



# ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA

**CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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## March 24 - Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

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### **Saturday Anticipatory Mass**

5:00 P.M.

### **Sunday Mass**

7:30 AM | 10:00 A.M.

### **Weekday Mass**

12:00 P.M.

### **Confessions**

M-F - 11:15-11:45 A.M.

Sat. - 4:15-4:45 P.M.



### **Pastor's Column**

Dear Parishioners,

Today, Palm Sunday, we draw close to Jesus for His final week. The mystery of our Redemption plays out in the concrete words and actions of the sacred liturgies we participate in today and during the Triduum: the Mass of the Lord's Supper, the Office of the Passion, and the Easter Vigil of the Lord's Resurrection. The mystery of our Redemption is revealed in a purposefully tangible way through these liturgies, so that the reality of it may occur to us; not merely words or ideas. This week is not just a remembrance but a vivid re-presentation of the Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ, through which we are invited to contemplate the profound value of suffering in the Christian life, especially as it brings us closer to Christ crucified and therefore to our salvation.

Pope John Paul II, in his encyclical *Redemptoris Missio*, reminds us of the universal call to participate in the mystery of Redemption. He emphasizes the importance of missionary activity (being sent), which is not just a matter of physical outreach but, in its essence, a spiritual willingness to associate with suffering humans, so that they may be redeemed.

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## Pastor's column cont.

This mission is one that every Christian is called to undertake, not as a solitary traveler but as part of the mystical body of Christ. Our mission, then, especially during Holy Week, is to allow the grace of God to transform us, to let the events of Jesus' last days on earth become not just historical facts but realities that shape our lives and our understanding of suffering, redemption, and salvation. In reflecting on how we can emulate Christ to best continue his redemptive work, I'd like to share with you a short meditation from Benedict the XVI on the "powerfully humble" character of our Redeemer:

Jesus entered the Holy City seated on a donkey that did not even belong to him, for he had none of his own. In doing so, he recalled the prophecy of Zechariah that was well known to his people: "Rejoice greatly, O daughter Zion!... Lo, your king comes to you; ... humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey" (Zech 9:9). Horses, which at that time symbolized military power, as the armored tank does today, would disappear. The true king of Israel would not come on a horse, would not join in the struggle of the world powers; he had no desire to seize power for himself; he would ride on a donkey, the symbol of peace, the animal useless for military purposes, the animal of the poor. His entry into Jerusalem on a borrowed donkey is both the symbol of earthly impotence and the fulfillment of the prophetic promise.... But what, then, is Jesus' Kingdom? The borrowed donkey is an expression of earthly impotence, but, at the same time, the expression of perfect confidence in the power of God, which is represented in Jesus. He did not set up a kingdom of his own alongside the Kingdom of God. He was content to bear witness to God's Kingdom. His nothing was his all. He did not stand for earthly power, but for truth, justice, love—for God.

The Kingdom of God has a precarious existence in this world. But it is only by reason of this Kingdom that the world becomes a fit place to live, a human place. It is not revolutionaries who make the world a human place—not even the best-intentioned of them; all they have to contribute is blood and shambles. What makes it possible for us to live in the world are goodness, truth, faithfulness, and the certainty that God himself is all of these. What makes it possible for us to live is the faith that God is like Jesus Christ, that Jesus is God; that he, the man on the borrowed donkey, is the true King, the true and ultimate power in the world. Today's feast challenges us to lead lives dedicated to this power—to the King. Thy Kingdom come!

From: Gottes Angesicht suchen, pp. 52–53  
Ratzinger, J. (1992). Co-Workers of the Truth: Meditations for Every Day of the Year (I. Grassl, Ed.; M. F. McCarthy & L. Krauth, Trans.; pp. 118–119). Ignatius Press.

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## Mass Intentions

**Saturday, 3/23/24** - Martin Herbert+

**Sunday, 3/24/24** -

**7:30 AM** - Pro Populo (People of the Parish)

**10:00 AM** - Edward Angelo Bonaminio+

**Monday, 3/25/2024** - Thomas Cousins+

**Tuesday, 3/26/2024** - No Daily Mass

**Wednesday, 3/27/2024** - Edward Angelo Bonaminio+

**Thursday, 3/28/2024** - Candidates and

Catechumens of the Parish

**Friday, 3/29/2021** - Office of the Lord's Passion

**Saturday, 3/30/2024** - The Vitale Family

## Weekly Offertory

March 13 - 19

Offertory .....	\$1590.00
Children's Offertory.....	\$24.00
Easter Flowers .....	\$45.00

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# News and Events

## Holy Week Calendar

### Sunday, March 24 -

- NO Children's Church or R.E.
- 8:00 A.M. - Noon - SVdP Food Drive on the corner of 23rd and Gaylord

### Monday, March 25 -

Regular Mass & Confession Schedule  
NO Ignatian Discernment of Spirits  
Formation Series

### Tuesday, March 26 -

NO Daily Mass or Confessions  
 11 A.M. - Chrism Mass @ the Cathedral

### Wednesday, March 27 -

Regular Mass & Confession Schedule

### Thursday, March 28 -

7 P.M. - Mass of the Lord's Supper  
 Silent Prayer at the Altar of Repose until midnight

### Friday, March 29 -

Day of Fasting and Abstinence  
 Office Closed  
 Noon - Stations of the Cross & Confession  
 3 P.M. - Office of the Passion

### Saturday, March 30 -

NO 5 P.M. Mass or Confessions  
 8 P.M. - Easter Vigil

### Sunday, March 31 -

Regular Sunday Mass Schedule  
 NO Children's Church or R.E.

