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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

April 13, 2025

Blessed are you who have come to us so rich in love and mercy.

This Sunday, known as Palm or Passion Sunday, marks the beginning of Holy Week. Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday are collectively known as the Triduum, a three-day period that marks the culmination of the Church year. There are two Gospels proclaimed at today's Mass. The first Gospel proclaimed before the procession with palms tells of Jesus's triumphant entrance into Jerusalem. Riding on a borrowed colt, Jesus was hailed by the crowds as they shouted blessings and praise to God. This event is reported in each of the four Gospels.

DOMENICA DELLE PALME

"Osanna! Benedetto colui che viene nel nome del Signore"; è il canto del nostro pellegrinaggio per la via che porta in cielo. Gesu' sale a Gerusalemme per la Pasqua, ma è un cammino che tocca anche a noi. *"Oggi come sempre, l'uomo sta nel punto d'intersezione tra due campi di gravitazione. C'è anzitutto la forza di gravità che tira in basso - verso l'egoismo, e verso il male. Dall'altro lato c'è la forza di gravità dell'amore di Dio: l'essere amati da Dio e la risposta del nostro amore ci attirano verso l'alto".*



Parish Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8:30am-12 noon 1:00pm- 4:30pm

For Daily & Weekend Mass Intentions see inside

SATURDAY: 5:00 PM (English) SUNDAY: 9:00 AM (Italian - English) & 11:00 AM (English)

Registration:

Parish Census Forms at Church entrance or call the Office.

Baptism:

Parish Membership & Baptism class required. Please contact the Office.

Marriage:

Parish Membership & Preparation required. Call Office 6 months in advance.

Reconciliation - Confession:

Saturday 4:00pm & 30 min. before each Mass or on request.

Anointing of the sick:

Every First Friday of the Month during the Mass & on request.

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What to say to the Father

Today we celebrate Jesus' messianic entry into Jerusalem; in remembrance of his triumph, we bless the palms and read the account of his passion and death. Suffering is part of the servant's mission. It is also part of our mission as Christians. But in suffering lies victory. "He stripped himself, taking on the condition of a servant, humbled himself, making himself obedient unto death, and death on a cross." Christ's divine elevation is in his stooping down, his serving, his solidarity with us, especially the weakest and most tried. For divinity is love. And love was manifested most powerfully precisely on the cross. "After these words he rendered the spirit." This moment of silence is also for each of us. What can I say to the Father?



A picture with our Bishop Alan Campeau after Chrism Mass with Holy Name & parishioners.

COLUMBUS CENTRE SPAGHETTI TAKE

OUT: April 17, May 1 & 15, June 5 & 19
Take Out pick up from 2:00-5:30pm

ST. PATRICK HIGH SCHOOL: presents **School of Rock**, based on hit 2003 movie. May 5th-10th, nightly shows at 7pm. Tickets \$25. purchase at school main office (8:30am-3:30pm) Proceeds support of *Underground Gym & Youth Centre*.

LADIES OF ITALIAN SOCIETY OF P.A.:

MEETING: Monday, April 14 at 7:30pm.

EXECUTIVE MEETING: at 6:30pm

72nd ANNUAL C.W.L. DIOCESAN CONVENTION will take place at St. Patrick's Cathedral April 25 & 26. Registration info is available from C.W.L. executive members.

FIRST COMMUNION RECONCILIATION

CLASS: Sun., April 13th during the 11:00am Mass. Families enter with their children into the church, begin Mass together and wait to be called for their classes in the hall. Parents/Guardians remain in Mass until ended, at which time they can pick up their children from hall.

CONFIRMATION MEETING: a meeting has been scheduled for the candidates, sponsors and parents on Mon., Apr. 28 at 7:00pm. Please arrive at the church by 6:45pm so that we can get everyone checked in on time to begin the meeting at 7:00pm sharp. Date for this year's Confirmation with Bishop Alan Campeau is **Sat., May 31st at 2:00pm**. If you have not received email confirmation, please contact our office to register.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Thursday, May 8- 7:00pm Mass & Confessions

Friday, May 9- 7:00pm Mass & Confessions

Saturday, May 10- 8:00pm Solemn Mass and Candlelight Procession with statue of Our Lady. The Portuguese committee of Our Lady of Fatima invites everyone to join them following the procession for pork on a bun & refreshments, available for purchase.

Contact Manuel Neves (807-768-1582 or any committee member for further information.

2025 CWL MEMBERSHIP: \$35.00 may be paid for at the office, meetings or weekend masses.

C.W.L. meeting Wed., May 7th. Celebrating Mothers. We will begin with the crowning of Mother Mary. There will also be a High Tea, dress appropriately. Baking always appreciated. Stay tuned, more info to come.

THANK YOU: to all who participated in our collection of hats, mittens, socks & underwear.

SUNDAY COLLECTION: \$ 4,042.00

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MASS INTENTIONS April 14-20, 2025

Monday, April 14

All Parishioners
Hugh Wood
Raffaella Marino

9:00am English

Pastor
P. & A. Legace
children

Tuesday, April 15

Aquila Slobbe
Teresa Pietrzyk
Giorgio Milano

7:00pm Italian

St. Anthony's Seniors
Family
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Wednesday, April 16

Giuseppe Bradizza
Giovanna Chiarelli

7:00pm English

M. Bradizza
F. Gliotti

Thursday, April 17

7:00pm (Eng. & Ital.)

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Followed by adoration

Holy Week



Friday, April 18

3:00pm LITURGY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

7:00pm LITURGIA DELLA PASSIONE DEL SIGNORE

Saturday, April 19

8:00pm SOLEMN CELEBRATION OF EASTER VIGIL

Sunday, April 20

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

9:00am Mass

FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

11:00am

FOR ALL PARISHIONERS



Our 11:00 am Mass can be viewed by live stream
With the link being found on the church website:
www.stanthonysparish.ca



Charley Gilda Marie DiPasquale, Kayne Robert
Justin DiPasquale & Amara Kira Zerbini were
baptized in the Lord. Congratulations & blessings
to the families.

† Let us pray for the repose of the soul of Francesco Mollame
who recently passed away.

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