

ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH

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HOSANNA

HRVATSKA ŽUPA SV. AUGUSTINA

March 25, 2018

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Sunday Masses

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 10:00 a.m.

Holy Day Masses

9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Daily Masses (Monday through Friday)

8:00 a.m.

Penance

Saturday 3:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals

Arrange with Pastor

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MASSES THIS WEEK

Sun., March 25th Passion/Palm Sunday

John 12:12-16; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mark 14:1—15:47

Sat., 4:00 Parishioners

Sun., 10:00 Parishioners

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Mon., March 26th

Isaiah 42:1-7; John 12:1-11

8:00 Anna Gass (Robert & Margaret Pfister)

Tues., March 27th

Isaiah 49:1-6; John 13:21-33, 36-38

8:00 Special Intention

Wed., March 28th

Isaiah 50:4-9; Matthew 26:14-25

8:00 Special Intention

Thurs., March 29th Holy Thursday

Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14; 1 Cor 11:23-26; John 13:1-15

7:00 p.m. Parishioners

Fri., March 30th Good Friday

Isa 52:13—53:12; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; John 18:1—19:42

2:00 p.m. The Passion of our Lord

Sat., March 31st Holy Saturday Easter Vigil

Gn 1:1—2:2; Ex 14:15—15:1; Rom 6:3-11; Mark 16:1-7

8:00 p.m. Parishioners

Sun., April 1st The Resurrection of the Lord

Acts 10:34, 37-43; Col 3:1-4; Matthew 28:1-10

10:00 Parishioners

MINISTRIES EASTER TRIDUUM & NEXT SUNDAY

Please come a bit earlier due to the special services.

Holy Thursday, March 29th, 7:00 p.m.

Cross: R Dostalek Readers: P Ryback & J Panhans

Servers: E & M Dostalek

Euch Mins: M Dostalek & P Cibacic

Good Friday, March 30th, 2:00 p.m.

Readers: D Haas & G Chiconas

Servers: Deacon Steve Pemper & G Chiconas

Euch Mins: Deacon Steve Pemper

Holy Saturday, March 31st, 8:00 p.m.

Cross: E Rebro

Readers: L Gatton, J Panhans & Deacon Steve Pemper

Euch Mins: Deacon Steve Pemper & D Peskie

Easter Sunday, April 1st, 10:00 a.m.

Cross: R Dostalek Reader: P Rebro

Servers: M & R Dostalek

Euch Mins: J Ellington & M Dostalek

Last Sunday's Collection: \$1,903.00

Easter Flower Envelope: If a memorial, mark name(s) of deceased/donor on the envelope. Return by Monday, March 26th. Such memorials will be in next Sunday's bulletin.

Rice Bowls: The basket is in the vestibule; return your donations today or by Good Friday. Help the needy!

Collection for Holy Land: Basket in vestibule today and on Good Friday! Please be generous for this noble cause!

REMEMBRANCE OF THE DECEASED



Geraldine Hausch

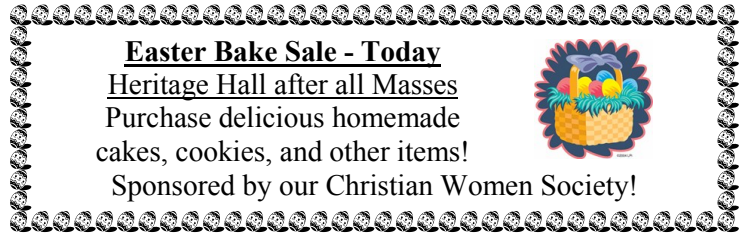
died on Sunday, March 18th.

The Mass of Christian Burial

was celebrated on Thursday, March 22nd.

We extend prayers and sympathy to her family.

May she rest in the eternal peace of God.



Easter Bake Sale - Today

Heritage Hall after all Masses

Purchase delicious homemade cakes, cookies, and other items!

Sponsored by our Christian Women Society!



Franciscan Session VI: Tomorrow, Mon., March 26th, 7:00 p.m. in the Remembrance Room. Topic: "St. Francis and Death" - most appropriate for Holy Week!

Chrism Mass: Tues., March 27th, 7:30 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist, 812 N. Jackson St. The blessing and consecration of oils to be used in all the parishes of the archdiocese; Archbishop Jerome ListECKI officiating. Three members of the parish will participate and then present the oils to our parish community on Holy Thursday at the evening Mass. All others are welcome and invited!

PARISH FISH FRY - GOOD FRIDAY

Delicious Fish Dinners!

Dine in our parish hall or take-out.

Fri., March 30th, 3:30 - 7:00 p.m.



All-you-can-eat: baked or fried fish, French fries or new potatoes, macaroni and cheese, grilled cheese sandwiches, coleslaw, bread, dessert, coffee/milk.

Adults, \$11.00; (early birds before 4:30 p.m., \$10.50); children 3-11, \$5.00; under 3, free.

Six-piece breaded shrimp dinner with all-you-can-eat fish included, \$14.00.

Our lenten fish fries have been doing very well; last week we sold 321 dinners - Great! Let's do well this coming Friday! A great dinner, wonderful socializing, and financially good for the parish!

