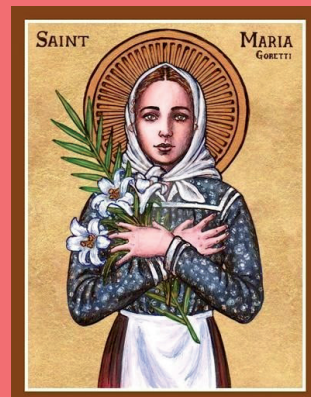




HOLY VIRGIN MARTYRS

St. Beatrice and St. Maria Goretti Parish

April 2, 2023
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord



Rectory:

4157 Atlantic Avenue
Schiller Park, IL 60176
847-678-0138

Email: hvm-parish@outlook.com

Website: www.hvmparish.org

Rev. Robert Schultz, Pastor

Marlene Bacha, Business Manager

Richard Gersten, Music Director

Zerlina Kirchen, Coordinator of Lifelong Faith Formation

Nancy Ryan, Parish Nurse

Weekend Mass: Saturday—4:30pm, Sunday—9:30am, 11:30am

Weekday Mass: Monday—Thursday at 8:30am

Holy Day Masses: 8:30am, 12:00pm, 7:00pm

Confession (Reconciliation): Saturdays from 3:30-4:00pm

Baptisms: Celebrated once a month at 1:00pm

Contact the rectory to register as a new parishioner or to schedule a Baptism, Wedding, Funeral, or Anointing.

From the Pastor's Desk

Many times throughout the year, in my bulletin articles here, I extend invitations to you. If you read my articles, then you know that is true. I invite you to this or that sacrament or special liturgy, or to this or that parish event, or to delve into the various things that the different liturgical seasons offer us. But the biggest invitation that I extend every year always has to do with one week – this week.

This, of course, is Holy Week, the most significant week of the entire liturgical year. I invite you to participate as much as you can in the beautiful, powerful, and unique events of this week. I'd like to break them down.

It all begins with Palm Sunday this weekend. This is one of the only Masses of the year where we start Mass at the back of church, as we listen to the Gospel story of Jesus' triumphant entrance into Jerusalem, and we imitate the welcoming crowds by holding palm branches. Later in the Mass we hear the entire story of Jesus' Passion and Death (this year we listen to Matthew's Gospel account).

On Tuesday, April 4, there is no special Mass here at the parish, but there is a special Mass at Holy Name Cathedral that day – the Chrism Mass. At that Mass, the priests of the Chicago Archdiocese renew their ordination promises, and Cardinal Cupich blesses the three sacramental oils to be used in all parishes in the coming year: the Oil of the Sick (for Anointing of the Sick), the Oil of Catechumens (for Baptism), and Chrism Oil (for Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Orders).

On Holy Thursday evening, April 6, we conclude Lent and begin the Sacred Triduum, the sacred three days. The liturgies on each of these days are unique. At 7:00pm on Thursday we celebrate the Mass of the Lord's Supper. At this Mass we witness the Washing of Feet, and we conclude with a Eucharistic procession, and then Adoration. The church will stay open for Adoration until 11:00pm on Thursday night.

This year, we also have another special event taking place at our Holy Thursday Mass. As we normally do during the Offertory on Holy Thursday, we will present our parish's three newly blessed oils, and we place them in the ambry (the container for the holy oils). This year we have a brand new, beautiful ambry that was very generously (and anonymously) designed and created by an HVM parishioner. Our new ambry will be installed in church before Holy Thursday, and we will bless it on Thursday evening. I encourage you to take a moment to look at the beautiful new ambry. Not only does it have glass so that we can see the oil vessels, but it also contains the Latin symbols for each oil, as well as our HVM Parish logo. I want to offer my sincere gratitude to the parishioner who shared their time, talent, and treasure to give our parish such a beautiful gift for years to come.

Moving on with the Triduum: on Good Friday, April 7, we celebrate the Passion & Death of the Lord. This is the only day of the year that Mass is forbidden. We will celebrate the Good Friday service at both 3:00pm and 7:00pm (so you have the opportunity to come to either one).

