



# TRANSFIGURATION CATHOLIC CHURCH

*"Lord, how good it is that we are here."*

**April 2, 2023**

**Rev. Msgr. James L. LeBlanc**  
Pastor

**Deacon John Tempesco**  
**Deacon David Shinn**

**Sunday Mass:**  
Saturday at 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday at 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

**Daily Mass:**  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at  
6:00 p.m. & Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

**Eucharistic Adoration:**  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday  
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**  
Tuesdays  
5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.  
Saturdays  
3:00 p.m.–3:45 p.m. & by Appointment

**Infant Baptism, RCIA, Funerals,  
Weddings:**

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We are located in the white farmhouse at 9720 Wilson Blvd.

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## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



*"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord." - Mt 21:9*

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## Parish Activities

Sunday, April 2	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	Elementary Religious Ed. K4—5th Grade (Tan Bldg & Blue Bldg.) Confirmation Class (RBB) Youth Group Grades 6-12th (RBB)
Monday, April 3	6:30 p.m.	Cursillo Grouping (Conference Room—PLC)
Tuesday, April 4	9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Catechism Discussion Group (Large Classroom—PLC) Evans Cursillo Grouping (Small Classroom—PLC) Men's Cursillo Grouping (Large Classroom—PLC) Schneider Cursillo Grouping (Conference Room—PLC)
Wednesday, April 5	4:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Children's Choir (Small Classroom—PLC) Adult Choir Practice (Small Classroom—PLC) Knights of Columbus Business Mtg. (Large Classroom—PLC)
Thursday, April 6		
Friday, April 7	6:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group (PLC)
Saturday, April 8		
Sunday, April 9		No Elementary Religious Education or Youth Group—Happy Easter!

## Parish Directory

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<b>Kitchen</b>	<i>Danni Sherman</i>	(803) 315-1344			
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<b>Lectors</b>	<i>Sharon McNatt</i>	(803) 338-0419			
<b>Library</b>	<i>Katherine Wollpert</i>	(803) 360-5979			
<b>Music</b>	<i>Denise Rudell</i>	(803) 735-0512			
<b>Parish Secretary</b>	<i>Valerie Shealy</i>	(803) 735-0512			

<b>Our Pastoral Council</b>		
Our Pastoral Council advises Father and works with him to develop the overall goals and priorities of the parish. It also seeks to help maintain healthy communication within the parish. Members are appointed by Father Jim and currently include:		
Greg Arling	Tracy Hair	Gary Matthews
Patty Evans	Karen Hanson	Deacon John Tempesco
Russ Foss	Ed Hogue	Mary Beth Vernau

<b>Share Your Talent</b>	
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## Catechism in a Year Discussion Groups

### Last Week's Highlight:

#### **Jews are not collectively responsible for Jesus' death**

597 The historical complexity of Jesus' trial is apparent in the Gospel accounts. The personal sin of the participants (Judas, the Sanhedrin, Pilate) is known to God alone. Hence we cannot lay responsibility for the trial on the Jews in Jerusalem as a whole, despite the outcry of a manipulated crowd and the global reproaches contained in the apostles' calls to conversion after Pentecost. Jesus himself, in forgiving them on the cross, and Peter in following suit, both accept "the ignorance" of the Jews of Jerusalem and even of their leaders. Still less can we extend responsibility to other Jews of different times and places, based merely on the crowd's cry: "His blood be on us and on our children!" a formula for ratifying a judicial sentence. As the Church declared at the Second Vatican Council:

...(N)either all Jews indiscriminately at that time, nor Jews today, can be charged with the crimes committed during his Passion....(T)he Jews should not be spoken of as rejected or accursed as if this followed from holy Scripture.

#### **All sinners were the authors of Christ's Passion**

598 In her Magisterial teaching of the faith and in the witness of her saints, the Church has never forgotten that "sinners were the authors and ministers of all the sufferings that the divine Redeemer endured".

Join your fellow parishioners as we read the Catechism and discuss what we are learning. You can jump in at any time. Here are our upcoming meetings:

9:00 am, Tuesday, April 4 – Paragraphs 606–658  
6:40 pm, Thursday, April 13 – Paragraphs 624–730  
6:30 am, Friday, April 7 – Paragraphs 631–682

## Office Volunteer Needed

We need a volunteer in the parish office on Thursdays from 10 am - 2 pm. Answering phones and greeting visitors with the love of Christ will be your primary duties, but it will be very helpful if you are comfortable with computers and willing to run errands. Call (803)735-0512 if interested. Thanks!



