

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 14th-Palm Sunday

7:30 A.M. HELEN WASIK—Janet Ludwikowski
9:30 A.M. 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF ROBERT &
MARY ANN KELLY—The Kelly Family

11:15 A.M. MARIE & MARTIN GYOMBER

Monday, April 15th

8:00 A.M. JAMES & PATRICIAL DALLAS—J.M. Dallas
JOAN DAKOTA—The Ladany Family

Tuesday, April 16th

8:00 A.M. MR. & MRS. JOHN LUDWIKOWSKI—Janet L.
Ludwikowski
SYLVESTER COMPARINI—Dr. & Mrs. Michael
Napolitano

Wednesday, April 17th

8:00 A.M. JOHN NESS—Mary Wolfe

Next Sunday's Readings:

Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-9

ALTAR SERVER'S SCHEDULE

April 15th through April 17th

8:00 A.M. Jackson Gasperack, John Maurer

April 18th—HOLY THURSDAY

7:00 P.M. Kylie Weiger, Elizabeth Esterbrook, William
Shewalter, Ciaran Giles

April 19th—GOOD FRIDAY

3:00 P.M. Matthew Deemer, The Tharp Family, Nate
Torres

7:00 P.M. Daniel & Fay Moser, Adam Sichler

April 20th—Holy Saturday

8:00 P.M. Andrew Santoro, Tuyen Cao, Rocco DiCarlo,
John Huber, Andrew & John Maurer

April 21st—Easter Sunday

7:30 A.M. Coleen Duncan, Amelia & Sofia Woytovich

9:30 A.M. The Gasperack Family

11:15 A.M. Jossian Sanchez-Lopez, Angelina & Michelle Chi

† MEMORIAL SOCIETY †

The following have been enrolled in Sacred Heart's
Memorial Society:

By: Jerry Yoder
Knights of Columbus, Bornemann Council

By: Irene J. Wagner
Mary Ann Jagielski

CANDLE OFFERINGS

Blessed Virgin Mary

Special Intention for our parents and family—The
O'Rourke Family

Special Intention Shannon—Grammy

Special Intention Gini Fabian & Jason Novak—Gimma

Special Intention Matt & Megan Batdorf—Mom

St. Joseph—In Memory of:

Joseph Stricek—Ginny

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Sanctity of Fatherhood

Special Intention Robert Stricek—Grandma

LOCAL PARISHES ADORATION SCHEDULES

On Holy Thursday evening, it is a pious practice to go
to different parish Churches, as well as one's own, to
spend time in prayer with our Lord. For the
convenience of parishioners who may make devotional
pilgrimage, we provide the following schedule of local
parishes:

Holy Guardian Angels—8:15pm-10:00pm

Holy Rosary—8:15pm-10:00pm

St. Benedict—8:00pm-11:00pm

St. Catharine of Siena—8:15pm-10:30pm

St. Ignatius of Loyola - 8:15pm-Midnight

St. John Baptist de la Salle—8:30pm-10:00pm

St. Joseph—8:30pm-11:00pm

St. Margaret—8:30pm-11:00pm

St. Paul—8:30pm-11:00pm

St. Peter the Apostle—8:30pm-11:00pm

	THE TRIDUUM
	HOLY THURSDAY
7:00 P.M.	MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER LIVING & DECEASED PRIESTS
	GOOD FRIDAY
3:00 P.M.	COMMEMORATION OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD
7:00 P.M.	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
	HOLY SATURDAY
12 NOON	BLESSING OF THE EASTER FOOD
	THE EASTER VIGIL IN THE HOLY NIGHT
8:00 P.M.	THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES
	EASTER SUNDAY, RESURRECTION OF THE LORD
7:30 A.M.	PRIEST'S INTENTION
9:30 A.M.	PRIEST'S INTENTION
11:15 A.M.	PRIEST'S INTENTION

PALM SUNDAY



Perhaps the liturgical expression
of palm branches followed by
shouts of crucifixion has something
in common with our spiritual life.
When are the moment we are
ecstatic? When are our palm
branch and singing moments? What
causes those moments? Are we
caught up with the crowd? Are we
praising the Messiah, or the thing
we want the Messiah to do? Are we
caught up in expectations, or
ready to be a disciple, which literally means "to
follow"?

It's much easier to sing somebody's praise when we
think that person will live up to our expectations. But
what happens when they do not? What happens when
there is another path to follow?

The moments in our spiritual life when we cry,
"Crucify Him! Crucify Him!" are not likely to be "high
praise" moments. Crucifixions happen by our
negligence and our selfishness. We crucify when we
destroy, uproot, tear down, or otherwise extinguish
life and that which is life-giving. And often we don't
realize it until it's too late. But we believe in a God
who brings life from death, even when we cause the
death. And that is the ultimate Paschal Mystery.

