

PALM SUNDAY

March 29, 2015

RECONCILIATION MONDAY – MARCH 30TH

Celebrate God's mercy. It's a great thing to hear about God's merciful love. It's even better to experience it personally. No matter how long it may have been since your last confession - weeks, years or even decades - there is no time like the start of Holy Week to know the mercy of God in the Sacrament of Penance. Seize the moment of grace at the start of Holy Week. Bring a friend! *This will be the last opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation during Lent. THERE ARE NO CONFESSIONS ON HOLY THURSDAY, GOOD FRIDAY and HOLY SATURDAY. CONFESSIONS will be heard tomorrow from 3:00pm - 5:00pm and 7:00pm. Please see the Examination of Conscience insert.*



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 2015

**Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7:00 p.m.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until
10:00pm**

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 2015

**Liturgy of the Lord's Passion, 3:00 p.m.
Stations of the Cross, 7:00 p.m.**

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 2015

**Blessing of the Easter Foods, 11:00 a.m.
Easter Vigil, 8:00 p.m.**

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2015

**Masses 8:00 a.m., 10:15 a.m. and 12:00noon
Mass at Little St. Joseph, 8:00am**

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2015

Devotions 3:00pm



Good Friday Collection

Christians around the world are united in a special way during Lent, Holy Week and Easter. Our hearts, minds and prayers are also especially aware of the Holy Land.

Our parish, once a year on Good Friday, is called on to support Christians in the Holy Land. Many Christians in the Holy Land depend on the collection for their lives.

As a pontifical collection requested by Pope Francis, the annual Good Friday Collection offers a direct link for parishioners to be witnesses of peace and to help protect the Holy Places. When you donate on Good Friday, you are supporting Christians in the Holy Land.

Franciscans and others in the Holy Land are housing and feeding the poor, providing religious formation and education, maintaining shrines and parishes, and conducting pastoral ministry. For more information visit www.MyFranciscan.org/good-friday

The Good Friday Collection is requested by the Holy Father. Please be as generous as your abundance allows.

THE RECTORY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON GOOD FRIDAY.

Please leave the items for the Food Baskets for our families in need on the Rectory Porch. Thank you for your donations. God bless you.

LENTEN ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE

The clergy and faithful from all area Churches will gather for prayer this Wednesday, April 1st at 7:00pm in Lyall Federated Church. Msgr. Colacicco will be the guest preacher. All of our parishioners are invited to attend.

2015 CARDINAL'S APPEAL - SHARING GOD'S GIFTS

Our Parish goal is \$45,500 to date we have raised \$16,785 from 67 gifts. For this Appeal to be truly successful, we must have the support from all of our families.

ANNUAL GOLDEN WEDDING JUBILEE MASS Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2015 are invited to attend the Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at St. Patrick's Cathedral on Saturday, June 20th or Sunday, June 21st at 2:00pm. Pre-registration is required. To register please contact the Rectory (677-3422) by Friday, May 15, 2015. Sponsored by the Family Life/Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of New York.

Please visit our website at www.stjosephmillbrookny.org

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, March 28th

7:30am People of the Parish
5:00pm Anthony, Angelina & Albert
Paolucci

Sunday, March 29th - Palm Sunday

8:00am Irma Colacicco
8:00 (LSJ) Anthony Roccanova
10:15am People of the Parish
12:00pm Dominick & Adeline
Constantino

Monday, March 30th

7:30am Ovalle, Barrios & Pimentele
Families

Tuesday, March 31st

7:30am Intentions of Carolyn Wilt

Wednesday, April 1st

7:30am Geraldine Velletri

HOLY THURSDAY, April 2nd

7:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
**Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament until 10:00pm**

GOOD FRIDAY, April 3rd

3:00pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
7:00pm Stations of the Cross

HOLY SATURDAY, April 4th

11:00am Blessing of the Easter Foods
8:00pm People of the Parish

EASTER SUNDAY, April 5th

8:00am John & Sadie Whalen
8:00 (LSJ) Intentions of Mother Miriam
10:15am John Junge
12:00pm George Zerafa

