

# Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion – April 5, 2009

THE READINGS FOR THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD ARE:

Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Col. 4: 1-4

Jn. 20: 1-9

## Please Pray for

### Sunday, April 5, 2009

8:00 Mass for the People  
10:00 Joseph I. Mulligan  
Noon Madaline Foley  
5:30 Sheila Lynch

### Monday, April 6, 2009

5:30 Markham Harold  
Lyons, Sr.

### Tuesday, April 7, 2009

12:15 Teresa D'Andrea  
5:30 Sarah W. Griffin

### Wednesday, April 8, 2009

12:15 Capobianco-Casaletto  
Family & Judge Margaret  
C. Scott  
5:30 Stephen G. Tocci

**CATHOLIC APPEAL** – What shall I return to the Lord for all the Lord has given to me? Christian stewards recognize Christ as the source of all good things. God calls us to share what we have to help others. We are grateful for the gifts we have received and are eager to use them to show our love for Christ and for one another. The Catholic Appeal is one way to use our gifts for the Church. If you have not yet made your gift, please consider making a prayerful, thankful pledge to the appeal this weekend. For more information, please visit [www.BostonCatholicAppeal.com](http://www.BostonCatholicAppeal.com) or call 617-779-3700.



**EASTER PARISH RETREAT AT EASTERN POINT, GLOUCESTER** – This annual retreat is an opportunity to enter more deeply into the mystery of God's love for us. You will have an opportunity for spiritual conversation, silent prayer and gatherings of prayer and worship with members of the parish community. The retreat will be held Friday, April 24<sup>th</sup> to Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>. The cost for the weekend is \$200 (all inclusive), with a deposit of \$100 at registration. If anyone is in need of financial assistance in order to attend, please let us know. Please register through the parish office 617-552-6102, or [ignatius@bc.edu](mailto:ignatius@bc.edu).



### **Transitions--Re-employment Support and Assistance**

**Wednesday 12:45 - 2:15** - If you or someone you love has been affected by unemployment during this economic downturn, let your faith community be there for you. The Parish Transitions group offers support, an opportunity for networking and career as well as job search advice on Wednesdays after the 12:15 Mass in the Friary. Lunch is provided. Kindly reply to the parish office at 617-552-6102 or [ignatius@bc.edu](mailto:ignatius@bc.edu).

### **SAVE THE DATE: PARISH NETWORKING NIGHT - Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup> - 6:30-8:30**

Shouldn't we all know more folks in the pews next to us each week? Make personal and professional connections and form some new relationships during a casual evening of conversation and networking after the 5:30 Liturgy. Sponsored by the St. Ignatius Transitions initiative and open to all parishioners. For more information, call the parish office at 617-552-6102 or email [ignatius@bc.edu](mailto:ignatius@bc.edu).



### **BLESSING OF EASTER FOODS:** THIS TRADITION, SO MUCH A PART OF MANY

FAMILIES FOR GENERATIONS, WILL BE CONTINUED AT ST. IGNATIUS ON HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 11<sup>TH</sup>, AT 11:00 AM IN THE LANNON CHAPEL. FOODS TO BE EATEN ON EASTER AND TO BE BLESSED CAN INCLUDE (BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO) MEAT, EGGS AND BREAD.



## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, April 5 <sup>th</sup>	Contemporary Music Ensemble – Upper Church	4:30 pm
Monday, April 6 <sup>th</sup>	Lenten Evening Prayer with the Boston Liturgical Dance Ensemble – Upper Church	7:15 pm
Wed., April 8 <sup>th</sup>	Transitions – Remployment Support Lunch – Friary Room	12:45 pm
	Children's Carol Choir – Choir Room	4:30 pm
	Parish Choir Rehearsal – Upper Church	7:15 pm
	Little Rock Bible Group – Lannon Chapel	7:00 pm
	YAG Meeting – Rectory 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor	7:30 pm

Come and Make the Church Bloom!!



On Saturday, April 11th, starting at 9:00 a.m., we will be gathering together to decorate the church for Easter. Come for a little time or come for the entire time: persons of all ages and levels of experience are welcome!

Also, we welcome any donations of any flowering plants, such as Easter lilies, azaleas or tulips, to help decorate the Church. Plants should be brought to the church between 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

For more information, contact Catherine Downing at [cfdesq@hotmail.com](mailto:cfdesq@hotmail.com)

## OUTREACH MINISTRIES



**SOLIDARITY WILL TRANSFORM THE WORLD:** The Operation Rice Bowl campaign reminds us that we can make a difference! Rice Bowl returns can be made in the large rice bowl at the display upstairs and downstairs.

**PROJECT BREAD WALK FOR HUNGER...SUNDAY, MAY 3<sup>rd</sup>. 28 DAYS AND COUNTING!** *TEAM IGNATIUS* is set up on the Project Bread website ([www.projectbread.org](http://www.projectbread.org)). You can register online or use the registration materials that are on the Outreach table and at church doors. Walkers are needed, as are volunteers (there's a real need for Walk day volunteers this year); both forms are available. And Sponsors are needed, too; you can pledge online, for any individual Walker or *TEAM IGNATIUS*. We surpassed our goal last year and hope to do the same this year (our goal is \$3,000).



**SHATTUCK SPRINGTIME MEAL:** Sign-up sheets for kitchen prep, meal serving and food donations for our Saturday, April 25th Meal are on the Outreach table in the gathering space. Your quick response to this would be greatly appreciated! We're planning to serve over 200 Guests this year.



**COMING...** Saturday and Sunday, May 2nd and 3rd... **Spring/Summer Clothing Drive** for Guests at St. Francis House Day Shelter. More details to follow!



