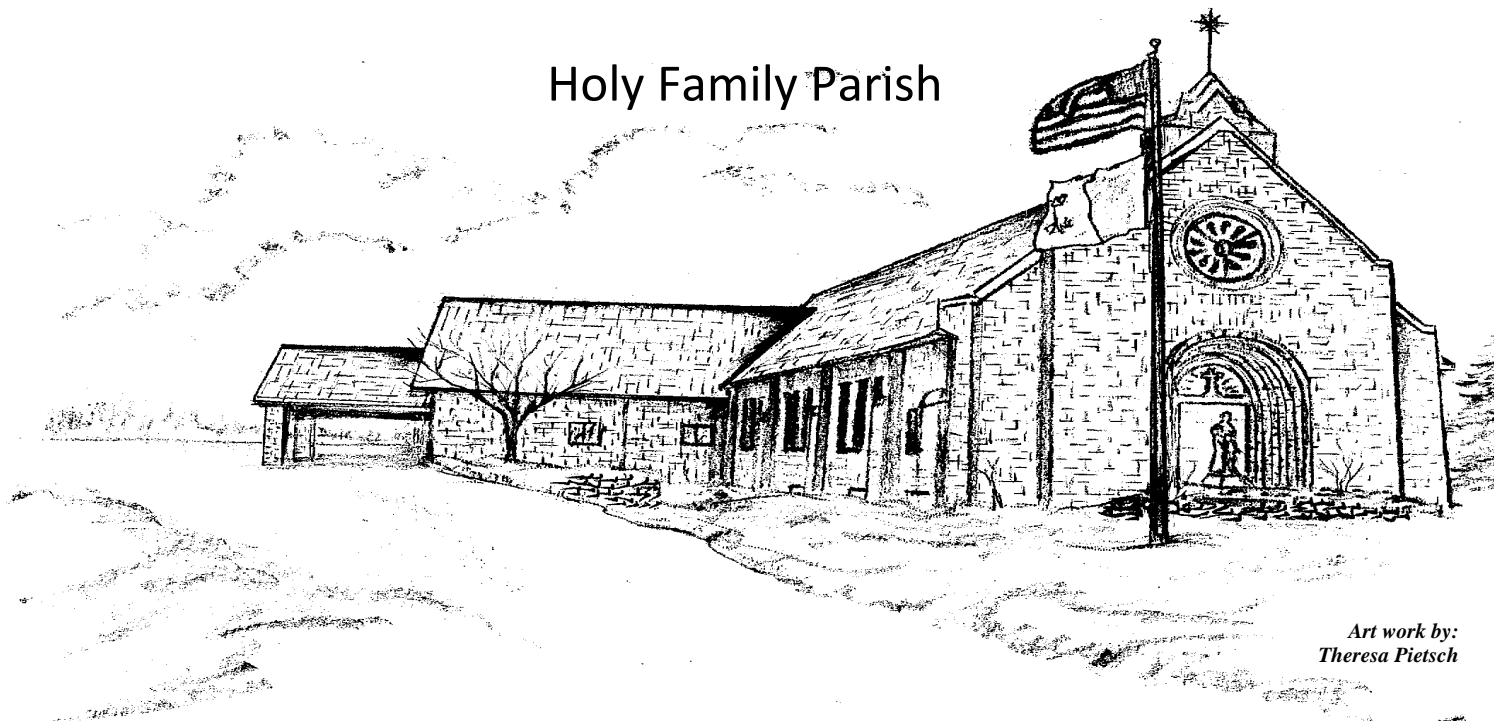


# Holy Family Parish



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## Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord – March 25, 2018

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### Pastoral Council Members

Pam Marenger – President Diane Danhoff  
Wanda Chenier - Secretary Harold Flagstadt  
Kevin Dubord Tina Cryderman  
Cathy Flagstadt – Education Committee  
Sally Young – Liturgy Committee  
Bob Berbohm – Evangelization Committee

### Finance Council Members

Gerald Miron Piper Desy  
Audrey Herioux Bill Smith  
Mary Kay Nolde

### REQUIREMENT FOR SACRAMENTS

The basic requirement for the sacraments of Baptism, First Communion and Marriage is that you be a practicing Catholic.

### Sacrament of Baptism

Please notify the pastor during the pregnancy in order to schedule sacramental instruction, if necessary.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 to 4:00 P.M.

7:15 am - 7:45 am and 5:15 pm – 5:45 pm

before daily Mass or by appointment

*Please see the Sacred Triduum schedule*

### Sacrament of Marriage

Notice of six months is required

### Sacrament of the Sick

The sacrament is for anyone you know who has any continuing or serious illness, or is having Surgery and would like to celebrate this healing sacrament.

