

March 28, 2021

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



The Glory of the Cross

Today, we remember the shocking event that changed the world. As we read the passion of Christ, we cannot but realize that the cross is a central mystery in our faith. Suffering is part of every person's life, just as it was part of Jesus' life. However, Jesus' suffering led to the resurrection. Through his suffering Jesus redeemed the human race from sin. If we join in his suffering we will also join in his victory over death.

Today's Bulletin is sponsored in memory of
Grace & Charles Rother by their family.

HOLY WEEK LITURGIES



Holy Thursday of the Passion of the Lord

8:00 p.m. For Vocations to the Priesthood

Holy Friday of the Passion of the Lord

3:00 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion

The Easter Vigil

7:30 p.m. Families of the Parish

Sunday of the Resurrection

6:30 a.m. Welfare of Parishioners

10:00 a.m. Welfare of the Youth

* Easter baskets will be blessed at the 10:00 a.m. Easter Sunday Mass. The Easter Egg hunt follows the Mass.

Individual Confessions in Moulton and Praha

- Available anytime by appointment. Call the office.
- On Fridays in the Family Room after Mass in Moulton.
- On Thursdays after the 4:30 p.m. Mass in Praha.
- During Advent/Christmas season and in Lent.

PREPARING FOR THE SUNDAY LITURGY

Next weekend is *Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord*. Prepare for the liturgy by reflecting on these passages from your Bible.

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 118

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8

Gospel: John 20:1-9

Moulton Easter Picnic Next Sunday

The celebration begins with a Mass at 10:00 a.m. followed by blessing of Easter baskets and an Easter Egg Hunt for the children. A fried chicken dinner with all the trimmings will be served. Meat-to-go and *** Drive through Plates-to-go*** will also be available. Cake Walk, Plant Walk, Snack Bar, 50/50, Fish Pond, Ring Toss, Ball Throw, Train Ride, Face Painting, Snack Bar, Refreshments, Over-n-Under, Hamburger Stand, Auction and Live Music: *Ken Brothers & Blue Denim*.

We are looking forward to a fun day! All parishioners who can help are welcome. Call the Parish Office.

Donations Lists Continued

Meat Fund:

Lorene Koncaba - \$10	Charlene Simper - \$100
Georgia Wagner - \$40	Carlos Portales - \$100
Lois & Joe Nieto - \$50	Quinton Raab - \$200
Doris & Allen Barta - \$25	Marian Kram - \$100
Nancy & Cecil Wood - \$300	Shirley Welzl - \$30
Loretta & Tony Janak - \$300	Rose Selzer - \$200
Betty & Harry Maskey - \$50	Doris Foster - \$20
Niki & Chad Chaloupka - \$25	Hattie Olle - \$200
Donna & Tommy Perez - \$300	James Raab - \$50
Georgia & George Holub - \$50	- to be continued
Jordan & Johnny Kuehn - \$100	
Charlene & Jerry Raabe - \$300	
Phyllis & Ken Schoenfeld - \$100	
Carolyn & Danis Whitmire - \$100	
Deana & Kenneth Bohuslav - \$100	
Floris Ann & David Simper - \$100	
Jennifer & Donald Rothbauer - \$100	
Margaret & Victor Molnoskey - \$25	
Margaret & Larry Berckenhoff - \$100	
Olivia Briseno & Donald Darilek - \$200	

Auction: Rose Selzer - \$100 Joyce Pavlicek - Baby Quilt
Eustacia Kleihege - Quilt
Shannon & L.A. Simper - \$100
Doris & Allen Barta - Baby Quilt
Marian Kram - Stihl Leaf Blower
Gussie Machalec - Premium Bird Feeder
Nancy Sivyer - 2 Beer Barrel Wall Hangings
Sunni & Phil Hosemann - American Flag Throw
Carlos Portales - Framed Art: Blessed Virgin Mary
Marcel Kleihege - 5 Gal. Air Tank, Tool Box, Water Hose
Fr. Gabriel - Last Supper Picture
Loretta & Tony Janak - Texas A&M Lighted Yard Sign
Kathleen & Martin Svatek - Jelly Basket, Salsa & Chip Basket, Pickle Basket
Leigh Ann & William Darilek Jr. - Metal Rooster, Farmhouse Sign, Flag Sign
Debbie & Marlon Novosad - Texas A&M Comforter w/ Accent Pillow & Pillow Shams
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We thank all those who are helping in various ways. The Parish Office will be open Friday to accept donations. ==>==>==>==>==>==>==>==>==>==>>

