

April

Apr 6 - Holy Thursday Dinner

Apr 16 or 23 Easter Dinner (TBD)

Know Your Church . . . Laity Formation

Triumphal Entry of Jesus Christ

The triumphal entry is that of Jesus coming into Jerusalem on what we know as Palm Sunday, the Sunday before the crucifixion. The story of the triumphal entry is one of the few incidents in the life of Jesus which appears in all four Gospel accounts. On that day, Jesus rode into Jerusalem on the back of a borrowed donkey's colt, one that had never been ridden before. The disciples spread their cloaks on the donkey for Jesus to sit on, and the multitudes came out to welcome Him, laying before Him their cloaks and the branches of palm trees. The people hailed and praised Him as the "King who comes in the name of the Lord" as He rode to the temple, where He taught the people, healed them, and drove out the money-changers and merchants who had made His Father's house a "den of robbers". Jesus' purpose in riding into Jerusalem was to make public His claim to be their Messiah and King of Israel in fulfillment of Old Testament prophecy. The spreading of cloaks was an act of homage for royalty. Jesus was openly declaring to the people that He was their King and the Messiah they had been waiting for. Unfortunately, the praise the people lavished on Jesus was not because they recognized Him as their Savior from sin. They welcomed Him out of their desire for a messianic deliverer, someone who would lead them in a revolt against Rome. There were many who, though they did not believe in Christ as Savior, nevertheless hoped that perhaps He would be to them a great temporal deliverer. These are the ones who hailed Him as King with their many hosannas, recognizing Him as the Son of David who came in the name of the Lord. But when He failed in their expectations, when He refused to lead them in a massive revolt against the Roman occupiers, the crowds quickly turned on Him. Within just a few days, their hosannas would change to cries of "Crucify Him!". Those who hailed Him as a hero would soon reject and abandon Him.

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Our Weekly Bulletin

Welcome to our Parish

Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory forever!
Christ is among us! He is and always will be!

Divine Liturgies and Services for the Week

Week of Apr 2 to Apr 9, 2023

Sunday, Apr 2	Triumphal Entry of our Lord and Savior	✠ John & Anna Olexo
Apr 3	No Liturgy	
Apr 4	Presanctified Gifts & Anointing Service	5:00PM
Apr 5	No Liturgy	
Apr 6	Institution of the Eucharist	6:00PM
Apr 7	Vespers and Laying of the Shroud	4:00PM 
Apr 8	No Liturgy	
Sunday, Apr 9	Resurrection of our Lord and Savior	8:00AM

If you are looking for a closer relationship with Jesus Christ and are looking for a home, you are welcome to be part of our kid friendly family in Christ. You have found your way home.

Triumphal Entry of Our Lord and Savior into Jerusalem

Philippians 4:4-9

John 12:1-18

First Antiphon

I am filled with love for the Lord will hear the voice of my plea.
Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.
For He has inclined His ear to me, and I will call to Him all the days of my life.
Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.
The pangs of death encircled me, the trials of Hades befell me.
Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.
I met with anguish and pain, and called upon the name of the Lord.
Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

Third Antiphon

Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, for His mercy endures forever.
(Tone 1)Assuring us before Your Passion of the general resurrection, You raised Lazarus from the dead,
O Christ God: and so, like the children we also carry signs of victory and cry to You, the conqueror of death:
Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

Entrance Hymn

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord, we bless you from the house of the Lord,
the Lord is God and has appeared to us.
(Tone 1)Assuring us before Your Passion of the general resurrection, You raised Lazarus from the dead,
O Christ God: and so, like the children we also carry signs of victory and cry to You, the conqueror of death:
Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

Troparion of Palm Sunday - Tone 4

Buried with You through Baptism, O Christ our God, we have been granted
immortal life by Your resurrection, and we sing Your praises, crying out:
Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

Kondakion of Palm Sunday - Tone 6

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.
Mounted on the throne in heaven, O Christ God, and on a colt here on earth, You accepted the praise
of the angels, and the hymn of the children
who cried to You: Blessed are You, who have come to call Adam back.

Prokeimnon - Tone 4

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord; God the Lord has appeared to us.
Verse: Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, for His mercy endures forever.
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord; God the Lord has appeared to us.

Alleluia

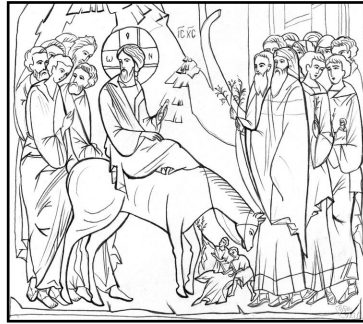
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia Sing to the Lord a new song, for He has worked His wonders.
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Hymn to the Mother of God

O my soul, magnify Christ who is seated upon a foal. The Lord is God and has appeared to us:
together let us celebrate. Come with great rejoicing; let us magnify Christ with palms and olive branches,
and with songs let us cry aloud to Him: Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord, our Savior.

Communion Verse

Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the Lord,* God the Lord has appeared to us. Alleluia (3)



Holy Weeks Services

Holy Tuesday - Presanctified Liturgy and anointing service - 5:00PM
Holy Thursday - Vespers with Divine Liturgy - 6:00PM
Dinner following Liturgy - *Please sign-up if you are planning to share in the meal*
Good Friday - Vespers and laying of the Shroud - 4:00PM
Adoration of the Shroud: Friday 5PM to 9PM Saturday 9Am to 5PM
Please sign-up to spend time before the grave in mediation
Pascha - Matins and Divine Liturgy - 8:00AM Baskets blessed following the Liturgy

PARISH NEWS

Weekly Collection - March 26, 2022 - \$435.00. Thank you for your generosity.
Relief for Ukraine - Amount collected to date \$6,483.00.
Saturdays with Jesus - May 20: 10AM Adults 2PM Children
Relief for Ukraine - Financial help to Ukraine can be done by writing a check to:
Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat and on the memo line: Aid for Ukraine.
Holy Thursday Meal - We will be having the annual Holy Supper Meal following
Vespers and Divine Liturgy. Please sign up on the sheet if you will be attending.

Prayer List

Parishioners: Millie & Steve Deskevich, Connie Butkus, Kathy Ott, Sarah Kelt,
Gary Maurer, the Lutak family, Jeremiah Hunt, Margaret Reighard.
Friends of the Parish: Jennifer Maurer, Breanna Borlie, Tom and Kris, Richard Shonk,
Ryder McDermitt, Steve Helsel, Patricia Dragani, Eugene, Kevin Rogers, Darla Tishok,
the Williams family, Patty Hunt, Kevin Blem, Linda Kusmierski.
To add or remove a name, place your request in the collection basket.

Joke of the Day

I had spent the late winter months waiting impatiently for signs of spring.
When the first warm, sunny Saturday arrived, I eagerly unlocked the storm door
and stepped onto our patio deck. I was pleased by the sight of green sprouts and
the sounds of singing birds. More than anything else, I delighted in the sweet
aroma of the spring air. Knocking on the kitchen window, I beckoned to my
wife to join me in enjoying the pleasures of the season. She quietly brought me
back to earth when she reminded me that I was standing over the dryer vent,
inhaling the scent of fabric softener.