### Mass Schedule for March 26<sup>th</sup> thru April 1<sup>st</sup>

Monday.....8:00 A.M.....Joanne Stefl  
Tuesday.....6:00 P.M.....Robert Valley (2<sup>nd</sup> Anniv)  
Wednesday....8:00 A.M.....Mary Kay Niemisto ( Anniv.)  
Thursday.....7:00 P.M.....Lori Clark  
Friday.....3:00 P.M. ....Good Friday Services  
7:00 P.M.....Stations of the Cross  
Saturday.....9:30 P.M.....For the People of our Parish  
Sunday.....8:00 A.M.....Marci Casey  
10:00 A.M.....Marvin Nelson

### Holy Thursday – March 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM

**READER:** Diane Danhoff

**MASS SERVERS:** Tyler & Eric Smith, Wanda Chenier  
Bob Berbohm and Harold Flagstadt  
*Server Practice at 6:00 PM*

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF COMMUNION:** Diane LaMarche

### Good Friday – March 30<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 PM

**READERS:** Tom Desy/Beverly Plimpton

**MASS SERVERS:** Abrahm & Isabel Seymour, Wanda Chenier,  
Bob Berbohm and Harold Flagstadt  
*Server Practice at 2:00 PM*

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF COMMUNION:** Piper Desy

### Holy Saturday & Easter Sunday Servers

**READERS: March 31<sup>st</sup> – April 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Sat. at 9:30 P.M.** – Beverly Plimpton  
Diane Danhoff  
Bob Berbohm

Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Rosemary Beauchamp  
10:00 AM – Gerald Miron

**MASS SERVERS: March 31<sup>st</sup> – April 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Sat. at 9:30 P.M.** – Gabe, Daniel, and Ben Smith  
Trent, Alesha and Emily Marenger  
*Server Practice at 1:00 PM*

Sun. at 8:00 AM – Gabe, Daniel & Ben Smith & Harold Flagstadt  
10:00 AM - Simon Chouinard, Tyler & Eric Smith, and  
Bob Berbohm

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF COMMUNION: Mar. 31<sup>st</sup> – Apr. 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Sat. at 9:30 P.M.** – Bob Tourangeau

Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Donna Richer  
10:00 AM – John Miron

**MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY: March 31<sup>st</sup> – April 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Sat. at 9:30 P.M.** – Eugene Marenger & Brian Smith  
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Dale Richer & Bob Marcella  
10:00 AM – Harold Young & Galen VanDrese

### OF TIMES AND FEASTS

You will notice that the time for the Good Friday Service is later than the time customarily set for this service. The change is dictated by the rubrics for the feast which leave little doubt as to scheduling:

*“On the afternoon of this day, about three o’clock (unless a later hour is chosen for a pastoral reason), there takes place the celebration of the Lord’s Passion consisting of three parts, namely, the Liturgy of the Word, the Adoration of the Cross, and Holy Communion.*

*In the United States, if the size or nature of a parish or other community indicates the pastoral need for an additional liturgical service, The Diocesan Bishop may permit the service to be repeated later. This liturgy by its very nature may not, however, be celebrated in the absence of a Priest.*

Similarly, for Holy Saturday and the Easter Vigil:

*The entire celebration of the Easter Vigil must take place during the night, so that it begins after nightfall and ends before daybreak on the Sunday.*

*The Mass of Vigil, even if it is celebrated before midnight, is a paschal Mass of the Sunday of Resurrection. Anyone who participates in the Mass of the night may receive communion again at Mass during the day.*

### THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

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| Mon.   | March 26 <sup>th</sup> | 8:00 A.M. - Mass<br>7:00 P.M. - Adult Faith Formation with Fr. Francis   |
| Tues.  | March 27 <sup>th</sup> | 5:15 P.M. - Confessions<br>6:00 P.M. - Mass  |
| Wed.   | March 28 <sup>th</sup> | 6:15 P.M. - NO CCD Classes   |
| Thurs. | March 29 <sup>th</sup> | 6:00 P.M. - <i>Server Practice</i><br>7:00 P.M. - Mass of the Lord's Supper with Adoration until 12:00 AM<br>11:55 PM. - Night Prayer<br>12:00 AM - Closing  |
| Fri.   | March 30 <sup>th</sup> | 2:00 P.M. - <i>Server Practice</i><br>3:00 P.M. - Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord followed by the Divine Mercy Novena<br>5:00 P.M. - Confessions heard until 6:00 PM<br>7:00 P.M. - Stations of the Cross |
| Sat.   | March 31 <sup>st</sup> | 1:00 P.M. - <i>Server Practice</i><br>3:00 P.M. - Confessions heard until 4:00 PM<br>9:30 P.M. - Easter Vigil Begins   |
| Sun.   | April 1 <sup>st</sup>  | 8:00 A.M. - Easter Sunday Mass<br>10:00 AM - Easter Sunday Mass  |

#### **St. Vincent de Paul Corner News**

Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of the holiest of Christian weeks. Let us pray for the grace to take up our own cross and to follow Jesus through death to new life.

During Lent, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring the mercy of Jesus into the hearts of the poor, by assisting families, providing food, gifts, utility and rent bills.