Thanks to the many workers, bakers and participants!

Please bring desserts, which are so needed!

Bring home-baked delicacies or good bought items.

Easter Egg Hunt: A very special treat for the children! Next Sunday, Easter Sunday, after the 10:00 a.m. Mass. If weather permits, the hunt will be held outside behind the rectory; if not, in Heritage Hall. Children are invited to hunt for candy-filled eggs. Bring children to Mass and then to the Easter Egg Hunt!



Lent Flows Into Easter — Easter Flows Out Of Lent Holy Week—The Easter Triduum

The final week of the forty days of Lent is special and is known as Holy Week. Then the first week of the fifty days of Easter is special and is simply known as Easter week. Both these weeks have a solemn status in the calendar of the Church. Certainly these weeks have most unique and inspiring liturgies; we likewise have many practices and customs in our homes. Today's liturgy has a most solemn Entrance Rite and the Passion Gospel Proclamation. Each day of the week has a special character. Today, we highlight "entrance". Christ once gloriously entered into Jerusalem where he would suffer unto death; but he rose in glory on the third day, and we enter anew into his mystery. Masses on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday highlight Jesus as the faithful Suffering Servant of God always prepared to do God's will. Thursday, Friday and Saturday are the Easter Triduum; which has a distinctive character all its own. This Triduum draws us more deeply into the mystery of Christ's death and resurrection. Take part in as many of these solemn liturgies as possible; especially the Easter Vigil, and make it truly a Holy Week. God touches us most powerfully during these sacred days of the Easter Triduum.

Holy Week Begins with the Solemnity of Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord



With palms and other branches in our hands, we solemnly welcome Christ as our King. Appropriately, the palm branches are often placed behind a cross in our homes. The color red is used today as we recall that Christ is a royal king who shed his blood for all of us. We join our voices with people of the past and those throughout the world today. "Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the Highest! Hosanna!"

Morning Prayer on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday

Solemn Morning Prayer on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday at 9:00 a.m. Come to begin these sacred days with solemn prayer, spend the day doing ordinary things extraordinarily well and come to the liturgies listed below.

Holy Thursday, March 29th - The Celebration of the Lord's Supper

We rejoice as we share in the Sacrament of the Lord's Body and Blood on this sacred day. We are saddened as we remember his Agony in the Garden in which we also must share. The Mass of the Lord's Supper will be on Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. All are urged to share in this very special Eucharist; which includes the Mandatum ritual of the Washing of the Feet of twelve parishioners. The church remains open for prayer until 10:00 p.m.



Good Friday, March 30th - The Remembrance of the Lord's Passion

The traditional Celebration of the Lord's Passion will be held at 2:00 pm. This solemn service includes readings, prayers, hymns, veneration of the cross and concludes with communion. The annual appeal for the many churches



in the biblical lands takes place on Good Friday. No special envelopes! Be generous in dropping cash or checks in the basket in the vestibule entrance before or after the Good Friday Service. The Franciscans and others who staff these churches are in need of material support. This collection was low in recent years; be a bit more generous to assist those ministering in the biblical lands. Various churches of the West Allis area are again sponsoring an Ecumenical Service on this sacred day; it will take place from noon to 3:00 p.m. at the Village at Manor Park Chapel, 3023 S. 84 St. The three hours will be divided into six separate services (12:00, 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00 and 2:30) with a different pastor at each. You may stay for one or more of the half-hour services. Our St. Augustine pastor will preside at the 12:00 segment centering on "The Agony in the Garden". Attend one or more of the first three half-hour services, then come to our traditional 2:00 service here at St. Augustine. Abstinence: No meat for Catholics 14 years of age and older! Fast: One full meatless meal and two smaller meatless meals for those 18, but not yet 59. Good Friday brings so much of God's goodness to the surface and proclaims the mercy of God. Observe the day in private prayer at home and participate in the Church's solemn liturgy centering on the cross. This certainly is a day so sacred to Christians throughout the world.

Holy Saturday, March 31st - A Day of Waiting and Watching for the Resurrection of New Life

The customary Blessing of Food will take place at 4:00 p.m. in the church. There will be no 4:00 p.m. Mass. The Solemn Easter Vigil begins at 8:00 p.m. This service begins with the lighting of the Paschal candle and congregational candles in the darkened church. The resurrection of Christ shatters the darkness of sin and death. Water, a source of life, refreshment and cleansing, is blessed for the celebration of baptism. Small containers of water will be distributed at the Easter Vigil Mass and on Sunday morning to be used in our homes to remind ourselves of the mystery of Christ's death/resurrection into which we have been baptized and in which we always live as we make our journey through life.



Easter Sunday, April 1st - The Beginning of the Fifty Days of the Easter Season

The forty days of lenten preparation flow into the fifty days of gloriously celebrating Christ's victory over sin and death. While the Easter Vigil Mass fulfills one's Sunday obligation, if some come to another Mass on Easter morning at 10:00 a.m., communion may and should be received again. Please be generous with your Easter contribution; we depend on the collection of such special days to meet our financial obligations. Thank you for your generosity in so many ways during the special seasons of the Church Year!

