

Holy Week

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

The week of the Passion of the Lord begins today. The Procession with Palms recalls how Jesus entered Jerusalem to applause: "Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!" Jesus knew, though, that public acclaim is a fickle thing. We know it too.

Isaiah's ancient "Song of the Servant of Yahweh" would soon be the song of Jesus. It is the song of all who consistently stride forward into life, even in the face of scorn.

We listen today to the reading of the suffering of Jesus with the hope that we might emulate our Savior. After accepting praise, He then "humbled Himself", obediently accepting even death, "death on the cross." To face life squarely is to face death.

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion Sunday, March 28, 2010

Masses Saturday Evening

5:30pm ~ English

7:00pm ~ Español

Procession before Evening Mass

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00 Noon

11:00am & 12:30pm (Español) ~ Conlon Hall

Monday - March 29, 2010

Masses: 7:00am, 9:00am, 7:30pm

Tuesday - March 30, 2010

Masses: 7:00am, 9:00am, 7:30pm

8:15pm - Tenebrae Service/Tinieblas

Wednesday - March 31, 2010

Masses: 7:00am, 9:00am, 7:30pm

12noon - Eucharistic Adoration til 6:30pm Benediction

7:00pm - Novena - Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Reconciliation (Individual Confessions)

Please Note:

Holy Week Reconciliation will be held at 6:45pm - 7:15pm on Monday (March 29), Tuesday (March 30), and Wednesday, (March 31). Reconciliation will not be held on Holy Thursday (April 1), Good Friday (April 2), or Holy Saturday (April 3).

Triduum

All three days of the Easter Triduum celebrate the Passion, Death and Resurrection of the Lord. These days are not historical re-enactments of these events in the life of Jesus. The three days are a unit, one celebration of the Paschal Mystery by which we are brought to new life. They celebrate not what once happened to Jesus but what is now happening among us as a people called to conversion, gathered in faith, and gifted with the Spirit of holiness. They celebrate God's taking possession of our hearts at their deepest core, recreating us as a new human community broken like bread for the world's life - a community rich in compassion, steadfast in hope, and fearless in the search for justice and peace.

Holy Thursday - April 1, 2010

9:00am - Morning Prayer

7:30pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper (Bilingual)

Adoration until Midnight - Lower Church

Good Friday - April 2, 2010

9:00am - Morning Prayer

11:00am - (Youth) - Stations of the Cross

12:15pm - (Español) Outside Stations of the Cross - will begin in front of Conlon Hall

3:00pm - Service of the Passion

5:00pm - Service of the Passion (Español)

7:30pm - Service of the Passion

Holy Saturday - April 3, 2010

9:00am - Morning Prayer

11:00am - Blessing of Food

8:00pm - Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday ~ April 4, 2010

Ecumenical Sunrise Service - 6:30 am -

Coopers Pond

Masses

Church: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00 Noon

5:30pm (Tagalog)

Conlon Hall: 11:00am; 12:30pm (Español)

Rejoice the Lord is Risen - Alleluia!