For more information about the Holy Family Conference contact Cindy Hurthibise at 384-6927

#### **FREQUENT DAILY MASS**

If you are not already in the habit of going to Daily Mass, the remainder of Lent is a great time to make your attendance more frequent. What better way could there be to observe this holy season than by receiving the Lord more frequently in the Eucharist! The Lenten schedule, with Mass every day, will continue through the Octave of Easter.

#### **Parish Faith & Family News**

So it's spring break and Holy Week. We pray, no matter where you are, you have a chance to celebrate the Triduum-Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday.

Here are answers to last week's fill in the blank. Not every Bible reads exactly the same but this is what I have, start at the beginning and fill these words into the sentence: Unleavened, Passover, city, near, disciples, table, betray, sad, Lord, bowl, written, woe, born, Judas, Rabbi, broke, body, thanks, Drink, blood, sins, kingdom, hymn, Olives.

Here are some questions to think about as we approach Holy Week: 1. Where did the Agony in the Garden take place? 2. Who betrayed Jesus? 3. Who denied Jesus 3 times? 4. Who ordered Jesus to be scourged? 5. What criminal was released instead of Jesus? 6. How many Stations of the Cross are there? 7. How many times does Jesus fall on way to Calvary? 8. Who wiped the face of Jesus? 9. What did the sign on the cross say? 10. Who was the first to discover that Jesus had risen?

## SPIRIT LIFTERS

- Mar. 25<sup>th</sup>** - The first point of wisdom is to know the truth; the second, to discern what is false!
- Mar. 26<sup>th</sup>** - People look at us six days a week to find out whether we really mean what we say and do on the seventh.
- Mar. 27<sup>th</sup>** - Just about the time you think you can make both ends meet, somebody moves the ends.
- Mar. 28<sup>th</sup>** - Christians wouldn't have to worry so much how their children turn out if they'd worry more about what time they turn in.
- Mar. 29<sup>th</sup>** - Life is too short - to remember slights and insults. To cherish grudges that rob me of happiness. To waste time in doing things that are of no value.
- Mar. 30<sup>th</sup>** - Ask, and it shall be given you; Seek, and ye shall find; Knock, and it shall be opened unto you. Matthew 7:7
- Mar. 31<sup>st</sup>** - Wear a smile - One size fits all.
- Apr. 1<sup>st</sup>** - Selfish ambition closes our hearts to Jesus and to one another.

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

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| <p><b>Monday</b><br/>Is 42:1-7<br/>Jn 12:1-11</p> <p><b>Wednesday</b><br/>Is 50:4-9a<br/>Mt 26:14-25</p> | <p><b>Tuesday</b><br/>Is 49:1-6<br/>Jn 13:21-33,36-38</p> <p><b>Holy Thursday</b><br/>Ex 12:1-8,11-14<br/>1 Cor 11:23-26<br/>Jn 13:1-15</p> <p><b>Good Friday</b><br/>Is 52:13—53:12<br/>Heb 4:14-16<br/>Jn 18:1—19:42</p> <p><b>Holy Saturday</b><br/>Gn 1:1 2 2:2 or 1:1,26-31a<br/>Gn 22:1-18 or 11:1-2,9a,10-13,15-18<br/>Ex 14:15 – 15:1<br/>Is 54:5-14<br/>Is 55:1-11<br/>Bar 3:9-15, 32 – 4:4<br/>Ez 36:16-17a,18-28<br/>Rom 6:3-11<br/>Mt 28:1-10</p> <p><b>Easter Sunday</b><br/>Acts 10:34a,37-43<br/>Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8<br/>Jn 20:1-9 or 41    Lk 24:13-35</p> |
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**THE LAST MASS**  
By Michael Cousineau

There are free copies available at the back of church for anyone who would like to take one.

### *PARISH MISSION STATEMENT*

*We will strive to imitate the Holy Family: by being a loving, welcoming, and forgiving community – fully alive in the Spirit of God; by teaching our children the Gospel way of life and encouraging them always to share fully in the life of our parish; by celebrating the Liturgy as a joyful remembrance of our Lord's Sacrifice for us; by being a family of prayer; by respecting all life, and by having our arms open always to embrace the sick and needy.*

### STEWARDSHIP CORNER

|                                  |                   |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Adults.....                      | \$2,782.00        |
| Loose.....                       | 229.53            |
| General Maintenance.....         | 20.00             |
| Fuel.....                        | 220.00            |
| Mass Stipends.....               | 150.00            |
| Easter Flowers.....              | 58.00             |
| Roof Payments.....               | 100.00            |
| St. Vincent de Paul Society..... | 55.00             |
| <b>Total.....</b>                | <b>\$3,614.53</b> |

112 families contributed for March 18<sup>th</sup>

#### **Knights of Columbus Council #640**

Brother Knights, plan to attend the monthly Social Meeting this Monday, March 26, 2018 at the club house. It starts at 7:00 p.m. with a guest speaker to follow.