



Learning How to Die

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

It has been pointed out that one of the tasks of life is to learn how to die well, that is, to go where we would rather not go, to love when we know it will cost, to offer ourselves even when we know we will be used. If we die a bit every day, sometimes with struggle and sacrifice in those situations that may call for such, then at our final moment we will be able to stand before that specter face to face and not run, simply because we have met before and have been able to walk away the victor.

Dying well does not mean we do so without fear. Courage blossoms when we stand in a field of fear. Even the Lord Jesus "offered prayers and supplications with loud cries and tears" to God, as the Letter to the Hebrews notes. Dying well does not mean we do so cleanly. Dying is often messy, and it is always an uprooting that disrupts and scatters everything nearby.

Nor does dying well mean we do so in control of the event. That is what is so devastating about death. It has complete and total control. At its best and at its worst the only way to die well is to say "yes" to it every time it demands our submission. And like the eye of stillness at the center of the hurricane, it is at the heart of death where we embrace resurrection and where the holy offers life. It is where we can have a deep encounter with the Lord Jesus. ●

Reflect

Can you accept the little deaths along the way as preparation for the final passing from this life?

Unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit.

JOHN 12:24



WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

Our Lady of the Rosary

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Music Ministry - Olena Wable

Building Maintenance – Brian Dancik

Grounds- Evan Dancik

MASS SCHEDULE - OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

Saturday Vigil 4:00pm

Sunday 8:30am

Monday – Wednesday 8:30

Lent Mass Friday 5:30pm

Stations of the Cross 6:00pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Wednesday 9 am till Noon

Friday 9 am till Noon

RECONCILIATION – Saturday 3:00pm till 3:45pm

And available Upon Request

QUEEN OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

18005 Lazy Lane, Fountain, F L32438

Peace Contact - Larry Fern – (850)527-0813

Mass Schedule – Queen of Peace, Fountain

Sunday 10:30am

Wednesday 10:30am

MEMBERSHIP: We are delighted you have chosen to become a member of our parish family! Please register in the parish office, or ask one of our Ushers for a registration form.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Anointing of the Sick is a beautiful sacrament of healing to receive for any condition that may require hospitalization. Please call the parish office to arrange a visit by our priest.

MINISTRY CARE TO THE SICK: Bringing communion to those hospitalized and homebound is part of our Care Ministry. Please contact the office to arrange a visit from this ministry

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:

BAPTISM: Preparation for children is coordinated through the Parish Office. Adults who have not been baptized should enroll in the Rite of Christian Initiation. Please call the parish office for more information.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/EUCHARIST:

Preparation is done through the Religious Education Program. Please contact the parish office for more information.

CONFIRMATION: Teens must attend faith formation prior to enrollment in the confirmation Program. Please contact The Parish Office for more information.

HOLY MATRIMONY: Six months preparation is required before the anticipated marriage date. Please contact the parish office to secure a date to begin preparation.

The Sanctuary Lamp for the Month of March 2024 is in loving memory of Paul Gorman



THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

SATURDAY, MARCH 16th

3:00 Pray the Rosary

3:00pm till 3:45pm – Confessions (CH)

3:30pm – Pray the Rosary (CH)

4:00 pm Mass at Rosary

SUNDAY, MARCH 17th

8:00am – Pray the Rosary

8:30am Mass at Rosary

9:45am **CCD CLASS**

10:30AM MASS AT QUEEN OF PEACE

MONDAY, MARCH 18th

8:00am Pray the Rosary

8:30am MASS at Rosary

TUESDAY, MARCH 19th

8:00am ~ Pray the Rosary (CH)

8:30am MASS at Rosary ~

9:00am ~ Bible Study (RE)

3:30pm Chair Practice

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20th

8:00am ~ Pray the Rosary (CH)

8:30am MASS at Rosary

10:30AM, MASS AT QUEEN OF PEACE

THURSDAY, MARCH 21st

NO MASS TODAY

FRIDAY, MARCH 22nd

5:00pm~ Pray the Rosary (CH)

5:30pm - MASS at Rosary

6:00 Stations of the Cross at Rosary

SATURDAY, MARCH 23rd

3:30pm ~ Pray the Rosary (CH)

4:00am Mass at Rosary

SUNDAY, MARCH 24th

8:00am – Pray the Rosary

8:30am MASS at Rosary

9:45am – CCD CLASS at Rosary

10:30AM MASS AT QUEEN OF PEACE

ELECTRONIC GIVING IS NOW AVAILABLE AT OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

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WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY



Bonnie Hunt, Juanita Thrasher, Lillian and Otello Biscaro, Mary Kay Collins, Mary Anne O'Barr, Jay Holmes, Ruthie Kress, Esther Gomez, Elizabeth Ros, Nguyen Caoson, Jessica Holland, Rick & Julie Ricouard

To Add or Remove names, PLEASE call the Parish office or email: office@olr.ptdiocese.org by Tuesday of each week.

