

**MASS INTENTIONS  
APRIL 13 - 21, 2019**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 13  
VIGIL OF PALM SUNDAY OF THE  
PASSION OF THE LORD**

5:30PM For the Parishioners

**SUNDAY, APRIL 14  
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD**

7:30 +William, Ernestine & Anthony John Colella  
+Kay & Charlie Tedeschi  
+Riccardo Gigli  
+Jerry Giamonco  
+Bruno M. Vittoria & Andy & Perry Stillo

9:30 +Frank DeRosa  
+Giovanni Bernardo  
+Francis & Maureen Shea  
+Ray & Gloria Barry

11:30 +Philip & Grace Sgobba  
+Ann Marie Patterson-Koodary  
+Joseph Emmolo  
+Maria Tedeschi

5:30PM+Fr. Jeremiah McGinley, O.F.M.

**MONDAY, APRIL 15**

11:30 Franciscan Mass League  
Intentions of Sr. Corinne Gmuer, S.S.N.D.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 16**

11:30 +Deceased Members of St. Bon's  
Rosary Society  
+Carmine R. Buglione  
7PM +James & Eileen Egan  
+Karen Kraft

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17**

11:30 +William T. Walsh  
+Marcell Sikorski Zematis  
+Anna McCormack



**Week #5** of the 13 Tuesdays in Honor of St. Anthony of Padua continues at the 11:30 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. Masses.

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**BULLETIN DEADLINES**

Articles for the April 28 bulletin should be in the Parish Office no later than Wednesday, April 17.



**HOLY WEEK AT ST. BONAVENTURE**

**PALM SUNDAY April 14**  
Palms are blessed and distributed at all Masses.

**CHRISM MASS April 15 7:00 PM**  
Saint John the Baptist Cathedral, Paterson  
**Procession begins at 6:45 PM**

**HOLY THURSDAY April 18**  
Mass of the Lord's Supper (Bilingual) 7:00 PM  
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11:00 PM

**GOOD FRIDAY April 19**  
Celebration of the Lord's Passion (English) 3:00 PM  
El Via Crucis (en español) 5:30 PM  
Stations of the Cross (English) 7:00 PM

**HOLY SATURDAY April 20**  
Blessing of Easter Foods (Shrine) 1:00 PM

**EASTER VIGIL April 20 8:00 PM**  
Mass and Sacraments of Initiation  
(Baptism, Confirmation, and First Eucharist)

**EASTER SUNDAY April 21**  
Masses 9:30, 11:30 AM  
Misa en español 5:30 PM

**Please note that there is no 7:30 AM Mass on Easter Sunday.**

Blessing of Children's Baskets at 9:30 Mass  
Easter Egg Hunt after 9:30 Mass

**Christ is risen from the dead!  
In death He trampled death  
And to those in the tombs  
He gives life!**



*EUCCHARISTIC GIFTS of Bread & Wine are offered this week in Memory of Los dones Eucarísticos se ofrecerán en memoria de Jerry Giamonco*



*SANCTUARY LAMP will burn this week in Memory of / La Vela del Santuario permanecerá encendida en memoria de Riccardo Gigli*

✠ pray for the deceased ✠

**Vincent Crapella 1958 +2019**

Vincent was born in Paterson and resided in Woodland Park and Manahawkin. He worked as a chief repair technician in Ship Bottom, NJ. He is survived by his cousins, his aunt and several family members in Italy.

*May he rest peacefully in the Lord.*



**Pray For The Sick**

**Oremos por los enfermos, especialmente**

Juan Arias, Jeanne Beagin, Sr. Anne Elizabeth Bolte, Ann Dorning, Antonio Giudice, Salvatore Giudice, Clara Ramia, Betty Thompson and Barbara Urgovitch

**Scripture Readings for This Week**

**Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**

- Sunday** Lk 19:28-40; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49
- Monday** Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11
- Tuesday** Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
- Wednesday** Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25
- Thursday** Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper; Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15
- Friday** Is 52:13—53:12; Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9; Jn 18:1—19:42
- Saturday** Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a; Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ex 14:15—15:1; Is 54:5-14; Is 55:1-11; Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Rom 6:3-11; Lk 24:1-12

**COLLECTION**

April 7.....\$3,818.50

Thank you for your continued support.

