

Saint Boniface Catholic Church

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Our Motto: "To strengthen the spiritual growth of the community and to nurture personal relationship with Jesus Christ"

Church Office Hours

Monday: Day off
Tuesday Through Friday: 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Weekends: Saturday Vigil Mass: 5.00 p.m.
Sunday: English Mass: 9.30 a.m.
Spanish Mass: 12.00 a.m.
Weekdays: Tuesday & Wednesday: 6.00 p.m.
Thursday & Friday: 8.00 a.m.
First Friday: One hour adoration after the Mass

Special Celebrations

Baptism: Saturday 11.00 a.m.
Quinceañera and Wedding: Saturday 12.00 or 2.00 p.m.

Faith Formation

Children: Wednesday 6.30 p.m.
Adults: Tuesday 6.30 p.m.

Confession

Weekends: Half an hour before all masses
Weekdays: By appointment

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism, First communion, Confirmation, Matrimony
Please call the church office

Sick Calls

If you or a member of your family is sick or in the hospital, please call the parish office. You will be included in our prayers, and the priest will be able to visit you.

For more information

Please contact the church office during the office hours

Pastoral Contacts

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Holy Father's Intention for March 2015

Universal: That those involved in scientific research may serve the well-being of the whole human person.

Evangelization: That the unique contribution of women to the life of the Church may be recognized always.

From the Pastors Desk



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Palm Sunday and a meaningful entry into the Holy Week



“Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!”

In the next eight days holy week – in fact, all of my life – I would like to pass in silence and contemplation in the presence of God. Not asking God to solve my problems, but asking for the wisdom to accept my human condition. The Holy Week simply yet powerfully reminds me that there are times in my life when I am helpless. I am faced with questions that have no answers. Mysteries that have no solutions. Yet there is a meaning and depth in that silence and absence. Because at a particular time in history, God shared that human condition – the mystery of incarnation. Jesus shared in my human condition, including suffering and death. He is not just a victim for atonement. The Father does not demand a sacrifice. Jesus shares in my limitedness. Rather, He is a victim of human sinful choices. He does not go to the cross knowing that he will be raised. He goes to the cross aware that there is meaning in the fulfillment of the purpose of life – the Will of the Father.

But the story of Jesus does not end with the cross. The Father raises him up, in his own time. There is an end to suffering. There is meaning in the human condition and the hope of transcendence. Yet, the resurrection does not change the history of the cross. It embraces the cross and rises beyond it. The Risen Christ still carries the wounds, but He is alive! There is a similar continuity in my own history of suffering and rising to new life. “Unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains only a single grain; but if it dies it yields a rich harvest” (Jn 12:24).

Let us participate in all liturgies of the Holy Week in a more meaningful manner. As we enter into the holy week asking the Lord to redeem us with a slogan of Hosanna, we try to find meaning for our own sufferings in the crucified Jesus, and share the hope of the risen Jesus in order that we come out of the Holy Week to live a new life.

at the head of the procession you are saying to all the faithful, “See, we all are called to take up our cross and follow Christ. This is our banner for battle. This is our rallying sign!” So you carry the cross silently and solemnly like a soldier in parade.

Prayers and Blessings,

Rev. Dr. Lawrence Rasaian, JCD

Weekly Readings

Mon Mar 30 Reading: Isaiah 42: 1-7 Gospel: John 12: 1-11

Tues Mar 31 Reading: Isaiah 49:1-6 Gospel: John 13:21-33,36-38

Wed Apr 1 Reading: Isaiah 50: 4-9a Gospel: Matthew 26: 14-25

Thurs Apr 2 Reading: Exodus 12: 1-8,11-14 Gospel John 13:1-5

Fri Apr 3 Reading: Isaiah 52:13—53:12 Gospel: John 18:1—19:42

March 2015

Sunday Offering: \$ 867.00

Second Collection: \$ 211.00

2ND COLLECTION THIS MONTH

3/8—Altar Society

3/15—Catholic Relief Services

3/22—Parish Charity Fund

3/29—Altar Server Albs

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

1. The Second Collection this weekend is for New Altar Server Albs.
2. Everyone is invited to join us for the Adult Faith Formation class, on Tuesday evenings @ 6:30
In the community room. We are studying the "Eucharist".
3. We need volunteers for the Fundraising Committee, if you are interested in serving on this committee, you must not be on any other committees, and please let Fr. Lawrence know.
4. If you would like to purchase an Easter Lilly in memory or honor of someone, the cost of these will be \$10.00. There are envelopes in the community room, please place name of person donating and person in memory or honor of. You can place these in the collection basket or give to Tracy.
5. If anyone would like to do Confession during the Holy Week, Please call the office to schedule with Fr. Lawrence
6. Holy Week Mass Schedule starts Holy Thurs with Mass of the Lord's Supper and Washing of the Feet at 6:30 pm. Followed with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Good Friday ceremonies will begin at 3:00 pm. Easter Vigil ceremony is at 8:00 pm Easter Sunday Mass in English @ 9:30 am, in Spanish @ 12:00 pm.
7. The Chrism Mass at the Cathedral is @ 7:00 pm on Tuesday, if you are interested in attending.

