

ST. STEPHEN CATHOLIC CHURCH IGLESIA CATÓLICA SAN ESTEBAN

1300 NE J Street, Bentonville, AR 72712

April 10, 2022

PALM SUNDAY

DOMINGO DE RAMOS

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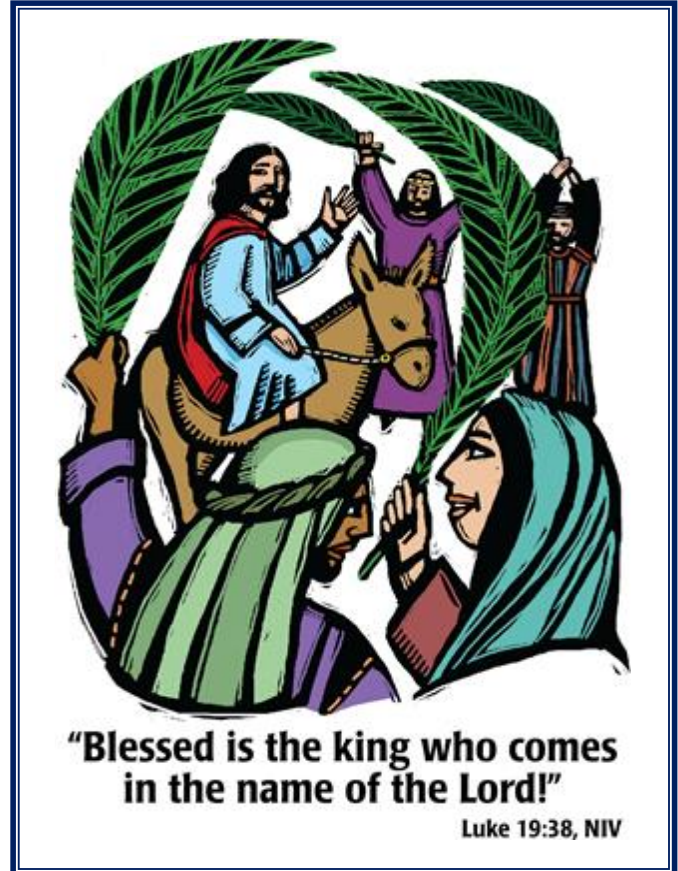
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Weekday MASS in English / Misa entre semana en Inglés

Monday – Friday / lunes – Viernes
12:00 PM – English

Saturday Vigil & Sunday MASSES / Misa de Vigilia y Misas de domingo

Saturday 5:00 PM

Sunday 7:45 AM

Sunday 10:00 AM

Sunday 11:45 AM – Español

Sunday 5:00 PM

Reconciliation / Reconciliación

Monday / lunes – Friday / viernes
11:30 - 11:55am

Saturday / sábado – Bilingual / Bilingüe
3:00 - 4:00 PM

Adoration Hours / Horario de Adoración

Monday - Thursday / Lunes - Jueves
9:00 – 11:30 AM and 12:45 – 3:00 PM
Friday / Viernes – 9:00- 11:30 AM

St. Stephen also attends to Blessed Stanley Rother Church in Decatur:

Mass Time (Spanish Only)

Saturday Mass 6:00 PM

Membership - We extend our hands and hearts in Christian Fellowship. Longtime residents or newly arrived, contact the parish office to register.

Membresía - Extendemos nuestras manos y corazones en Cofradía Cristiana. Los residentes o recién llegados, póngase en contacto con la oficina de la parroquia para registrarse.

Catholic Marriage - Marriage preparation required. Contact the parish at least 9 months in advance. Two additional months' notice for wedding in another country. If you plan on getting married, always contact the church before booking a reception site or setting a date.

Matrimonio Católico - Preparación Matrimonial requerido. Comuníquese con la parroquia por lo menos con 9 meses de anticipación. Dos meses de antelación adicionales para la boda en otro país. Si planea casarse, póngase siempre en contacto con la iglesia antes de reservar un lugar de recepción o fijar una fecha.

