

29 March 2026 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 28 March 5:00 PM	For our parish community
Sunday, 29 March 9:00 AM (Incense-Free)	RIP Jeanne Richer by her family
Sunday, 29 March 11:00 AM (Choir & Children's Liturgy)	RIP Taresa & Luigi Saracino by the family.
Monday, 30 March 9:15 AM	RIP Len, Marie & Anne Carney by the Cleyn family
Tuesday, 31 March 7:00 PM (Latin)	No Mass – see Holy Week schedule
Wednesday, 1 April 9:45 AM	For the success of all pro-life causes by Glenn & Joan Illott
Thursday, 2 April 9:15 AM	No Mass – see Holy Week schedule
Holy Thursday, 2 April 7:00 PM	For divine protection for Cpl Vytautas Simkus by Fr. Rick Lorenz
Good Friday, 3 April 9:15 AM	No Mass – see Holy Week schedule
Holy Saturday, 4 April 9:15 AM	No Mass – see Holy Week schedule

SANCTUARY LAMP

The sanctuary lamp glows from 28 March to 3 April to signify the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

CONFESSION

Saturday from 4:30 to 4:50 PM. Sunday from 10:30 to 10:50 AM. After Mass subject to availability.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

3 April at 9:30 AM - Children's Liturgy

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Following the Mass on Holy Thursday.

ROSARY

Saturday at 4:30 PM. Sunday at 10:30 AM.

OFFERINGS

Regular Collection 22 March: \$2792.20
 Development & Peace 22 March: \$327.00

OFFICE HOURS

The office is open Tuesday to Thursday from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, but will be closed on Good Friday.

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Parishioners are invited to supply Easter lilies in advance of the Easter Vigil. We will tuck them away until Holy Saturday.

I was pleased to hear confessions on Friday from Grade Five at St. Marguerite d'Youville, but was unable to visit St. Thomas More this week.

Thanks to the Knights of Columbus for supplying a cutlery rack for the hall kitchen dishwasher and for covering the main crucifix; and to Paul for installing a new faucet for the hall kitchen sink.



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HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

5:00 PM Saturday, 28 March - Palm Sunday
9:00 AM Sunday, 29 March - Palm Sunday
11:00 AM Sunday, 29 March - Palm Sunday
9:15 AM Monday, 30 March - Monday of Holy Week
5:00 PM Tuesday, 31 March - Chrism Mass at Notre-Dame Cathedral: **No 7:00 PM Mass**
9:45 AM Wednesday, 1 April - Wednesday of Holy Week
7:00 PM Thursday, 2 April - Holy Thursday: **No 9:15 AM Mass**
9:30 AM Friday, 3 April - Stations of the Cross by Children's Liturgy: **No 9:15 AM Mass**
3:00 PM Friday, 3 April - Good Friday
8:00 PM Saturday, 4 April - Easter Vigil: **No 9:15 AM Mass or 5:00 PM Mass**
9:00 AM Sunday, 5 April - Easter Sunday
11:00 AM Sunday, 5 April - Easter Sunday

40 CANS FOR LENT

Knights of Columbus #13433 will be collecting non-perishable food items for the food bank during Lent. Put food items in the containers in the vestibule.

To donate money, use the provided KofC envelopes, and place them in the cash box in the vestibule. You can also e-transfer your donation to kofc13433@gmail.com

If you don't need a tax receipt for your monetary donation, KofC Supreme will match 25%. If you want a tax receipt, include your name and address on the envelope, and make cheques out to Ottawa Food Bank.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The next council meeting will be at 7:30 PM on Tuesday, 14 April.

ST. BERNARD BEES

The youth group meetings will be at 7:00 PM on Saturday, 4 April.

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

St. Bernard is one of three parishes that our volunteers respond to calls from "neighbours in need" for emergency food and clothing/household items. The Ottawa South area that our conference volunteers respond to is second across the city for need, behind Vanier. We would like your help to grow our team of volunteers. Every person has a gift or talent that could help support a neighbour in need, and we want to invite you to call and find out more as to how you could help us make life easier for our families. The time commitment is approximately three hours a month for home visits and other support activities as well as monthly evening meetings through the year. We would be pleased to welcome back volunteers representing St. Bernard Parish, joining those from Holy Cross Parish and St. Peter Parish. Pauline Houlahan, President ssvpottawasouth@gmail.com

DONATIONS



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