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*Saint Anne-pray for us*

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday – 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Saturday – 9:15 a.m.

Wednesday and Friday – 7:00 p.m.

## FIRST FRIDAY

One hr. after the 9:15 a.m. and 7 p.m. Masses.

Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction

## RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m. & 4:15 p.m. Other times upon request.

## BAPTISMS

By appointment only. At least two month advance notice.

Attendance at a pre-baptism class is required for parents.

You may wish to attend this class before your child is born.

## CARE of the SICK

Visitation and/or communion for the sick upon request.

## MARRIAGE

Couples must contact a priest one year in advance. A Marriage Course is required. If either party has been previously married, the Bishop's Office must be consulted before a date may be set.

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Mr. Cyril Moraes

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## MASS INTENTIONS



### Sunday, March 24

8:00 AM – For the intentions of the people of St. Anne's

10:00 AM – † All Souls

12:00 PM – † Bertha and Daphne Pereira

### Monday, March 25

9:15 AM – † Mary & Reggie Schembri

### Tuesday, March 26

9:15 AM – † Cecilia Melo

### Wednesday, March 27

9:15 AM – † Angelina Pinlac

7:00 PM – † Francisco & Maria D'Souza

† Natividad Valles and Sandalo Monsalud

† All Souls in Purgatory  
Thanksgiving Jose & Family  
† Dominik Zwolan

### Thursday, March 28

9:15 AM – † Faustino Gomes and Gloria Carvalho

### Friday, March 29

9:15 AM – Special Intention

7:00 PM – Special Intention

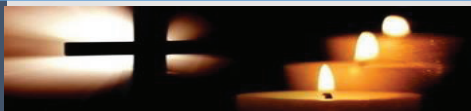
### **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

### Saturday, March 30

9:15 AM – † Dolores Orr

5:00 PM – † Samuel Omega

## LAMP INTENTIONS



### SANCTUARY LAMP NO. 1

Diane Marchesselo & Family

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### SACRED HEART LAMP

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## MARCH 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019 – THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



### Let's have a drink

Today we will read about Jesus is meeting with Samaritan woman at the well (if catechumens are present). Anyway it is worth to ponder on this because it reminds us about our Baptism which we are called to renew in couple of weeks.

Jesus enters a casual conversation with Samaritan woman but she found a genuine reason to shut the communication. At the end she was benefitted by turn the tables and offer her "living water". What is this water that Jesus speaks about? It is God's Spirit which comes to us in Baptism. Baptism is not just a ritual producing magic effects. It is the outward, symbolic sign of a deep reality, the coming of God as a force penetrating every aspect of a person's life. That is what happen to her. She was transformed and started evangelizing.

It is worth to know how she was converted or got back to her faith. **First** Jesus invites the woman to come back to the well once more with her husband. Of cause she has five plus husbands. It is not the case here. Jesus' mission is to reach out to a family. We cannot ignore the family and go beyond. **Second** point is the water that Jesus promises is closely linked to conversion and forgiveness of sin. But the sin must first be exposed and acknowledged. Not to the whole world but to the person who sinned. This is what the preparation of the confession does. When we are alone with Jesus "having a drink" he will expose our faults to us (not in a way to condemn us, but as a constructive way). We should have this casual conversation with him very often. At this point we will not have any answers for him except weeping. That's where real conversion starts. Then we will step to the "confessional booth" to meet the Jesus face to face and receive absolution. The decision to step to the "confessional booth" is like "Sir Give me this water". When we are coming out God would say "This is my beloved son/daughter ....".

Now the important part starts. As a result, in this story many in that Samaritan village came to believe in Jesus. And they said: "It is no longer because of what you [the woman] said that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is truly the Savior of the World." We might be baptized because of our parents but do we live it for ourselves now? Do we accept Jesus now? Have we ever brought anybody to faith? Forget that part. Have we acted the way somebody's faith has been increased? If we haven't that is our duty. By baptism we have bound for this duty.

It is better we should ask Jesus as many Samaritans requested "Please Stay with us, otherwise we cannot continue on his journey". And we should. Because he is our source and strength. Jesus physically stayed two days with them. Today he is prepared to stay with us all the time. He would not have stopped if they had not invited him to stay the night. We have to remember he stands at the door and knocks but he will not come in unless invited.