Infant Baptism - Offered once a month in English and Spanish. Baptism preparation required. Parents must be registered members of St. Stephen.

No baptisms in December.

Bautismo Infantil - Se ofrece una vez a la mes en inglés y español. Se requiere preparación para Bautismo. Los padres deben ser miembros registrados de San Esteban.

No habrá bautismos en diciembre.

RCIA - Sessions open to those interested in learning about or renewing their connection to the Catholic Faith.

RICA - Sesiones abiertas a aquellos interesados en aprendizaje o renovación de su conexión con la Fe Católica.

Bulletin Deadline - Tuesday by 12:00 PM (5 days prior to publication date). Email articles to bulletin@ststephenbentonville.com.

Fecha límite del Boletín - Martes a las 12:00 PM (5 días antes de la fecha de publicación). Envíe artículos a bulletin@ststephenbentonville.com.



Holy Week Schedule

- Holy Thursday, April 14**, 7:00pm Bilingual Mass
 - No Thursday 12:00pm Mass
- Good Friday, April 15**, 5:30pm English; 7:30pm Spanish
 - No Friday Noon Mass
- Holy Saturday, April 16**, 8:00pm Vigil Mass
 - No Saturday 5:00pm Mass
- Easter Sunday, April 17**, 7:45am, 10:00am English; 11:45am Spanish
 - No Life Teen 5:00pm Mass

- Horario de Misas de Semana Santa/Pascua**
- Jueves Santo**, 14 de abril - 7:00pm Misa Bilingüe
 - No habrá misa el jueves a las 12:00pm
 - Viernes Santo**, 15 de abril - 5:30pm Inglés; 7:30pm Español
 - No habrá Misa el viernes a las 12:00pm
 - Sábado de Gloria**, 16 de abril - 8:00pm Misa de Vigilia
 - No habrá Misa de 5:00pm
 - Domingo de Pascua**, 17 de abril- 7:45am, Inglés, 10:00am Inglés; 11:45 Español
 - No habrá misa de Life Teen a las 5:00pm



Lenten Penance Service – The last date will be Tue. Apr. 12th, 6:00pm at St. Thomas Aquinas in Fayetteville. Several priests will be available.

Holy Thursday Collection for Seminarians - All Catholics can support this special collection to support seminarian education in the Diocese of Little Rock by mailing or dropping off a donation at their parish or by donating online. All donations to the collection go to pay for the immediate education and housing expenses for diocesan seminarians. The Holy Thursday Collection for Diocese of Little Rock Seminarians was established in 2009 to help pay for the increased cost of seminarian education, which is provided free of charge to all qualified students, regardless of income. For more information, contact Dianne Brady, diocesan director of the Stewardship and Development Office, at (501) 664-0340.

Colecta de Jueves Santo para Seminaristas Diocesanos - Todos los católicos pueden apoyar esta colecta especial para apoyar la educación de los seminaristas en la Diócesis de Little Rock, enviando o dejando un donativo en su parroquia o donando en línea. Todos los donativos que se recolecten están destinados para pagar los gastos inmediatos de la educación y el alojamiento de los seminaristas diocesanos. La colecta de Jueves Santo para los Seminaristas de la Diócesis de Little Rock fue establecida en 2009 para ayudar a cubrir el costo cada vez mayor de la educación de los seminaristas, la cual se provee de manera gratuita a todos los estudiantes que cumplen con los requisitos, sin importar su situación económica. Para más información, comuníquese con Dianne Brady, directora de la Oficina de corresponsabilidad y Desarrollo diocesano, al (501) 664-0340.

RCIA Calendar - Wednesday, April 13, 2022, *Rehearsal for Easter Vigil* will take place in the Church with sponsors.