### Fiscal Year 2022-2023

Offertory	Amount
Sunday Collection for March 26	\$6,367.54
Weekly Budget Needs	\$8,400.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Total	\$321,150.25
Year-to-Date Budget Needs	\$327,600.00
Surplus/Shortfall-to-Date	(\$6,449.75)

### Second Collection

Parish Religious Education	\$889.88
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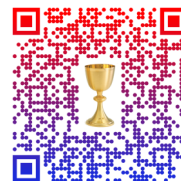
Next week's Second Collection will support:  
**Capital Campaign**

## Vocations Chalice — This program is for everyone!

This is an invitation to all parishioners to participate in the Vocations Chalice Program by taking the Chalice home with you for a week of prayer. Having the Vocations Chalice in your home is a powerful, visual reminder of our faith. The prayer booklet is a helpful guide of prayers for all vocations and our personal, spiritual journey. The journal is an opportunity to share your experience with others. Please choose to sign up now! You may sign up on the SignUpGenius.com website, using this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080c44aeab2aabfe3-vocations1>, or please ask the sacristan or an usher before or after Mass to sign you up. You can also scan the QR code below. This program is for everyone. You should return the Chalice, booklet and journal in the case the following week at the same Mass time as when you received it. If you have questions, please contact Bob Wagner, 803-629-2978, [rs wag1971@gmail.com](mailto:rs wag1971@gmail.com); or Kathy Cunningham, 847-691-5899, [kathy.cunningham@pm.me](mailto:kathy.cunningham@pm.me)

### Vocations Chalice Schedule

Weekend	4:00 p.m. Mass	8:00 a.m. Mass	10:30 a.m. Mass
Mar 25/26	Agustin Family	James Cook	Presutti Family
Apr 1/2	Family Needed	Family Needed	Family Needed





# Holy Week

## **April 1/2 — Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion**

Adoration & Reconciliation at 3:00 p.m., Saturday at Transfiguration

Vigil Mass at 4:00 p.m., Saturday at Transfiguration

*Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m., Saturday at St. Theresa*

Sunday Masses at 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. at Transfiguration

## **April 3 — Monday of Holy Week at Transfiguration**

Adoration at 5:00 p.m.

Daily Mass at 6:00 p.m.

## **April 4 — Tuesday of Holy Week at Transfiguration**

Adoration & Reconciliation at 5:00 p.m.

Daily Mass at 6:00 p.m.

## **April 5 — Wednesday of Holy Week**

Daily Mass at 4:00 p.m. at Transfiguration

*Daily Mass at 5:30 p.m. at St. Theresa*

## **April 6 — Holy Thursday of the Lord's Supper**

Mass at 6:00 p.m. with Adoration until 9:00 p.m. at Transfiguration

Compline and Benediction at 9:00 p.m. at Transfiguration

*Mass at 8:00 p.m. at St. Theresa with Adoration until 10:00 p.m.*

## **April 7 — Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord**

Outdoor Stations of the Cross at 12:00 Noon at Transfiguration

Reconciliation at 12:30 until 1:30 p.m. and 5:30 until 6:30 p.m. Transfiguration

Liturgy of the Passion and Veneration of the Cross at 7:00 p.m. Transfiguration

*Liturgy of The Passion and Veneration of the Cross at 3:00 p.m. at St. Theresa*

## **April 8 — Holy Saturday — Easter Vigil at Transfiguration**

The Easter Vigil Mass in the Holy Night at 8:30 p.m.

## **April 9 — Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord**

*Mass at 7:00 a.m. at St. Theresa*

Masses at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. at Transfiguration

*Nota Bene: The Parish Office will be closed Friday, April 7 & Monday, April 10, in observance of Easter.*



# Palm SUNDAY

## JESUS' TRIUMPH & TRAGEDY IN JERUSALEM

Lent concludes with Holy Week when, like the early Christians, we prepare for Easter by an intense recollection of the final events of Jesus' life: his triumphal entry into Jerusalem (**Passion or Palm Sunday**), his Last Supper (**Holy Thursday**), his crucifixion and death (**Good Friday**) and the discovery of his empty tomb and the experience of his resurrection (**Easter**).

