



# ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

## *Catholic Church*

### APRIL 2, 2023



PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

*Say to daughter Zion,  
"Behold, your king comes to you,  
meek and riding on an ass."*

- Mt 21:5

## Sacraments

### Weekend Mass Times

Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm
Sunday	7:30 am
	9:00 am
	11:30 am
	6:00 pm

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Spanish 1:30 pm

### Daily Mass Times

Mon. - Fri.	6:30 am
	8:15 am

### Holy Day Mass Times

6:30 am
8:15 am
12:00 pm
7:00 pm

### Reconciliation / Confession

Saturday 3 - 4:30 pm  
& by appointment

### All Other Sacraments

Please call the office for information.

## Clergy

Fr. Renier Siva

### Pastor

Fr. Cleetus Karakkat

### Parochial Vicar

Dennis Gorsuch

Jim McFadden

William Goeke

### Deacons

Fr. Ignatius Haran

### Pastor Emeritus

## Parish Office

Mon.- Fri. 8:30 am- 4:30 pm  
307 Montrose Drive, Folsom  
Phone: 916-985-2065

### Website:

FolsomCatholic.org

### Social Media:

@FolsomCatholic

## Bulletin

FolsomCatholic.org/bulletin

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# Welcome to

# St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

We are a community where we welcome all as members of the Body of Christ.

We are welcoming, faithful, passionate, joyful, authentic,  
sacramental, loving and charitable.

## Today's Readings

Mt 21:1-11 / Is 50:4-7 / Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a) / Phil 2:6-11 / Mt 26:14-27:66 or 27:11-54

*"My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?"*  
(Ps 22)

## Gospel Meditation

*By Father John Muir*

What's your car? Let's say it's a fancy silver Toyota. Now imagine you're having lunch in a restaurant and suddenly see two men outside attempting to steal it. You run outside and confront them. They respond, "The master has need of it." How do you respond? Would you just let them take it, and leave you without a car? I don't think I would.

Yet that is precisely what the owners of the colt on Palm Sunday do. Stunningly, and perhaps a little comically, Jesus instructs two of his disciples to commandeer a colt for him to ride. And when they hear the disciples say, "The master has need of it," they let them take it. Of course, Jesus knew they'd let it go. He gave them the grace to let go of what is rightfully theirs. The result? That colt became perhaps the most famous and important animal ever. The beast plays a role in the redemption of the world.

As Holy Week begins, Jesus perhaps will send people to you to ask for something valuable to you. Perhaps it's your car. More likely it's something like your attention, time, or energy. It's natural to resist at first. We've got things to do, after all. But if the interruption is from Jesus himself, listen to that voice which calmly says, "The master has need of it." And simply let it go. You'll be amazed what the master will do with it.

## Scripture Reflections

### First Reading

The prophet Isaiah speaks of his call and commitment to the Lord, regardless of the suffering he endures. How do you find strength in your suffering?

### Second Reading

In this hymn describing Jesus, Paul places emphasis on the humility of Jesus. Would you describe yourself as a humble person?

### Gospel

Listening to the account of the Passion of the Lord often evokes strong emotions for believers. How do you prepare to hear the Passion narrative?





## Knights of Columbus

Join The Knights of Columbus Today

Contact: SK Percy Park

916-936-6145 or dbk576@aol.com

Since 1882, membership in the Knights of Columbus has been open to men 18 years of age or older who are "practical" (that is, practicing) Catholics in union with the Holy See. Since that time, the Knights of Columbus has understood "practical Catholic" to mean a Catholic who accepts the teaching authority of the Catholic Church on matters of faith and morals, aspires to live in accord with the precepts of the Catholic Church, and is in good standing in the Catholic Church.

### What It Means To Be A Knight of Columbus

We are catholic men to lead, serve, protect and defend. We share a desire to be better husbands, fathers, sons, neighbors and role models to put charity, Parish and community first.

### Our Mission & Our Faith

Together we are empowering men to live their faith at home, in their parish, at work and in their community. Our goal is to help men, their families, and their parishes grow closer to Christ. Through our programs and resources, we provide opportunities to live and spread the Catholic faith.

### Responding To Need Since Our Founding

Service and Charity are the heart of the Knights. Founded to meet the needs of immigrants, refugees and families suffering from the death of a breadwinner, the Knights began a small service organization and has grown into a worldwide financial and charitable organization.

### Knights of Columbus Charities

Charity is the heart of our work and our faith-- and it always has been. For the Knights of Columbus Charity means supporting a virtually boundless variety of projects.

