



**Saturday, April 4:** Vigil, Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

4:00 p.m. **No Mass**

**Sunday, April 5:** Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

8:00 a.m. **No Mass**

10:00 a.m. **No Mass**

**Monday, April 6:** Monday of Holy Week

9:00 a.m. **No Mass**

**Tuesday, April 7:** Tuesday of Holy Week

9:00 a.m. **No Mass**

**Wednesday, April 7:** Wednesday of Holy Week

9:00 a.m. **No Mass**

**Thursday, April 9:** Holy Thursday

9:00 a.m. **No Mass**

**Saturday, April 11:** Vigil, Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

7:00 p.m. **No Mass until further notice.**

**Sunday, April 12:** Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

8:00 a.m. **No Mass until further notice.**

10:00 a.m. **No Mass until further notice.**

*There are Mass Intentions available for weekdays and weekends. Call the office to reserve your intentions for the Living or the Deceased.*

**Mass Intentions:** Once Masses resume we will contact families to re-schedule Masses that had to be cancelled due to the COVID-19 Virus. We truly appreciate your patience and understanding during these unprecedented times.



This week's sanctuary lamp burns for **James Ayotte and Mr. & Mrs. Cleo Lacroix**

The sanctuary lamp is available for memorializing your loved ones in prayer. Call the office to reserve your week.

## DONATIONS FOR THE WEEK

*Thank you!*

March 28 & 29: \$630.00

March 28 & 29, Electronic: \$274.00

Second Collection, April 4 & 5: Rice Bowl



## THIS WEEK'S MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

All Meetings and Activities have been suspended until further notice due to the COVID-19 Virus.



### Palm Sunday

Blessed Palm will be available to all those who wish to pick it up in the church parking lot

during normal Mass times: Saturday, April 4, 4:00-5:00PM and Sunday, April 5th, 8:00-11:00AM.

**Easter Flower** donation envelopes have been included in your budget packets. If you would like to list the name/names of loved ones to be remembered, please PRINT their names on the back of the envelope, place the envelope in the collection basket on or before Palm Sunday, and a listing will be posted at the church entrances when Mass resumes.



**CtK Choir Rehearsals** have been suspended until further notice due to the COVID-19 Virus.

Our Sunday morning **Coffee, Juice, & Donuts** has been suspended until further notice due to the COVID-19 Virus.



Weekly Monday evening meetings have been suspended until further notice due to the COVID-19 Virus.

**Grandma's Attic** is closed due to the COVID-19 Virus. A re-opening date will be posted when determined. **Please do not leave donations outside the door of the Attic during this time. Thank you for your cooperation.**

## Readings for the Week of April 5, 2020

**Monday:** Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11

**Tuesday:** Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

**Wednesday:** Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26:14-25

**Thursday:** Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:21-22, 25, 27; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21

Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15

**Friday:** Is 52:13 — 53:12; Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1 — 19:42

**Saturday:** a) Gn 1:1 — 2:2 or Gn 1:1, 26-31a; Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20 and 22;

b) Gn 22:1-18 or Gn 1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11;

c) Ex 14:15 — 15:1; Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18;

d) Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13;

e) Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6;

f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 — 4:4; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11;

g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3-4 or

Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19;

h) Rom 6:3-11; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23

i) Mt 28:1-10

**Sunday:** Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9

## Faith Formation News

### All Classes/Events Suspended Until Further Notice.

If you have not joined the **BAND app** yet, please do so. Gina will use this app to keep parents informed. You may email Gina at [gvsella.ckkww@gmail.com](mailto:gvsella.ckkww@gmail.com) for the activation code.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Gina Vessella, Religious Education Coordinator at [gvsella.ckkww@gmail.com](mailto:gvsella.ckkww@gmail.com), call the parish office at 401.821.9228, or visit our parish website, [ckkwwri.org](http://ckkwwri.org)!



### **Electronic Giving** **A convenient, consistent** **way to help your parish!**

During this unusual time, you can help our parish maintain its financial obligations because they remain the constant (heat, electric, water, insurance, etc.). If you are able, please continue your support with your offerings.

We are grateful to our parish community for all your support and prayers during this unprecedented time. Our inability to gather to worship together also impacts our offerings. Very practically, you can help our parish by setting up a recurring electronic gift to help us begin to stabilize our parish finances during this pandemic.

We currently have **25** families enrolled in the **Bill Pay Program** through their financial institutions. If you are already enrolled in the Bill Pay Program at your financial institution, the set up is a few quick steps! You select the frequency and dollar amount of the payment (donation). The bank will generate a check and mail it to us as instructed. It's that simple ... you no longer have to worry about having the right change or writing a check each week. We have a box on our budget envelopes marked "I Gave Electronically", check the box and place it into the collection basket. Your consistent support is very much appreciated ... especially during times like this that affect so many!

The annual **CTK MAY BREAKFAST** will be held on **MAY 17, 2020, 7:30-11:30AM** in the church hall. The committee is seeking volunteers to assist with this event. We have been blessed with many parishioners who have helped in the past and welcome them to join us again. **NEW VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.** We especially need a few people to help with the food prep and cooking on the day of the breakfast. Please contact Doreen McConaghy (401.580.3435) or Donna Bosworth (401.826.0477) if you are able to lend a hand.



### Some random thoughts ....

So who kills Jesus? It is a question that has been asked through the years, and various answers have been either offered or demanded. The most common answer is that Jews killed Jesus. This bigoted answer of projecting blame on Jews has led to violence and hatred being unleashed against Jews. Others declare that God demands the death of Jesus to atone for sins or to appease the anger/wrath that God feels toward the human race (in particular) and creation (in general). Still others have made the case that Jesus has to be sacrificed/killed to pay a debt to Satan who owns the human race as slaves. Then there is a mixture of all these misguided and bigoted theories. Who kills Jesus? Saint Paul says that Jesus is put to death by the rich and the powerful ('powers and principalities'). A human tendency is to crave riches and power, Paul continues, and any opposition on the part of humans to riches and power result in us being sucked into riches and power. Jesus chooses an alternative way. He initially ignores riches and power. (Rarely do we hear of Jesus opposing anyone.) Then, when riches and power tortures him and puts him to death, Jesus forgives. The human tendency (that we often assign to God!) is to retaliate and get revenge. (Look at how many Christians – Catholics included – not only condone but actually fight for the death penalty!) Jesus experiences and chooses the divine tendency, to forgive and to seek ways to restore communion. Who kills Jesus? As much as we are human, we all share in the act of killing Jesus. Paradoxically, by our sharing in the violence that humans perpetrate against each other, we also share God's forgiveness and God's desire to restore an awareness within us that God is in communion with us. 'The sign of the cross' (which is our central symbol) is meant to remind us that God forgives freely and without justification or sorrow on our part, and we are empowered by God to do the same. God is good.

**Parish Updates:** Unfortunately Holy Week Masses/Services (including Easter Mass) are cancelled. We stay connected by the love that we show each other...even when we cannot see each other.

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**In-Pew Weekend:**  
**Undetermined at this time.**

**Parish Goal: \$32,000.00**

**Total Pledged & One Time Gifts**

**Received to Date: \$6,275.00**



Many have responded to the CCA mailing from Bishop Tobin. On behalf of those served by the ministries and services funded by the CCA, we thank you for your gifts.

**If you received a mailing from the Office of Stewardship and Development,** you may mail the special pledge card in the response envelope provided to make your gift. By using this option, the parish will automatically receive credit for your gift. All gifts, regardless of size, help to make a difference in the lives of so many.