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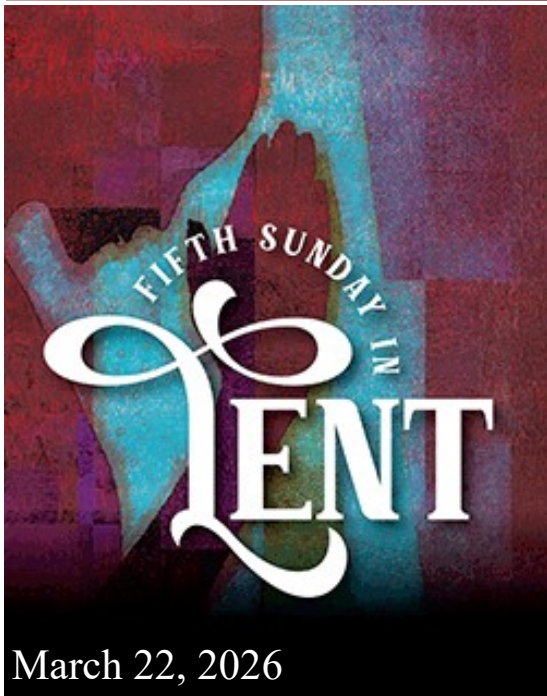


Scripture Insights

The Father's life-giving power is displayed by the Son when he raises his friend Lazarus from the dead—not to eternal resurrection life, but back to the normal mortal life of a human being. Lazarus' sister Martha has faith that God will raise her brother to new life on the last day, but Jesus desires that she take her faith a step further and believe that Jesus like God, has power over life and death even in these days. When Martha says, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died" (Jn 11:21), this must have pierced Jesus' heart, because it was true. But Jesus uses the death of his beloved friend as an opportunity to reveal God's glorious power over the grave.

Still, Lazarus would die again at the end of his life and be buried once again in a grave. Martha and Lazarus (and we too) join the psalmist, waiting in eager expectation for the Lord to arrive like the dawn, calling the dead from their graves into **unending** life.

**"I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord;
whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will never die."**



First Reading: Ezekiel 37: 12-14

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 130: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8

Second Reading: Romans 8: 8-11

Gospel: John 11: 1-45



As Catholics, we believe that Jesus is truly present in the Consecrated Host received in Holy Communion, reserved in the Tabernacle, and exposed in the during Adoration.

You are warmly invited to join us for **Eucharistic Adoration** every Tuesday following the 6:00 p.m. Mass.

Come spend time with Our Lord and experience the peace that only

MASS TIMES:

Sunday 10:00 a.m.. (Livestreamed) & 5:00 p.m.
Monday-Friday: 6:00 p.m.

ADORATION: Every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. or by

BAPTISMS

By Appointment

MARRIAGE

Arrangements 6 months in advance

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK & FUNERAL

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PRAY FOR YOUR PARISH FINANCES

"Give to the Most High as He has given to you, generously, according to your means. For the Lord is one who always repays and he will give back sevenfold. (Sirach 35)



Stations of the Cross

Join us every Friday of Lent after the 6:00 p.m. Mass.

OFFERTORY

03/15/26 Offertory \$ 1,152.00
01/25/26 Online \$3,305.50

Total: \$4,457.00

Thank you for your faithful support
That keeps our parish alive

Online Giving



Holy Thursday, April 2

Mass of the Last Supper at 7:00 p.m.
Followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:00 p.m.

Good Friday, April 3

Veneration of the Cross at 7:00 p.m.

Holy Saturday, April 4

Easter Vigil 8:00 p.m.

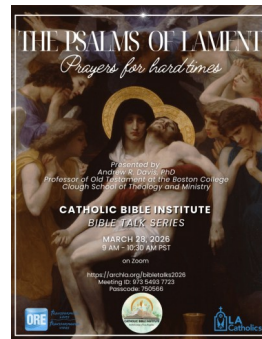
Easter Sunday, April 5

Masses: 10:00 a.m., 12:00 noon and 5:00 p.m.

The Catholic Bible Institute: Bible Talks Series will have a talk 'The Psalms of Lament:

'Prayers for Hard Times' presented by Andrew R. Davis, PhD, Ordinary Professor of Old Testament at Boston College Clough School of Theology and Ministry on

March 28, 2026 from 9am-10:30am (PT) via Zoom.



Zoom link: <https://archla.org/bibletalks2026>
Meeting ID: 973 5493 7723
Passcode: 750566

Synopsis:

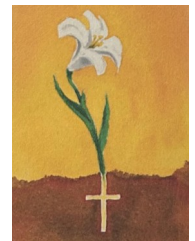
Over one-third of the book of Psalms are prayers of lament. This talk will explore biblical laments in their ancient context, including Jesus's quotation of Psalm 22 during the crucifixion, and will invite reflection on how these prayers can enrich communities of faith today.

No Fee, Donations gratefully accepted

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"TRIDUUM, a Three-Day Journey to Triumph, a Dramatic Reading with Hymns, Poetry, Scripture and Prose Narrating the 3-Day Celebration of the Passion and Resurrection of Christ"

Sunday, March 29
After the 10:00 a.m. mass
Palm Sunday Presentation — All Are Invited



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Following the 10:00 AM Mass on Palm Sunday, everyone is invited to attend a 35-minute fundraising presentation of "TRIDUUM: A Three-Day Journey to Triumph."

Donations are appreciated.



CRS Rice Bowl

LA ARCHDIOCESE'S CRS CHAPTERS URGE GREATER RICE BOWL DONATIONS AFTER US CUTS

After the U.S. government began cutting funding for international humanitarian aid in 2025, Heidi

Villaluz, a California coalition leader for [Catholic Relief Services](#), took a trip to Guatemala in July of that year, coordinated by a group of Maryknoll priests. The purpose was to build relations as well as provide hands-on assistance, as the local impoverished lacked many basic health services and looked for answers.

"It was a way to learn in real time what we had only heard and read about," said Villaluz about meeting the CRS Guatemala team.

Immediately, what became most disheartening, she said, were real-life examples of how systems that had been in place were already breaking down.

A U.S. government-approved school feeding program that CRS helped implement, one that likely provided the only daily nutritional value for students and even teachers, had been rescinded right in the middle of the school year.

To read more visit:
<https://angelusnews.com/local/la-catholics/crs-rice-bowls-la/>

Please turn in your Rice Bowl during any Sunday Mass. You may also donate online by visiting stambrosewo.org. Click on the Giving tab, then select the Online Giving icon and choose Rice Bowl.

All donations should be submitted by Friday, April 3, 2026.