**THANK YOU! THANK YOU!**

Last Friday evening's **Fish 'n Chips** was a huge success largely due to the hard work of **Jeanne Beagin, Fran Trawinski, Fran Kientz, Jim Beagin, Ken Brino, Steve Yanosh, Ruth Patterson, Kay Quigley, Lee Carioti, Juan & Jeanette Borges, Eileen Tiernan and Rose Saffiote**. A special thanks also to our parish custodian **Gary Berdan** who set up and broke down all the tables and chairs. Thank you, all!

**CHOIR REHEARSAL**

**Wednesday, April 17**

from 7 to 9 PM in the church.

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**ENCOUNTER OUR NEIGHBORS**

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, and those who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more.

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**REGULATION FOR THE LENTEN SEASON**

Fasting is required for those 18-59 years of age on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, and *abstinence from meat* on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays during Lent for those 14 years and older.

*Fasting means* eating only one full meatless meal and two light meatless meals during the day. Fasting also includes no eating in between meals, although liquids are permitted. *Abstinence means* not eating meat at all that day.

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**THE PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION**

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection which helps Christians in the Holy Land.

Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines.

The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees.

When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land.

**PLEASE BE GENEROUS!**

For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit [www.myfranciscan.org/goodfriday](http://www.myfranciscan.org/goodfriday).

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**Fridays during Lent  
5:30 PM en español  
7 PM in English**

One of the penitential practices that the Church encourages to adopt during Lent is the Stations of the Cross. We hope many of you will make the Stations with us as we journey through this holy season.

**Religious Formation  
Bishop Manning Hall**

**April 14 PALM SUNDAY – NO CLASS  
April 21 EASTER SUNDAY – NO CLASS  
April 28 10:30 AM All Grades**

**WHAT IS THE CHRISM MASS?**

**THE CHRISM MASS** focuses on the consecration of the holy oils by the bishop to be used in the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Orders, and the Anointing of the Sick. First comes the **OIL OF THE SICK** blessed in a prayer that shows its purpose is the healing "of body and soul," a "medicine" to dispel every kind of sickness and suffering. Next is the **OIL OF CATECHUMENS** for the anointing of candidates before Baptism. Then the **SACRED CHRISM** is consecrated. It is oil mixed with a fragrant substance called balsam. It is a symbol of the richness of grace given by the Holy Spirit in Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Order. Only a bishop consecrates these holy oils which provide a link between him and parishes of the diocese.

This principal concelebration of the year in the diocese celebrates the common sharing in the one priesthood of Christ. The bonds between the bishop and priests are not merely administrative or juridical; they are first and foremost sacramental, and the basis of their union is to be found in Christ. The concelebration is the symbol of this relationship. *Every Catholic ought to participate in the Chrism Mass at least once in a lifetime.*

*Why not make this year your year?*

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #240**

**Beefsteak Dinner and Tricky Tray  
Bishop Manning Hall  
Saturday, May 18**

**doors open 6:45 – dinner 7 PM  
Tickets are \$45.00 per person.  
Tables of 8 or 10 reserved.**

**Tickets will be sold after all Masses or at the Parish Office until Monday, May 13.**



**YARD SALE  
SATURDAY, APRIL 27  
BISHOP MANNING HALL  
11:00 AM – 4 PM**

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**ATTENTION SENIORS!**

Our trip to Camp Hope will take place on **Monday, April 29**. The bus will pick us up in front of the church at **8:30 AM sharp** and will return us back at around 3:30 PM. The cost for the day is \$12.00 per person **and should be paid in advance before that day**. If you intend to join us, please call the Parish Office and give your name and anyone else who may be joining you. This way, we can let the camp directors know how many people they can expect. Thank you!

