

The Catholic Church of St. Mary the Virgin - Arlington, Texas
Lay Ministry Schedule – March 2021 A.D.

3rd Sunday in Lent	8:00 AM	Master of Ceremonies	Jon Carr
March 7		A/V Team	Craig and Terry Southard
		Ushers	Nance FitzGibbon / Eli Castro
	10:30 AM	Master of Ceremonies	John Williams
		Thurifer	Alex Muller
		Crucifer	Graham Muller
		Torchbearers	Thomas Muller / Peter Horan
		Boat Boy	Michael Muller
		A/V Team	Ian Gunnip / Stephen Schmitt
		Ushers	Adam Muller / Chris Klassen
	1:00 PM	Master of Ceremonies	William Harvey
		A/V Team	John Williams
		Ushers	Ben Oliver / Kyle Meeseey
4th Sunday in Lent	8:00 AM	Master of Ceremonies	Jon Carr
March 14		A/V Team	Craig and Terry Southard
		Ushers	Nance FitzGibbon / Eli Castro
	10:30 AM	Master of Ceremonies	Will Crawford
		Thurifer	Luke Garland
		Crucifer	Anthony Gunnip
		Torchbearers	Jakob & Matthew Garland
		Boat Boy	Mitch Crawford
		A/V Team	Ian Gunnip
		Ushers	Dave Palmer / Juan Gonzalez
	1:00 PM	Master of Ceremonies	Vincent Lohla
		A/V Team	John Williams / Ushers
		Ushers	Charlene Schwartz / Sam Stauffer
Feast of St. Joseph	7:00 PM	Subdeacon	Brandon Gunnip
March 19		Master of Ceremonies	Jon Carr
		Thurifer	Theo Irlbeck
		Crucifer	Anthony Gunnip
		Torchbearers	John Paul Morris / Luke Vina
		Boat Boy	Owen Morris
5th Sunday of Lent	8:00 AM	Master of Ceremonies	Jon Carr
March 21		A/V Team	Craig and Terry Southard
		Ushers	Nance FitzGibbon & Eli Castro
	10:30 AM	Master of Ceremonies	Martin Morris
		Thurifer	Luke Vina
		Crucifer	Brian Shepherd
		Torchbearers	Jack & Alex Shepherd
		Boat Boy	Ayden Estrada
		A/V Team	Ian Gunnip / Stephen Schmitt
		Ushers	Kevin Vina / Joe Morris
	1:00 PM	Master of Ceremonies	William Harvey
		A/V Team	Brandon Gunnip
		Ushers	Ben Oliver / Stephen McWilliams

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Palm Sunday	8:00 AM	Master of Ceremonies	Jon Carr
March 28		A/V Team	Craig and Terry Southard
		Ushers	Nance FitzGibbon & Eli Castro
	10:30 AM	Master of Ceremonies	Brandon Gunnip
		Thurifer	Joseph Morris
		Crucifer	James Reiter
		Torchbearers	Paul Vina / John Paul Morris
		Boat Boy	Nathan Reiter
		A/V Team	Ian Gunnip / Stephen Schmitt
		Ushers	Mike and Teresa Pratt
	1:00 PM	Master of Ceremonies	Vincent Lohla
		A/V Team	John Williams
		Ushers	Sam Stauffer / Kyle Meeseey

Instructions:

Those who are scheduled to serve but unable to carry out the assignment are asked to arrange for their own substitutes. Altar servers may contact Brandon Gunnip (817-343-9414) for assistance coordinating this. All other lay ministers should contact the parish office (817-460-2278) to report a substitution.

Altar Servers:

- Must be vested and in the sacristy **30 minutes** prior to the start of Mass. This is necessary to ensure that all pre-Mass preparations are made as well as to receive any special instructions.
- Black dress shoes are the standard for all, but other dark dress shoes may be acceptable. Tennis shoes or other casual shoes are not permitted. Dark socks and dark trousers are also required.
- Undershirts are encouraged so that collared shirts may be removed before vesting.
- Shirt collars should never be exposed above the cassock collar.
- Conservative haircuts are required. Earrings are not permitted. Conservative dress is required.
- Every altar server is expected to neatly hang up his cassock and cotta after Mass.

Ushers:

- Should be in place at least 15 minutes prior to their scheduled service.
- Ensure that all members of the congregation have bulletins, hymn sheets, etc., as necessary.
- Remain near the back of the church to assist as needed during Mass.
- Ensure that no child under the age of 10 is permitted to leave the church without an adult member of his or her family.
- Ensure that bulletins are available in the parish hall for the simulcast.
- Stand at the Narthex doors as the congregation leaves.
- After Mass, tidy the church, removing discarded bulletins and replacing hymnals, etc.