

Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK



Tuesday, March 31 8AM

No Mass

Wednesday, April 1 8AM

†Gloria Aguirre †Pilar Aguirre
†Monica Jones

Thursday, April 2 7PM

†Lisette Garcia †Sebatian Valdivia
†Richard Villalpando

Friday, April 3 No Mass

GOOD FRIDAY

Saturday, April 4 8PM

Parishioners of St. Mary's

Sunday, April 5 9AM

†Alberto Rios

†Charlie & Louis Scarpinato

†Joe & Frances Reistino

Sunday, April 5 11AM

†Juan Lopez †Flor Lugo Gonzalez
†Perfecta Zamaro



Readings for the Week

Monday, March 30:

Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday, March 31:

Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday, April 1:

Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25

Thursday, April 2:

(Holy Thursday)

Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/1 Cor 11:23-26/
Jn 13:1-15

Friday, April 3:

(Good Friday)

Is 52:13—53:12/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn
18:1—19:42

Sat., April 4: Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/
Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/
Ex 14:15—15:1/Is 54:5-14/Is 55:1-11/
Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-
28/ Rom 6:3-11/Mt 28:1-10

Sunday, April 5:

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURREC-
TION OF THE LORD

Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor
5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9



We pray for our sick
parishioner's!
Si usted desea que

oremos por su familiar enfermo!

Ken & Sandra Anthony

Romualdo Campos

Carmen Cortez

Francisco DeLeon

Peewee Espitia

Hilda Flores

Rachel Flores

Moses Luna

David Martinez

Veronica Hopcus

Uvaldo "Rudy" Castilleja

Please contact the church office with questions.

Names will stay on the list for 2 months.

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Evangelina Ordoñez

Alan Mateo Pina

Adam Ruiz Sr.

Johnny Ruiz

Charles Fazzino

Patty Syzdek

Francisco Torres

Margaret Vaca

Lisa Yezak

Richard Lehoski



Stewardship of Treasure Report

March 22-23, 2026

Amount Needed Weekly:	\$4,000.00
Actual Collection:	\$4,458.00
Above Weekly Collection:	\$458.00

"As they were marching out, they came up on a man of Cyrene, Simon by name; this man they pressed into service to carry his cross." [Mt. 27:32]

The Lord calls us to love God and to love our neighbor. Every day we are presented with stewardship opportunities to love our neighbor and help him "carry his cross." These opportunities aren't usually big events; they are usually ordinary occurrences like helping someone carry their groceries or holding the door open for them. The key is putting the other person's needs before our own and not expecting.

"Thank you for your support and generosity!"

WELCOME ~ BIENVIENDO

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Our Lenten journey climaxes in this celebration of Holy Week. Our liturgy begins with Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, but the reading of the Passion invites us to walk with Jesus through suffering and death as well. God's promise is fullness of life, but often we cling instead to the empty promises of life that the world offers: power, fame and material wealth. To what must we die in order to live more fully with Christ and to share his life?

Domingo de Ramos de la Pasión del Señor

-- Nuestro viaje cuaresmal encuentra su clímax en la celebración de la Semana Santa. Nuestra liturgia comienza con la entrada triunfal de Jesús en Jerusalén, pero la lectura de la Pasión nos invita a caminar con Jesús a través del sufrimiento y la muerte también. La promesa de Dios es la plenitud de la vida, pero con frecuencia en su lugar nos aferramos a las promesas vacías de la vida que el mundo ofrece: poder, fama y riqueza material ¿A qué debemos morir para vivir más completamente con Cristo y compartir su vida?

The best prayer Catholics have is the Mass... which is the greatest gift of all.



Divine Mercy Sunday [April 12, 2026], you are invited to pray the Divine Mercy Novena at St. Mary's Church at 3:00 PM beginning Good Friday, April 3. Each day afterwards, the Novena will be prayed in the Church at 3:00 PM, except for Easter Sunday. In her diary, St. Faustina wrote that Jesus told her: *"On each day of the Novena, you will bring to My heart a different group of souls and you will immerse them in this ocean of My mercy... On each day you will beg My Father, on the strength of My passion, for the graces for these souls."*

Domingo de la Divina Misericordia [12 de Abril de 2026], ustedes están invitados a rezar la Divina Misericordia Novena aquí en nuestra parroquia a las 3:00 PM comenzando el Viernes Santo, 3 de abril. Cada día después, la Novena será rezada en la iglesia a las 3:00pm, excepto el día de Pascua. En su diario, Santa Faustina escribió que Jesús le dijo: *"Cada día de la Novena, traerás a mi corazón un grupo diferente de almas y serán sumergidas en este océano de mi misericordia... Cada día le pedirás a mi Padre, con fuerza de Mi Pasión, por las gracias por estas almas"*.