ALTAR SERVERS

SATURDAY, MAR 16TH, 4:00PM

Susan Edwards

SUNDAY, MAR 17TH, 8:30AM

Jude Miller, Noah Miller

SATURDAY, MAR 23RD, 4:00PM

Susan Edwards

SUNDAY, MAR 24TH, 8:30AM

Evelyn Craft, John Riggins

SATURDAY, MAR 30TH, 4:00PM

NEED SERVERS

SUNDAY, MAR 31ST, 8:30AM

Noah Miller, Jude Miller

USHERS

SATURDAY, MAR 16TH, 4:00PM

June Mroz, Jim Swetz,

SUNDAY, MAR 17TH, 8:30AM

Evan Dancik, Brian Dancik

SATURDAY, MAR 23RD, 4:00PM,

PALM SUNDAY VIGIL

June Mroz, Jim Swetz

SUNDAY, MAR 24TH, 8:30AM, PALM SUNDAY

Brian Dancik, Evan Dancik, Mike Helbling

SATURDAY, MAR 30TH, 4:00PM, EASTER VIGIL

June Mroz, Jim Swetz

SUNDAY, MAR 31ST, 8:30AM, EASTER SUNDAY

Mike Carinhas, Mike Helbling

LECTORS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

SATURDAY, MAR 16TH, 4:00PM,

Lector-Lisa Carinhas, EME-Bonnie Fuller

SUNDAY, MAR 17TH, 8:30AM

Lector-Angela Riggins, EME-Maureen Breckenridge

SATURDAY, MAR 23RD 4:00PM

Lector-Bonnie Fuller, EME-Susan Edwards

SUNDAY, MAR 24TH, 8:30AM, PALM SUNDAY

Lector - See Schedule, EME Colleen Truncer

SATURDAY, MAR 30TH, 6:30PM EASTER VIGIL

Lectors - See Schedule, EME

MASS INTENTIONS FOR MAR 16TH-MAR 24TH

SATURDAY

+ Ruth Goodwin, +Lois Watson

SUNDAY

+Gioan Nguyen Khoan +Maria Nguyen Dau,
+Wally Elliott, +Frank Rollence, +George Dupuis
+ Josephine Seward

MONDAY

+ Wally Elliott

TUESDAY

+Gail Andress

WEDNESDAY

+ Frank Rollence

THURSDAY

NO MASS TODAY

FRIDAY

+Mari Nguyen Dau

SATURDAY PALM SUNDAY VIGIL

+Lois Watson

SUNDAY PALM SUNDAY

+Gioan Nguyen Khoan, +Maria Nguyen Dau,
+Frank Rollence, +Wally Elliott
+George Dupuis, Paul Gorman

PARISH COLLECTIONS WEEK OF

3/5 - 11/2024

OFFERTORY \$ 3344

MAINTENANCE FUND \$ 351

INSURANCE \$ 0

WEEK TOTAL \$ 3695

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POPE'S MARCH INTENTION



The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for March: New Martyrs We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY VIGIL

Confessions 3 till 3:45pm

Mass Begins 4:00pm

PALM SUNDAY

Mass at 8:30am (OLR)

QUEEN OF PEACE

11:00am

HOLY THURSDAY

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Mass begins at 6:30pm

Adoration in the sacristy till 9:00pm

GOOD FRIDAY

Stations of the Cross 2:30pm

LITURGY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

Services begins after Stations

EASTER VIGIL

Confessions 5:30pm till 6:15pm

Mass at 6:30pm

EASTER SUNDAY

Mass at 8:30am (OLR)

QUEEN OF PEACE

11:00am

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY!

Please join us in the Parish Hall for our Pancake Breakfast This Sunday March 17th after Sunday morning Mass. Cost is \$6 per plate. Proceeds are to raise money for Altar Linens and Kitchen Equipment.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY LIBRARY

Our Lady of the Rosary now has a library in the Religious Education Building. It is open during Office Hours. We have books and videos available for you to check out. Hours are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 9am Till 12:00pm.



ADULT BIBLE STUDY AT OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY is held in the Religious Education Building Conference Room every Tuesday from 9am until 10 am after morning mass. Rosary begins at 8AM. Mass begins at 8:30am. Please bring something to share with everyone. You can call the Parish Office at 850-740-1003 for further details.

CSA PRAYER: Lord, hear our prayer as we seek to be good stewards of the many gifts you have bestowed on us. Give us the wisdom to discern your will for us, strength to meet the challenge, and the grace to be steadfast in our commitment to you. Let us use our time, talent, and treasure for your greater honor and glory.

In your name we pray. Amen.



Adult Choir – The Adult Choir invites new, interested singers to join us in making a joyful noise to the Lord. We meet on Tuesday afternoons from 3:30 -5pm in the church and sing for the 8:30am Mass on Sundays. We would also like to try to start a choir for the Saturday 4pm vigil as well. No audition or experience is required. If you have considered joining, NOW is the time as the New Year begins. Plan to join us on Tuesdays. Contact Olena Wable if you are interested after mass for more information.