Holy Week begins with the Palm Sunday commemoration of Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem that climaxed with a great public demonstration of acclaim. In a prophetic sign mocking the triumphant victory procession of a military messiah on horseback, the humble messiah Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a donkey while people joyfully strewed palm fronds on his path (Mt 21:1-9; Mk 11:1-10; Lk 19:28-40).

## OUR PALM SUNDAY LITURGY

Some of the Church's earliest Holy Week practices date back to ancient celebrations in Jerusalem. Around the year 388, Christians processed with the bishop from the Mount of Olives to Jerusalem bearing palm and olive branches.

Our Palm Sunday celebration continues this practice as palm fronds are blessed and the Gospel account of Christ's entry into Jerusalem is proclaimed. Then follows a joyous procession into the Church sanctuary for the eucharistic liturgy.

The main Gospel for Palm Sunday is the account of the passion or suffering and death of Jesus taken in a three year cycle from Matthew, Mark and Luke (John's Gospel is read on Good Friday).

This juxtaposition of joyful palm waving and the stark reality of Jesus' crucifixion sets the tone for the roller coaster of emotions that the drama of Holy Week evokes in us. As we wave palms and recall the triumph of Jesus' final entry into Jerusalem, and then hear the Gospel stories and confront the tragedy of his passion and death, we are invited to enter more deeply into our own connection to Jesus and God's salvation struggle of good over evil, of life over death.

## PALM SUNDAY HISTORY & TRADITION

Palm Sunday (first known as *Pasha*) originated in the Jerusalem Church around the late third or early fourth century. Ceremonies consisted of prayers, hymns, and sermons as people moved through the numerous holy sites within the city. At the last site, the place of Jesus' ascension into heaven, the clergy would read the biblical account of Jesus' Triumphant Entry into Jerusalem. Then as evening approached, the people would return to the city reciting: "Blessed is He that comes in the name of the Lord" (Matthew 21:9). By the fifth century, the celebration had spread as far as Constantinople. It wasn't until the sixth and seventh centuries that the ritual blessing of the palms was added. A morning procession replaced the evening one and by the eighth century, the Western Church was celebrating *Dominica in Palmis* or "Palm Sunday."

Palm Sunday is also known as Passion Sunday in recognition of the beginning of Holy Week and Jesus' final journey to his crucifixion. Falling on the sixth Sunday in Lent and the Sunday before Easter, Palm Sunday is celebrated in all major Christian churches—Roman Catholic, Protestant, and Orthodox.

Today, many Palm Sunday traditions remain much the same as those celebrated in the tenth century. In the Catholic tradition the faithful may receive palms during the liturgy. These palms will be blessed by the priest making them "sacramentals." For this reason, palm leaves taken home must be treated reverently with some making a small palm cross for family members to wear or display during Holy Week. The proper disposal of these palms must be carried out respectfully. Customarily, they will be returned to the Church before the following year's Ash Wednesday, burned and used for ashes. The other way to properly dispose of the palms would be to either burn them or bury them. Palm leaves are not to be discarded with the trash.

## HOLY WEEK WITH MATTHEW

A Journey to the Heart of our Faith

During Holy Week each year, we enter most deeply into the foundation of our faith—the Christian mystery of the death and resurrection of Jesus. As we revisit the events of that final tumultuous week in his life, we are plunged by memory and ritual into the mystery that not only revealed and defined the meaning of his existence, but also reveals and defines the meaning of our own. His story is our story, and what happened to him is the pattern for what is happening and will happen to us.

There are four different Gospel versions of that final week. This year, we concentrate on Matthew's formulation of the meaning of the Christian mystery of Jesus' death and resurrection. In chapters 21-28 of his Gospel, Matthew reveals that the path of Jesus' life moves from his public ministry of preaching, teaching and healing in service to God's kingdom through his death on the cross at the hands of his hostile opponents to his resurrection to new life by God's power. This mystery is the formative pattern that identifies the meaning of his life and ours.

