

CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY



March 24th, 2024 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Monday-Friday......6:30 & 8:00 AM Saturday......8:00 AM Saturday Vigil5:30 PM Sunday......8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 AM12:30 PM (Spanish) & 6:00 PM

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AT CHURCH

ROSARY Daily......7:40 AM

MASSES

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Every day as arranged Once a month as announced

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Call the Parish Office two months in advance

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY Call the Parish Office one year in advance Father José Alvarez, Pastor Father Ireneusz Ekiert, Parochial Vicar Father Benito Martinez, Parochial Vicar Deacon Thomas V. Eagan Deacon José Martínez Deacon Marcos Pérez Deacon Norman Ruíz-Castañeda Deacon Eduardo Smith

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STEWARDSHIP CORNER

An Invitation to Eternal Life

Today is Palm Sunday. All of us received a palm branch today symbolizing our belief that Jesus is the Son of God. As we processed into Church, we welcomed Jesus into our city knowing that in a few days, we would witness the most tragic and joyous events of our Christian lives.

After the Last Supper, Jesus went with His disciples to the Mount of Olives, and there in a garden, He prayed to His Father. He began to feel dread of the suffering He was about to experience. "My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass from me." So great was His anguish that His sweat became like drops of blood falling down upon the ground. His human heart and will remained steadfastly loyal to the Father. "Nevertheless, not as I will, but as You will."

This coming week is Holy Week. It is an invitation for all of us to walk with Jesus as He instituted the Holy Eucharist and ordained His first priests on Holy Thursday. On Good Friday, we will share in His passion and death. Finally, at the Easter Vigil, we will rejoice and witness His resurrection from the dead. Will you be there? Will you walk with Jesus?

Let us put aside all our problems, activities, and concerns; let's plan to spend this week with Christ. Christ died so that we may live and have eternal life. That invitation is open to everyone who does His will. As stewards of the Lord, let's not only accept that invitation, but also let us cling to Christ's saving work and share in the fruits by faith, reception of the sacraments, prayer and works of love.

That's the meaning of Easter, an "Invitation to Eternal Life".



HYMNS FOR MASS

All Glory, Laud, and Honor (p.242) We Acclaim the Cross of Jesus (p. 244) O Sacred Head Surrounded (p. 253)



SPECIAL RECTORY HOURS

Holy Thursday 8:30AM-12:00PM

Good Friday Closed

WELCOME TO EPIPHANY CHURCH

Whether you are visiting or new to the area, we extend to you the hospitality of Christ. If you would like more information about our parish, become a register parishioner, or wish to join our Faith Community, or stop by the Rectory office, call 305.667.4911, or email us at: **info@epiphanycatholicchurch.com**



PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL:

Jose Antonio Borges; Minerva Campos; Idalia Castro; Ethel Colomer; Jesus Cruz; Kerri Lord Ager; Katy Puig; Yara Nuñez; Judy Rawlins; Santi Rios Nogales; Virginia Walden.

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

Elba Altuna De Pines; Ricardo Alvear; Mariluz Durazo; Pilar Fernandez Robles; Ernesto Gonzalez; Irma Luisa Palenzuela; Miguel Angel Perez; Mary Pollack; Daniel Perry; Rebeca Rivas; Rebecca Roig; Abel Saborit.

NOTE: The names in Our Prayer List remain on the list for (4) consecutive weeks. If you need a name added or kept on the list, please call the Rectory at 305.667.4911.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2024 ABCD—UPDATE



We are excited to share the results of our parish's ABCD campaign! We are most grateful to our parishioners who have contributed to this Archdiocesan charity campaign. Together, we have made a positive impact on the lives of countless individuals and supported essential programs within our community.

> Collected Amount: \$190,567 Pledged Amount: \$397,227 Parish Goal: \$614,762



Starting Wednesday, April 10th at 9:30AM & Thursday, April 11th at 7:00PM

You're invited to a special Bible study session focusing on the Book of Revelation! Join us on Wednesdays at 9:30AM or Thursdays at 7:00 PM at The Adoration Chapel as we delve into this fascinating book. All are invited to come to explore its teachings and deepen our understanding of God's word together.



Pre-Baptismal Course Saturday, May 4th, 2024 9:00-11:00 AM in the Adoration Chapel

The Pre-Baptismal Course is a pre-requisite for the parents. This class is designed to provide valuable information and guidance regarding the holy sacrament of Baptism and its significance within our faith community. Please contact the Rectory office for more information at 305.667.4911. No registration is required.

UPCOMING PRE-BAPTISMAL COURSES

Saturday, July 27, 2024 Saturday, October 19, 2024 Saturday, December 7, 2024



PASSION, DEATH & RESURRECTION MASS SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, March 27th

Tenebrae Service......7:30PM

HOLY THURSDAY, March 28th

Mass of the Lord's Supper.....7:30PM

GOOD FRIDAY, March 29th

Stations of the Cross2:00PM Passion of the Lord with Communion....3:00PM

HOLY SATURDAY, March 30th

Easter Vigil.....8:00PM

EASTER SUNDAY MASSES, March 31st

8:00AM, 9:30AM, 11:00AM, 12:30PM* No 6:00PM Mass

* Denotes Spanish



THE PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

Once each year every Catholic Church in the United States takes up a Special Collection for the support of Christians and the Holy Shrines in the Holy Land. Traditionally, this is known as the Good Friday Collection. Many Christians depend on this collection for their lives. **Please find envelopes in the pews** for your donation, and return them on **Good Friday**.

Thank you for your generosity!

MASS INTENTIONS

| Date | Time | Mass Intentions | Requested by |
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| Saturday March 23 (Sunday Vigil) | 5:30 PM + | OLLA Class of 2024 Jose & Betty Hernandez | Sofi Mendiola Family |
| Sunday March 24 | 8:00 AM 9:30 AM 11:00 AM 12:30 PM 6:00 PM | Palm Sunday | |
| Monday March 25 | 6:30 AM + + 8:00 AM + + | Engracia Escobar Juan Castro Maria Elizabeth Pistorino Charles John Pistorino Vicente German Gallinal | Family Family Pistorino Family Pistorino Family Gallinal Family |
| Tuesday March 26 | 6:30 AM + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + | Madison Suarez Giacinta Cioffreda In Thanksgiving Carlos Torres De Navarra Ana Pinedo Ricardo Alvear | Family Family Ignacio Felix Anita Torres De Navarra Aleida Gutierrez Janeth Smith & Zielcke Sisters |
| Wednesday March 27 | 6:30 AM 8:00 AM + + 7:30 PM | Elizabeth Parrish In Thanksgiving Nancy Gallart Edward Northland Julia Almeida Hernandez Tenebrae Service | Pistorino Family Ignacio Felix Alina Gallart & Family Miriam Northland Pistorino Family |
| Thursday March 28 | 6:30 AM 8:00 AM 7:30 PM | No Mass No Mass Mass of the Lord's Supper | Koly Thursday |
| Friday March 29 | 6:30 AM 8:00 AM 2:00 PM 3:00 PM | No Mass No Mass Stations of The Cross Passion of the Lord w/ Communion | Good Friday |
| Saturday March 30 | 8:00 AM 5:30 PM 8:00 PM | No Mass No Mass Easter Vigil | Koly Saturday |
| Sunday March 31 | 8:00 AM 9:30 AM 11:00 AM 12:30 PM 6:00 PM | Resurrection of the Lord | He is RISEN |

"We Proclaim Your Death, O. Lord, And Profess Your Desurrection Until You Come Again."