ANNUAL PARISH DINNER
- DANCE
APRIL 23rd

Please send me_____tickets for the Annual Parish Dinner
- Dance at $40.00 per ticket

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Reflection

The Fourth Sunday of Lent is known as Laetare Sunday, marking the midpoint between the beginning of Lent and Easter Sunday. It is a day of celebration because we have been living our Lenten promises and are beginning to see the light of Easter joy. Let us rejoice, like the man born blind and is given sight by Jesus in today’s Gospel story, that we will be immersed in the radiance of Easter glory.

BAKED GOODS & EASTER BASKETS – Our parish Ladies Guild will hold their Annual Baked Goods & Easter Basket Sale on April 4th & 5th following all weekend Masses, in the front vestibule of the church. Delicious homemade items and beautiful Easter Baskets will be available. Please plan to attend!

+ Holy Week Confessions+

Holy Thursday, April 9 – 4:00 pm – 4:45 pm
Good Friday, April 10 – 6:00 pm – 6:45 pm
Holy Saturday, April 11 – 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

2020 CATHOLIC CHARITY FUND APPEAL
Faith and Good Works
Supporting the work of the Church

The Annual Catholic Charity Fund Appeal is underway in our parish with the In-Pew Appeal. In the past, generous donors have contributed by a gift or pledge. Although, we are all living in difficult financial times – we need to reach out and help those worse off than we are – as we offer thanks to God for His many gifts and blessings to us. Any and all donations will be greatly appreciated! Through your generous gift to the Catholic Charity Appeal, Emmanuel House is able to provide a warm, safe place to sleep for those without a home and no other place to turn.

“We ourselves feel that what we are doing is just a drop in the ocean. But the ocean would be less because of that missing drop.” St. Teresa of Calcutta

+ Holy Week Services +

PALM SUNDAY, April 5th
Distribution of blessed palms at all weekend Masses:

SATURDAY MASSES SUNDAY MASSES
5:00 pm – English 8:00 am – English
6:30 pm – Spanish 9:30 am – Spanish

HOLY THURSDAY, April 9th
Mass of the Last Supper
5:00 pm – English
7:00 pm – Spanish
Repository visit until 11:00 pm

GOOD FRIDAY, April 10th
2:00 pm – Via Crucis – outdoors
3:00 pm – Way of the Cross – English
4:00 pm – Services in Spanish
7:00 pm – Services in English

HOLY SATURDAY, April 11th
Easter Vigil Liturgy & Mass
(attendance fulfills Sunday Mass obligation)
6:00 pm – English
8:00 pm – Spanish

EASTER SUNDAY, April 12th
8:00 am – English
9:30 am – Spanish
11:30 am – English

LOOKING AHEAD

April 5 - Palm Sunday & Easter Baskets & Bake Sale
April 9 - Holy Thursday
April 10 - Good Friday
April 11 - Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil
April 12 - Easter Sunday
April 19 - Divine Mercy Chaplet
(following 11:30 am Mass)
May 10 - Confirmation - Cathedral of SS. Peter & Paul
FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MASSES FOR MARCH 23 - 29, 2020
Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead. However the following are specifically remembered this week.

**In response to the COVID-19 (coronavirus) crisis all Masses and services are CANCELLED until further notice.**

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**In response to the COVID-19 (coronavirus) crisis all Masses, services, classes, rehearsals, meetings, etc are CANCELLED until further notice.**

Tuesday, March 24
6:00 pm - No Eucharistic Adoration
7:00 pm - No Novena Devotion & Benediction

Wednesday, March 25
5:00 pm - No Older First Communion Class
6:30 - No RCIA Class

Thursday, March 26
5:00 pm - No Confirmation Class

Friday, March 27 - Day of Abstinence
3:00 pm - No Divine Mercy Chaplet – Chapel

Saturday, March 28
10:00 am - No CCD Classes - 1st & 2nd Years
4:15 pm - No Confession

LORD’S DAY MASSESS

Saturday, March 28

Sunday, March 29
Fifth Sunday of Lent

+ WEEKLY CHURCH SUPPORT +

(Increased Giving Campaign)

Weekend of March 14 & 15, 2020
Envelopes & Loose Collection: $2,662.00
2nd Collection: $790.00
Extraordinary Expenses

Sanctuary Candle:
Anthony Ginolfi by family

Altar Bread & Wine:
Anthony Ginolfi by family

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