## COULD YOU NOT WATCH ONE HOUR WITH ME?

A Reading Plan for Holy Week

This Holy Week, set aside one hour each day to be with Matthew as he reveals his understanding of the mystery of Jesus' life, death and resurrection to you. Each day, find a quiet place and time to use your Bible to read the following passages from the Gospel according to Matthew:

Palm Sunday	Chapter 21	Triumphal Entry to Jerusalem & the Temple
Monday	Chapter 22	Final Questions from Opponents
Tuesday	Chapter 23	Final "Woes" & Warnings
Wednesday	Chapter 24-5	Jesus' Final Teaching Discourse to Disciples
Holy Thursday	Chapter 26	The Last Supper & Night trial
Good Friday	Chapter 27	The Roman Trial & Crucifixion
Easter Vigil	Chapter 28	Jesus' Resurrection & Final Commission

## Here is your King

What kind of a King are you, Jesus? You do not enter the Holy City to receive the honors reserved to earthly kings, to the powerful, to rulers. You enter to be scourged, insulted and abused, to receive a crown of thorns, a staff, a purple robe: your kingship becomes an object of derision. Help me follow your example.

—Pope Francis

## THE E-TEAM PRESENTS

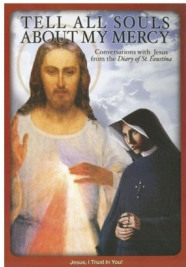
*Encounter  
Your Faith*

The Evangelization Team is starting a monthly series of faith and fellowship events that will take place on the second Wednesday of each month and cover various topics. Food will be served followed by a presentation and discussion. Our first event topic is the message of Divine Mercy.

**Wednesday, April 12, 2023**

**5:00 p.m. – Meal ~ 6:00 p.m. Presentation**

### **Tell All Souls About My Mercy, A Message from Heaven for Our Times**



Hear all the basics of these important revelations. Then dive deep into conversation with Jesus as He speaks with souls struggling with sin, those in despair, and those that are suffering. Join the Blessed Mother on the road to Calvary and gain a better understanding of accepting God's will as she did, even in the midst of great sorrow and tragedy.



## DISCALCED CARMELITE COMMUNITY INVITATION



The Order of Carmelites Discalced Secular (OCDS) in Columbia, SC, would like to invite anyone interested in considering a vocation to the Discalced Carmelite Secular Order to begin visiting our community. Community meetings are held on the second Sunday of each month at St. Joseph's Catholic Church on Devine St in Columbia. Visitors are always welcome. If you would like to inquire about our community, please contact Nancy Cendrowski, OCDS, Formation Director at [goodshepherdocds@gmail.com](mailto:goodshepherdocds@gmail.com) or 864-787-1443.

## **Join The Knights of Columbus & the Service Committee For 40 Cans For Lent**

**ONE WEEK LEFT TO GIVE—Last Day April 9th!!**

This food drive will help The Christian Assistance Bridge (CAB) with their mission to support local families in need. Their current needs include:

- Canned Meat—Stew, SPAM, Vienna Sausages
- Canned Tuna
- Canned Vegetables—no Corn or Beans
- Canned Fruit
- Peanut Butter & Jelly
- Canned Soup—No Chicken Noodle
- Any Chef Boyardee Items

**We have provided over 1,600 pounds of food to CAB so far this Lent— please help us in this last week push over the 2,000 pound mark!! Thank you for your generous support!**



Pictured left to right—Jim Kolkowski, Bob Wagner, Russ Foss, and Ed Hogue

# This Easter Season, Lilies are given in Memory of...

Our Parents by *Gene & Barbara Steward*

Johnnie Hamrick, Jessie Collins, Harry, Judy, and Joann Rawlings, Edward & Charlie Hogue, and Vickie Conner  
by *Ed and Cathy Hogue*

Tony & Idell Moses, Stephen Moses, Gloria Moses, André Bernard, and Barbara Daley by *Marguerite Ojalvo*

The Phillips and Sherman Families by *Danni Sherman*

Michael Sipowicz, Susan Sipowicz, Edmund and Sue Sipowicz, John and Wanda Ohlwarter by *Peter & Shirley Sipowicz*

William & Dorothy Winner and Donald & Marguerite Deyling by *Herbert & Debra Winner*

Ramon and Maria by *Peter & Maria Miranda*

Robert & Ava Raftery and Vincent & Helen Cammisa by *Charles & Sharon Cammisa*

Sally Inda, Susan Perkins, and James H. Wollpert, Jr. by *Katherine Wollpert*

Willow/LaVecchia Family & Hewlett/Roch Family by *Richard & Audrey LaVecchia*

John & Helen Pauzauskie by *George & Mary Blackburn*

Mary Evelyn Grindle, Maryann Buzzetti by *John & Jackie Buzzetti*

Evelyn Castleberry, Raymond Castleberry, Dorothy Kashuba & George Kashuba by *Leroy & Judy Castleberry*