Our Easter Basket Blessing will take place on Holy Saturday, April 8 at 11:00am. Please note the time change. In the past, we celebrated the blessing at 12:00pm, but I would like to give more time that afternoon to our generous parish volunteers who will decorate the church for Easter.

The evening of April 8, at 7:30pm, we kick off the 50-day Easter season as we celebrate the highest Mass of the year, the Easter Vigil. At that Mass, our RCIA candidates will be received into the Church through the sacraments of initiation. And on Easter Sunday, April 9, we celebrate the central mystery of our faith, the Lord's Resurrection. Please note that we will have one additional Mass on Easter Sunday to accommodate the crowds. Masses on Easter will be at 7:30am, 9:30am and 11:30am.

Our full Holy Week schedule is posted in this bulletin, at the exits of church, and on our parish website and Facebook page. I hope that you can join us for the full celebration of Jesus' Paschal mystery by attending as many of the Holy Week and Triduum liturgies as you're able.

Holy Virgin Martyrs, pray for us. May God bless you.

Fr. Rob



Masses For The Week

Sunday—April 2nd

- 9:30—Joseph & Theresa Marczak, req. Family
 Franklin & Helen Losacco, req. Fran Losacco
 Roger Alva, Rew. Family
 Thomas Griffin, req. Family
 Raymond & Lena Gennetti, req. Family
 Regina Kasper, req. Family
 Blanca Selsky, req. Family
 John & Helen Myszka, req. Dennis & Nancy Myszka
 Robert & Francis Rodgers, req. Dennis & Nancy Myszka
 Matthew O'Brien, req. Family
 Mary Olender Alt, req. Evelyn Olender
 Len Olender, req. Evelyn Olender
 Bernie & Joanne Fuechtmann, req. Family
 Albert Parcerro, req. Albert Parcerro
 50th Birthday Blessings for Fr. Rob, req. The Choir
- 11:30—Matthew & Ida Hendle, req. Family
 Rocha Family, req. Richard Rocha
 Lynn Shoenrock, req. A Friend
 Konstanty Buziuk, req. Family
 Julia Galey, req. Family

Monday—April 3rd

- 8:30—Poor Souls In Purgatory, req. Heidorn Family
 Auntie E. Heidorn, req. Heidorn Family
 Intentions of the Urbanak Family, req. Family
 Joseph Ziaj, req. Family

Tuesday—April 4th

- 8:30—Joe Cunningham, req. Family
 James Cunningham, req. Family
 Joseph & Mary Traxler, req. Family
 Jackie Viecei, req. Eleanor Sacco
 50th Birthday Blessings For Fr. Rob,
 req. Morgan Family

Wednesday—April 5th

- 8:30—Ken Zech, req. Wife
 Brown Family, req. Family

Holy Thursday—April 6th

- 7:00pm—Jackie Viecei, req. Fr. Rob Schultz
 Vicki Hansen, req. Fr. Rob Schultz
 Manuel Beltran, req. Elma Bayan

Good Friday—April 7th

- 3:00pm—Friday of the Passion of the Lord
 7:00pm—Friday of the Passion of the Lord

Easter Vigil—Saturday—April 8th

- 7:30—Elaine (Auntie E.) Heidorn, req. Art Wells & Mary Shields
 Al, Mary & Stanley Jedziniak, req. Zerlina Kirchen
 Paul Kirchen, req. Zerlina Kirchen
 Jack McGrath, req. Zerlina Kirchen
 Sam, Mary, and Michael Ferrille, req. Zerlina Kirchen

