



St. Hugh of Lincoln Roman Catholic Church

*"Never have so few done so much so
well for so long!"*

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Palm Sunday



✦ Announcements ✦

There are many special times for Holy Week. Please see the schedule for all the information.

The sign-up sheet for the Maundy and hours of adoration at the altar of repose starting Holy Thursday night is posted in the vestibule.

Envelopes for Easter Mass remembrance are available in the vestibule. Please fill them out and return them by Holy Saturday to ensure that your intentions are remembered during the Mass.

Blessing of Easter Baskets will take place after both Masses on Sunday.

📖 Set Your Missal:

Mass Easter Sunday, Preface of Easter

Collection Totals:

High Mass: 49 souls, \$ 299

Low Mass: 38 souls, \$642

✠ **The Sanctuary Lamp** will burn this week for the following intention:
Elmer Toben (Shannon Schwab)

Server Schedule

Thursday March 28th: **MC1:** Andrew Kimpel **MC2:** David Sandberg **TH:** Timothy Sandberg **TH2:** Aleks Tobias **AC1:** Andrew Sandberg **AC2:** Elias Larson **CB:** Dominic Scheeler **TB:** Bennett Larson and Christopher Scheeler **UB:** Steve Heckenkamp **Usher:** Bob Mueller

Friday March 29th: **MC1:** Andrew Kimpel **MC2:** David Sandberg **MC3:** Timothy Sandberg **TH:** Andrew Sandberg **AC1:** Aleks Tobias **AC2:** Elias Larson **CB:** Bennett Larson **TB:** Dominic and Christopher Scheeler **Usher:** Volunteer

Saturday March 30th: **MC1:** Andrew Kimpel **MC2:** David Sandberg **MC3:** Timothy Sandberg **TH:** Andrew Sandberg **AC1:** Aleks Tobias **AC2:** Elias Larson **CB:** Dominic Scheeler **TB:** Bennett Larson and Christopher Scheeler **Usher:** Volunteer

Sunday March 31st: **High Mass:** **MC:** Andrew Kimpel **TH:** David Sandberg **AC1:** Timothy Sandberg **AC2:** Andrew Sandberg **CB:** Aleks Tobias **TB:** Elias Larson and Bennett Larson, Dominic and Christopher Scheeler **Usher:** Bob Mueller

Low Mass: **AC1:** Jeff Kimpel **AC2:** Sam Kimpel **Usher:** Chad McGinnis

Prayer for Holy Week

O my powerful God and merciful Father of my soul, Creator of all the things of the earth! Since Thou art my only good, I
firmly
believe without the possibility of doubt that I am to be saved
through the infinite merits of the Passion and death of my
Lord
Jesus Christ, no matter how very great may be the sins of my
youth and all that I have committed since then. Thou, Lord,
hast
created me and hast given me my body and soul and all that I
have; and Thou, my God, hast made me to Thy likeness, and
not the false gods of the gentiles. O Christians, let us give
thanks and praise to God, Three and One, Who hast given us
to know the faith and true law of His Son Jesus Christ!
Weigh, Lord, my sins against the merits of the Passion and
death of my Lord Jesus Christ, and not against my few deserts;
and I shall thus be delivered from the power of the enemy and
shall go to enjoy forever the glory of paradise. Amen.

— St. Francis Xavier

Prayer for Good Confession

O my God, help me to make a good confession. Mary, my
dearest Mother, pray to Jesus for me. Help me to exam-
ine my conscience, enable me to obtain true sorrow for
my sins, and beg for me the grace rather to die than to
offend God again.

Lord Jesus, light of our souls, who enlightenest every
man coming into this world, enlighten my conscience and
my heart by Thy Holy Spirit, so that I may perceive all
that is displeasing to Thy divine majesty and may expiate
it by humble confession, true contrition, and sincere re-
pentance. Amen

--St. Alphonsus Liguori

Veneration of the Thorn Crowned Head of the Savior

“And plating a crown of thorns, they put it upon His head. They began to spit upon Him and they gave Him blows. Others smote His face and said: ‘Prophecy who is it that struck Thee?’”

O holy Redeemer! Thou art clothed with a scarlet cloak a reed is placed in Thy hands for a scepter and the sharp points of a thorny crown are pressed into Thy adorable head.

My soul thou canst never conceive the sufferings the insults and indignities offered to our Blessed Lord during this scene of pain and mockery.

The Jews mock Thee I salute Thee and offer Thee supreme homage as King of heaven and earth the Redeemer of the world the Eternal Son of the living God.

O my afflicted Savior! O King of the world Thou art ridiculed as a mock king. I believe in Thee and adore Thee as the King of kings and Lord of lords as the supreme Ruler of heaven and earth.

O Jesus! I devoutly venerate Thy sacred head pierced with thorns struck with a reed overwhelmed with pain and derision.

I adore the Precious Blood flowing from Thy bleeding wounds. To Thee be all praise all thanksgiving and all love for evermore.

O meek Lamb, Victim for sin! May Thy thorns penetrate my heart with fervent love that I may never cease to adore Thee as my God, my King and my Savior.

*Behold, O God, our Protector,
And look upon the face of Thy Christ.*

Let us pray:

O my beloved Savior, at sight of Thy most holy face disfigured by suffering, at sight of the Thy Sacred Heart so full of love, I cry out with St. Augustine: “Lord Jesus, imprint on my heart Thy sacred wounds, so that I may read therein sorrow and love: sorrow, to endure every sorrow for Thee; love, to despise every love for Thee.” Amen.