John Heiting by *Joy & Scott Kent*

Ray and Bernadette Oltman, Bill Cunningham by *Kevin & Kathy Cunningham*

David Ellis by *Blanche Ellis*

John J. Davis, Anastasis López, Maria Ramirez, Tomas & Angel Luis López by *Irma Davis*

Melvin DeGrazia by *Karen DeGrazia*

Carmine Palmieri, Helen Palmieri, Jack and Mary ann Brinker, Dortha Doiron by *Ron & Wendy Doiron*

Cleo Riley, Bernice Howard, Mary L. Clinton by *Larissa Cuffie*

Michael and Pamela Hickey by *Jason & Amy Shick*

Smith and Kowalczyk Families by *Ellis & Lynette McGhee*

James and Rosemay Hillmer by *Jim & Nancy Shubnell*

Jack Oliver, Edna and Prince Gills by *Linda Oliver*

Migdalia Rojas Izada, Rolando Rojas Romero by *Luis & Raquel Martinez*

Ralph and Theresa Eberlin by *Lawrence & Emily Eberlin*

Gregorio and Mario Nario, Amparo Vizcarra, Danilo Motos, Mr. & Mrs. Arsenio Villanneva, Mr. & Mrs. Ernesto Hernando, Mr. & Mrs. Salvador Agustin  
by *Celso & Mercy Agustin*

John C. Ozoh by *Maureen Nwajiaku*

Elaine Beresford Niwinski by *Lydia Curley*

Jose Mulero, Sr., and Hilda Jordan by *Jose & Brenda Mulero*

Jeffrey Phelps by *Diane Phelps*

Jeanette Livingston by *Janet Branham*

Richard Astrella and Karen Duvá-Astrella by *Nereida Astrella*

Mr. and Mrs. José A. Cabrera, Ms. Carmen Maria Matos by *Jenaro & Carmen Nazario*



## This Easter Season, Lilies are given in Memory of...

Don and Levina Noll *by Lee & Pamela Husson*

Richard and Martha Strominger, Ted and Tom Strominger, Leodore, Simone, and Alice Robillard, Norman and Louis Robillard *by Tom & Susan Robillard*

Kendal Shelley, Jr., Luis Torres, Oscar Torres, Hilda Shelley, and Lenneau Shelley *by Kendal & Myrna Shelley*

Muriel and Herbert Gardiner, James and Kathleen Rail, Gerard Crennan, Tom and Catherine Rail, Al and Catherine Kalafsky *by John & Joan Gardiner*

## This Easter Season, Lilies are given in Honor of...

The McGhee Family *by Ellis & Lynette McGhee*

### Donations Given By...

Kevin & Erin Murr

Marie Murphy

Clarence & Susan Mundy

Robert Matz

James & Rachel Cassidy

Matthew & Julia Crawford

Mike & Melody Anderson

Jane Ward

Benjamin & Lolita Munden



The Church Office will be closed Friday, April 7 and Monday, April 10, 2023 in observance of the Easter holiday.

### Catholic Appeal of South Carolina

	Amount
Actual Receipts as of 2/28/2023	\$12,924.45
Parish Goal for 2023	\$35,529.00
Cash and Pledges as of 2/28/23	\$21,104.45
% of Goal Achieved	36%
Number of Families Giving	43
% of Families Participating	13.40%

**We're Off to a Great Start! Let's Keep Up the Good Work and Be Together!**



### Ultreya—April 13, 2023

Come join us at our Ultreya on Thursday, April 13 2023, at 6:45 p.m. in the Conference Room. Bring a friend, a dish to share, and come hear our witnesses, Gary Matthews and John Paxton. If you have any questions, please contact Debra Layer—[Sonsmom@aol.com](mailto:Sonsmom@aol.com) or call (803) 603-6748.



## The Columbiettes Corner

*The News and Happenings of the Transfiguration Columbiettes Council 13713*

Visit the Columbiettes Website – <https://columbiettes13713.org>



### Thank You from Birthright

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Birthright Giving Tree and to Columbiette Maria Clark and her committee for this effort to support pregnant women in need. As of last week, we delivered two carloads of gifts; 34 items were purchased and sent from the online registry, and \$118 in cash was donated.



Columbiette Maria Clark and Birthright Program Director Anita Campanelli

### Veritas Sundays

Several Columbiettes and Knights of Columbus members come together periodically with the Transfiguration Youth Group to celebrate Veritas Sundays. Veritas is Latin for truth. Each session centers



around a relevant topic and includes a sharing testimony and small group discussion. A recent get-together focused on how we can help our teens embrace peace during this very busy time of year and how best to deal with the pressures of being a teenager.



