



# PALM SUNDAY

April 17, 2011

## FROM THE DESK OF FR. MICHAEL TANG

A procession with palms is the traditional start of this, the first liturgy of Holy Week, the most solemn week in the Church's year. Yes, the final act in the drama of Jesus has come. The Son of Man must suffer many things. In his account of the

Passion, Matthew shows the passion as fulfilling the prophecies of Scripture, and portrays Jesus, because of his foreknowledge and free decision, as being in complete control of the situation.

The liturgies of Holy Week are a fine time to invite a friend or relative who has been distant from the church to "come home." Please keep this bulletin on hand for the various times and schedules of our liturgies. A reminder that there will be no 8:00 a.m. Mass on Holy Thursday and that we will celebrate the Institution of the Eucharist that day as a faith community at 7:00 p.m. Many in the parish have been planning and working hard to make the liturgies this week extra special; my thanks to all of you ahead of time! During this week let's also keep our candidates and catechumens in our prayers as we prepare to welcome them to the faith at the Easter Vigil. Lastly, a friend sent the following to me about the effects of radiation; it's something good to know as go about our day(s). My prayers for meaningful Holy Week; God bless you all!

## EASTER FLOWER OFFERING

This year we are asking that you be as generous as possible with your giving. Envelopes are in the pew. We will place the envelopes on the altar for prayer in Memory of or in Honor of your love ones.

## HOLY WEEK SERVICES

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 21

7:00 PM *Mass of the Lord's Supper*

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 22

1:30 PM *Celebration of the Lord's Passion*

6:30 PM *Stations of the Cross*

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 23

7:00 PM *Easter Vigil Service and Mass*

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 24

8:00 AM, 10:00 AM & 12:15 PM *Masses*

## Radiation Effects

Dear friends, we are getting hit with major radiation from Japan. I know it because I remember the effects of the Chernobyl accident when I was a kid. I'm really sad that we are not being told the truth. Please educate yourself on what to do to protect yourself and your loved ones. If you don't have to be outside in the sun, stay in the shade. Wear lighter colors: white is the best. Change your clothes and wash them as often and as soon as you get home (add borax to the detergent). Same goes for the body: Shower every time you spend a lot of time outside. Stay away from milk and big leafy greens. These are just a few things you can do to lessen your exposure. Some of the symptoms are feeling really tired, headache (head feels like a balloon), and upset stomach. Look at our sky. Oh and by the way the international website that monitors the movement of the radiation has been shut down :)

## Annual Fish Fry and Raffle

Please support our **Annual Fish Fry and Raffle** every Friday from 5:00 to 9:00 PM. The winners for weekly drawing were: **1<sup>st</sup> week Marilyn Moore, 2<sup>nd</sup> week Gwen Campbell, 3<sup>rd</sup> week Deanna Fisher, 4<sup>th</sup> week Lance Lagarde and 5<sup>th</sup> week Joaquin Recinos.** Turn in your tickets early and you will have a chance to win \$60 cash. Tell a friend and bring the family for fellowship and fun. **If you have not received any tickets in the mail, please call the rectory.**

## Final Movie and Reflection

**Add to your Passion Week preparation...**

Join Bible Study this Monday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 PM in the hall for the conclusion of our Movie and Reflection series. Our final movie is "*The Execution of Jesus*". We will have a light supper followed by the movie and discussion. All are welcome. We thank everyone who has attended these past five weeks.

## Petition for the Sick

LaVern Agnew, Oliver Bartholomew, Booker T. Ball, Edgar Banks, Sr. Juliet Berber, Angelique Black, Glenda Brown, Andrei Briggs, Manual Brule, Bernard & Marie Byars, Barbara Butler, Brownie Cain, Jr., Ida Cathcart, Katherine Clark, Lois Gomes Clark, Myrna Cook, James Cooper, Nigel Dunn, Angela Dupre, Ethel Earley, Robert Evans, Connie Farlice, Nato Flores, Edith Foster, Sr. Sharon Francis, Teresa Franklin, Gloria Fuller, Mavis Gibbs, Catherine Green, Pat Hernandez, Marion Hernandez, Mattie Hilburn, Janie Jackson, Angela Johnson, Mignon Johnson-Fields, Irwin Lagarde, Connie Louie, Sr. Marianna, Vyldred Manor, Doreen Mayers, Monique Van Noy, Dorothy Okoye, Paula Osborn, Dale Payne, Daisy Pratt, Carol Price, Michelle Raines, Emma Rausch, Evelyn Roach, Velma Shaw, Reanna Semien, Lionel Smith, Sr., Shirley Spicer, Darnell Stang, Wilbur Starks, Ruby Louise Thomas, Emma Thornton, David Tureaud, Iris Turner, Keith Wansell, Leon Williams, Lilla Williams, and Agnes Wilson.