Holy Week – Orientation

His Death Lies at The Heart of Who We Are

On this first day of this week called “Holy,” the readings invite our entrance into the mystery of our salvation. This we do by remembering, by calling to mind and heart the love of our God, the sacrifice of Jesus, his triumph over the grave and the liberation from sin, evil and death that is ours to appropriate through faith. Our remembering must however, be more than nostalgia and sentiment. On the contrary, our remembering gathers us in and immerses us in the presence and power of God, where the experience of salvation becomes real and practical and even challenging. Through the gate of this remembering, we walk once again, into the grace of the Christ-event.

To the casual onlooker, the death of Jesus may not seem to merit much respect, given that his death was a criminal’s execution. The remembrance of his dying lies at the heart of who we are as believers. We remember the one who died because he chose to give himself up to death as a sacrifice that would bring about the forgiveness and salvation of sinners.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Mar. 31 – Angelica Manzano
April 2 – Betty Roznovsky

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Mar. 28 – Congratulations Kathy & Marvin Dornak
on your 40th Wedding Anniversary

THE WEEK AHEAD

Mon. – Gold Star Club Meets, 3:30-5:30 p.m., YMC
Wed. – No Champions Club Meeting (Early Release from School)
Holy Thursday – See Schedule
Good Friday – See Schedule
Holy Saturday – See Schedule
Easter Sunday - See schedule

Remember the sick in your prayers this week,
especially Linda Muehlstein.

***** The route for the plates-to-go line has been re-routed to keep the traffic off the state highway.**

- **From Highway 95 you will turn onto Jackson Street (at Don’s Automotive) and continue to Arnim Street.**
- **Turn right onto Arnim Street and continue to Church Street**
- **Turn left on Church Street (by the rectory) and then go through the cemetery, Memorial Drive to the Social Center. *****

Today – C.C.D.
Mar. 31 – C.C.D.

Mar. 29 – Gold Stars
Next Sunday – No C.C.D.

THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

This Week’s Special Collections

Palm Sunday: Rice Bowl.

Thursday of the Lord’s Supper (Holy Thursday) Collections:

- **For Education of Seminarians**
- **Gifts and Canned Food For The Needy.** Place your canned goods at the main entrance of church.

Easter Time

Easter Vigil/Sunday of the Resurrection Collection for the Poor and Needy. Your contributions help our area brothers and sisters in need.

The Chrism Mass, March 30: On this day the Bishop concelebrates Mass with all the priests of the diocese.



The Oil of Catechumens

The Sacred Chrism

The Oil of the Sick will be blessed.

The Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral in Victoria at 10:00 a.m. Due to social distancing requirements at the Cathedral, laity will not be able to attend. The Mass will be live-streamed on the Diocese of Victoria website.

Holy Week/Easter Programming on EWTN: During Holy Week and Easter EWTN brings you special programming and live Easter Masses from Rome and the Basilica of the National Shrine in Washington, DC. (DISH Channel 261; Direct TV Channel 370).

Easter Egg Hunt: Easter baskets will be blessed at the Easter Sunday Mass. The Easter Egg hunt follows the Mass.

Easter Flower Fund: Envelopes have been provided for this fund. Extra envelopes at the main entrance of church. Donors list to be published next week.

Holy Week Schedule for Moulton & Praha Holy Thursday:

Moulton: Gather for Meal, 5:30 p.m.; Meal, 6 p.m.;
At the Evening Mass, 8:00 p.m.

Praha: At the Evening Mass, 6:00 p.m.

Good Friday:

Moulton: Private Stations, 10:00 a.m.;
Gather for Private Prayer, 2:30 p.m.,
Celebration of the Lord’s Passion, 3:00 p.m.

Praha: Private Stations, 10:00 a.m.; Community
Stations and Gather for Private Prayer, 5:00 p.m.;
Celebration of the Lord’s Passion, 5:30 p.m.

Holy Saturday: Praha: Gather at bonfire... 4:00 p.m.
Moulton: Gather at bonfire... 7:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday: Moulton: 6:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.
Praha: 8:00 a.m.

The Sacred Paschal Triduum - See Insert