

ST. VALENTINE'S POLISH NATIONAL CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY APRIL 13th PALM SUNDAY, (PURPLE)

BLESSING OF PALMS, READING OF THE PASSION, HOLY MASS

LESSON: Isaiah 50:4-7 **LESSON:** Philippians 2:6-11 **GOSPEL:** Passion acc. to St. Luke

9:30AM Mass for the intentions of our Parish Family.

MONDAY APRIL 14th MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK

NO MASS TODAY

TUESDAY APRIL 15th OF HOLY WEEK

Fr. Carmen will attend the Mass of Chrism at St. Stanislaus' Cathedral.

WEDNESDAY APRIL 16th WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK

7PM Setting the Church for Easter

THURSDAY APRIL 17th HOLY THURSDAY, (WHITE)

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER, PROCESSION TO THE REPOSITORY

8AM Mass for the soul of the departed Charles Nicgoski.

FRIDAY APRIL 18th GOOD FRIDAY, (BLACK), DAY OF FASTING

7PM Reading of the Passion, Veneration of the Cross, liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified,
Procession to the Repository, burial of the Lord.

SATURDAY APRIL 19th HOLY SATURDAY, (PURPLE/WHITE)

NOON Blessing of Easter Food

6PM Blessing of Easter Food.

7PM Blessing of fire, Reading of the 4 Lessons, Blessing of Easter Food

SUNDAY APRIL 20th EASTER SUNDAY, (GOLD)

SOLEMN PROCESSION, HOLY MASS, BLESSING OF EASTER FOOD

LESSON: Acts 10:34, 37-43 **LESSON:** Colossians 3:1-4 **GOSPEL:** St. John 20:1-9

9:30AM Mass for the soul of the departed Walter Boyk

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: **APRIL 13th** Palm Sunday; **APRIL 20th** Easter Sunday

EASTER FLOWERS: Offerings are now being accepted for Easter flowers.

PASSOVER: Last night our friends began Passover, to mark their deliverance from slavery in Egypt.

SACRED VOCATIONS: Please pray for an increase of vocations to the Priesthood and Diaconate.

TRIUMPHAL ENTRY: Today we remember the Triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. It marked the beginning of the end. Most of the people who cheered Hosanna would shout Crucify Him just days later egged on by the religious authorities. Even Pilate gave in to the pressure. We all get pressured to turn from Jesus, many to this day still do not believe He is the Son of God.

The thing that Jesus had come to do, was coming quickly. The time of suffering and death were at hand. He would suffer to take away our sins. How would you be on that day and week? Would you cheer one day and call for His death the next? Jesus comes to us riding on a donkey, our King humbled Himself as we ought to. By His wounds we were healed. As we begin this Holy Week make it your business to come attend Holy Mass and services to see what our sins have cost.

IN NEED OF PRAYER: Michele Elliot, Bridgette Roth, Christi Duff, Nancy, Kyle, Fr. Carmen, Mary Gonzalez, Marie Harrington, Brian Poplarchick, Cliff and Julie Brown.