## Upcoming Second Collection

On Good Friday, we will be supporting the **Pontifical Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land!**

This collection goes to the Franciscans of the Custody of the Holy Land who have the unique responsibility of caring for the Holy Places and the Christians living in the Holy Land. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection helps to meet the basic needs of the People of God still living in the Land where the Church was born.

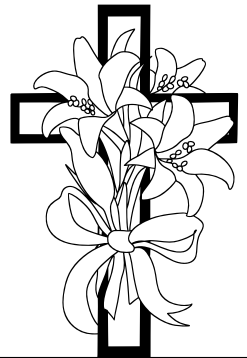
When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land.

This collection will be taken up in the pews.  
 To learn more or donate online, please visit  
[www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday/](http://www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday/).

## Easter Flowers

It's not too late to aid in beautifying our church for Easter, please consider donating to our Easter Flower Fund.

To do so, place cash in an envelope labeled "Easter Flower Fund" and your name, write "Easter Flowers" on your check memo line, or add the note "Easter Flowers" to your FaithDirect donation.



## April SVdP Food Pantry Update

Our pantry continues to serve 30-40+ families per week. We are struggling to keep the shelves stocked and need your continued support. Please help us help our neighbors by bringing any items on the flyer or St. Ignatius website to the pantry/garage at the corner of 23rd and Gaylord.

Our April food drives will be on the 18th and 24th from 8 A.M. to Noon.

Please no expired or damaged items! Financial donations are also accepted, checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul Society. Food donations can also be dropped off at the parish office Monday through Friday. Thank you for your continued generosity! You are truly making a difference!

[www.stignatiusdenver.org/give](http://www.stignatiusdenver.org/give)

## Office Closure

In honor of the Triduum, the parish office will be CLOSED on Good Friday (March 29) and Easter Monday (April 1). Normal business hours will resume on April 2. Please email Chloe, our Office Manager, if you need something urgently.



### Chrism Mass

All are invited to the Chrism Mass at the Cathedral on March 26, at 11 A.M. There will be NO Daily Mass at St. Ignatius on this day.

*Photo courtesy of Denver Catholic*



### Colorado March for Life

For the first time, the National March For Life will host a state march in Denver on **April 12**.

The event will begin with Mass at 10 A.M. celebrated by Bishop Jorge H. Rodriguez at the Cathedral Basilica.

The rally will begin at the State Capitol at 11 A.M. and the march at noon.

For more information, please visit  
[www.marchforlife.org/colorado/](http://www.marchforlife.org/colorado/)

### Care for Our Common Home Event

Care for Our Common Home is joining the Creation Care team from Annunciation Parish for a guided tour at the National Center for Atmospheric Research in Boulder on April 9th, 2-3:00. Be there 15 minutes early so we can gather the group together. Please let Kris Rowley know by March 30 if you plan on attending.

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### Eucharistic Revival

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church is one of the 7 Pilgrim churches in the Archdiocese during the Eucharistic Revival Years.

Please join them for Adoration from 2:30 - 7:00 PM April 10 & 24, and May 8 & 22. From 6 - 7 PM, Adoration will be paired with confession and peaceful praise & worship.

Please pray for...



Victor Abad, Jr., Elizabeth Achuil, Joyce Armstead, Eugenia Arsense, Benjamin Baszler Family, Mary Bergles, Taeja Billingsley, Raquel Bishop, Gray Buckley, Mary Ellen Buning, Loretta Burrell, Judy Busch, Jim Carlton, Susan Carrillo, Gerda Christiansen, Joyce & Meredith Clabaugh, Josephine Clode, Deborah Cottle, Ann Durkin, Ed Ekel, Ann Feighny, Barbara Floyd-Hall, Valerie Francis, Margie Fry, Notasha M. Garcia, Suzanne Geren, Jean Giles, Hollis Hafner, Carrie Hamilton, Gayle Hamlett, Patty Harvey, Peg Higgins, Tylah Howard, Connor Jennison, Wardell Jones, Isaac Joseph, Michael Koller, Jamar Lindsay Family, Lorene Lee, Jonny Lewis, Judy Lewis, Linda Parker Long, Tony Lutrey, Josephine Martinez, Brody McDonald, Mary McEnany, James McKinney, Mary Ann Montgomery, Amy Moon, Mathue/ Nicque Moore, Mary Muldoon, Linda Murray, Carol Nettles, Michelle Padilla, Eileen Percell, Flora Potter, Margaret Prado, Gail Pugh, Marcello Puma, Fr. Patrick Quinn, Peter Quintero, Megan Reinholtz, Cordell Robinson, Maria Rose, Robert Saldano, Paul Scheafbauer, Melvin Scott, Barb Sercely, William Sexton, Angelita Sims, Larry Sims, Gary Slaven, Deneen Stevenson, Romaine Tacznosky, Ken/Carmen Therence, Linda Vialpando, Beverly Wilson, John Zimmer, Coleen Walsh

