## LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, April 5, 2020 - Palm Sunday

Holy Mass with blessing of palms (televised - streaming online 9:30 AM via Zoom app)

For God's blessing, good health and safety for all Parishioners, Friends and Benefactors of St. Valentine's Parish

Monday, April 6 2020 – Holy Monday

Tuesday, April 7, 2020 - Holy Tuesday

Wednesday, April 8, 2020 - Holy Wednesday

Thursday, April 9, 2020 - Holy Thursday

7:00 PM - The Lord's Supper Mass, The Institution of the Eucharist and **Priesthood** (televised - streaming online via Zoom app)

Friday, April 10, 2020 - Good Friday

6:30 PM – Stations of the Cross (televised - streaming online via Zoom app) 7:00 PM - Liturgy of our Lord's Passion, Veneration of the Cross, Holy Communion, the symbolic Entombment (televised - streaming online via Zoom app)

Saturday, April 11, 2020 - Holy Saturday

12:00 Noon - Blessing of Easter Baskets (televised - streaming online via Zoom app)

7:00 PM – Easter Vigil Liturgy, Mass with Blessing of Fire, Paschal Candle and Baptismal Water (televised - streaming online via Zoom app) Sunday, April 12, 2020 - Easter Sunday

9:30 AM - Resurrection Mass (televised - streaming online via Zoom app) For all our deceased relatives

- 4/19/2020 † Joseph & Maryanna Statkiewicz *†* Helen & Thomas Misiewitz † Deceased members of Statkiewicz Family - requested by Marianne Woodland & Henry Jackowicz
- 4/26/2020 † Dominick Jeblonski requested by Matulewicz, Kunciw and Jeblonski Families
- 5/10/2020 Mother's Day For All Mothers
- 5/17/2020 For God's blessing and all needed graces for Trish & Bob Heaberly celebrating 25th Wedding Anniversary - requested by Andrew & Chase
- 5/24/2020 † Bernard Minakowski requested by Jeff & Donna Spotts

## **DUE TO COVID-19** AND PHILADELPHIA RESTRICTIONS ALL MASSES ARE NOT FOR PUBLIC, BUT WILL BE AVAILABLE AS THE **ONLINE STREAMING.**



See our website and check your email for details.

## PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS AND RELATIVES

Let us pray for: Ewelina Filyushchenko, Julie & Cliff Brown, Ed & Florence, Kapuscinski, Estelle McKee, Josephine Zdanowicz, Anna Mendla, Barbara Ganteski, Joseph Smith, Andy Stachowicz, Wanda Groman. If you like to add somebody to this list please let us know.

## FAITH SHARING

This is the time of year we stop to remember and relive the events which brought about our redemption and salvation. What we commemorate and relive during this week is not just Jesus' dying and rising, but our own dying and rising in him, which will result in our healing, reconciliation, and redemption. Attentive

participation in the Holy Week liturgy will deepen our relationship with God, increase our Faith and strengthen our lives as disciples of Jesus. Today's liturgy combines contrasting moments, one of glory, the other of suffering: the royal welcome of Jesus in Jerusalem and the drama of the trial, culminating in crucifixion, death and burial for the Christ.



## PRAYER IN TIME OF NATIONAL ANXIETY

I come to You, Lord, in this time of uncertainty and confusion that has gripped our nation.

I pray that our leaders and representatives in government are filled with Your peace, strength and courage. May your gifts of wisdom and understanding, fortitude and counsel be sought and utilized by them for the well-being of our country. By their belief and trust in You may they provide capable leadership,



promote unity and peace, and be attentive to the concerns of our people. May Your Church provide support and comfort; and help strengthen our hope for peace through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

## ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. Inflame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior.

### HOLY MASS AT ST. VALENTINE'S PNCC PHILADELPHIA ONLINE STREAMING

1. Download to your computer (Windows or Mac) or to your smartphone (Apple or Android) Zoom app, or just to open the webpage zoom.us and click on Join a Meeting. Then follow the instruction on the screen.

2. You can set up your account but it's not necessary. All Parish Committee Members are obliged to set the account because we will be using this for all our meetings.

3. For each Sunday Mass streaming you will receive an email with an invitation and credentials. If you are not on our mailing list please send email to pastor@oursaviorpncc.org

Also you can click the link on our parish website.

4. Click the link and join the meeting. If password is required, please type the password. **You can find password in the email with invitation**. Password is to prevent intruders and jokers who can attend this streaming and make some inappropriate comments.

5. **IMPORTANT! Make sure to mute your microphone and disconnect your video** to let the streaming go smooth. If you leave your microphone on, we all will hear you and this will for sure interfere the liturgy. In this case you will be banned and disconnected. If you are banned by the host, you cannot join the same meeting again.

In the future we can change this rule, so you all can participate by answering and interacting, like you normally do in the church.

6. Just in case you are accidentally disconnected click one more time the link in the email or type the Meeting ID and password.

You can share the link with others. We are limited to 100 attendees. Please share with me the emails of others who want to receive an invitation for each Sunday Mass streaming.

Younger Parishioners and those who are tech savvy please remotely help our elders to set their computers or smartphones in order to watch my streaming. All, please make sure that people will know about this new form of liturgy in our parish.

After the Mass is over, we can unmute our microphones and talk to each other. Please feel free to make your comments via <u>email</u>.

#### EASTER LETTER

Probably you all have received 2020 Easter Letter. Please respond to it using the returning envelope. I know, that this time everything will be different, but please be as generous as possible accordingly to your home budget. We can't have any fundraisings, neither Sunday Mass collections, therefore only your donations mailed to us can help St. Valentine's Parish to survive. May God reward you for your generosity. On Palm Sunday, April 5, the Mass is offered for God's blessing, good health and safety for all Parishioners, Friends and Benefactors of St. Valentine's Parish.

#### PALM DISTRIBUTION

If you really need a palm, few palm branches will be available for pick up after Palm Sunday Mass on the rectory porch on Sunday and Monday only. The rest of any undistributed and unused palms will be destroyed at some point either by fire or burial in our parish cemetery.

For your safety rather stay home. Palms are unnecessary to have at home.

# **ST. VALENTINE'S PARISH**

Polish National Catholic Church 2330 Margaret St, Philadelphia, PA 19137, (215) 535-4978 www.stvalentinespncc.org, stvalentinespncc@gmail.com Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM (English)



**Palm Sunday** 

Niedziela Palmowa

April 5, 2020