### Birthday blessings to our Columbiettes celebrating in April

April 8 - Rose Ann Turner

April 17 - Kathy Paxton

April 23 - Christine Clements

### Business Meeting Reminder!!!

The April meeting will be held on April 10th which is the second Monday of the month. Please make sure to set a reminder to in attend. The meeting begins at 7:00 p.m. in the large classroom. All Columbiettes are invited.



# Unique and Inspirational Reflection on Scenes of the Passion of Jesus

*With Slides & Music*

Wednesday, April 5, 2023

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Our Lady of the Hills Catholic Church

120 Marydale Lane, Columbia, SC 29210

Preacher: Father George CSsR

## **Jesus**

A human being, like us  
faced difficult, painful, challenging  
situations.

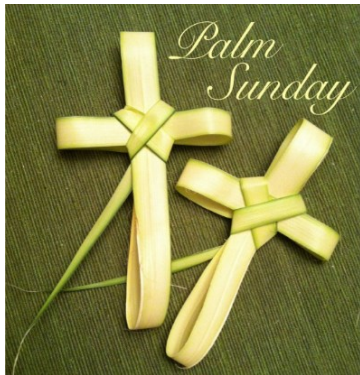
## **We**

Disciples of Jesus face similar situations.

## **Jesus, our Teacher**

The source of our strength, courage and  
hope.

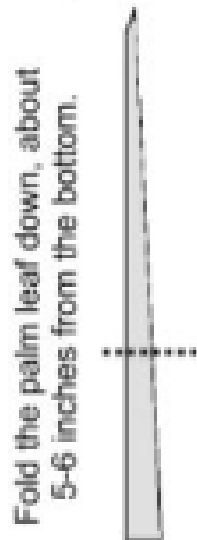
Blessing with the Relic of the True Cross



## Transfiguration Kids Corner

Easy steps to fold your very own Palm Cross

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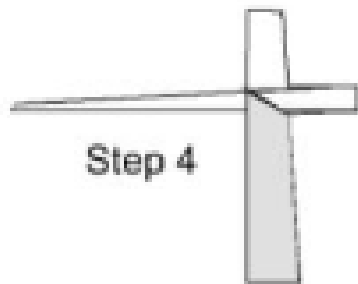
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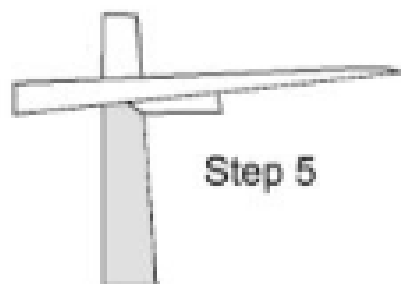
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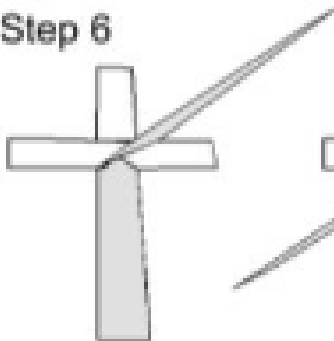
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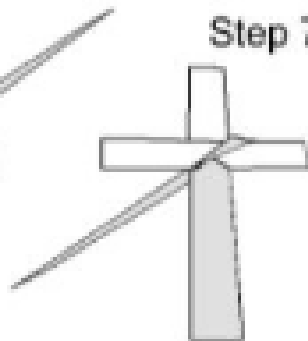
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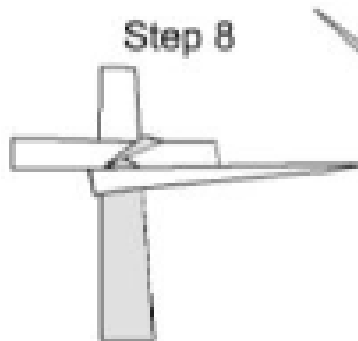
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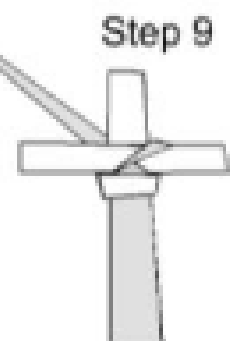
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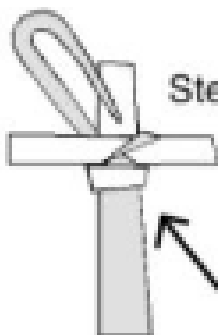
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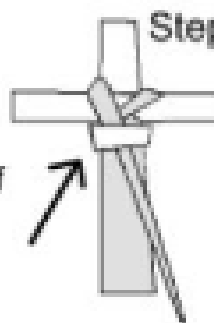


