

**MARCH 31/APRIL 1, 2018**

**5:00pm**

**\*C. SHAY**

**J. O'DONNELL**

**9:00AM**

**\*J. MILLAR**

**L. MICIELI.**

**LECTORS**

**8:00PM J. MARTIN**

**7:30AM K. LASKOSKI**

**9:00AM J. MILLAR**

**11:15AM A. PISANI**

**7:30AM**

**\*E. MORGAN**

**M. SCOLA**

**11:15AM**

**\*J. DEL VECCHIO**

**C. LANZISERA**

**GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING / WE ARE A TITHING PARISH**

**March 17-18, 2018**

**\$ 6,492.00**

**Diocesan Assessment**

**\$ 2,376.94**



**Pray the Rosary with us.**

**Wednesday Evening,**

**7:00 pm**



**Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:**

**Wayne Dreitlein, Colleen Rutzler, Eileen Murphy,  
Gregory Fredericks, Catherine Dougherty,  
Michael and Reid LoSapio, Mary Franzese,  
Chuck Cogswell, Marissa Cashin, Audrey Riccioli,  
Miriam O'Neill, Martha Armenti, Kvetuse Dema,  
Barbara Keefe, Sheila & Joe Lally,  
Pauline Greene, Sofia Orr, Most Rev. Frank J. Rodimer,  
Marge Dolby, Jake Grimes, Cecilia Malizzi,  
Martene Errico, Patricia Pongracz, Matthew Adonis,  
Lucy Black, Elizabeth Flinn, Robert Quinn,  
Ann Bonner, John Pongracz,  
Reverend Monsignor John J. Demkovich,  
Bernice Forkan, Rev. Ken Hewitt, Larry Middleton,  
Pat Kirkbride.**

**Please Note:** We retain names on the Prayer List for six weeks. If you wish to have them continued after that period please call the office and let us know.

**Calendar**

**MAR. 24-25** EASTER FLOWER COLLECTION  
**Mar. 28** PENANCE SERVICE 7PM  
**Mar. 29** MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER 7PM  
**Mar. 30** 1PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS  
3PM PRAYER SERVICE-COMMUNION  
7PM STATIONS OF THE CROSS  
**Mar. 31** 9AM Blessing of Food  
9:30AM Decorating of Church for Easter  
8PM-EASTER VIGIL  
**Aril 1** EASTER SUNDAY OF THE  
RESSURRECTION OF THE LORD

**SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 2018**

**5:00PM**

**FRANCES FERRARA**

**(MARILLYN CUNNINGHAM)**

**PALM SUNDAY, MARCH 25, 2018**

**7:30 AM**

**HELEN COLLINS**

**(CLARE & JOHN GARZA)**

**9:00 AM**

**PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**

**11:15 AM**

**FRANK PACE**

**(ROSE PACE)**

**MONDAY MARCH 26, 2018**

**9:00 AM**

**ERIC THOMAS**

**(MARYLYN DE LANCEY)**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 2018**

**9:00 AM**

**SUSAN ZULLO**

**(BARBARA ZULLO)**

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 2018**

**9:00 AM**

**JOHN FREEMAN**

**(ANGELA FREEMAN)**

**HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 2018**

**7:00 PM**

**MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

**PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**

**GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 2018**

**1:00 PM**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**3:00 PM**

**PRAYER SERVICE-COMMUNION**

**7:00 PM**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

**HOLY SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 2018**

**9:00 AM**

**BLESSING OF FOOD**

**NO MASS**

**8:00PM**

**EASTER VIGIL MASS**

**PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**

**EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 1, 2018**

**7:30 AM**

**REV. DANIEL DANIK**

**(NORMA KAYS)**

**9:00 AM**

**JUSTIN PICKARD**

**(PAUL & NANCY REEVES)**

**11:15 AM**

**GLORIA BREUNIG**

**(LUCY & JACK BARBER)**

**EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**

**First Reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43**

Peter discusses Jesus' life of preaching and healing. Jesus was crucified, then he rose up and was seen by his chosen witnesses. Peter also mentions the importance of all the disciples bearing witness to what they saw, so that many people would believe in Jesus, and have their sins forgiven through him.

**Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4**

Paul asserts that we must pay attention to higher realms rather than earthly concerns. Our life is not yet completely known to us, until Christ appears and we are raised to glory in him.

**Gospel: John 20:1-9**

When Mary Magdalene discovered Jesus' tomb was open, she told Simon Peter and another disciple. They ran to the tomb and Peter went inside. He found the burial wrappings on the ground, with the head covering separate from the rest. The other disciple came in and they believed what they saw, although until then they had not understood the Scripture's message of Jesus' resurrection.

*Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*  
*March 24-25, 2018*



The Lord has given me a well-trained tongue that I may know how to speak to the weary a word that will rouse them. The Lord God is my help therefore I am not disgraced. I have set my face like flint knowing that I will not be put to shame....

Isaiah 50

Because of this God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every other name, that at the name of Jesus every knee must bend.”

Philippians 2

May the words of Isaiah and Paul help set the stage for our Holy Week. The gospel of Mark provides details of the passion not just to provide information but to rouse us to break from routine and ordinariness and appreciate the saving mystery of salvation.

We may read and reflect upon the scriptures and find great meaning as we live in 2018. The suffering servants are those displaced by war and the natural disasters. Those trying Christ are the oppressors, attacking Christians in various parts of the world as the Sudan, Syria and Nigeria. The passion of Christ continues today when wars rage, poverty grows, exploitation reigns, and worst of all, indifference to suffering continues.

We are called this week to die and rise with the Christ. Pope Francis has asked that we not be robbed of our missionary enthusiasm. He tells us not to look the other way but to address the cause, as well as the effects, out of concern for those who are marginalized and suffering. May this be a new approach to Holy Week.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS HIS WORD TODAY *by Rev. William J. Reilly*

### *Holy Week and Easter Schedule*

**PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION**-March 25, 2018

*The Commemoration of the Lord's entrance into Jerusalem Vigil Mass,  
Sunday Masses at 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:15 am.*

*The Blessing and distribution of Palm takes place at all weekend Masses.*

**Sacred Paschal Triduum**-Triduum begins with the Mass of the Lord's Supper, continues with Good Friday then concludes with the Easter Vigil.

**HOLY THURSDAY**, March 29, 2018

7:00 pm *Mass of the Lord's Supper*  
*Washing of the Feet, Transfer of the Eucharist*  
*Eucharistic Adoration: After Mass until 10pm*

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**- Wednesday, Mar. 28, 7pm,

**GOOD FRIDAY**, March 30, 2018

1:00 pm *Stations of the Cross*  
*Reflections by CCD Students*  
3:00 pm *The Lord's Passion, Veneration of*  
*the Cross and Holy Communion;*  
*Special Collection for Shrines of the Holy Land.*  
*Individual confessions after the service.*  
7:00 pm *Stations of the Cross followed by*  
*individual confessions*

**HOLY SATURDAY**, March 31, 2018

9:00 am *Morning Prayer & Blessing of Easter Food*

**8:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass** **NO 5PM MASS**

**EASTER SUNDAY**, APRIL 1, 2018

*Masses 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:15am*

To place information in the Bulletin- the deadline is at least one week prior. Your email will be gladly accepted with information one week prior [ollmarlington@aol.com](mailto:ollmarlington@aol.com) All information is subject to approval.

*The Second Collection is for Easter Flowers!*



On Saturday March 31<sup>st</sup> at 9:30 am, following Morning Prayer and Blessing of Easter Food, we will be decorating the Church for Easter Sunday. **Any and all help will be greatly appreciated.** Please call Joan for more information: 973-398-0114