

SAINT BARTHOLOMEW CHURCH

+HOLY WEEK BEGINS WITH PALM SUNDAY+

Holy Week begins next weekend on April 9th, known as Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion. At all weekend Masses there will be the blessing of palms, a joyous demonstration of our loyalty to Christ our King, and the reading of the Passion, so that we all might meditate upon how Jesus suffered and died for us on that first Good Friday. As we receive the blessed palms, let us proudly proclaim, by word and example, our loyalty to Jesus our King, by faithfully observing His commandments, by faithfulness to Sunday Mass Worship, by the frequent and worthy reception of the Sacraments of Confession and Eucharist, and by loving one another as Jesus loves us.

LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS

"Can you not watch one hour with me?"

**See the 14 Stations come alive
in our Parish Church!**

FRIDAY, APRIL 7TH AT 7:00 PM

Next week, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC). Funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and Christ's love and respect to all people here at home and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the CRSC and help Jesus in disguise.

Annual Parish Dinner Dance

Saturday, April 29th – 7:00 pm

The Crowne Plaza, Warwick, RI

Music by "The Ambrosiani Band"

TICKETS: \$45

2017

A YEAR WITH MARY OUR MOTHER

April Prayer Intention:

*For many and holy vocations to the priesthood
in the Diocese of Providence.*

PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

+ PARISH LENTEN MISSION +

April 3, 4, & 5, 2017

Monday through Wednesday – 7:00 pm

Given by: Good News Ministries

Attend and Bring a Friend!

2017 CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL

"Faith and Good Works"

IT'S NOT TOO LATE! A sincere thank you to all parishioners who participated in our Catholic Charity Fund In-Pew Appeal. Everyone is encouraged to share your God-given gift of treasure. Please donate today and make a difference in the lives of those in need.

+ Holy Week Confessions +

Holy Thursday, April 13th - 6:00 pm – 6:45 pm

Good Friday, April 14th - 6:00 pm – 6:45 pm

Holy Saturday, April 15th - 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

+ Holy Week Services +

PALM SUNDAY, April 9

Distribution of blessed palms at all weekend Masses:

SATURDAY MASSES

5:00 pm – English 6:30 pm – Spanish

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00 am & 11:30 am – English 9:30 am – Spanish

HOLY THURSDAY, April 13

7:00 pm – Mass of the Last Supper

GOOD FRIDAY, April 14

3:00 pm – Stations of the Cross

4:00 pm – Services in Spanish

7:00 pm – Sacred Liturgy & Holy Communion

HOLY SATURDAY, April 15

7:00 pm – Easter Vigil Liturgy & Mass

(attendance fulfills Sunday Mass obligation)

EASTER SUNDAY, April 16

8:00 am & 11:30 am – English 9:30 am – Spanish

MASSES FOR April 3 - 9

Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead.

However the following are specifically remembered this week.

Monday, April 3rd

7:30 am – Joseph Gaspard by wife

7:00 pm – No Mass in Spanish this evening

Tuesday, April 4th

7:30 am – Michael John Archetto by cousin Donna

7:00 pm – No Adoration & Novena this evening

Wednesday, April 5th

7:30 am – In Honor of Sacred Heart of Jesus by Marie

Thursday, April 6th

7:30 am – In Honor of St. Maria Goretti

Friday, April 7th

7:30 am – Edward Winters by wife

Saturday, April 8th

8:00 am – Intentions of Parishioners

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday, April 8th

5:00 pm - Collective Mass

Eugene & Adina D'Allesandro

by daughter Sandra

Joseph Pastina by wife & family

Deceased of Pio A. Romano Family

by Ron Romano

6:30 pm - Mass in Spanish

Sunday, April 9th

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

8:00 am - Intentions of Parishioners

9:30 am - Mass in Spanish

11:30 am - Collective Mass

Robert Joseph Carnevale by wife & family

Jennie Fazio by Richard & Kathy

MEMORIALS FOR WEEK OF APRIL 3rd

Sanctuary Candle:

Anthony Ginolfi & Mary Ginolfi by family

Altar Bread & Wine:

Anthony Ginolfi & Mary Ginolfi by family

+DIED IN CHRIST+

Anthony Catuto

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, April 3rd

7:00 pm – PARISH LENTEN MISSION

Tuesday, April 4th

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8:15 pm – Dinner Dance Meeting - RH

Wednesday, April 5th

7:00 pm – PARISH LENTEN MISSION

8:15 pm – Living Stations Rehearsal

Thursday, April 6th

6:00 pm – RCIA Class

Friday, April 7th

5:45 pm – Confirmation I Class – RH

7:00 pm – LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Saturday, April 8th

10:00 am – CCD classes – 1st & 2nd years

Easter Baskets & Bake Sale following all Masses

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+WEEKLY CHURCH SUPPORT+

What Our Lord Asks Is Not Equal Gifts - But Equal Sacrifice.
(from the Increase Giving Campaign)

Weekend of March 18 & 19

Envelopes & Loose Collection: **\$4,729.00**

Second Collection: **\$1,465.00**

Extraordinary Parish Expenses

PARISH FLEA MARKET

Sunday, April 2nd - 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Many items – Refreshments - All are welcome!

EASTER BASKETS & BAKED GOODS

Our parish Ladies Guild will hold its Annual Easter Baskets & Baked Goods Sale on April 8th & 9th following all weekend Masses, in the vestibule of the church. Delicious homemade items and beautiful Easter Baskets will be available for purchase.

This week's parish bulletin is sponsored

In Memory of

James & Angela Semper