

# March 28, 2021

## Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

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**Queen of the Holy Rosary Parish, Hostyn**

**Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Plum**

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When on parish property, please follow the COVID-19 protocols established by Bishop Cahill in his letter of September 23, 2020 to the parishioners of the Diocese of Victoria in Texas. A copy of this letter may be found on the parish website.

<b>Mass Intentions H – Hostyn P – Plum</b>		
Monday, March 29	H 7:00 AM H 6:00 PM	Patricia Villasana <i>Confessions until 7:30 PM</i>
Tuesday, March 30	V 10:00 AM P 5:30 PM P 6:00 PM	Chrism Mass in Victoria Maria Trinidad De Leon <i>Confessions until 7:30 PM</i>
Wednesday, March 31	H 5:30 PM H 6:00 PM	Rose Mary Shimek <i>Confessions until 7:30 PM</i>
Thursday, April 1 <b>Holy Thursday</b>	P 6:00 PM	Mass for the Holy Father, Bishops and Priests – Adoration until 9 PM
Friday, April 2 <b>Good Friday</b>	H 12:30 PM H 1:00 PM P 3:00 PM	Outdoor Way of the Cross Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion Liturgy of the Word, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion
Saturday, April 3 <b>Easter Vigil</b>	H 7:30 PM	Mass for the Parish Families
Sunday, April 4 <b>Easter Sunday</b>	H 8:00 AM P 10:00AM	Mass for the Parish Families Mass for the Parish Families

**Prayer List** We offer our prayers for Patsy Smith, Sandra Paulus, Lisa George, Patricia Daubert, Walter Eyring, Gladys Kallus, Elmer Weikel, Angeline Srubar, Elsie Vasek, Carole Spiering Dulworth, Lillian Machala, Cyril Muras, Michele Kallus, Chad Grover, Travis Grover, Ed Muras, Weldon Synnott, Albert Foley, Barbara Tieken, Kamren Bayless, Steven Brothers, Prayer Blanket Recipients, and all those who are sick or injured. Please contact the parish office to have a name kept on the list, to remove names, or to add names.

Last two Week's Income:

Plum \$2805, Flowers \$15, Rice Bowl \$140, Catholic Relief Services \$185, Building \$310

Hostyn \$7149, Flowers \$301, Rice Bowl \$592, Catholic Relief Services \$226, Social Ministry \$100, DSA \$400,

Church in Europe \$100, Church in Latin America \$20, Building & Memorials \$785

**Diocese of Victoria "Year of the Family"** This month's theme is **"Covenant: God Makes Us His Family."**

Check the Year of the Family page at <https://hostynplumcatholic.org/year-of-the-family> for more information.

**March 28<sup>th</sup> : Pray.** Ask a young person in your family to lead a prayer. **Eat.** Prepare for Good Friday and discuss ways your family can fast together. **Play.** Make plans to see the wildflowers somewhere in our diocese!



**REPORTING ABUSE: If you witness, suspect, or know of child and/or vulnerable adult abuse, YOU MUST FILE A REPORT WITHIN 48 HOURS!** Contact Civil Authorities at Department of Family and Protective Services at 1-800-252-5400 or [www.txabusehotline.org](http://www.txabusehotline.org). **If the person is in immediate danger, call 911.** If Church Personnel Is Involved in Alleged Abuse: 1. Contact Civil Authorities. 2. Contact one of the following: Vicki L. Pyatt, LMSW, Coordinator of Pastoral Care and Outreach at (361) 827-7186 or email [pastoralcare@victoriadiocese.org](mailto:pastoralcare@victoriadiocese.org); or call the Diocese at (361) 573-0828 and ask for the Bishop or the Chancellor. Written Allegations Should Be Sent To: Office of the Bishop, P. O. Box 4070, Victoria, Texas 77903-4070. Mark your letter "Personal and Confidential." If you are unsure about bringing a complaint or would like further information, please contact: Vicki L Pyatt, LMSW, at (361) 827-7186. Sts. Peter & Paul, Plum and Queen of the Holy Rosary, Hostyn Safe Environment Coordinator is Mary Lou Anderle, and she may be reached at 979-247-4441 or [hostynplumre@cvctx.com](mailto:hostynplumre@cvctx.com).

# Hostyn & Plum

**Wednesday Night Live, Faith Formation for youth in grades K-5** Wednesday, April 14, 6 to 7:30 pm.

**First Wednesday - Faith Formation for Youth in grades 6 – 12.** Wed., April 7, 7 to 8:30 PM.

**First Eucharist Preparation,** March 31, 6 to 7 pm.

**Confirmation Preparation** for youth 8<sup>th</sup> grade and older, Wednesday, March 31, 7 pm.

**Young Neighbors in Action and Just5Days** –Next meeting is April 7. Adopt-A-Highway is April 18.

**Social Ministry** meeting June 17, 1:30 PM, Hostyn Hall.

**AMEN Food Pantry** – our parishes volunteer Monday, **March 29**, 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. Contact the parish office to volunteer!