ADORATION OF OUR LORD

Our Lady of the Rosary - We will be starting adoration on Friday, April 1st after the 8:30 am Mass for 1 hour. If all goes well we will increase either the time or add additional days. Please let the office or Father Kurian know your thoughts and your preferences.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION ON THE LECTIONARY READINGS

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

JER 31:31-34; PS 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15; HEB 5:7-9; JN 12:20-33

As we are nearing the end of our Lenten journey, our readings today remind us of the goodness that our God has to offer us.

In today's Gospel, Jesus announces that the "hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified." All that He came to do on this earth was soon to be fulfilled. When we reflect on what Jesus says in this passage, He tells us a great deal about how we should be living as disciples of Christ. He clearly states, "unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit."

We are called to detach from our own desires and entrust our lives to all that God has in store for us. Without self-denial, we might miss occasions God has given us to produce good fruit. We have been practicing this throughout our Lenten season through fasting. One way to continue this effort after Lent is by taking advantage of the countless opportunities God presents to us to sacrifice our desires for something much greater — whether waking earlier to spend time in prayer, fasting from a favorite comfort on a weekly basis or taking the time to check in on a friend or family member instead of turning on the TV, just to name a few. It is important that we continue to make room for God and the good things He wants to produce in us all year long.

As our Lenten journey soon concludes, may we consider the ways in which we might continue the practice of self-denial by offering small, daily sacrifices to the Lord.

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ALL FRIDAYS OF LENT ARE DAYS OF ABSTINENCE WHERE THOSE 14 AND OLDER ABSTAIN FROM MEAT, NOT INCLUDING FISH. DURING THIS SEASON, WE ARE CALLED TO PRAY, FAST, AND GIVE ALMS AS WE PREPARE OURSELVES SPIRITUALLY FOR THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION AT EASTER.



AS WE JOURNEY THROUGH LENT, JOIN YOUR PARISH FAMILY FOR THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS EACH FRIDAY FOLLOWED BY A LIGHT MEATLESS MEAL IN THE PARISH HALL.



Bishop William Wack, CSC will celebrate the **Chrism Mass** at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, Pensacola, on **Tuesday of Holy Week, March 26, 2024, at 10:00am ET**. At this Mass we celebrate the gift of priesthood among us and bless the oils used in the sacraments and rituals throughout the year. All of the faithful are invited to attend. Public seating will be available.

THERE WILL BE NO DAILY MASS ON HOLY THURSDAY, GOOD FRIDAY, AND HOLY SATURDAY.

Special Collections:

Holy Thursday is the anniversary of the Institution of the Sacred Priesthood. The spiritual formation and education of future priests for the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee are of the utmost importance. A collection will be taken on Holy Thursday, March 28, for this purpose.

Good Friday, March 29, is the annual Pontifical Good Friday Collection, made on behalf of the Holy Father. This collection provides critical support for Christians in the Holy Land for parishes and schools, outreach to the poor, assistance to refugees and pilgrims, as well as maintenance of the holy shrines visited by pilgrims annually. Through this collection, you join with Catholics around the world to stand in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, please visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.

EASTER EGG HUNT
Hosted by the Knights of Columbus
Saturday, March 30 At 12 Noon
Our Lady of the Rosary, 5622 Julie Drive, Panama City
All children 12 years and younger are invited to the KofC Annual Easter Egg Hunt, rain or shine! Bring your own basket or bucket. Contact Vern Miller at 850-596-7597 with any questions

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Dear Padre,

What is the difference between temptation and sin?

The temptations of Jesus, as they are recorded in the Gospels (Mark 1:12, Luke 4:1, and Matthew 4:1), give us the proper direction with regard to sin and temptation. Jesus was tempted three times, but he did not sin. More than that, Jesus put his trust in God during the temptations. Jesus' message is clear: if you feel tempted, call out to God!

The Church teaches that sin is a deliberative process. Temptation is something that happens to you without your consent: a thought or desire pops into your mind. For temptation to become a sin, you have to entertain that thought or desire, or plan to act on it, or do it. That's when temptation "turns a corner" and becomes sin.

Although the sacrament of penance is available throughout the year, the Church places a special emphasis on it during Lent. There may be a communal penance service in your area. Perhaps you can commit now to participating in the service. If it's been a while since you've been to confession or you're not sure what to do or say, just tell the priest. He will show you. ●



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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
March 18 <i>Lenten Weekday</i> Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62 Jn 8:1-11	March 19 <i>St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22 Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a	March 20 <i>Lenten Weekday</i> Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95 Jn 8:31-42	March 21 <i>Lenten Weekday</i> Gn 17:3-9 Jn 8:51-59	March 22 <i>Lenten Weekday</i> Jer 20:10-13 Jn 10:31-42	March 23 <i>Lenten Weekday</i> Ez 37:21-28 Jn 11:45-56	March 24 <i>Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord</i> Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Mk 14:1-15:47 or 15:1-39

Know Someone Overly Anxious About Sin?

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A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

We are called to take on the paschal law of losing life in order to receive it renewed and eternal. And what does losing life mean?.... It means to think less about oneself, about personal interests and to know how to "see" and to meet the needs of our neighbors, especially the least of them.

ANGELUS, ROME, MARCH 18, 2018