Join us Monday, April 11th at 6:30pm (Parish Life Center) for the next Speaker Series with *Jessica Hooten Wilson*. She is the Louise Cowan Scholar in Residence at the University of Dallas and author of several books, including the 2018 Christianity Today book of the year in arts and culture, *Giving the Devil His Due: Flannery O'Connor and The Brothers Karamazov*. Her most recent book and topic of discussion for the evening is *The Scandal of Holiness*. Book signing to follow.

Holy Land Collection (April 15) - Pope Francis has asked our parish to support Christians in the Holy Land. Through the Good Friday Collection, you join with Catholics around the world to stand in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace in a troubled land. In these challenging times in the Middle East, your support means that our church will conduct parish ministry, provide Catholic education, feed the hungry, build housing for Christians, maintain shrines and operate refugee centers in the Holy Land.

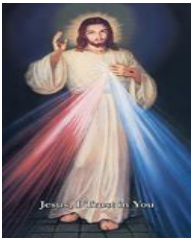
Christians, along with all of the clergy and religious who serve in the Holy Land, will deeply appreciate your prayers and financial help! The political, religious and military challenges in the Holy Land are more complex than ever.

The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. Our parish will support Christians in the Holy Land through the Good Friday Collection, as requested by Pope Francis. Like Simon of Cyrene, you can help carry the cross under very difficult circumstances in the Holy Land. PLEASE BE GENEROUS!

For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.

Colecta de Tierra Santa (15 de abril) - El Papa Francisco ha pedido a nuestra parroquia que apoye a los cristianos en Tierra Santa. A través de la Colecta del Viernes Santo, te unes a los católicos de todo el mundo para solidarizarte con la Iglesia en Tierra Santa. Cuando contribuyes a la Colecta Pontificia del Viernes Santo, te conviertes en un instrumento de paz en una tierra convulsa. En estos tiempos difíciles en el Medio Oriente, su apoyo significa que nuestra iglesia llevará a cabo un ministerio parroquial, brindará educación católica, alimentará a los hambrientos, construirá viviendas para cristianos, mantendrá santuarios y operará centros de refugiados en Tierra Santa.

¡Los cristianos, junto con todo el clero y los religiosos que sirven en Tierra Santa, apreciarán profundamente sus oraciones y ayuda financiera! Los desafíos políticos, religiosos y militares en Tierra Santa son más complejos que nunca. Las guerras, los disturbios y la inestabilidad han sido especialmente duros para los cristianos. Nuestra parroquia apoyará a los cristianos en la Tierra Santa a través de la Colecta del Viernes Santo, como lo solicitó el Papa Francisco. Como Simón de Cirene, puedes ayudar a llevar la cruz en circunstancias muy difíciles en Tierra Santa. ¡POR FAVOR, SÉ GENEROSO! Para obtener más información sobre los cristianos en Tierra Santa, visite www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.



Divine Mercy Sunday, April 24

In observance of the Feast of Divine Mercy, at 3:00pm (the Hour of Great Mercy) in the Chapel, there will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, reflections from St. Faustina, and the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy. All are invited!

Save the Date – Our 2nd Annual Corpus Christi



Festival will be held on Sunday, June 19th from 11am – 2:00pm. There will be a procession following the 10am Mass. After, the benediction, there will be food, music, games and more.



Eucharistic Adoration is continuous prayer before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. It is an expression of our love for Jesus. The Host, the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity, of Jesus is placed in a monstrance and honored with the worship

of adoration. Adorers make a commitment to spend an hour before the exposed Blessed Sacrament. We are specifically in need of Adorers on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday. Please prayerfully consider and call/text/ 479-426-6834 or email Andrea Filiault dreas1000@yahoo.com



Catholics Returning Home (CRH)

The six-week series starts on the first Thursday after Easter (April 21) from 6:30pm -8:00pm in Faith Hall at St. Raphael Catholic Church in Springdale. No reservation is

required. All you have to do is come! For more information, please call the parish office (479) 756-6711. The six sessions are free of charge:

- Week 1: Welcome, Overview of the Series
- Week 2: Sharing Stores of Faith
- Week 3: The Church Today: Changes since Vatican II
- Week 4: Explanation of the Mass
- Week 5: Explanation of the Sacrament of Penance
- Week 6: Explanation of the Nicene Creed.