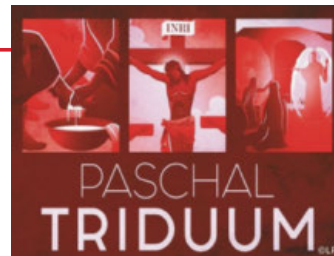
### Knights of Columbus Insurance

The Knights of Columbus is a fraternal benefit society, which means we provide financial security to our members and their families, while turning premiums into charitable impact.

### Faith in Action

Lead your parish and community in faith, family, service and life programs through your local Knights council.

Please see one of the ushers after Mass or contact Percy if you have any questions to join.



### Holy Thursday: The Lord's Supper (No Morning Mass)

7pm - Mass

Adoration in Gallagher Hall after Mass overnight till Noon on Good Friday

### Good Friday: The Passion of the Lord (No Morning Mass)

Noon - Liturgy of the Word &

Veneration of the Cross

3pm & 7pm - Stations of the Cross

### Easter: The Resurrection of the Lord

Saturday

(No Morning Mass or Confession)

8:15pm - Easter Vigil

Sunday

(No 6pm Mass)

Church: 7:30am, 9am & 11:30am

Gallagher Hall: 11:45am

## Parish Office Closure

The Parish Office will be closed on April 7 for Good Friday.

## April is Child Abuse Prevention Month

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month. It is most appropriate that Child Abuse Prevention Month is held during the Easter season. There is no better time than Easter to celebrate the protection of our most valuable gift from God – our children.

If anyone has witnessed, or has reason to believe, or might suspect, there is or has been abuse involving clergy, employees or volunteers at any of our Catholic schools, parish religious education programs or other church-related events, those suspicions or allegations are to be reported first to civil authorities (law enforcement, child protective services, or adult protective services) and then to the Diocese via the toll-free line at 866-777-9133. You may also reach the Pastoral Care Coordinator at 916-733-0142. Reports can be made in English and Spanish.

At St. John the Baptist Parish,  
we welcome all  
as members of  
the Body of Christ.



PRAYER

## Mass Intentions

### Sunday, April 2nd

7:30am Aine Martin+  
9:00am Louis Silva+  
Nancy Gesell+  
11:30am  
1:30pm Ismaeh Sanchez (*birthday*)  
Gabriel Hernandez Delgado+  
6:00pm

### Monday, April 3rd

6:30am Carmenza Moncada+  
Anacoreta Pajao (*birthday*)  
8:15am Bart Visdchinsky (*special intention*)

### Tuesday, April 4th

6:30am  
8:15am Priscila de Castro+  
Joshua Anderson

### Wednesday, April 5th

6:30am  
8:15am Jon Dalupan (*birthday*)

### Thursday, April 6th

7:00pm Matthew Awbrey (*birthday*)

### Friday, April 7th

### Saturday, April 8th

8:15pm Newly Baptized and Received of  
St. John the Baptist

## Observances

### We Celebrate This Week

**Thursday**  
Holy Thursday  
**Friday**  
Good Friday  
**Saturday**  
Holy Saturday

## April is Dedicated to:

The Holy Eucharist/Blessed Sacrament

## Pope Francis'

### Monthly Intention for April

For a culture of peace and non violence

We pray for the spread of peace and non violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

## Intercessory Prayers

### Prayers for the Sick

*We pray for our sick parishioners, family and friends, and those in need of healing of the body and soul.*

Audra Baker	Lafaytia Martinez
Barbara Mead	Lupe Hagge
Betty May	Margie Baker
Camille Pangle	Margie Reilly
Chris Maxey	Mel Ortega
Cristina Martinez	Mike McEvoy
Daniela Martinez	Pete Lisson
Daniel Tafolla	Randy Elliot
Darcy Pierce	Robert Hagge
Debbie Schreiber	Sister Patty Carahu
Dorothy Wilhite	Thomas Rawson
Fr. Ted Santiago	Tyler McEvoy
Geraldine Giapazzi	
Greg Baker	
Kimanh Davis	

### Prayers for Our Troops

*We pray for our military personnel abroad and at home, and for their families.*

Andrew Pecha  
Michael Dalupan

### Prayers for the Recently Deceased

*We pray for the souls of all who have recently died, our family members, friends, and parishioners.*

*May they rest in peace.*

Christopher Kovarik	Patricia Chenier
Diane Wiedel	Scott A. McEvoy
Greg Moeller	Shirley Dascallos
John Thompson	Susan Suboc
Joe Lashinsky	Tim Hays
Kat Reyes	Wanda Walker
Laura Argumedo	Yader Rodriguez
Nick Bongosia	

## Prayer Requests

Prayer requests for the sick, military or recently deceased may be made by calling our Parish Office. Names will appear for two months. Please visit the parish office for Mass Intentions.



