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**APRIL 13, 2025**



### PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord." - Mt 21:9

### SCHEDULE OF MASSES

#### Morning Daily Mass

Monday - Saturday, 7:30am

#### Confessions

Saturday, 3:30 - 4:30pm or by Appointment

Saturday Vigil, 5:00pm

Sunday, 7:30, 9:30, 11:30am

#### First Friday of the Month

Holy Hour & Benediction, 8:00 - 9:00am

### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*Through the Gospel Message of Jesus Christ,  
 St. Patrick Parish is the hands, feet, body and heart of  
 Christ, that serves, loves and enlightens others  
 to make God better known.*



### ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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## WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

### SUNDAY, APRIL 13

#### *PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD*

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

Blessing of the Palms

One Collection

Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:30, 11:30am

No Youth Ministry classes

### MONDAY, APRIL 14

Daily Mass: 7:30am

No Bible Class today

Knights of Columbus Meeting

St. Patrick Parish Reconciliation Service, 7:30pm

### TUESDAY, APRIL 15

Daily Mass: 7:30am

Chrism Mass at the Cathedral, 11:00am

No Bible Class

### WEDNESDAY, HOLY WEEK, APRIL 16

Daily Mass: 7:30am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 8:00am

### THURSDAY, HOLY WEEK, APRIL 17

No 7:30am Mass

Morning Prayer, 8:00am - In the Church

School Sedar Meal in the Hall, 10:00am

Parish Confession, 10:00 - 11:00am and 3:00 - 4:00pm

No Faith Formation & Edge Classes

Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7:30pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the Mass Until 12:00am

Come Spend some time with the Lord

### GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18

#### *FAST AND ABSTINENCE—NO MEAT*

No 7:30am Mass

Morning Prayer, 8:00am

Confession, 10:00 - 11:00am

Fr. Larry's Preaching on the Seven Last Word of Jesus on the

Cross, 2:00 - 3:30pm

Good Friday Liturgy, 7:30pm

One Collection - For the Holy Land

### HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 19

No 7:30am Mass

Morning Prayer, 8:00am

Confessions, 10:00 - 11:00am and 3:30pm - 4:30pm

No 5:00pm Vigil Mass

Easter Vigil Mass, 8:00pm

Two Collections - Regular Sunday and Easter Offering

### EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 20

#### *EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD*

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

Two Collections - Regular Sunday and Easter Offering

No Children's Liturgy of the Word

No Hospitality and Gift Shop

## MASS INTENTIONS

### APRIL 13 - 20, 2025

Sun	04/13	7:30a	<b>For the People of St. Patrick Parish</b>	
		9:30a	<b>Artemio &amp; Arlene Gidget Reyes †</b>	Vilma Reyes & Family
		11:30a	<b>Luis &amp; Macaria Santos †</b>	Santos Family
Mon	04/14	7:30a	<b>Venjei L. Asuncion †</b>	Asuncion Family
Tues	04/15	7:30a	<b>Florencia R. Alvarez †</b>	Suzette A. Romero
Wed	04/16	7:30a	<b>Manuel Lacanlale †</b>	Lacanlale Family
Thurs	04/17	7:30a	<b>No Morning Mass</b>	
		7:30p	<b>For the People of St. Patrick Parish</b>	
Fri	04/18	7:30a	<b>No Morning Mass</b>	
Sat	04/19	7:30a	<b>No Morning Mass</b>	
		8:00p	<b>RCIA</b>	
Sun	04/20	7:30a	<b>For the People of St. Patrick Parish</b>	
		9:30a	<b>Lina Libby Masana †</b>	Masana Family
		11:30a	<b>Letty Rivera †</b>	Norma Rivera & Family

## SACRIFICIAL GIVING

**Please note that we are counting on the weekly collection of \$12,600.00 to meet our 2025 budget. Please give your part to help us reach our goal.**

Please continue to send your offering by mail, via online or bring them to the parish office,  
Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 3:00pm  
Thank you.

**Due to an Early Bulletin Submission Deadline for April 13, Sacrificial Giving amounts will be available in the April 20, 2025 Bulletin.**

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## A Message from our Pastor

Dear People of St. Patrick Parish,

If we had been living in Jerusalem on the First Palm Sunday, would we have taken our family out into the streets to welcome Jesus to the Temple? Maybe, we face that same decision every Sunday and Holy Day.

If Jesus had invited us to the Last Supper to receive His Body and Blood in Holy Communion, would we have said no or it takes too much of my time? How about Mass and Communion every Sunday now.

If Jesus had invited us to spend an hour with Him in Prayer in the Garden, would we have said yes? Well, Thursday night, we have that opportunity in a visit to the Church, to pray with Jesus.

If we had been on the streets of Jerusalem on Good Friday, would we have called out Crucify Him, Crucify Him, I don't like His message of how to live our lives. Can we spend an hour and a half on Good Friday listening to Jesus Seven Last Words from the Cross? Well, 2:00 to 3:30pm, we can come to Church and listen to His words.

If we had been at the foot of the Cross on Good Friday, would we have venerated that Cross and said, thank you, Jesus for dying for me to be able to go to Heaven.

If we had risen on Easter Sunday to visit Jesus' tomb and saw that He was risen from the dead and preparing to go to Heaven to be with His Father, God. Well, then we should not let anything keep us from going to Mass on Easter Day.

Holy week, let us go to Confession and have our sins removed.

Let us see how Jesus showed us how to forgive and show mercy.

On Thursday, Friday and Easter Sunday, do we celebrate that beautiful gift?

Will we carry on Jesus ministry today, by supporting St. Patrick Parish with our Easter Offering?

Also, will we support the 2025 Bishop's Ministries Appeal.

