

Palm Sunday

*"Blessed are you, who have come
in your abundant mercy!"*



Saturday, March 23 5:00 pm † Ed & Suzanne Connolly -Stiegler Family

Sunday, March 24 9:00 am Missa Pro Popula 11:00 am † Tom Basinger -Bernice, John & Family

Mon. March 25 11:00 am Special Intentions of Fr. MacAnthony Obikili -Birthday Celebration

Tues. March 26 10:10 am St. Michael's School Mass
12:05 pm **Special Intention of English & Olsen Families** -Vic & Colleen

Wed. March 27 10:00 am Mass at Palisade Gardens
12:05 pm † **James Hing** -Dolly & Family



Monday, March 25 at 2:00 pm Chrism Mass at St. Peter-in-Chains Cathedral, Peterborough **NOTE TIME CHANGE** All are invited to this beautiful and sacred celebration where the holy oils, (chrism) are blessed by the Bishop for the sacraments. Also, the priests of the diocese gather around the Bishop as a sign of unity, and renew their priestly promised. Consider attending this holy liturgy.

The Sacred Paschal Triduum: Holy Week Schedule

Through his paschal mystery, the Lord Jesus redeemed the human race and gave perfect glory to the Father. By dying, Christ destroyed our death; by rising, he restored our life. The Easter Triduum, when we celebrate the suffering, death, and resurrection of our Lord, it is the high point of the liturgical year.

The Easter solemnity is to the year what Sunday is to the week.

Holy Thursday, March 28 Mass of the Lord's Supper

Note: No Noon Mass or regular Adoration (3-6pm)

Thursday 7:00 pm † Mark Umali -The Family

Adoration Until Midnight Following the Mass of the Lord's Supper, a procession of the Blessed Sacrament to St. Joseph's Chapel will take place, with silent Adoration until midnight in the Chapel.

Please use sign up sheets at the back of the church to mark your availability for this adoration.

Passion of the Lord: Good Friday, March 29

WAY OF THE CROSS Procession in Peterborough, begins at 10:00 am at the Cathedral

Paschal Fast: The Church of God fasts today to honour the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare to share more deeply in the joy of his resurrection.

Good Friday is a universal day of fasting and abstinence from meat.

Friday, 12:05 pm Stations of the Cross 2:30 pm Holy Rosary -Sorrowful Mysteries

3:00 pm **Good Friday Celebration** -Liturgy of the Word,
Veneration of the Cross & Holy Communion



Holy Saturday, March 30 Note: No 5:00 pm Mass

St. Augustine said that the Easter Vigil – the night when Jesus Christ was raised from the dead – is to be considered the "mother of all vigils." During this night the people of God keep watch as they wait for the resurrection of the Lord and celebrate it in the sacraments of initiation.

Saturday 7:00 pm Solemn Easter Vigil Intention: Missa Pro Populo

Easter Sunday 9:00 am Paul Conway -his Dad 11:00 am † Fr. Allan Hood -Susan & Bob Clement

Divine Mercy Novena For those who would like to pray the Divine Mercy novena in preparation for Divine Mercy,

Sunday (April 7), pamphlets are at the back of the church. Traditionally, the **novena starts on Good Friday** and ends the following Saturday in preparation for the feast of Divine Mercy Sunday.

A plenary indulgence may be obtained on Divine Mercy Sunday, under the usual conditions.

Note that at the 11:00 am Mass Sunday, April 7th there will be 24 children who will be receiving the sacrament of First Holy Communion... the church will be a little fuller!

Would you like to attend the annual March for Life rally in Ottawa? The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a bus to Ottawa leaving the Cobourg Columbus Centre 8:45 a.m. Thursday May 9th returning to Cobourg at 7:00 pm. \$40/seat, \$20/student/child. There are 28 seats available on this bus. For more information contact Peter Riccio 905-269-1214 peterjohnriccio@gmail.com NOTE payment can be Interac e-Transfer to email fs1970@ontariokofc.ca indicating adult or student/child bus seat.

Office Closed: Note secretary will be away from March 27 and returning April 4.

Fr. Emmanuel and Fr. MacAnthony are available for emergencies...call the office or sent a direct email.

See addresses on front of bulletin.