Prayer in Memory of the Passion and Death

O Jesus, Who by reason of Thy burning love for us hast willed to be crucified and to shed Thy most Precious Blood for the redemption and salvation of our souls, look down upon us here gathered together in remembrance of Thy most sorrowful Passion and Death, fully trusting in Thy mercy; cleanse us from sin by Thy grace, sanctify our toil, give unto us and unto all those who are dear to us our daily bread, sweeten our sufferings, bless our families, and to the nations so sorely afflicted, grant Thy peace, which is the only true peace, so that by obeying Thy commandments, we may come at last to the glory of heaven. Amen

(The faithful who recite this prayer with devotion on Good Friday at three o'clock, the hour when our Lord Jesus Christ expired on the Cross, are granted: an indulgence of 500 days.)

Note From Father

Dear Faithful,

Well, despite having very little snow all winter long, the white stuff has made a return to finish off Lent with a little extra weather-based penance. I was going to drive to St. Hugh on Friday morning, but happened to check the weather and saw

there was an approaching snowstorm. So, I packed my things and left Thursday evening in an attempt to beat the storm and not have to drive in the snow...I failed. I left later than anticipated, only to realize about half an hour into my drive that I forgot the I-Pass for the Illinois tolls. I turned around, got the pass, and set off again, now an additional hour behind. Sure enough, I crossed the Wisconsin border and ran smack into heavy snowfall. I have decided that if I ever see Punxsutawney Phil, I am going to give that lying little rat a piece of my mind. At least, despite the snow, I avoided driving angry.

Bp. McGuire joked that the snow fell because I didn't trust my guardian angel enough to move the storm away. I didn't really have an answer to this. All I could say to him was that he was the one who got an additional guardian angel (an archangel, moreover) at his consecration, so he should have sent him to move the storm...my angel has his hands full just keeping me out of trouble, haha! All joking aside, the Bishop's choice of having the Lenten Theme this year be that of "Angels" has been very successful, edifying, and popular. His sermons and devotions based on these angelic beings have been very interesting, and I have had fun learning more about them and also including them in my own sermons at St. Gertrude, when I had the opportunity to preach.

While we often focus on the fast and sacrifices of Lent, this isn't all that Lent is meant to be about. It is meant to be a season of spiritual growth, which is not gained by penance, alone, but rather in conjunction with the liturgy, prayers, devotions, sermons, spiritual reading, and seizing opportunities to listen to good sermons on edifying topics. We are meant to learn and meditate upon these truths. With Holy Week now beginning, there is no shortage of opportunity or points of focus for our edification. Strive to shut out the world as much as possible this week and make it a truly "holy week" for yourself.

In Christ,
Fr. Stephen McKenna

This Week's Schedule

Mon 3/25/24 Monday in Holy Week

Tue 3/26/24 Tuesday in Holy Week

Wed 3/27/24 Spy Wednesday

Thu 3/28/24 Holy Thursday

5:00 PM Confessions (until 5:40)

6:00 PM High Mass, Procession, Vespers (+) *Mike, Bev, Dennis, & Lois Cowen (Bob & Bridget Mueller)*

8:00 PM (Approx.) Maundy Ceremony
All Night Adoration (Until Friday Noon)

Fri 3/29/24 Good Friday

11:30 AM Stations of the Cross

12:00 PM Mass of the Presanctified, Sermon, Tre Ore

3:00 PM Veneration of the True Cross, Confessions to follow

Sat 3/30/24 Holy Saturday

9:00 AM Blessing of the Fire, Blessing of the Paschal Candle, Prophecies, Blessing of Baptismal Water, High Mass *Tony Friel (Steve Heckenkamp)*

Sun 3/31/24 Easter Sunday

8:00 AM Confession & Rosary

8:45 AM High Mass, Blessing of Easter Baskets
Easter Remembrance Envelopes on Altar

10:45 AM Rosary, Confessions

11:15 AM Low Mass, *People of St. Hugh of Lincoln*,
Blessing of Easter Baskets

General Information

Baptism: By appointment. At least one parent as well as the sponsors must be practicing Roman Catholics who attend the Traditional Latin Mass exclusively.

Confession: Before Mass on Sundays, and other times as indicated in the weekly bulletin.

Confirmation: Solemnly administered periodically in the year and may be administered privately by request. Catholics who received confirmation in the post Vatican II rite (1971) should arrange to receive confirmation conditionally in the traditional rite.

First Holy Communion: Administered each year on the Sunday after Corpus Christi. Adequate knowledge of the catechism is required.

Matrimony: If you are contemplating marriage, please make an appointment to speak with a priest before you set a date. At least one of the parties must be a practicing traditional Catholic and member of this parish. Weddings are forbidden during Advent and Lent.

Communion for the Sick: Please contact the pastor or coordinator when a church member is hospitalized or too ill to attend Mass.

Extreme Unction: Do not put off making arrangements until the last moment, but contact the pastor or coordinator promptly if a church member is gravely ill or in danger of death.

Decorum in Church: Respect for God in the Blessed Sacrament requires a reverent silence. Please turn off cell phones and keep children well behaved. Both young and old should wear dignified and modest clothes in church, and women should wear a dress or skirt, and a veil or hat. Veils are available in the vestibule. Men should wear shirt and tie as well as a jacket or sweater.

Holy Communion: Only baptized practicing Catholics in the state of grace may receive Holy Communion. You must be fasting:

- Three hours from solid foods and alcoholic beverages.
- One hour from other liquids.
- Water may be taken at any time.

The communicant kneels at the communion rail, and receives the Blessed Sacrament on the tongue. The communicant does not say “Amen” after the priest says “*Corpus Domini nostri Jesu Christi custodiat animam tuam in vitam aeternam. Amen.*”

Singing: The faithful are invited to join in singing any hymns preceding or following the Mass, but only the choir sings during the course of the Mass.