Tuesdays  
following 8:15am Mass

Good Friday  
3pm, 7pm

At St. John the Baptist Parish,  
time in conversation with our  
Lord is at the center of  
our lives.





## Adoration

The Adoration Chapel hours are: Mon-Thu 9am - 8pm,  
Sat 9am - 5pm and Sun 7am -11am  
Friday Adoration is in the church: 9am to 7pm

The chapel will be closed on Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday & Easter Sunday.  
There will be overnight adoration, following the 7 pm Holy Thursday Mass and will continue until 12 pm Good Friday. Signups will be in the vestibule.

The Adoration Ministry has immediate need for dedicated adorers for these hours listed.  
To sign up please contact Veronica Thomas at thomas\_vera@yahoo.com

Monday:	10-11 am	11-12pm	4 - 5pm	5 - 6 pm	6 - 7 pm	7 - 8 pm
Wednesday:	12 - 1 pm	3 - 4 pm	4 - 5 pm	5 - 6 pm	6 - 7 pm	7 - 8 pm
Thursday:	10 - 11 am	11 - 12 pm	1 - 2 pm	6 - 7 pm		
Saturday:	10 - 11 am	11 - 12 pm	12 - 1 pm	1-2 pm	2 - 3 pm	3 - 4 pm 4 - 5 pm
Sunday:	10 - 11 am					



### Family Lenten Challenge 2023

#### Sixth Week of Lent

This is Holy Week: Read the Passion of Jesus in the Gospel of John 18:1-19:42, or attend one of the Triduum (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, or Holy Saturday) services.

### Respect Life Ministry

#### "40" Days for Life

Mon-Fri 8am-5pm

February 22<sup>nd</sup> - April 2<sup>nd</sup>

201 29th and "B" Streets, Sacramento

Contact: Joanne Dudgeon, 916-607-2228

The 40 Days for Life campaign is underway and runs throughout Lent. It is a peaceful and educational presence. Those who are called to stand witness during this presence send a powerful message to the community about the tragic reality of abortion. We are in need of parishioners to come out and pray so that you can be a sign of God's love and hope for women and their unborn babies. Visit the following website and sign up for an hour or so. [www.40daysforlife.com/sacramento](http://www.40daysforlife.com/sacramento)  
Carpool from St. John's, contact Joanne.

#### Caregiving

*"It may never have occurred to you that caregiving is pro-life. Your compassion, dedication, and hard work are testimonies to the value of human life."*

Visit [www.usccb.org/committees/pro-life-activities/elderly-care-materials](http://www.usccb.org/committees/pro-life-activities/elderly-care-materials). Or call 1-866-582-0943 to place an order for a Caring for Your Aging Loved Ones Pamphlet and many other materials.

### Novena of the Divine Mercy

April 7 – 14, 2023

Contact: Leilani Badley

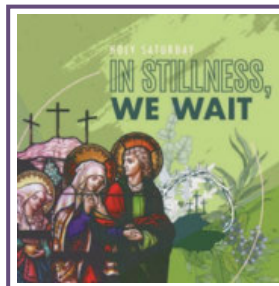
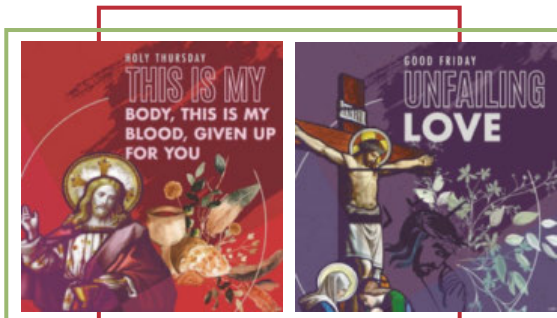
[Leilani.badley@gmail.com](mailto:Leilani.badley@gmail.com)

703-855-6241

*"The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment."*  
(Diary 699)

April 7 – April 14 5:00 pm Church Chapel  
April 15 4:30 pm Church

On April 10 – April 14, we invite you to join us in the Garden Room after the Novena for potluck, fellowship and watch segments of the film Divine Mercy 101 to learn more about St Faustina Kowalska's revelations from our Lord requesting this feast. Divine Mercy Sunday is April 16. For more information please contact Leilani.