Easter Sunday—April 9th

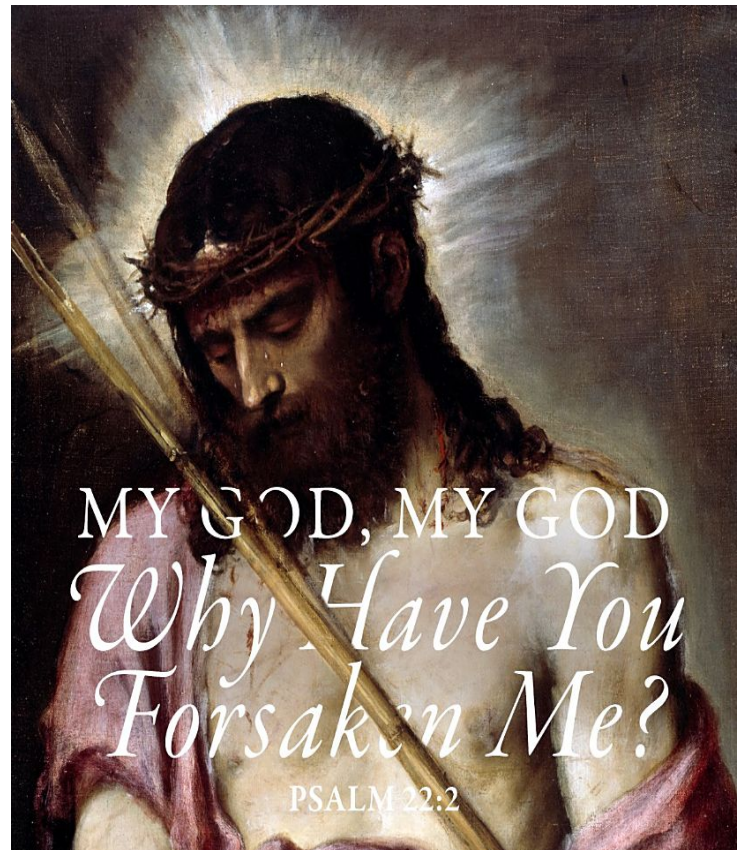
- 7:30—Lynn Shoenrock, req. A Friend
 9:30—Jackie Viecei, req. Gus & Joan Campeotto
 James Florio Family, req. Family
 Joseph & Theresa Marczak, req. Family
 Franklin & Helen Losacco, req. Family
 Roger Alva, req. Family
 Roger Louis—Charles, req. Family
 Renee Coupaud, req. Louis—Charles Family
 Thomas Griffin, req. Family
 Raymond & Lena Gennetti, req. Family
 Elaine & William Cyplick, req. Debbie Cyplick
 Regina Kasper, req. Family
 Blanca Selsky, req. Steve Selsky
 Dan & Christine Molloy, req. Tina DeVitto
 Wilbert & Betty Saathoff, req. Family
 Matthew O'Brien, req. Family
 Joseph Ferrara, req. Family
 Bernie & Joanne Fuechtmann, req. Family
 Albert Parcerro, req. Albert Parcerro
- 11:30—Matthew & Ida Hendle, req. Family
 Raymond & Evelyn Majca, req. Family
 Rocha Family, req. Richard Rocha

	Holy Thursday 7:00pm	Good Friday 3:00pm 7:00pm		Easter Vigil 7:30pm
Presider	Fr. Rob	Fr. Rob	Fr. Rob	Fr. Rob
Lector	Zerlina Kirchen	Ellen Melnitzke Roseanne Kraft	Zerlina Kirchen Liz Lynch	Ellen Melnitzke Joan Golembiewski
Communion Ministers	W. Bernacki J. Traxler M. Michalowski	C. Fippinger R. Klug D. Kasper	B. Kirchen C. Schreiner S. Schreiner	M. Michalowski C. Schreiner S. Schreiner
Altar Servers	D. Heredia G. Heredia R. Heredia C. Fiore	O. Kucharczyk A. Herrera	T. Cychosz P. Cychosz	T. Cychosz S. Cychosz P. Cychosz

Easter Sunday	7:30am	9:30am	11:30am
Presider	Fr. Rob	Fr. Rob	Fr. Rob
Lector	Sandra Cervantes	Char Fiore	Bobby Lima
Communion Ministers	D. Brown D. Kasper N. Kent	J. Losurdo R. Kraft A. Caccavari	M. Diaz L. Louis—Charles L. Youakim
Altar Servers		D. Kasper	A. Herrera O. Kucharczyk

IN LOVING MEMORY

Rest in Peace
"It is a holy and wholesome
thought that we pray
for the dead,"
please remember:
Angela DeFranco
in your prayers.





Religious Education News

Coordinator of Lifelong Faith Formation: Ms. Zerlina Kirchen

Phone: 847-671-6429

Email: religiouseducationcoordinator@outlook.com

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, April 11th

6:00—8:00pm—Religious Education Class

Saturday, April 15th

9:00—11:30am—Religious Education Class
LAST SATURDAY CLASS!