## **2009 PARISH SUPPORT PROGRAM—PLEDGE FOR THE GREATER GLORY**

Recognizing that each of us is facing more difficult economic times, we would still like to encourage those not contributing to the parish to do so to the best of their ability. The Pledge Campaign is the method that St. Ignatius Parish uses to collect regular contributions in support of the parish. Over 500 parishioners are now participating in this program. Many parishioners are making their contributions by credit cards and bank transfers, which is particularly helpful to the parish on those weekends when stormy weather or vacation schedules prevent people from attending Mass and putting cash in the basket. But if you prefer to contribute by envelope, you can do that, too.

Please do your part to support this wonderful parish by signing up for the Pledge for the Greater Glory if you are not now signed up. Call or stop by the rectory to sign up. And if you are currently participating, please consider increasing your pledge!

### **Parish Financial results for January and February 2009**

Operating income (before bequests):	\$185,684
Operating expenses:	<u>\$197,142</u>

**AN EVENING OF REFLECTION** will be held on Tuesday April 14, 2009 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm at the Sisters of Saint Joseph Mother House, 637 Cambridge Street, Brighton MA. Trying to determine God's voice amidst the noisiness of life? Wondering how God is calling you? Take some quiet time to pray with these questions during an evening of reflection on Christian discernment and desire. The evening incorporates guided meditation, scripture reflection, Christian theology, and personal and communal prayer to help us to find and follow God's voice in our lives. The evening is free of charge and will be facilitated by Carolyn Weir Herman. To register, please contact [carolyn.herman.1@bc.edu](mailto:carolyn.herman.1@bc.edu) or 724-989-7755. All are welcome! Carolyn Weir Herman has a MA in Theology from the Catholic University of America and is a Ph.D. Candidate in Systematic Theology at Boston College.

**NEW ARCHDIOCESAN WEBSITE** - The Archdiocese of Boston has launched a new website designed to bring Catholics closer to their faith and to offer the wider community an expanded and more comprehensive view of the Church. The new website, [www.BostonCatholic.org](http://www.BostonCatholic.org), was launched on St. Patrick's Day and contains helpful information on the Church with links to parishes. It also offers a number of new features, including a video welcome message from Cardinal Seán, streamlined navigation, and many new videos and slideshows. Each office, service and ministry has dedicated space on the site.

*We strongly urge our parishioners and visitors not to leave their belongings in the pew when they leave to receive Communion. Please take them with you.*

# HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

## PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION – APRIL 5<sup>TH</sup>

SATURDAY 4:00 PM  
SUNDAY 8:00 AM  
10:00 AM – UPPER CHURCH  
FAMILY MASS 10:00 AM – LOWER CHURCH  
(FOR PARENTS WITH YOUNG CHILDREN AND INFANTS)  
NOON BILINGUAL  
5:30 PM

## LENTEN EVENING PRAYER – APRIL 6<sup>TH</sup>

“THE WAY, THE TRUTH, THE LIFE” – EL CAMINO, LA VERDAD, LA VIDA”  
With the Boston Liturgical Dance Ensemble  
Members of St. Ignatius Music Ministry  
Monday evening, March 30<sup>th</sup> – 7:30 pm – Upper Church

# TRIDUUM

## HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 9<sup>TH</sup>

8:00 PM – Celebration of the Lord's Supper  
(Please note there is NO other Mass this day)

## GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 10<sup>TH</sup>

Noon	Family Stations of the Cross	Upper Church
3:00 pm	Stations of the Cross	Upper Church
8:00 pm	The Passion of Our Lord	Upper Church

## EASTER VIGIL, APRIL 11<sup>TH</sup>

3:00 – 4:00 pm	Confessions	Upper Church
8:00 pm	Easter Vigil	Upper Church

## EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 12<sup>TH</sup>

8:00 am	Upper Church
9:00 am	Family Liturgy – Lannon Chapel
10:00 am	Upper Church
10:15 am	Lannon Chapel
Noon	Upper Church - (with Confirmation of New Catholics)
Noon	Misa en Espanol – Lannon Chapel

(There is No 5:30 pm Liturgy on this Day.)

*The Special Collection at the Easter Vigil and all the Masses on Easter Sunday will be directed toward the support of Jesuit priests to provide for their sickness and retirement needs. Your assistance is especially necessary for those priests who are permanently retired or disabled.*

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## THE CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

**SUNDAY** UPPER CHURCH 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON, 5:30 PM  
LOWER CHURCH (Sept.-June) 10:00 AM, FAMILY LITURGY.  
12:00 MISA EN ESPANOL EN LA CAPILLA LANNON

**WEEKDAY** LOWER CHURCH 12:15 PM - 5:30 PM

**SATURDAY** LOWER CHURCH 9:00 AM, UPPER CHURCH 4:00 PM (Vigil)

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** - FRIDAY, 12:45 – 5:00 PM

## THE SACRAMENTS

### BAPTISM

Adults are baptized at the Easter Vigil as part of the Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults. Infant and child baptisms are by arrangement.

### FIRST EUCHARIST

Preparation occurs in Grade 2 and includes classes, retreat and home instruction.

### CONFIRMATION

Our Confirmation program begins in the 9th grade. Students are confirmed in the Spring of the 10th grade. Young adults who have been catechized but are not yet confirmed should contact the rectory for an alternative program.

### MATRIMONY

Must be registered as a parishioner six months prior to beginning Marriage arrangements.

### RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:15 - 3:45 PM Upper Church or by arrangement

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