At St. John the Baptist Parish, time in conversation with our Lord is at the center of our lives.

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**Praise and Worship**

April 12, Wednesday, 6:30 pm  
Contact: David Brauer  
dabrauer@hotmail.com

Join us for an evening of inspiring music and powerful prayer with Praise and Worship! Praise and Worship will take place in the Church. All are welcome!

**Join Deacon Jim McFadden**

**8 Week Workshop on Pope Francis' Encyclical Fratelli Tutti**

Tuesdays, April 11 - May 30, 7:00pm  
Via Zoom  
Contact: Theresa Grant  
tgrant@talkpathlive.com

- April 11 — *Dark Clouds Over a Closed World*
- April 18 — *A Stranger on the Road*
- April 25 — *Envisaging and Engendering an Open World*
- May 2 — *A Heart Open to the Whole World*
- May 9 — *A Better Kind of Politics*
- May 16 — *Dialogue and Friendship in Society*
- May 23 — *Paths of Renewed Encounter*
- May 30 — *Religion at the Service of Fraternity in our World*

NOTE: The workshop will follow the study guide to the Encyclical Letter of Pope Francis by Marcus Mescher (Paulist Press). Access to this guide is recommended, but not required. To register for the series, please email Theresa Grant. You will receive an email prior to the scheduled session with the Zoom link & instructions. Please check your spam/junk mail in case you do not receive the email in your inbox. Weekly attendance is not required. Session recordings will be available on YouTube.

**(Practicing) Catholic**

**Recognize God in Your Ordinary Moments**

*By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman*

**Making Way for God**

As Christ reclined at the Passover meal and his impending betrayal, I have to imagine at least one of the disciples thought to himself, incredulously and perhaps even indignantly: And you're not going to do anything about it?

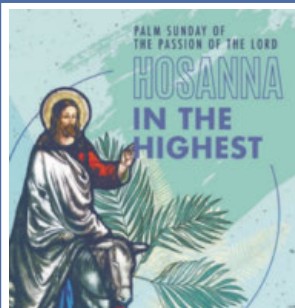
So often we expect God to behave like the frantic parent of a teenager, banging down the closed door of a bedroom filled with loud music. We expect him to be overbearing, snooping in our diary and waiting to ground us the minute we break curfew, desperate to keep us within the family fold, ready and willing to use judgment and force to do so.

It's true that God greatly desires us to stay in friendship with him. But to accomplish it, he does not come to us as a meddler or an overlord. He comes in the same way he does on Palm Sunday. He waits for us to make way.

He may not be overbearing, but he is still devoted, and unfailingly patient. As the Palm Sundays of our lives — the moments of our devotion and piety — give way to the Holy Thursdays, when we inevitably deny him, God does not abandon us. The sacrifice on the cross is still there, waiting for us to accept it.

*Say to daughter Zion, "Behold, your king comes to you, meek and riding on an ass, and on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden." — Matthew 21:5*

At St. John the Baptist Parish,  
we foster a  
commitment to lifelong  
spiritual growth.



The Palm Sunday celebration has ancient origins. Beginning the liturgy "outside" the church, we symbolically reenact Christ's entry into Jerusalem. The crowds in ancient Israel waved palm branches – a symbol of royalty – to welcome Jesus. These days, obtaining palms takes a lot of planning and coordination, as hundreds of thousands of churches worldwide need them on the same day! Many in the USA order palms from Florida, California, Texas, or Central America. Many companies stress the sustainability of their production and the just wages paid to their workers. The palms used on Palm Sunday are blessed at Mass. This means they shouldn't end up in the trash! Many people weave palms into crosses or families display them in their homes. If you do not plan on displaying your palms throughout the year, they should be burned, buried, or left at the church. In the final case, the palms are burned to provide the ashes for next year's Ash Wednesday service.





CHARITY

At St. John the Baptist Parish,  
we bring Christ's light to all  
through service to others.

## 2nd Collection

This weekend our second collection is for SJND and our RE Program. Next weekend our 2nd collection will be for our Bldg & Maintenance Fund.

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
**2023 Annual Benefit for the Poor**  
**Raffle Tickets for Trip to Hawaii**  
Contact: Mercy Knight  
916-402-4104

Just a reminder that raffle tickets for a trip to Hawaii are still available to purchase. Only \$10 per ticket and all of the proceeds from the ticket sales will remain here at our St. Vincent de Paul. For questions or more information, please contact Mercy or St. Vincent de Paul at 916-985-4630.