**St. Joseph's Table** – KJZT Family Life Society #23 thanks all who helped support the St. Joseph's Table food drive. It was a great success. Thank you and God bless you.

**La Grange Community Blood Drive** – Wednesday, April 14, KC Community Center, 9 am to 6 pm, go to <https://weareblood.org/donor/login/> or contact Verlene Kuntschik to schedule your appointment.

**Collection for Education of Seminarians of the Diocese of Victoria** April 1, Holy Thursday, a collection will be offered for the education of our future priests. Please assist your parish and diocese in helping to educate our future priests – use the envelope in your set or mark your donation 'Seminarian Education'.

**Pontifical Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land** is, in the words of Paul VI, "not only for the Holy Places but above all for those pastoral, charitable, educational, and social works which the Church supports in the Holy Land for the welfare of their Christian brethren and of the local communities. Please use the envelope in your set or mark your donation 'Holy Land'.

**Wedding Anniversary Blessing** – April 24 and 25 (note change in weekend for April)

**Scholarship Breakfast** – Sunday, April 18, 9 AM – Full Breakfast is Back! Dine in the parish hall or on the hall porch. To-go plates available upon request.

**Applications for the Hostyn Plum Scholarship** are now available at <https://hostynplumcatholic.org/news-events>. Scholarships due in parish office by April 7.

**Disposal of Palms and other blessed items** – The palm you receive on Palm Sunday is blessed, and thereby becomes a sacramental and must be treated with respect and should never be put in the trash. Blessed palms should be returned to nature: buried in the ground or burned and the ashes spread outside. Or you may bring old palms, blessed candles, prayer books, etc that are in need of disposal to Hostyn Church by Friday, April 2, and leave in the narthex to be burned in the Easter Vigil fire.

## **DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL 2020 UPDATE**

Because of reduced parish incomes due primarily to the COVID-19 pandemic, the diocese has rebated a certain amount of the 2020 DSA back to the parishes of the

diocese. Queen of the Holy Rosary has been rebated \$7,475.50 leaving a balance due to the diocese (by April 6, 2021) of \$7,499.50 rather than \$14,975.00. The 2021 DSA goal for Queen of the Holy Rosary is **\$35,104.00**. Sts. Peter and Paul has been rebated \$7,508.00 leaving a balance due to the diocese (by April 6, 2021) of \$7,508.00 rather than \$14,975.00. The 2021 DSA goal for Sts. Peter and Paul is **\$19,869.00**. Your participation in pledging to the 2021 DSA is very important to our parishes. Please pledge today and **THANK YOU** for so generously supporting both our parishes and our diocese!

## **Festivals/Meals/Fundraisers**

Sunday, April 4, St. Joseph's, Moulton, Easter Picnic  
Sunday, May 2, Queen of the Holy Rosary, Hostyn, drive through BBQ pork & sausage meal

## **Plum**

**Vigil Lamp** – The Blessed Mother Lamp is offered for special intentions+.

**Preparation Volunteers for next weekend** Terry Brothers, Darlene Brothers, Paula Thompson

**Change of Date - CDA Court #1962 Family Dinner:** the date of the annual family dinner and 55<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration has been changed from April 25 to the new date of Sunday, June 13 beginning with a social at 3:30 p.m. at the KC Center. Members, your dinner Invitation will be inserted in your mid-May Court Newsletter; and RSVP's will be required.

**Dues Reminder for CDA Court #1962:** The \$25.00 Membership Dues are now owed for 2021-2022. You may mail to CDA Court Annunciation #1962, P.O. Box 275, La Grange, TX 78945. We value your membership and your dues help us to accomplish many good deeds. Contact Financial Secretary Marilyn Kothmann @ 979-966-2997 with any questions. Thank you!

**Easter Egg Hunt** – Children, the annual egg hunt will be held after Easter Sunday Mass at Plum! Thanks to the Plum Altar Society for sponsoring the egg hunt.

## **Hostyn**

**Vigil Lamps** The Blessed Mother Lamp is offered for special intentions+. The St. Joseph Lamp is offered for the special intentions of the parish family. A Holy Family Lamp is offered for Special Intentions KB.

**Cemetery Volunteers** Thursday, April 8, 9 am, Mowing group #1. New volunteers welcome! Contact the parish office or Larry Lutringer.

**Hostyn Mayfest** – We will not have our traditional Mayfest this year, but we do plan to have the **online auction, a raffle, and a drive through meal.**

**Auction Items are needed by April 20**, and the online auction will run from Friday, April 23 through Friday, April 30.

**Raffle tickets** are now available, and the drawing will be on Saturday, May 1, at 1 PM.

**Drive Through Meal** of BBQ Pork, sausage and all the trimmings will be on Sunday, May 2, 11 am to 12:30 PM, with BBQ Pork by the pound and Sausage to go also available.