Saturday, April 22nd

9:00—11:00am—Last Special Sacraments Class
7:00pm—Confirmation Rehearsal

Monday, April 24th

7:00pm—Confirmation

Tuesday, April 25th

6:00—8:00pm—Religious Education Class
LAST TUESDAY CLASS!

Thursday, May 4th

7:00pm—First Communion Rehearsal

Saturday, May 6th

11:00am—First Communion

Thursday, May 11th

7:00pm—First Communion Rehearsal

Saturday, May 13th

11:00am—First Communion

Sunday, May 14th

11:30am—Last Family Mass

We will have the May Crowning Procession with the First Communicants at this Mass.

Student volunteers will be reading
and bringing up the gifts

What We're Learning

3rd Grade (Tuesdays)

We learned about how St. Patrick used a Shamrock to teach the Irish people about the Trinity. We also spent time learning about the Stations of the Cross.

4th Grade (Tuesdays)

We learned about how Jesus chose St. Peter to lead the church. We learned that the Magisterium is the teaching office of the Church. We learned about the precepts of the Church and that they are the minimum we should do. We learned about how we can support the Church with our time, talent, and treasure.

5th Grade (Tuesdays)

We learned about St. Ignatius of Loyola and how he founded the Jesuits. We learned about the first main part of the Mass—the Liturgy of the Word. We learned that the ritual actions of the Mass show us the importance of the word of God. We talked about Lent and reflected on how we have practiced praying, fasting, and almsgiving.

Palm Sunday



Hosanna in the Highest!

Hypod Winner

March 27, 2023

\$500 Winner—John Golick

Tickets are still available in the pamphlet rack in the back of church or from the Rectory during the week!



Parish Support

Week of March 18th & 19th

Weekly	\$5,394.00
Maintenance	\$55.00
Fuel & Heat	\$1,348.00
Ash Wednesday	\$15.00
Church in Eastern Europe	\$20.00
Easter Flowers	\$20.00

MANY THANKS!

Second Collections:

The second collection on April 8th
is for Easter.

Please be as generous as you can.

Bunny Bake Sale and Raffle Sponsored by the HVM Women's Club

The Holy Virgin Martyr's Women's Club will be holding their first spring bake sale and raffle this weekend after all the Masses.

Raffle tickets can be given one of the workers at the bake sale this weekend.

Thank you for your continued support.
The Holy Virgin Martyrs Women's Club



Pray For:

Those Who Are Sick:

Betty Bajzek, Char Banyai, Terrie Boie, Sonia Bonacci, Frank Bosco, Pat Brandolino, Gus Campeotto, Bernie Cwan, Phyllis DiBenedetto, Joseph & Beatrice Giannone, Dora Gibellina, Rose & Pat Glasso, Judy Golab, Howard & Carol Heidorn, Laura Gardeck & Jeff Hinz, Jerry Hoss, Michael & Vivian Jennings, Brian Kelly, Leonard Kuffer, Marguerite Kramer, Ted & Joan Lester, Reina Lopez, Vicky Majewski (nee Julitz), Ann Macey, Carole McCreery, Bryan McIntyre, David Medo, Peter Meyer, Barbara Miller, Pat Morgan, Peter Morgan, Lois Neilsen, Julie Parkinson, Deacon Ron Pilarski, Leroy Plier, Joseph Powyszynski, Barbara Rodgers, Kathy Sassolino, Cathy & Steve Schreiner, Susan Siekierski, Joe Stendebach, Sarah Tripoli, Rev. Michael Valenti, Joan & Bill Weichbrodt, Jean Wesolowski, Nancy Wright

Those in the Military

Sergeant Michael Bavone,
Private Christopher Bavone,
US Army Staff Sergeant
John J. Schreiner,
U.S.A.F. Sergeant Michael Keaty,
HN Nathan Wrobbel US Navy,
U.S.M.C. Gunnery Sergeant
Osvaldo Rodriguez,
U.S.M.C. Kyle E. Ruth,
Omar Vee, Jr.,
First Lieutenant Justin Hunt,



Receive The Blessed Sacrament of Holy Communion

HVM Ministers of Care can bring Holy Communion to our parishioners who are Homebound or Sick. If you or someone you know would like to receive Holy Communion, or would like to know more about this rewarding ministry, then please contact Nancy Ryan (parish nurse) either by leaving a message at the rectory or email at: anne.ryan@ascension.org.