**The Pontifical Good Friday Collection**  
**Providing Care to Christians in the Holy Land**  
[myfranciscan.org/good-friday/](http://myfranciscan.org/good-friday/)

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land.

PLEASE BE GENEROUS! For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit [www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday](http://www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday)

## Live the Liturgy Inspiration For the Week

Our relationship with Christ should leave us mesmerized — “shaken,” like Biblical Jerusalem on Palm Sunday. It should leave our jaws hanging. If it does not, we should ask ourselves: what needs to change?

## Knights of Columbus

**40 Cans for Lent**  
February 25 - April 9

A charity program that connects traditional Lenten alms-giving with the nutritional needs of poor families and homeless in the greater Folsom area. Inspired by Christ's 40 days of fasting in the desert it has been a huge success for the men of Bishop A Gallegos Council 6197, St. John the Baptist. The program is simple, collect cans of food and/or a packaged food item each day during the 40 days of Lent, beginning on Ash Wednesday and ending on Easter Sunday.

*What food should I donate?*

- Healthy, non-perishable food
- Items with intact, un-opened, consumer or commercial packaging
- Items with non-breakable packaging (no glass please)
- Food within the expiration date on the packaging

*What are the most requested food items?*

- Canned meats like tuna, chicken, turkey, ham, stew and chili
- Canned vegetables, Pasta & pasta sauce
- Beans, Rice
- Healthy cereals, Peanut Butter
- Baby food & baby formula

Drop off items onto our Knights of Columbus Cart before and after weekend Masses during Lent. Items can also be dropped off at the St. Vincent de Paul location on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 am to 12.



## Read the Gospel and Color



Mt 21:1-11

Many years earlier, God's prophets had written about the Savior. He would heal the blind, he would raise the dead, and he would ride into Jerusalem on a donkey as a gentle king. The people knew Jesus was the Savior they had been waiting for. They treated him like a king.

## Mission for the Week

Make your own palm branch to wave for Jesus at home. Cut an oval out of green construction paper. Then make cuts toward the middle (but not all the way through) for leaves.

## Prayer

Jesus, help me to treat you like my king.

## Puzzle

Help Jesus get to Jerusalem



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"Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."



Our parish is enriched with many ministries, please consider learning about and engaging in one or more of our ministries. Call the contact listed.

## Welcoming Ministries

### New Parishioner Welcoming Ministry

Joyce Starosciak, 916-740-4628

### Greeter Ministry

Lori Hopper, 916-337-0139

### Ushers

Stanley Posis, 916-705-9192

## Prayer Ministries

### Companioned Prayer

Dcn. Bill Goeke, 916-673-7996

*Fridays, 1:30pm. Music Room*

### Divine Mercy Devotion/Cenacle

Leilani Badley, 703-855-6241

*-Chaplet/Rosary/Morning Prayer*

*-Divine Mercy Chaplet/Mass*

*-Cenacle - Leilani Badley, 703-855-6241*

*-Cenacle-Spanish - Ana Haid, 916-956-1177*

### Eucharistic Adoration

Veronica Thomas, thomas\_vera@yahoo.com

*Sign Up for adorers is in the vestibule*

### Marian Cenacle (Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle)

*-English - 1st Wednesday of the month, 10am*

Sally Gomez, 916-693-2411

*-Spanish - Every Saturday*

Ana Haid, 916-956-1177

### Our Lady of Fatima

Henry Altamirano, 925-899-7769

## Spiritual Growth Ministries

### Adult Scripture Study

Lee & Teresa Weider, 916-398-1116

### Couples for Christ

Myrah Empleo, 661-993-4721

### Lay Mission Project

Laura Wicklman, 916-933-8471

### Praise & Worship

David Brauer, dabrauer@hotmail.com

### Religious Education

Shannon Langer, 916-985-7338

### Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Shannon Langer, 916-985-7338

