



Resurrection Catholic Parish

Becoming Disciples of Jesus and Stewards of God's Gifts

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
March 28 & 29, 2026

***"My Father, if it is possible,
let this cup pass from me;
yet, not as I will, but as
you will."***

Matthew 26:39



Praying for Bad People

Today's Gospel presents a poor Jewish rabbi riding a donkey into David's city of Jerusalem to the loud honoring cries of the crowd. They think he is the one who will reclaim the glory of King David and smite the enemies of Palestine. They thought wrong.

Probably the members of this crowd were not there the day Jesus preached the Sermon on the Mount. It was there he laid out many of his radical teachings and proclaimed the reign of God on earth. Among other things, he said that his followers (later called Christians) should love their enemies and pray for those who abused or persecuted them.

Can anyone imagine a political leader or social media influencer publicly doing this today? In a world caught up in supposed conspiracies, bitter divisions, oppression of minorities, degradation of the environment and the consuming quest for yet more money and goods, why would any sane person follow this teaching? Yet it remains a pillar of Christian teaching. Is it just a set of nice words? Did Jesus really mean what he said?

This Friday, as we again commemorate the Death of the Messiah on the cross, we will see that, yes, he did mean this! A fundamental paradox of Christianity is the belief that gentleness and kindness can overcome violence and aggression. History shows many examples of this, from Ghandi's campaign of non-violence resulting in an independent India to the U.S. civil rights movement of the late fifties and early sixties, resulting in laws advancing the rights of humans to be treated equally.

Jesus wasn't just throwing out an unreachable goal. He taught us how to stand fast in the face of evil. It is done by completely trusting in God to bring us through the trials of this world to where God wants us to be. As he said, Father, forgive them – they know not what they do. God loves us and wants us to have eternal life – that's why he sent us his only son. Can we trust that this is true? Jesus did, and on Easter morning, the disciples saw the result.

Mike Grzeca, Senior Deacon

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Mass Schedule
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM
Monday-Friday 8:05 AM

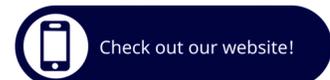
Live Streaming Masses
www.gbres.org/live

Reconciliation
Saturday 3:00 - 3:30 PM
or By Appointment

Adoration
Thursday Following Daily Mass

Parish Office Hours
Monday-Thursday
8:30 AM - 3:00 PM
Other Times by Appointment

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TAIZÉ LENTEN PRAYER
Monday, March 30
6:30 PM
In church & online
at gbres.org/live

Parish office closed
Easter Monday,
April 6



LECTIO EUCHARIST

No Lectio Eucharist
Thursday,
April 2

Curious about Alpha?
Join us for a

“Come and See” Alpha Session on April 7 at 5:45 PM

We’d be happy to answer any questions in a no pressure environment

Got questions about life



Vacation Bible School Returns
July 27- 31

Adult, high school, and middle school volunteers are needed.

Register & volunteer now at
www.gbres.org/vbs2026



Divine Mercy Sunday

On April 12, the Second Sunday of Easter, we celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy and endeavor to receive the extraordinary graces Our Lord longs to pour out upon the world!

The Feast of Divine Mercy was requested many times by Our Lord in revelations to St. Faustina in the 1930’s. It was made an official feast by Pope St. John Paul II on April 30, 2000.

Join us in praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 8:15 AM on Sunday, April 12.



Have a Prayer Request or Need a Pastoral Visit?

Do you have a family member or friend who is ill and/or hospitalized and in need of a visit and encouragement? Contact Dcn Kevin at 920-336-7768 x127 or kdecleene@gbres.org.

Prayer Chain

If you have a prayer need, or would like to join the pray-ers, call Bonnie Lemerond at 920-471-6545. Confidentiality is assured. Pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests.



