHON

# SUNDAY FUNDAY

## QUIZ

Can you choose the correct endings?

- The elders of the people brought Jesus:
  - into the temple
  - before Pilate
  - to the synagogue?
- Pilate asked Jesus whether or not he was:
  - king of the Jews
  - the real ruler of the Romans
  - a prophet?
- Pontius Pilate released:
  - Jesus
  - two criminals
  - Barabbas ?
- Simon the Cyrenean was:
  - one of those who accused Jesus
  - an assistant to the Roman governor
  - forced to help Jesus carry his cross?
- Jesus was crucified:
  - between two criminals
  - inside the city of Jerusalem
  - by himself?

ANSWERS

The correct answers are: 1(b); 2(a); 3(c); 4(c); 5(a)

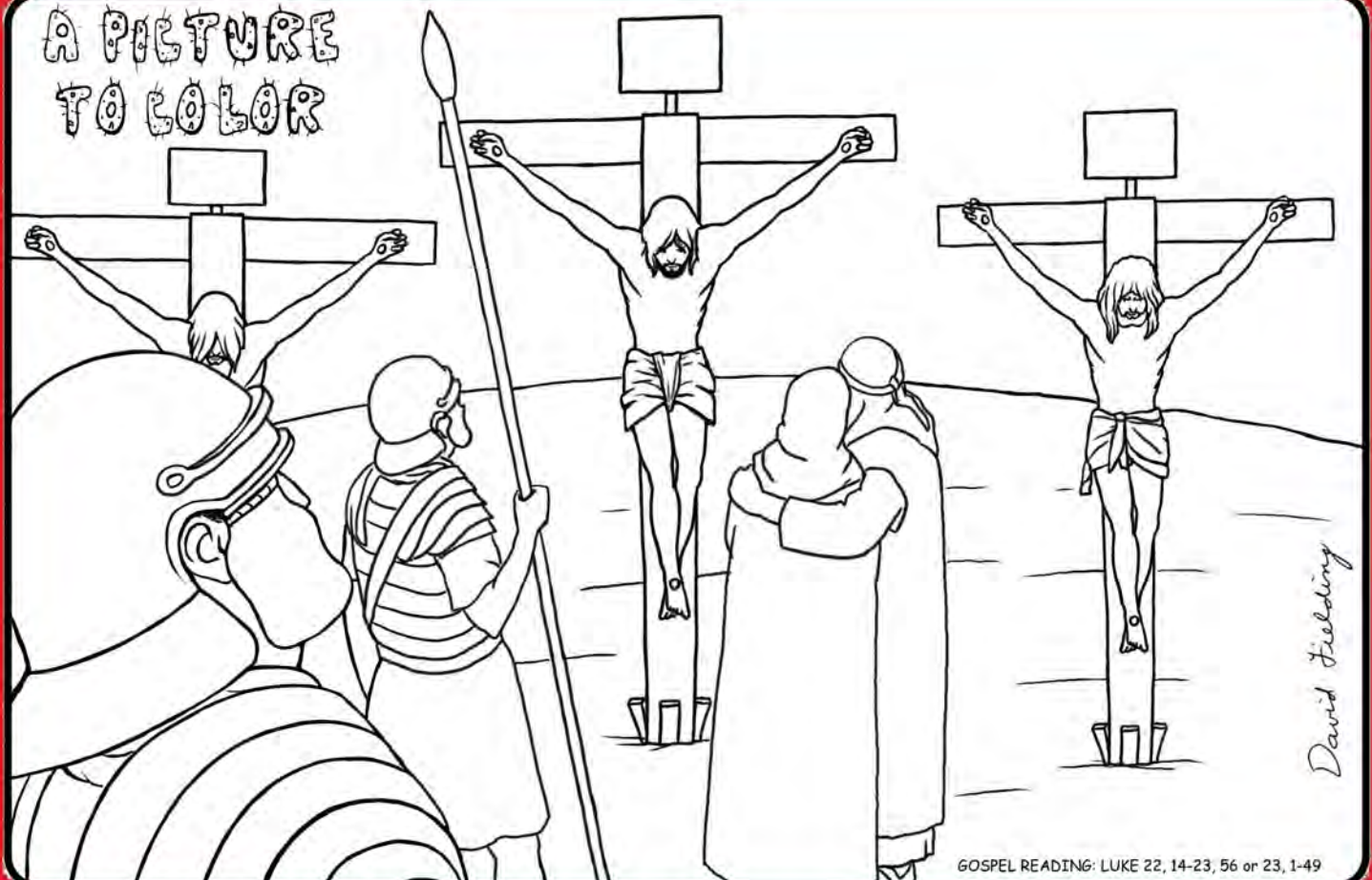
## WORDSEARCH

Can you find and circle the words listed below the wordsearch grid?

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| CHRIST  | KING    | CRIMINALS |
| PILATE  | SAVE    | DARKNESS  |

## A PICTURE TO COLOR



GOSPEL READING: LUKE 22, 14-23, 56 or 23, 1-49



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- Isaiah 43:1

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