*Eternal Joy for Valorie Juliet Francis*

### Sunday Readings

Mk 11:1-10; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mk 14:1—15:47

Please visit [www.usccb.org/bible/readings](http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings) for the daily reading.

### Cover Painting

*Palm Sunday*

by Félix Louis Leullier





# ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA HOLY WEEK & EASTER SCHEDULE

All are invited to join us for Holy Week services at our church.  
Experience the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus through prayer and reflection.

Palm Sunday - Blessed Palms available at all Masses

March 23 - 5:00 P.M. Vigil Mass, Solemn Entrance

March 24 - 7:30 A.M., Simple Entrance

March 24 - 10:00 A.M., Procession starting on west lawn behind the church

Monday, March 25

11:15 - 11:45 A.M. Confessions

Noon Daily Mass

Tuesday, March 26

No Confessions or Daily Mass

Please attend the Cathedral Chrism Mass @ 11 A.M.

Wednesday, March 27

11:15 - 11:45 A.M. Confessions

Noon Daily Mass

Holy Thursday, March 28

7:00 P.M. Mass of the Lord's Supper

Silent prayer with the Blessed Sacrament at the Altar of Repose until 12:00 A.M.

Good Friday, March 29

12:00 P.M. Stations of the Cross & Confessions

3:00 P.M. Office of the Passion

Holy Saturday, March 30

8:00pm Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

Easter Sunday, March 31

7:30 A.M. Mass During the Day

10:00 A.M. Mass During the Day

# HOW THE PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION IS USED



## What is the Pontifical Good Friday Collection?

**It supports the people of the Holy Land  
and the pilgrims that visit.**

At the request of the Holy Father, the Franciscans of the Holy Land promote the Pontifical Good Friday Collection in the United States and other parts of the world. Funds are distributed at the direction of the Vatican's Congregation for the Oriental Churches. A portion of the funds are directly allocated to the educational and ecclesial projects in the Middle East. The rest of the funds collected in the United States and a number of other countries support the ministries and programs entrusted by the Holy See to the Holy Land Franciscans. The Franciscans have served in the Holy Land for 800 years.

**The Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides, Humanitarian, Liturgical, Pastoral, Archaeological, Charitable, Educational services, as well as care for the Holy Places.**

## Serving those in need in the Holy Land

- **250** friars **11** countries
- **65** sanctuaries and **23** parishes
- **6** guest houses for pilgrims
- **30** youth served by Bethlehem Boys' Home
- **63** apartments restored for families in need
- **1,020** employees in Israel and Palestine
- **17** schools with more than **10,000** students
- **509** university scholarships
- **56** Friars preparing for the priesthood
- **700** refugees aided on the island of Rhodes
- **8,000+** Syrian families aided
- **650+** families in Lebanon assisted
- Construction of a Catholic school in Cana

**Help us continue to serve!**

**Commissariat of the Holy Land**

1400 Quincy St. NE, Washington, DC 20017

[www.MyFranciscan.org/good-Friday](http://www.MyFranciscan.org/good-Friday)



# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD DRIVE



**MARCH 10 & 24**

8 A.M. – Noon, on the corner of 23rd and Gaylord

Food donations can be dropped off at the parish office Monday through Friday or during designated Sundays.



- Paper towels, toilet paper, reusable grocery bags
- Cooking oils, mayonnaise, Miracle Whip, mustard, ketchup, honey, hot sauce
- Pancake syrup, pancake mix, cereal/oatmeal
- Tomato sauce and tomato paste
- Canned tuna, chicken and salmon, hearty soups (no tomato or chicken noodle soup please), canned chili
- Dried beans, sloppy joe mix, canned stews, spaghetti sauce, Spaghettios
- Jelly, coffee
- Sugar, flour, masa, pasta, rice (white only)
- Taco seasoning and shells, tortillas, Hamburger and Tuna Helper
- Cookies, granola bars, crackers, juice boxes and snacks are appreciated as well.

**PLEASE NO EXPIRED OR  
DAMAGED ITEMS!**

FINANCIAL DONATIONS ARE ALSO  
ACCEPTED, CHECKS PAYABLE TO  
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY.

**YOU ARE MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE!**