2023 Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday, April 1st & 2nd

Masses on Saturday at 4:30pm and

Sunday at 9:30am and 11:30am

Palms will be distributed at the Masses.



Holy Thursday, April 6th

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration until 11:00pm

Good Friday, April 7th

The Passion and Death of the Lord

3:00pm and 7:00pm



Holy Saturday, April 8th

Easter Basket Blessing 11:00am

Easter Vigil Mass 7:30pm

Easter Sunday, April 9th

Masses at 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am

There will be **NO** 8:30am Mass on
Holy Thursday, Good Friday, or Holy Saturday
There will be **NO** confessions on Holy Saturday



Diocesan is proud to now be printing *Holy Virgin Martyrs Sunday Bulletin*

You are invited to help support our Parish!
For opportunities to advertise,
please call 800-997-4986

CUMBERLAND CHAPELS FUNERAL HOME 8300 W. LAWRENCE AVE. • NORRIDGE WWW.CUMBERLANDCHAPELS.COM <i>Traditional Services, Cremations & Pre-Arrangements Available</i> 708-456-8300		 Anthony's HEATING & COOLING INC. Winter Special - \$79.95 Furnace or Boiler 16 pt. Clean & Tune NEW FURNACE Starting at \$2,795! Senior/Veteran Discounts 24 Hour Service MAJOR CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED 847-640-9200		 Consider Remembering Your Parish in Your Will For further information, please call the parish office.	
Fairview Memorial Park 900 N. Wolf Road Northlake, IL 60164 847/455-2714 Office Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm Saturday 9am-1pm We are Family Owned and Operated	Ed the Plumber Ed the Carpenter 847.492.1444 Best Work • Best Rates PARISHIONER DISCOUNT	Richie's Restaurant Daily Breakfast Specials BUY 1 BREAKFAST & GET THE 2ND ONE HALF PRICE WITH AD (DINE IN ONLY) No Coupons No Substitutions 9812 W. Lawrence Ave. 847-928-8500		DANIEL L. JACONETTI D.D.S. LTD. General Family Dentistry Hours by Appointment – 24 Hour Emergency 7601 W. Montrose – Norridge 708-453-8700 • 847-678-1130 • Fax 708-453-1564 www.jaconettids.com	
Al & Andy's Family Restaurant 9724 W. Irving Pk. • 847-678-3812 FRIDAY FISH FRY ALL YOU CAN EAT \$8.45 SERVING BREAKFAST ALL DAY BEFORE & AFTER CHURCH		Andersen Morgan Funeral Home - Franklin Park 10300 West Grand Ave. Franklin Park, IL Serving Families With Dignity, Respect and Compassion www.andersenmorganfranklin.com Hablamos Español Phone: (847) 455-1200			
HEALTH CARE RIGHT IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD CUIDADO DE LA SALUD JUSTO EN SU VECINDARIO					
 Adult & Senior Health Salud para adultos y personas mayores	 Pediatric Health Salud pediátrica	 Behavioral Health Salud Mental	 10225 Grand Ave Franklin Park	catholicmatch® Illinois  CatholicMatch.com/goll	
Greater Family Health		844.599.3700		Call Today! ¡Llama hoy!	
 SAX-TIEDEMANN Funeral Home & Crematorium 9568 Belmont Ave., Franklin Park, IL 60131		FAMILY OWNED. FAMILY FOCUSED. 847.678.1950 www.sax-tiedemann.com		 Get this bulletin emailed to you every week.	
 EWTN Global Catholic Radio TUNE IN		Simply go to www.DM.CHURCH/1628 ...or scan →		 DISCOVERMASS	

The Businesses listed above make this bulletin possible.
 Please support them when you can.

Sign up to get our bulletin in your email each week. Go to DiscoverMass.com/subscribe