

PALM SUNDAY



PALM SUNDAY: BEGINNING OF HOLY WEEK

In the second Sunday of Lent we meditate on the Transfiguration of the Lord. We do so because the glory in which he appears is the goal of our life. To attain this life in its fullness and all of its complete joys is why it is worth everything to combat all evil appearing in our challenges and temptations. The Christian changes in Christ from a mediocre to a full life, from one where there is no meaning to a Christian sense in every aspect of our lives, from deceit and hypocrisy to the fullness of truth, from selfishness to love and from death to eternal life. That is why we are constantly in combat and spiritual warfare.

In the transfiguration Jesus shows us for a brief moment the truth and beauty of God, for He is the true God. In that moment of transformation he reveals his divinity. Jesus plants in the Apostles themselves the seeds of glory and eternity. In life we will find tests and challenges along with many difficulties, but in the hands of Jesus these tests become the very stairs that lead to our arrival in heaven.



DID YOU KNOW?

The Archdiocese continues helping survivors of sexual abuse and their families

During National Child Abuse Prevention Month, the Archdiocese would like to reiterate that we stand resolute in our commitment to report allegations of sexual misconduct to law enforcement, support victim-survivors and protect children and the vulnerable. The Archdiocese has created a new website, protect.la-archdiocese.org, to serve as a comprehensive resource that will connect you to its programs and services for protecting children and reporting abuse. If you, or someone you know, is a victim of sexual abuse by a Church employee or volunteer, please contact the Archdiocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator at (213)637-7650 or protect.la-archdiocese.org for help and support.

Police Meeting Tuesday, April 16, at 6:00PM in the parish hall.

MASS INTENTIONS

5:30PM +Willie Mae Brown

7:30AM +Bulmaro Tovar, +Salomon Magana, Balbina Magana

11:00AM +Adan Aquino, Omar Villasenor-ill, Jose Manuel Pinedo

THE PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. This Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians, In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees.

PLEASE BE GENEROUS!

CHALICE PROGRAM 9:00AM MASS, Maria Cuevas

family will take the bread and wine up to the altar at the Offertory procession. At the end of Mass, the family is called by the the priest to come forward to receive the chalice bag and a blessing. The **Maria Cuevas** family will take the chalice home and put it in a place of honor. The family will pray for more priests brothers, sisters, and deacons throughout the week and return the chalice bag to the monitors next week for a new family assigned at the next Mass.

SHIELDS FOR FAMILIES

Are now here in the parish office from 10:30am-7:00pm Monday – Friday. They are a Resource Navigation Center empowering families by providing resources and referrals to the community.

SUNDAY KITCHEN SALES

Please support the Prayer Group that is in the kitchen today.

FISH FRY SALE

We will be having Fish Fry every Friday during Lent from 8:00AM – 4:00PM. Come and eat with your family and friends!

