

Holy Week Schedule



PALM SUNDAY

Saturday, March 23:
Sunday, March 24:

5 PM & 7:30 PM Masses
7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 AM Masses

Palms will be blessed &
the Passion read at all Masses.

HOLY THURSDAY

Thursday, March 28:

9 AM Morning Prayer
7 PM **Mass of the Lord's Supper**

The Mass of the Lord's Supper recalls the events the night before Jesus died, especially the institution of the Holy Eucharist. The ceremony of the washing of the feet reminds us of Jesus' call to serve one another. The Mass concludes with a procession of the Blessed Sacrament to the altar of repose in Father Haley Hall, where Adoration will continue until 10:00 PM - closing with Night Prayer at that time. At Mass a collection is taken up for the Holliston Food Pantry.

GOOD FRIDAY

Friday, March 29:

Day of Fasting & Abstinence
9 AM Morning Prayer
12 PM (Kindergarten – Grade 5) Younger Children's Stations of the Cross
7 PM **Celebration of the Lord's Passion**

The 7:00 PM Lord's Passion Celebration is the official Good Friday Liturgy that continues the three day Triduum Celebration begun on Holy Thursday and concluding at Easter. It consists of the Liturgy of the Passion, Veneration of the Cross, and Holy Communion. The Noon Stations are designed for younger children K – Grade 5, (accompanied by parents), and utilize a living tableau and special station prayers to help young children discover Jesus' love for them in the here and now.

Good Friday is a day of fasting and abstinence from meat. In every single Catholic parish around the world this day, a collection is taken up to maintain the Shrines and struggling Christian communities in the Holy Land. This collection is taken up at both the Stations and Passion Services.

HOLY SATURDAY

Saturday, March 30:

Please Note: No Confessions on Holy Saturday
9 AM Morning Prayer
8 PM **The Great Easter Vigil** (brass, adult choir)

The Great Easter Vigil is rightly called the "Mother" of all liturgies. It includes the blessing of the new Easter Candle, the sung Exultet Prayer, and readings that capture the fullness of God's saving work for humanity. The Church rejoices in a special way to receive new members this night through the Sacraments of Initiation. All Easter collections go to support the retired priests of our Archdiocese. Please generously support these men who have given their whole lives in your service.

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday, March 31:

7:30 AM Church Mass
9:30 AM Fr. Haley Hall Mass
9:30 AM Church Mass
11:30 AM Church Mass