On behalf of all of St. Patrick Parish, a very Blessed and Holy Time during Holy Week and let us rejoice and have renewed Hope in our Catholic Faith.

God Bless ,  
Fr. Larry Young  
Your Pastor

## News ~ Information ~ events



### Congratulations to

**SABELLA MAREAYA N. AUSTRIA**  
**AMANDA GUADALUPE GONZALEZ**  
**LUCAS JORDAN RAMIREZ**

who received the Sacrament of  
Baptism.

April 05, 2025

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[parishoffice@stpatrickrodeo.org](mailto:parishoffice@stpatrickrodeo.org)



### COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND

St. Patrick Parish Ministry for the  
homebound is back. We have  
ministers to visit them and bring  
Communion. If you know someone who could benefit  
from this ministry, please contact the  
Parish Office at **510-799-4406** or email:

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Anybody interested in joining this ministry, please  
contact the parish office.

### ONLINE E-GIVING



### ONLINE SACRIFICIAL GIVING AVAILABLE

Did you know, Sacrificial Giving  
(Weekly Collection) is available  
online? No more checks to write or  
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St. Patrick website at [www.stpatrickrodeo.org](http://www.stpatrickrodeo.org)  
and click on 'e-giving'. Or click the QR code.



### INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED CANDIES NEEDED

Youth Ministry needs your help for  
St. Patrick's Annual Easter Egg  
Hunt. Please donate individually  
wrapped candies and place them in the basket  
in front of the church. Thank you.



### CALLED TO SHARE BREAD FOR LIFE

Holy Week, a sacred time in the liturgical year, invites us to journey with  
Christ through his Passion, Death and Resurrection. As we witness the Last  
Supper and Jesus' gift of the Eucharist, we are reminded of our call to be  
bread broken for others. Let us draw strength from the Bread of Life and dedicate ourselves to  
serving our sisters and brothers who bear heavy crosses, bringing hope and the joy of the resur-  
rection to the world. Visit [crsricebowl.org/holy-week](http://crsricebowl.org/holy-week) to learn more.



# Life at St. Patrick Parish

**St. Patrick Musical** - St. Patrick Parish is so proud of our St. Patrick Catholic School Middle School for an outstanding Musical Performance of Beauty and the Beast. We are awaiting our new St. Patrick School Performing Arts and Education Center in the Process of being built.

**Spiritual Blessings** - We pray this week that many Spiritual Blessing will come to our St. Patrick Parish this Holy Week. As people of Hope, we trust in God's love for everyone living in the boundaries of our Parish.

**Chrism Mass** - Tuesday, April 15th, Bishop Barber will be consecrating the three Sacred Oils, to be used at our Parishes in the Diocese. 1) Oil of Catechumens 2) Oil for Baptism, Confirmation and Ordination to the Priesthood 3) Oil of the Sick, to be used for healing for the sick.

**Good Friday** - On Good Friday, there is a collection to help support Christians living in the Holy Land and having a hard time to keep their Catholic Churches open.

**Rice Bowl** - Rice Bowls may be returned to the Church starting today. Boxes are available in the back of the Church to put your Rice Bowl offering.

**Easter Bunny** - The Easter Bunny is busy preparing Easter Eggs to place around the Parish Plant for our Annual Easter Egg Hunt after the 9:30 and 11:30am Masses. Bring your baskets to collect the eggs and thank you Parish Youth Group for helping the Easter Bunny.

**Easter Offering** - Please be generous with your Easter Offering to the Church, the budget is set to receive \$37,000.00 and is very much needed.

**EASTER MAILING** - You will soon be receiving the Parish Easter mailing at your home, if you are registered with the Parish.

**INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED CANDIES NEEDED** - Please donate individually wrapped candies and place them in the basket in front of the Church.





## HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULES 2025

We, the people of St. Patrick Parish, come together this week to experience the final days of the life of Jesus who died, to bring us life. Let us join together to celebrate our Catholic Faith at these religious prayer days and times.

<b>Palm Sunday</b> Blessing of Palms Wear red to Mass and embrace the Blessed Palms and Praise Jesus	
Vigil Mass, Saturday, April 12	5:00pm
Sunday, April 13	7:30, 9:30, 11:30am

<b>Parish Confession</b>	
Monday, April 14	7:30pm

<b>Holy Thursday</b> Remember the Lord's Supper Go to Holy Communion and spend some time in prayer with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.		
Thursday, April 17	Morning Prayer	8:00am (No Mass)
	Private Reconciliation	10:00 – 11:00am 3:00 – 4:00pm
	Mass of the Lord's Supper	7:30pm
	Adoration in the Chapel	After Mass until Midnight

<b>Good Friday</b> Day of Fast and Abstinence Come and reflect and pray with Jesus on His Seven Last Words from the Cross. Attend the Good Friday Liturgy and experience Jesus dying, to save all people who will let Him.		
Friday, April 18	Morning Prayer	8:00am (No Mass)
	Private Reconciliation	10:00 - 11:00am
	Preaching on Seven Last Words	2:00 – 3:30pm
	Good Friday Liturgy	7:30pm

<b>Holy Saturday</b> Easter Vigil Mass A Mass filled with the joy of Baptism.		
Saturday, April 19	Morning Prayer	8:00am (No Mass)
	Private Reconciliation	10:00 – 11:00am 3:30 – 4:30pm
	Easter Vigil Mass	8:00pm

<b>Easter Sunday</b> The Resurrection of the Lord Thank you, Jesus, as we come to Mass, for saving us and renewing our world with your grace.		
Sunday, April 20	Masses	7:30, 9:30 and 11:30am

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