**California Pizza Kitchen Fundraiser**



**Flyers will be in the back of the Church the weekend of April 27 and 28 for you to present to your server at California Pizza Kitchen. They will donate 20% of your check to St. Bonaventure. Purchases include dine in, take out, catering and all beverages.**

**Thursday, May 2 11 AM – 10 PM  
Thursday, May 9 11 AM – 10 PM  
Thursday, May 16 11 AM – 10 PM  
Thursday, May 23 11 AM – 10 PM  
Thursday, May 30 11 AM – 10 PM**

**Make copies and bring the flyer in  
EVERY Thursday!**

**Join the Pizza Dough Rewards program on your next visit or at [cpk.com](http://cpk.com) and receive a free small plate for registering.**

## LETTER FROM THE BISHOP

As part of our Lenten call to almsgiving, I invite Catholics throughout our Diocese to support the collection for the Church in the Holy Land which takes place on Good Friday. Our scriptural home – the places where our Savior taught, died and rose again to new life, deserves our support.

The collection for the Church in the Holy Land supports the work of the Franciscans who are responsible for the care of the Holy Places as well as the Christians living in the area. Their work is vital in securing a Christian presence in the Holy Land. In addition to helping maintain sacred places, the Collection for the Church in the Holy Land also helps fund schools, provides housing for needy families and staffs parishes throughout the area.

Please join with your fellow Catholics during this Lenten season by supporting this special collection and the places that are so dear to our faith.

Faithfully yours in Christ,  
Most Reverend Arthur J. Serratelli  
Bishop of Paterson



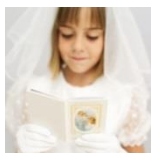
## ST. BONAVENTURE COMMUNITY GARDEN 2018 SEASON

Spring is in the air. Plants are starting to grow. Time to reserve your spot in the St. Bon's Community Garden.

### **Eight plots are available.**

Land, water and sun provided free of charge.

First come first served. Please email John Agapito at: [agapitoj33@gmail.com](mailto:agapitoj33@gmail.com) or call at 973.865.2654.



**We will be celebrating  
First Holy Communion  
on Sunday, May 5  
at the 9:30 & 11:30 AM Masses.  
Join us in celebration for the  
First Communicants and their families.**

## FEEDING THE POOR AND HUNGRY

Once again, our St. Bonaventure's community most generously supported the food collection for the Father English Center, on **Saturday, March 23**. Contributions included:

48 frozen dinners	200 lbs. of rice
50 bags of groceries	1 frozen turkey
11 cartons of canned goods	\$170 in donations
40 lbs. of frozen chicken parts	
23 bags of used clothing	

### **This was the largest collection of food that we have donated in some time.**

These totals include 5 frozen dinners and a \$150 donation to the Community Food Bank for the account of the Father English Food Pantry made by our Francis J. O'Byrne Knights of Columbus Council #240 as well as a \$20 donation to the same account made by a generous parishioner. Food totals also include 10 bags of groceries, 3 frozen dinners and 1 bag of clothing donated by residents of Mountain Ridge Towers in West Paterson.

We all know that our bodies can go without food for a short while but it is almost impossible to move forward to deal with the hardships in life without hope. When someone struggles to put food on the table for themselves or their children, they often feel that no one cares and that their problems are insurmountable. When they can turn to the Fr. English Food Pantry and receive help with food they receive hope as well, and it gives them the courage to go on.

***Please, as we go about our lives in this season of Lent, continue to remember the hungry in our midst and prepare for our next collection of groceries and frozen dinners on Holy Saturday, April 20.***

### **Our Schedule for April is as follows:**

#### **FROZEN DINNER PANS**

Saturday & Sunday, April 13/14

Available after all Masses in the rear of the church.

#### **FROZEN DINNER PICKUP**

Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup> – 8:30 to 9:30 AM  
in front of Bishop Manning Hall.

#### **NON-PERISHABLE GROCERIES**

May be dropped off at the same time or any time before April 20 in the rear of the church or the Parish Office.