

**April 9, 2017**

*PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD*

*Mt 21:1-11; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11;*

*Mt 26:14 – 27:66 or 27:11-54*



**“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 shall not be put to shame... Rather he emptied Himself.”**

With the onset of Holy Week, we walk with Jesus through the saving action He did on our behalf. Because of our need, He became one with us, took upon Himself our sinfulness and redeemed us.

Holy Week offers us the opportunity to reflect on our ongoing needs, and the continued love of Jesus for us today. We do not just return to the Holy City to remember the special moments of the Paschal Triduum, but we enter into the saving work which Jesus accomplishes in us today.

The prophet Isaiah wishes to ‘rouse’ us to seek God’s help, knowing that through His passion Jesus redeemed us and continues to shelter us in His love. May this truly be a week of God’s grace for us all.

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

**Pastor:** Fr. James Cuddy, O.P.

**Parochial Vicar:** Fr. John Baptist Hoang, O.P.

**Chaplain & Director, Catholic Center at NYU:**

Fr. Sebastian White, O.P.

**In Residence:** Rev. Francis Belanger, O.P

**Business Manager:** Linda Jones

**Parish Secretary:** Virginia Cortijo

## **GOOD FRIDAY SPECIAL COLLECTION**

Dear Friends in the Lord,

*Each year on Good Friday, as we contemplate the passion and death of Our Lord in Jerusalem, our Holy Father asks all of the parishes throughout the world to take up a special collection to assist the Holy Land Mission.*

*Specifically, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection enables the Franciscan Fathers, who have been entrusted with the care of the holiest sites of our faith, to continue their splendid maintenance of and service to these sacred shrines. Please be as generous as possible in assisting the Franciscan Fathers in their important work for the Lord and his Church.*

*With Prayerful best wishes for a blessed Easter season, I am,*

*Faithfully in Christ,*

*Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan*

*Archbishop of New York*

### **OUR COLLECTION**

**Collection for April 2, 2017**

**By Mass as follows:**

5:30 pm: \$1,149    9:00 am: \$2,366

11:30 am: \$2,997    6:00 pm: \$1,880

Sunday Masses Total: \$8,392

Faith Street: \$441

Parish Pay: \$405

**Grand Total: \$9,238**

## FEAST, SCRIPTURE, CITATIONS & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

**Saturday, April 8** *Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56 (256)*

**12:10 p.m.**

**5:30 p.m.**

**Sunday, April 9** *PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD*

*Mt 21:1-11; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14—27:66 or 27:11-54 (38)*

**9:00 a.m.** *People Of The Parish*

**11:30 a.m.** Joseph Desalvo

**6:00 p.m.** Frances Viniello

**Monday, April 10** *Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11 (257)*

**12:10 p.m.** Carl & Angelo Conetta

**Tuesday, April 11** *Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38 (258)*

**12:10 p.m.**

**Wednesday, April 12** *Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25 (259)*

**12:10 p.m.**

**Thursday, April 13** *HOLY THURSDAY*

*Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21 (260) / Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12: 1-8, 11-14; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15 (39)*

**9:00 a.m.** *Morning Prayer*

**8:00 p.m.** *Mass of the Lord's Supper*

**Friday, April 14** *GOOD FRIDAY*

*Is 52:13—53:12; Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9; Jn 18:1-19:42 (40)*

**9:00 a.m.** *Morning Prayer*

**12:00 p.m.** *Stations of the Cross*

**3:00 p.m.** *Commemoration of the Lord's Passion and Death*

**Saturday, April 15** *HOLY SATURDAY*

*Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a; Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ex 14:15—15:1; Is 54:5-14; Is 55:1-11; Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Rom 6:3-11; Mt 28:1-10 (41)*

**9:00 a.m.** *Morning Prayer*

**8:00 p.m.** *Easter Vigil*

# THE CATHOLIC CENTER AT NYU

**All liturgies for the Sacred Triduum and Easter will take place at St. Joseph's Church, 371 Sixth Avenue.**

*Please note that on Tuesday there will be no Holy Hour or 5:15 pm Mass because the chaplain and the other Dominican priests will be at the Chrism Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral.*

## **Monday, April 10**

**4:15 pm** - Adoration & Confessions at the Catholic Center

**5:15 pm** - Daily Mass

(It is also Reconciliation Monday: Confessions will be available at St. Joseph's and all parishes from 3 - 9 pm)

## **Tuesday, April 11**

*NO HOLY HOUR OR 5:15 PM MASS, DUE TO THE CHRISM MASS WITH CARDINAL DOLAN AT THE CATHEDRAL*

*(You are welcome to attend that Mass at 4pm at St. Patrick's!)*

## **Wednesday, April 12**

**4:15 pm** - Adoration & Confessions at the Catholic Center

**5:15 pm** - Daily Mass



## Holy Week Schedule

### Monday, April 10 – “Reconciliation Monday”

**3:00-9:00pm** Confessions will be available at Saint Joseph’s and all of the parishes of the Archdiocese

### Thursday, April 13 – Holy Thursday

**9:00am** Morning Prayer

**8:00pm** Mass of the Lord’s Supper

### Friday, April 14 – Good Friday

**9:00am** Morning Prayer

**11:00am-12:00pm** Confessions

**12:00pm** Stations of the Cross

**1:00-2:00pm** Confessions

**3:00pm** Commemoration of the Lord’s Passion and Death

### Saturday, April 15 – Holy Saturday

**9:00am** Morning Prayer

**9:30-11:00am** Confessions

**1:00-2:00pm** Confessions

**8:00pm** Easter Vigil

***PLEASE NOTE: CONFESSIONS WILL NOT BE HEARD AT THEIR REGULAR SATURDAY TIME OF 4:30PM TO ACCOMODATE FOR PREPARATIONS FOR THE EASTER VIGIL.***

### Sunday, April 16 – Easter Sunday

**9:00am** Mass

**11:30am** Mass

**6:00pm** Mass