40 Days for Life POTLUCK - This Sunday, we will be celebrating our 40 Days for Life Prayer Warriors from 2:00pm-4:00pm at the Webb Memorial Children's Park (across from Rogers Planned Parenthood.) You need to bring: favorite picnic eats, lawn chair, a story or two of your experience(s) during the 40 Days for Life campaign.

40 Days for Life POTLUCK - Este domingo celebraremos nuestros 40 Días por la Vida, Guerreros de Oración de 2:00pm- a 4:00pm en el Webb Memorial Children's Park (frente a Rogers Planned Parenthood). Debe traer: comidas favoritas para el picnic, sillas de jardín, una o dos historias de su(s) experiencia(s) durante la campaña 40 Días por la Vida.

Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, the King of Israel.

Hosanna in the highest.



Holy Week includes the days from Palm Sunday through Easter.

Palm or Passion Sunday has contrasting names, one because of Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem (the waving palm branches,) & the other because this Sunday begins our focus on Jesus' days of suffering & death.

Paschal Triduum, from Latin for "three days," extends from evening Holy Thursday through Easter Sunday.

Maundy (Holy) Thursday gets its name from Jesus' "new commandment" (maundatum in Latin) to love one another, which he spoke during the Passover meal when he washed his disciples' feet and instituted the Holy Eucharist. Typically, the Catholic Church now refers to this day as Holy Thursday.

Good Friday marks the events of Jesus' trial, crucifixion, death and burial, sometimes with special Tre Ore (three hour) observances. The altar is stripped of all decoration and the church is darkened until Saturday's Easter Vigil.

Easter Vigil is celebrated the evening of Holy Saturday after sundown; traditionally a time for baptizing, confirming, and receiving new members.

Easter, named after an ancient spring festival, is the "great Sunday," on which each Sunday Eucharist is modeled.

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Semana Santa incluye los días desde el Domingo de Ramos hasta el día de Pascua.

Domingo de Ramos o de La Pasión del Señor tienen nombres que contrastan, uno por causa de la entrada triunfal de Jesús en Jerusalén (a las ramas de palma que agitaron), y el otro porque este domingo comienza nuestro enfoque en los días de sufrimiento y muerte de Jesús.

Triduo Pascual, del latín por "tres días", extiende desde la tarde del Jueves Santo hasta el Domingo de Pascua.

Jueves Maundy (Santo) recibe el nombre del "mandamiento nuevo" de Jesús (maundatum en latín) de amarnos unos a otros, cuando Él habló durante la cena de la Pascua y les lavó los pies a sus discípulos e instituyó la Santa Eucaristía. La Iglesia Católica se refiere ahora a este día como el Jueves Santo.

Viernes Santo marca los eventos de juicio de Jesús, la crucifixión, muerte y sepultura, a veces con las conmemoraciones especiales de Tre Ore (tres horas). El altar es despojado de toda decoración y la iglesia se oscurece hasta el sábado de Vigilia Pascual.

Vigilia Pascual se celebra el Sábado Santo por la noche después de la puesta del sol; tradicionalmente es un tiempo para bautizar, confirmar y recibir miembros nuevos.

Pascua, es el nombre de un festival de primavera antigua, es el "gran domingo", en la que la Eucaristía se modela cada domingo.

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Church Operations for April

Expenses Month-to-Date \$28,945.61
 Loan Balance \$555,255.06

As we now enter into Holy Week, and meditate on the Suffering Christ who entered into His Passion for our salvation, let us ask what shall we do for Him in gratitude? With faith, may we always be faithful stewards of the resources He has bestowed upon us.

