

# PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

## St. Anthony of Padua Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel - St. Anthony of Padua Parish

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- Wednesday 8:00am - 12noon •
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### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Sunday after 10:00 a.m. Mass  
Please call the rectory.

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Every Saturday 11:00 a.m.  
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SUNDAY MASS  
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### NEW MEMBERS

Please call the rectory during  
office hours to register.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Please call the rectory to make arrangements  
six months in advance.

### SICK CALLS

Notify the rectory. The priest should  
be called as soon as possible.

APRIL 5, 2020



**LENT**

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

**GUARDIAN ANGEL PRAYER**



Angel of God; my guardian dear to Whom God's love commits me here; ever this day be at my side to light and guard; to rule and guide. Amen.

The Guardian Angel prayer, a concise summary of ancient prayers, is the expression of devotion of the Christian people to their guardian angels. St. Benedict, in his Holy Rule (rules for his monks), reminds monks that the Liturgy of the Hours is recited in the presence of God and angels. St. Thomas Aquinas clarifies that every man, at the moment of birth, is entrusted to a guardian angel. The existence of bodiless, spiritual beings, that holy Scripture habitually calls angels, is a truth of our faith.

**+** *Mass Intentions for the Week*

APRIL 5- APRIL 26, 2020

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|-----|--------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Sun | Apr 5  | Joe Corradetti By<br>Barbara Castro             |
| Sun | Apr 12 | Antoinette Pizzulo By<br>Joe & Suzanne Illencik |
| Sun | Apr 19 | Deacon & Kathy Anniversary                      |
| Sun | Apr 26 | Catherine Ruozzo By<br>Marie Giannini           |

Jesus chose the Passover feast of his people Israel as a symbol for what was to happen through his death and Resurrection. As the people Israel were freed from slavery to Egypt, so Christ frees us from the slavery of sin and the power of death.



All-powerful, eternal God, You have chosen to give mankind a model of humility; our Savior took on our flesh, and subjected Himself to the Cross. Grant us the grace to preserve faithfully the lessons He has given us in his Passion and to have a share in His resurrection. This we ask of You through our Lord Jesus Christ, you Son Amen

**SAINT ANTHONY**  
**PRAY FOR US!**



**REMEMBER US LAST:** When you are preparing your Will and Estate Plan, remember those closest to you, spouse, family members, and loved ones. Then remember St. Anthony Church with a residual gift that defines your Legacy of Faith as a member of our parish community. Please CALL 330-744-8451, EXT. 325 FOR INFORMATION.

We are increasing our membership weekly. If you know of a Catholic friend in search of a home parish, please encourage them to visit us here at St. Anthony's. We need volunteer Altar Servers, Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, and Funeral Servers. The parish can also use any help during the planning and organizing of sponsors for the Spaghetti Dinners. (Making up Gift Baskets, sending out donor letters, setting up, cleaning after, and workers during.) If you wish to volunteer your time for the good of St. Anthony Parish please call the office @ 330-744-5091.



**Patricia Novello James Sahli**  
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**Jessica Robinson**



### MINISTERING TO THE HOMEBOUND

Our church continues to meet the sacramental and spiritual needs of our homebound parishioners. If you are aware of anyone who is homebound and in need or desire of our support, please contact the parish office. Likewise, if a member of your family is in the hospital and in need of either the Sacrament of the Sick or Communion, please call. Thank you for your cooperation.

### PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD TODAY'S FOCUS: HEARING THE STORY AGAIN-FOR THE FIRST TIME



The Passion reveals the depths to which the Lord will go to show us his love. It is our calling to listen and hear this love story again, in a new and fresh way.

What is so breathtaking about the death of Jesus is the degree of self-emptying, self giving, self-sacrifice that Jesus was willing to undergo in obedience and for our sakes. Where did he get the strength to do that? "I gave my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who plucked my beard." Isaiah says, "The Lord God is my help...He also declares my innocence is near" Our God is Deliverer. God lifts us up. God is faithful. God is for us.

Isaiah 50: 4-7

Psalm 22: 2a

Philippians 2: 6-11

Matthew 26: 14-27: 66 or 27: 11-54

Lord, as we enter into this most sacred of weeks, give us new eyes to see the beauty of what you have done for us. Bless those who minister-the preachers and lectors, the musicians and artists, and all who serve liturgically. Help us to create liturgies that move and inspire our people and show forth your presence. Please bring back those who are far from faith and enlighten those who do not yet know you. Thank you, most of all, for giving yourself to us so completely.

### THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS ENTRUSTED TO HIS WORLDWIDE PRAYER NETWORK

APRIL

### Freedom from Addiction

We pray that those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied.

### ST. ANTHONY, GENERATOR OF CHARITY



Dear St. Anthony,  
God wants us to see Christ, our brother, in everyone and love Him truly in word and in deed. God wills that we share with others the joy of His boundless love. St. Anthony, Generator of Charity, remember me in the Father's presence, that I may be generous in sharing the joy of His love. Remember also the special intentions I now entrust to you.

Three times Jesus had predicted his suffering and death before consciously and voluntarily going to the place of his Passion and his resurrection.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE ILL, HOME BOUND, OR IN NURSING HOMES:



Linda Brown, Anita Cheff, Virginia Criscione, Dom D'Eramo, Karen Davis, Anthony DelFratte, Rina DiFiore, Sam DelGenio, Roseann Giampietro, Geri Huey, John Janacone, Jake LaLama, Jennie Marinell, Tom Menelle, Lucy Messo, Tony & Pat Parish, Theresa Polovischak, Fred & Josephine Ross, Frank Ruggiero

Please remember in prayers the above parishioners who are ill, homebound or in nursing homes. May the Divine Physician grant them strength, patience, and healing. You are encouraged to visit them, phone them or send them a card. Please call the office for addresses.

### PRAYER FOR PALM SUNDAY

Loving God, Give us joy in our hearts as we celebrate welcoming Jesus our King with palms, celebrating all that we hope for as the Easter story unfolds.

Then as the journey of Jesus turns toward Good Friday, help us know that you are with us when celebration turns to sadness.

Give us the faith we need to follow you on the way of the cross, which leads to life.

### THE SEVEN GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

**Wisdom**-A spiritual gift which enables us to know the purpose and plan of God.

**Understanding**-Discerning how to live as followers of Christ  
**Fortitude**- The moral virtue that enables firmness in difficulties and constancy in the pursuit of the good.

**Knowledge**-Growing in one's understanding of Revealed truth.  
**Piety**-leads one to devotion to God

**Fear of the Lord** (Wonder and Awe)-Respect and reverence for God.



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 Registration Form for New Member Information

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