### Theology on Tap

Aaron Santos, 916-985-2065

### WINGS (Women in Growth Spiritually)

Parish Office, 916-985-2065

### Youth/Young Adults Ministries

Aaron Santos, asantos@folsomcatholic.org

## Parish Committees/Councils

### Finance Council

Joyce Starosciak, 916-740-4628

### Liturgy Committee

Barbara Bowden, 916-984-9476

### Pastoral Council

Shannon Frazier, 916-761-2912

## Outreach/Charity Ministries

### Bereavement Hospitality/Receptions

Parish Office, 916-985-2065

### Catholics for Life

Kathy Baxter, 916-337-6824

### Gabriel Project

Debbie Sultan, 916-337-5786

### Grace Quilters Ministry

Catherine Scott, 831-402-4681

### Grupo Pastoral Hispano

Rommel Hernández, 530-387-1009

### Knights of Columbus

Hugo Schmidt, 916-817-4541

### Pastoral Care Ministry

Dan Dunne, 916-817-1675; Sunday

Candice Ralston, 916-806-8090; Tuesday

### Prayer Shawl Ministry

Catherine Scott, 831-402-4681

### Prison/Restorative Justice Ministry

-Folsom Prison - Fr. H. Gomez, 916-985-2561 x 4206

-CSP Sacramento - Greg Mellor,

Catholic Chaplain, 916-985-8610 x6425

### School Ministry (St. John Notre Dame)

Keith Martin, Principal, 916-985-4129

### Senior Visitation

Charlene Agles, 916-984-9602

### St. Vincent de Paul (311 Montrose Dr.)

Mercy Knight, 916-985-4630

## Liturgical Ministries

### Altar Servers

Hugo Schmidt, 916-817-4541

### Children's Liturgy during Mass

Shannon Langer, 916-985-7338

### Extraord. Ministers of Holy Communion

Steve & Maryanne Ashley, 916-479-2214

### Lectors

Patti Midtlyng, 916-837-8322

### Liturgical Environment

Arlette Peterson, 916-220-5968

### Music - See choir director after Mass.

## Additional Ministries

### Children's Babysitting at Mass

Parish Office, 916-985-2065

### Family Fellowship

Rachel Marsh, 916-945-6992

### Gift Shop

Connie Aley, 916-984-9284

### Security Ministry

Jim Miller, 916-220-4311

### Women's Game Day

*Every Wednesday, Garden Room, 11am - 4:30pm.*

Roberta Puzio, 916-933-2561

# MINISTRIES

"Here am I, Lord;  
I come to do your will."

## Walk Every Step with Christ

Holy Week is a week for being mindful. We must set loose the baggage of Lent, and not be deterred by the dazzling sunrise of Easter morning beckoning in the distance.

It's okay for us to be excited for Easter. We've waited so long, after all. In my opinion it's one of the best feelings there is: the yearning we have in our hearts for the Resurrection as we embark on Palm Sunday. And in a purely logical sense, many of us have Easter celebrations for which we are preparing, and practical considerations to contend with. It's going to be a busy week, one likely full of happy distractions.

But my friends, we simply must keep our feet on the ground. Let's not "skip" Holy Week. Resist the urge to flip to the last page of the book, to fast-forward to the final scene of the movie. Don't rob yourself of the journey. This week is a blessed opportunity. It is this week that teaches us who we are. In the span of the Triduum, we have the birthday of the priesthood, the institution of the Eucharist, the sacrifice on Calvary and so many other vivid and meaningful scenes.

It may sound strange, to advise someone to savor the moments of Holy Week. There are so many violent and heartrending moments, after all. But this is the valley of tears, remember — we are not in Heaven yet. And here, in our fallen, sin-filled world, it is the heartrending moments that seem to matter the most.

These are the moments that define us as Catholics. Live them. Cherish them. Be present for each one. — Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



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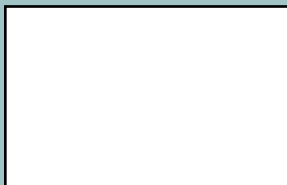
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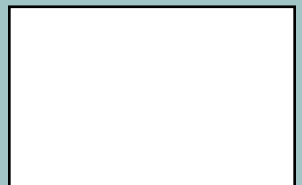
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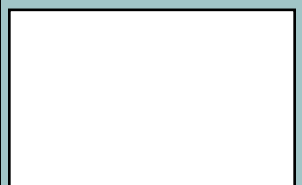
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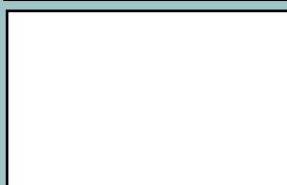


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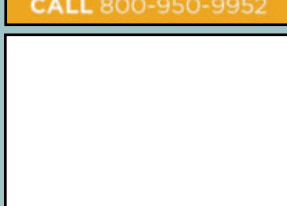
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