Easter Triduum



DID YOU KNOW? The summit of the Liturgical Year is the **Easter Triduum**- from the evening of Holy Thursday to the evening of Easter Sunday. Though chronologically three days, they are liturgically one day unfolding for us the unity of Christ's Paschal Mystery. The single celebration of the Triduum marks the end of the Lenten season and leads to the Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord at the Easter Vigil. The liturgical services that take place during the Triduum are: • **Mass of the Lord's Supper** • **Good Friday of the Lord's Passion** • **Mass of the Resurrection of the Lord.**

¿SABÍAS TU? La cumbre del Año Litúrgico es el **Triduo Pascual**, desde la tarde del Jueves Santo hasta la tarde del Domingo de Resurrección. Aunque cronológicamente son tres días, litúrgicamente son un día que nos revela la unidad del Misterio Pascual de Cristo. La única celebración del Triduo marca el final del tiempo de Cuaresma y conduce a la Misa de la Resurrección del Señor en la Vigilia Pascual. Los servicios litúrgicos que se llevan a cabo durante el Triduo son: • **Misa de la Cena del Señor** • **Viernes Santo de la Pasión del Señor** • **Misa de la Resurrección del Señor.**

WHAT IS HOLY WEEK ALL ABOUT? This is the climax of the whole liturgical year. We celebrate solemnly and intentionally the mystery of our salvation, the Paschal Mystery, the suffering, death and resurrection of Christ. It is the New Passover in the New Exodus that leads the New Israel into the New Creation. We are invited to enter this mystery by recalling the story of our salvation recorded in the Bible and participate in the liturgy prepared for us by the Church. May the word of God renew our mind, and the sacraments transform our heart, preparing us for the New Creation brought about by Jesus' resurrection.

SEMANA SANTA -- Este es el clímax de todo el año litúrgico. Celebramos solemnemente e intencionalmente el misterio de nuestra salvación, el Misterio Pascual, el sufrimiento, muerte y resurrección de Cristo. Es la Nueva Pascua en el Nuevo Éxodo que lleva al Nuevo Israel a la Nueva Creación. Estamos invitados a entrar en este misterio recordando la historia de nuestra salvación registrada en la Biblia y participando en la liturgia preparada para nosotros por la Iglesia. Que la palabra de Dios renueve nuestra mente y los sacramentos transformen nuestro corazón, preparándonos para la Nueva Creación traída por la resurrección de Jesús.



WHY DO WE COVER CROSSES AND IMAGES? It is meant to heighten our senses to remind us that Lent is a time of Penance and Preparation, and to build up our anticipation that Easter Sunday is not far away. While it may appear counterintuitive to veil crosses, statues and images during the final weeks of Lent, the Catholic Church recommends this practice to heighten our senses and build within us a longing for Easter Sunday. When we walk into church and notice everything is covered, we immediately know that something is different



IMPORTANT REMINDER! – It's important to understand that receiving sacraments is contingent upon fulfilling certain requirements. This includes **consistent class attendance**, **active parent participation** [meetings] and **regular Mass attendance**. Without meeting these expectations, individuals may not be eligible to receive the sacraments. We appreciate your cooperation in ensuring these standards are upheld to foster a meaningful spiritual experience for everyone involved. Thank you for your understanding and support!

¡RECORDATORIO IMPORTANTE! – Es importante entender que recibir los sacramentos depende del cumplimiento de ciertos requisitos. Esto incluye **asistencia a las clases**, **la participación activa de los padres** [reuniones] y **la asistencia regular a Misa**. Si no se cumplen estas expectativas, es posible que las personas no sean elegibles para recibir los sacramentos. Agradecemos su cooperación para garantizar que se mantengan estos estándares para fomentar una experiencia espiritual significativa para todos los involucrados. ¡Gracias por su comprensión y apoyo!