Domingo de Ramos de la pasión del Señor

1. La segunda colecta este fin de semana es para el nuevo Altar Server Albas.
2. Todos están invitados a acompañarnos para la clase de formación de fe adulta el martes por la noche a las 6:30 en la sala de la comunidad. Estamos estudiando la "Eucaristía".
3. Necesitamos voluntarios para el Comité de recaudación de fondos, si usted está interesado en servir en este Comité, debe no estar en cualquier otros comités y por favor infórmale a Father Lawrence.
4. Si quieres comprar una Pascua Lilly en memoria o honor de alguien, el costo de éstos será \$10,00. Hay Sobres en la sala de comunidad, favor de poner el nombre de donar y la persona en memoria o en honor de. Usted puede colocar éstos en la canasta o dárselos a Tracy.
5. Si alguien desea hacer confesión durante la semana Santa, por favor llame a la oficina para programar con el Father Lawrence
6. El horario de la Semana Santa:

La Misa de Jueves Santo con la Cena del Señor y lavatorio de los pies comenzará a las 6.30 pm. Seguido con la traslación y la adoración del Santísimo Sacramento.

Las ceremonias de Viernes Santo comenzará a las 3.00 pm.

La Vigilia Pascual comenzará a las 8 pm.

La misa del domingo de Pascua de la Resurrección del Señor comenzará en español a las 12 pm.

LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Esmeralda Chavez, Susan Weaver, Peggy Marks, Joyce Dye, Betsy Mamo, Sandra Reynolds, Rhonda Brown, Lisa Kephart, LeRoy Clary, Maya Harper, Beverly Camp, Ellen Wallace, Michael Sharum, Talon Dyess, Kay Chavez, Helen Littler, Eric Duran, Beverly Flores, Christina Grochowski, Iris Mamo, MaryAnn Hubl, Jim Bloodworth, James Neely, Buddy Snyder, and Adrian Gutierrez, Billy Wheat, Esperanza Gutierrez, Dutch Schorr, Conradita Sanchez, Donna Wallace, Phyllis Wood, Bill Hall, and Mary Lou Marino, Sam Fisher

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN OUR ARMED FORCES



March

3/1—Tony Ramirez
 3/2—Osvaldo Gomez
 3/4—Kay Chavez
 3/6—Cecilia Gomez
 3/7—Casimiro Gutierrez / Margarito Rojas
 3/9—Anna Hodges
 3/12—Ben Delmonico
 3/14—Phyllis Wood
 3/16—Anna Cabrera / Fabrieta Gomez
 3/18—Aaron De La Garza / Yaietzi Gonzalez
 3/19—Alfa Lourde Mendoza
 3/21—Luz Cardenas / Teresa Jaimez
 3/22—Issac Granados / Marisol Rojas
 3/23—Allen Ponce
 3/25—Celeste Gomes / Nathan Padron
 3/27—Antonio Duran
 3/28—Hilario Benitez
 3/30—Eloy Cabrera Jr. / Lecey Hall

If you have a birthday in March and your name is not on the list please let Tracy know or email her.

Baking List

March

3/1—Kay Chavez, Fran Trevethan
3/8—Patricia Bloodworth, Marilyn Hare, Diane Wheat
3/15—Mary Hoffman, Frances Grochowski
3/22—Sue Beams, Wanda Taylor, Mary Fletcher
3/29—Barbara Jaremczuk, Stephanie Adams

ALTAR SERVER:

The server assists the priest at Mass, Altar Servers prepare the sanctuary before Mass and place everything away after the Liturgy. The altar server participates at Mass by praying and singing with all in the assembly. Adult Men can also serve as Acolytes.

Sat 5:00 pm - Victoria Barnes, Maria Adams, Amber Barrios

Sun 9:30 am – Sara Mashburn, Amber Barrios, Gabby Haywood, Victoria Barnes, Maria Adams

Sun 12:00 pm - Juan Gonzales, Mariana Lozano, Adrian Ponce, Diane Ponce, Vicky Anaya, Kevin Hernandez, Lisabeth Rojas, Brianna Vasquez, Amy Anaya, Ruby Gutierrez, Daisy Gutierrez, Andrea Gomez, Jorge Jaimes, Marisol Suarez, Luis Suarez

Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers/ Ushers:

The Lector proclaims the Sacred Scripture to those assembled at Mass. The Lector prepares for the proclamation of the reading throughout the week by reviewing and praying about the readings. The Lector possesses a deep love of scripture. Eucharistic Ministers offer the Body and Blood of Christ to those who present themselves for Holy Communion. They may also be deputed to bring Holy Communion to the sick. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion possesses a deep love of the Eucharist. Usher/Greeter- The Usher/Greeter is observant and ready to serve when any need arises. They greet people and help seat those who arrive for Mass, take up the collection, aid the orderly reception of Holy Communion and pass out the weekly bulletin at the door. The minister possesses a wealth of kindness for all that gather at Mass.

Sat Mar 28 , 2015

L: Melodie Garrison
 PN: Kathy Snyder
 Danny Schroeder
 EM: Lecey Hall

Sunday Mar 29, (E)

L: Tracy De La Garza
 PN: Joe Guerra
 Laurie Guerra
 EM: Patriceia Bloodworth
 Wanda Taylor

Sunday Mar 29, (S)

L: Teresa Jaimes
 PN: Luis Suarez
 Karen Zuniga
 EM: Florina Rojas
 Estrella Anaya

U: Bill Hall/ Rex Trevathan

U: Ron Boyda/Mark Saunders

U: Anyone Available

Sat Apr 4, 2015

L: Patrecia Bloodworth (1)
 Kay Chavez (2)
 Tracy De La Garza (7)
 Laurie Guerra—Epistle
 EM: Joe Guerra, Wanda Taylor
 U: Pat Adams, Ron Boyda

Sunday April 5, €

L: Sue Beams
 EM: Wanda Taylor
 Patrecia Bloodworth
 U: Mark Saunders
 Sam McCullough

Sunday Apr 5, (S)

L: Karen Zuniga
 Lilia Rojas
 EM: Esperanza G.
 Elida Ramirez
 U: Anyone Available