Revenue	Month-to-Date	Monthly Goal
Stewardship and Other	\$37,447.34	\$105,000.00
Building Fund	\$6,265.02	\$20,000.00

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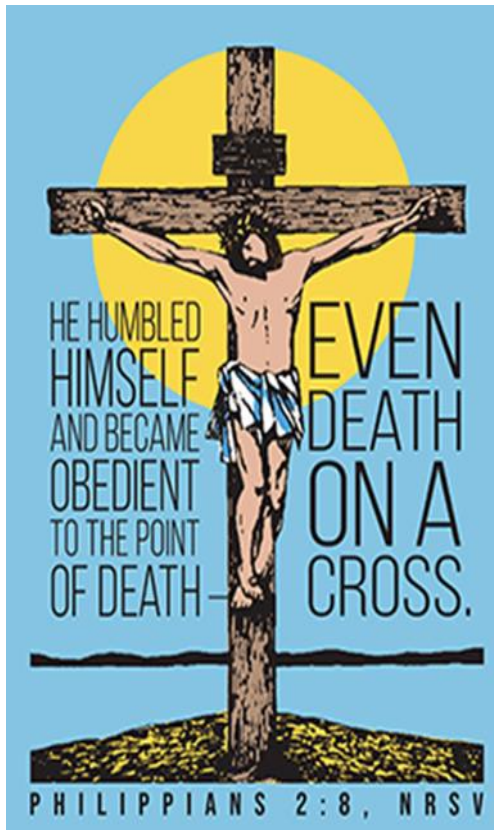
Pre-School Director - Cathy Townzen
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Scripture Readings for 04/17/2022




Acts 10: 34a, 37-43
 Psalm 118 (117): 1-2, 16-17, 22-23
 Col 3: 1-4
 John 20:1-9

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, April 9
 5:00pm Loretta Gallagher †
Palm Sunday, April 10
 7:45am Dwyers Family
 10:00am Parishioners/Feligreses
 11:45am Ramón Ochoa † Guadalupe Yepes †
 5:00pm Peter Thong Le †
Monday, April 11
 12:00pm Sarah Hughey †
Tuesday, April 12
 12:00pm Sanjay & Christina
Wednesday, April 13
 12:00pm Eileen Curtis †
Holy Thursday, April 14
 7:00pm Danielle Bucaria †
Good Friday, April 15
 12:00pm No Noon Mass
Holy Saturday, April 16
 8:00pm Fr. Thomas Graven †
Easter Sunday, April 17
 7:45am Parishioners/Feligreses
 10:00am Danielle Bucaria †
 11:45am María de Jesús Fajardo †
 5:00pm No Life Teen Mass



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April 16-17	Lector	Eucharist Minister HEM & Vessels	Eucharist Minister – Host	Usher	Lock-Up	Sacristan & Vessels
Holy Saturday, Apr. 16 8:00 PM	Bruce Peterson Suzanne Sutton	Mark Jechura	Jill Saulsbery Janet Palmer Ken Hunter Katie Morris Joe Hartnett	Andy Fosdick Steve Saulsbery Phillip Palmer NOT FILLED	Mark Jechura	Mark Jechura
Easter Sunday, Apr. 17 7:45 AM 	Christy Yuska	Christina Baker	Kira O'Shaughnessy Tony Baker	Geri Oswald Len Oswald Gerard Davenport Karen Howard		Amanda Cantu
Easter Sunday Apr. 17 10:00 AM 	Maria Mendez	Joe Hartnett	Claudia Garcia Mary Kate Beckham Bruce Beckham	Steve Harrington Daniel Cruz Ken Butler Brian Rabal NOT FILLED		Joe Hartnett
Easter Sunday Apr. 17 11:45 AM 	Maria Almaraz	Crimilda Viera	Maria Elena Calderon Iván Sanabria	Bertha Váldez Victor Lopez María Dalia Lopez María Barajas José Ortiz Héctor Rangel		Crimilda Viera

Easter Sunday Apr. 17 5:00 PM

NO LIFE TEEN MASS ON EASTER SUNDAY