## **HOLY WEEK ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE**

### **Holy Thursday, April 21 at 7:00 PM**

Brendan Wilkerson, Carl Clay,  
Maurice Burnett, Anthony Roque

### **Good Friday, April 22 at 1:30 PM**

Rhapsody Washington, Brian Mutetikka,  
George Tiznado, Gilberto Gonzales

### **Good Friday, April 22 at 6:30 PM**

Spencer Fuller, Keisha Manning, Samantha Johnson

### **Holy Saturday, April 23 at 7:00 PM**

Emilio Ramirez, Anthony Roque,  
Brendan Wilkerson, Maurice Burnett

### **Easter Sunday, April 24<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 AM**

Christopher Goosby, Andrea Mckinley

### **Easter Sunday, April 24<sup>th</sup> 10:00 AM**

Maurice Burnett, Anthony Roque, Brendan Wilkerson

### **Easter Sunday, April 24<sup>th</sup> 12:15 PM**

Emilio Ramirez, Nia Robertson, Chris Robertson  
Arianna Foster, Nicholas Godfrey, Zoe Sims

## **THE WEEK AHEAD**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 17**

**PALM SUNDAY**

*Catholic Relief Collection*

Ladies Auxiliary Salad Bar  
after all Masses-hall

10:30 AM Religious Ed Class

2:00 PM Pastoral Council Meeting-PCRM

**MONDAY, APRIL 18**

7:00 PM Bible Study Movie & Reflection-hall

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20**

6:00 PM Line Dancing-School

6:30 PM CCL

7:30 PM Prayer, Praise & Worship

**HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 21**

7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper

**GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 22**

1:30 PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion

3:00-6:30 PM Fish Fry-hall

6:30 PM Stations of the Cross-Church

7:00 PM Alanon Meeting-PCRM

**HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 23**

7:00 PM Easter Vigil Service and Mass

**EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 24**

8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:15 PM Masses

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

### **Saturday, April 16**

5:15 p.m. +Stanley DeCuir

### **Sunday, April 17**

8:00 a.m. +Tom Franklin

10:00 a.m. +Angula Bates

12:15 p.m. Int. of all Parishioners

### **Tuesday, April 19**

8:00 a.m. Int. of Diane Watson

### **Wednesday, April 20**

8:00 a.m. Int. of Michelle Simon

### **Sunday, April 24**

8:00 a.m. Int. of all Parishioners

10:00 a.m. +Amy, Sonia, Victor Barrett

12:15 p.m. +Joseph Dyer

## **READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Sunday** Is 50:4-7, Ps 22:8-24, Mt 26:14-27:66

**Monday** Is 42:1-7, Jn 12:1-11

**Tuesday** Is 49:1-6, Jn 13:21-38

**Wednesday** Is 50:4-9a, Mt 26:14-25

**Thursday** Ex 12:1-14, Jn 13:1-15

**Friday** Is 52:13-53:12, Jn 18:1-19:42

**Saturday** Gn 1:1-2:2, Gn 22:1-18, Ex 14:15-15:1, Is 55:1-11

**Sunday** Acts 10: 34a,-43, Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, Col 3:1-4

## **SACRIFICIAL GIFTS**

### **Sunday, April 16, 2011**

\$4,413.33 Sacrificial Gift

370.79 Building Fund

211.88 "We Care"



## **SCHOOL NEWS**

### **'KEEP KIDS SAFE' DURING CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH**

We encourage parishioners to participate in the month long awareness of wearing the bright blue ribbon-shaped stickers that say "Keep Kids Safe" on Saturday and Sunday Masses. Sticker baskets are provided at the exits of the church.

### **Parish/School-wide Recycling Program**

We are asking every family in the parish and school to save plastic bottles, glass, and aluminum cans, (**no plastic bags, no plastic utensils and no foil paper**) and bring them to the parish to recycle. All proceeds will help to pay off the school debt to the Archdiocese of Los Angeles.

### **Electronics**

We will have another E-Waste pick-up. The school is collecting electronics - monitors, televisions, keyboards, chords and old cell phones. If you have any of these items, please drop them off at the school office Monday thru Friday 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Thank you to everyone for your donations.

### **Shopping Receipts**

Please remember to save your receipts from the Baldwin Hills Crenshaw Mall and Albertson's Square this includes the new 'Wing Stop' Restaurant by Albertson's. You can bring them over to the school office Monday-Friday 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Thank you again for ALL of your support.