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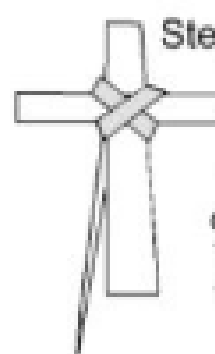


Tuck in the tapered end of the palm leaf and pull it through.

Step 11



Step 12



Turn the cross over. This is the front view.



## Worship, Intentions & Prayers



### Palm Sunday of The Passion of the Lord

#### Sunday, April 2

8:00 a.m.

Mass

Evelyn Grindle<sup>+</sup>

by John & Jackie Buzzetti

10:30 a.m.

Mass

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#### Monday, April 3

5:00 p.m. *Eucharistic Adoration*

6:00 p.m. *Daily Mass*

Charles & Barbara Cotter<sup>+</sup>

by the Cotter Family

#### Tuesday, April 4

5:00 p.m. *Eucharistic Adoration*

5:00 p.m. *Reconciliation*

6:00 p.m. *Daily Mass*

Mary & Michael Malone<sup>+</sup>

by the Underwood Family

#### Wednesday, April 5

4:00 p.m. *Daily Mass*

Rich Zambelli<sup>+</sup>

by the Alchermes Family

5:30 p.m. *Daily Mass—St. Theresa's*

#### Thursday, April 6—Holy Thursday of the Lord's Supper

6:00 p.m. *Mass—Transfiguration*

7:00 p.m. *Eucharistic Adoration*

9:00 p.m. *Compline & Benediction*

8:00 p.m. *Mass—St. Theresa's*

#### Friday, April 7—Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord

12:00 p.m. *Outdoor Stations of the Cross*

12:30 p.m. *Reconciliation*

5:30 p.m. *Reconciliation*

7:00 p.m. *The Passion & Veneration of the Cross*

3:00 p.m. *The Passion & Veneration of the Cross—St. Theresa's*

#### Saturday, April 8—Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

8:30 p.m. *The Easter Vigil Mass*

Thomas Joseph Foy<sup>+</sup>

by Sam & Nadine McDonald

### Easter Sunday Of The Resurrection Of The Lord

*Acts 10:34-43; Ps 118:1-23; Col 3:1-4; Jn 20:1-9*

#### Sunday, April 9

7:00 a.m.

*Easter Mass—St. Theresa's*

9:00 a.m.

*Easter Mass*

Jean Kaczmarek<sup>+</sup>

by The Columbiettes

11:00 a.m.

*Easter Mass*

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### Please Pray for the Healing & Safety of Our Loved Ones

Prayer Line Ministry—Jessica Sisco Moore - (803) 477-6255 or jesskah.moore@gmail.com

#### Prayer for Service & Safety

*Lord, we thank You for those who serve daily whether here or abroad and ask that You protect them from harm, give them courage to persevere, and bring them home safely.*

Amen



**For the healing of...** Tom Aiken, Dave Anderson, Deacon Gary Atkinson, Fred Branham, Moses Branham, Christina Bretz, Alex Bringle, Enrique Caballero Jr., Mary Cammisa, Bill Campbell, Michael Cannon, Mary Causey, Mr. Clark, David Coble, Frank Daresta, Jr., Eileen Dempsey, Fay Elkins, Sherry Haggerty, Kenny Jackson, Kristi Jarvis, Zachary Komen, Noah Langan, Robert Leonard, George Lesznar, Boyd Marivittori, Kenny Martin, Ava Claire Mates, Patrick McLeod, George Mori, Sherri Nichols, Misti Welch Post, Jimmy Phillips, Charlotte Reed, Linda Roush, Deborah Thomas, and Connie Turgeon.

**For the safety of....** Robert Furgal, Rachel Graham, Reuben Paul, Alex Piccuiolo, Will Smarr, all first responders, law enforcement, missionaries, military personnel and their families serving at home and in hazardous locations around the world.





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