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The Church will be decorated for Easter on
Good Friday, April 19th, after Stations of the
Cross at 8 PM. Anyone who is interested in
assisting is most welcome! Please call the
rectory (610) 372-4010 to let us know if you are
able to help.

PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

This Week In Our Parish

Monday, April 15th
 7:30 A.M. Recitation of the Rosary
Monday through Friday
 8:30 A.M. Fatima/Novena Rosary Group—Bornemann
 7:00 P.M. Classical Choir Rehearsal—Church
Tuesday, April 16th
 8:30 A.M. Adoration Begins—Chapel
 5:00 P.M. Legion of Mary—Bornemann
 10:00 P.M. Adoration Ends—Chapel
Wednesday, April 17th
 9:30 A.M. Bible-Sharing—Bornemann
 7:00 P.M. Baptism Class
 7:00 P.M. RCIA—Bornemann
 7:30 P.M. Contemporary Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, April 18th
 7:00 P.M. Mass of the Lord's Supper—Church
 10:45 P.M. Night Prayer—Chapel
Friday, April 19th
 3:00 P.M. Commemoration of the Lord's Passion—Church
 7:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross—Church
Saturday, April 20th
 12 Noon Blessing of the Easter Food—Chapel
Sunday, April 21st
 12:30 P.M. Easter Egg Hunt—Church Grounds

Please Note: There will be no Stations of the Cross on Wednesday at 1:15 P.M.

There will be a single collection of envelopes on Easter. Please place your Easter envelope in the same basket as your regular stewardship.

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/good-Friday.

Our Lenten Obligation of Fast and Abstinence..

...determined for Catholics in the United States by our bishops requires that **FASTING** be observed on **Ash Wednesday** and **Good Friday** by everyone between the ages of 18 and 59. The law of **ABSTINENCE** is to be observed on Ash Wednesdays and all the Fridays in Lent by ALL who are 14 years and older.



LET US PRAY

In your charity, please pray for the priests of our diocese, and in particular this week, remember:

- ✠ 15 April—Rev. Clifton E. Bishop
- ✠ 16 April—Rev. Msgr. Robert J. Biszek
- ✠ 17 April—Rev. Kevin J. Bobbin
- ✠ 18 April—Rev. Msgr. Ronald C. Bocian
- ✠ 19 April—Very Rev. Thomas P. Bortz
- ✠ 20 April—Rev. Ronald P. Bowman
- ✠ 21 April—Rev. Edmund J. Brennan



3RD ANNUAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPAGHETTI DINNER

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their Annual Spaghetti Dinner & Bake Sale at Victor Emmanuel II on Wednesday May 1st, from 4:30 to 7 PM. Tickets will be available after Mass on April 27th/28th at the Fundraising Desk in the narthex of the Church. Children are \$7; Adults \$10. Tickets will also be available at the door on the night of the dinner. There will be a lot of food, chances for gift baskets and a host of other surprises. Baked goods are needed and appreciated! Please call Randy Bjorken (610) 375-6229 if you can donate a baked good.

9th ANNUAL READING/BERKS MARCH FOR LIFE

The 9th Annual Reading/Berks March for Life is scheduled for Sunday, May 5th at Berks Catholic High School Auditorium. Food and drink will be provided at the High School before and after the Rally.

The Rally will begin at 2PM with guest speakers: Georgette Forney from the Silent No More Awareness Campaign and Stephanie Giles, Director of LifeLine of Berks County.

The March for Life will begin promptly at 3PM. We will march across the Penn Street bridge into Reading. A prayer vigil will be held outside of Planned Parenthood after which marchers will proceed to Holy Rosary Church. Buses will be provided to transport participants back to Berks Catholic.

The **Knights of Columbus** are looking for those military service personnel in our parish who are presently on active duty to be added to our prayer list and so the Knights can specifically pray for each and every one of them and their families. Please submit names to Scott Kos at skos1@verizon.net.

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April 20/21	Celebrant	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Extraordinary Ministers
8:00 P.M.	Msgr. DeSantis	Margaret Hueske/ Joe Tharp/Steve Bell/Kathy Nevel		Mary Lou & Vince Parisi
7:30 A.M.	Msgr. DeSantis	Lori Anewalt	Lori Anewalt	Joe Tharp
9:30 A.M.	Fr. Hutta	Denise Mogel/Lou Sutherland	Bill Fatora/Lou Sutherland	Denise Mogel
11:15 A.M.	Fr. Hutta	Patty Kollar/Sheila Walsh	Roseann Tice/Sheila Walsh	Scott Sensenig