Mass Intentions & Parish Activities	
Saturday, March 28	
7:00 AM	Walk to Mary Prep - Brisk (Voyageur Park)
9:00 AM	Walk to Mary Prep - Leisurely (Voyageur Park)
10:00 AM	OCIA (PH1)
3:00-3:30 PM	Individual Reconciliation
4:00 PM	Mass † Ortwin Duescher
Sunday, March 29	
<i>Palm Sunday of The Passion of the Lord</i>	
<i>Holy Week Begins</i>	
8:30 AM	Mass † Genevieve Graume
10:30 AM	Mass † Members of Resurrection Parish
11:40 AM	Care for Creation Committee Meeting (DC)
Monday, March 30	
8:05 AM	Mass † James Baeten
After Mass	Stations of the Cross (C)
6:00 PM	LGBTQ Support Group
6:30 PM	Taizé Lenten Prayer (C)
Tuesday, March 31	
8:05 AM	Mass † Adele Alexander
After Mass	Rosary
Wednesday, April 1	
6:30 AM	Men's Small Group Discussions (PH)
7:00 AM	Inclusive Small Group Discussions (DC)
8:05 AM	Mass † Anne Koszarek
After Mass	Rosary (DC)
6:00 PM	Parish Pickleball (FAC)
6:30 PM	PRAYSE Choir Practice (C)
Thursday, April 2	
<i>Holy Thursday</i>	
9:00 AM	Book Club (PH)
7:00 PM	Holy Thursday of the Lord's Supper (C)
Friday, April 3	
<i>Good Friday</i>	
1:00 PM	Good Friday of the Lord's Passion (C)
4:00-6:00 PM	Day Chapel Available for Private Stations of the Cross (DC)
Saturday, April 4	
<i>Holy Saturday</i>	
7:00 AM	Walk to Mary Prep - Brisk (Voyageur Park)
9:00 AM	Walk to Mary Prep - Leisurely (Voyageur Park)
10:00 AM	OCIA Liturgy Walk-Through (PH1)
8:00 PM	Easter Vigil in the Holy Night
Sunday, April 5	
<i>Easter Sunday</i>	
<i>Our Parish Feast Day!</i>	
8:30 AM	Easter Mass † Members of Resurrection Parish Living & Deceased
10:30 AM	Easter Mass † Members of Resurrection Parish Living & Deceased

THANK YOU!



The Father Claude Allouez Council, Knights of Columbus, representing St. Matthew and Resurrection parishes, extend a sincere and heartfelt thank you to all who assisted with the 11th annual Leo Hietpas “Pi” Sale, especially during such a large snowstorm.

The Council could not have been successful without your ongoing support. Thank you!

Please pray for the family and friends of our Parish Family Members

Marianne Van Drisse March 9, 1924 - March 7, 2026		Sandra Lindsley October 20, 1940 - March 13, 2026
Helen Siegworth January 1, 1929 - March 12, 2026		Bernice Johnson June 6, 1930 - March 15, 2026

May God’s promise of new life comfort them all.

Weekly Sacrificial Giving

March 10 - March 23



Envelope Collection	\$15,055.00
ACH/Online Giving	\$11,361.50
Loose	\$925.70
Votives	\$66.00
Total for the Week	\$27,408.20



Sacrificial Giving

July 1 - February 28, 2026

YTD Actual	\$693,465
YTD Budget	\$685,000
YTD Variance	+\$8,465

Thank you for your generous support. Tax Statements were sent out on January 26th. Please call Bill if you have any questions.



WALK TO MARY

Pilgrimage of Hope

Walk and Pray together each Saturday
At Voyageur Park through Apr 25
In preparation for the 21-mile
Walk to Mary on Saturday, May 2

New this year: pick your pace!

Brisk: 7:00 AM or
Leisurely: 9:00 AM

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HOLY WEEK OPPORTUNITIES



Holy Thursday
April 2 at 7:00 PM



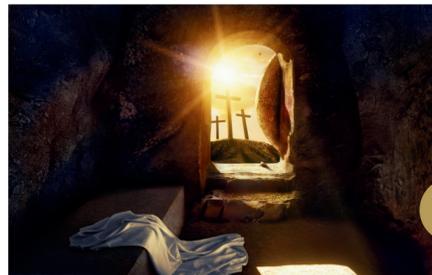
Good Friday
April 3 at 1:00 PM
No 7:00 PM Service



Day Chapel Available
for Private Stations
April 3: 4-6:00 PM



Holy Saturday
April 4 at 8:00 PM



Easter Sunday
April 5
8:30 & 10:30 AM



Divine Mercy Sunday
Chaplet
April 12 at 8:15 AM

Contact Resurrection

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