Let us pray today that all those preparing to be baptized at Easter and be renewed at Easter (this is whole church) may find that life-enriching faith for their lives and commit ourselves to proclaim the kingdom of God.

## SHARELIFE SUNDAY – MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>

### How can you “Live the Gospel” when life is so busy?

Many people help those in need by volunteering at a local organization. But if your schedule doesn't allow for it, you can still make a huge impact in your community by supporting ShareLife-funded agencies. Next Sunday is the first ShareLife collection. Over the next week, please reflect on your ability to “Live the Gospel” by making a sacrificial gift to our parish ShareLife campaign.

**Next Sunday, March 31 is ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.**

## ARCHDIOCESAN DAY OF CONFESSIONS – APRIL 3<sup>RD</sup>

**In our parish, the schedule for day of confessions is as follows:**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3<sup>RD</sup> - 9:45AM-11:30AM, 2PM-4PM & 6:30PM-7PM**

## EASTER SCHEDULE

Sat. April 6 9:45AM-11:30AM	<b>LENTEN &amp; CONFIRMATION Confessions</b> <i>Several priests available to hear confessions speaking a variety of languages.</i>
Sun. April 14	<b>PALM SUNDAY</b> Sat. 5:00PM, Sun. 8AM, 10AM & 12PM
Tues. April 16	<i>Morning Mass will be at 8AM (no 9:15AM Mass) due to Chrism Mass at 11AM at St. Michael's Cathedral</i>
Thurs. April 18 7:30 PM	<b>HOLY THURSDAY</b> – The Lord's Supper <i>No Morning Mass</i>
Fri. April 19	<b>GOOD FRIDAY</b> – <i>No Morning Mass</i> 10:00AM – Children's Stations of the Cross 3:00PM – <b>GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE</b> 7:00PM – Enactment of Stations of the Cross by Lifeteen Youth Ministry
Sat. April 20 8:00 PM	<b>HOLY SATURDAY</b> – Easter Vigil <i>No Morning Mass</i>
Sun. April 21	<b>EASTER SUNDAY</b> Masses: 8AM, 10AM, 12 Noon
Sun. April 28 3:00 PM	<b>Divine Mercy Sunday</b> <i>Divine Mercy Chaplet &amp; Adoration</i>

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Our Lenten Stations of the Cross –  
Every Friday following the 7:00pm Mass.

*“For God so loved the world that He have His only begotten Son, that whosoever believed in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.” John 3:16*



## GIVING OF OUR TIME – MUSICIANS NEEDED

Remember what Fr. Hansoo said during the Lenten retreat about giving your time to God and your parish? We'll, we are giving you the opportunity! Isn't that great? Our Sunday 10:00 a.m choir and also the funeral choir REALLY need a guitarist or keyboardist to help. All we ask is that you be at least 18 years old and can commit to one hour of weeknight practice and of course, Sunday morning mass. For the funeral choir, you need to be available mainly during the mornings now and then. Please come, consider offering the gift of your time at the altar of the Lord. Remember when you sing - you are praying twice! You can approach our director after any 10:00am mass, or leave your name at the church office.

This Week	Room Booking
Sunday (Mar. 24 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00am - Children's Liturgy (SR) 12:00pm - Children's Liturgy (SR) 10:00am - RCIA (PR) 1:00pm - BAPTISM (C)
Monday (Mar 25 <sup>h</sup> )	7:00pm - Ping Pong Group PR)
Tuesday (Mar 26 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00am – Legion of Mary (FR) 7:00pm – RCIA (PR) 7:00pm - Feast Day Planning Mtg (SR) 7:30pm – Faith Sharing (FR) 8:00pm - 8 AM Choir Practice
Wednesday (Mar 27 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00am – Food Assistance (F) 6:30pm – <b>Confessions (C)</b> 7:00pm - CWL Genral Mtg. ( SR) 8:00pm - Knights General Mtg
Thursday (Mar 28 <sup>th</sup> )	9:30am – Centering Prayer (FR) 7:00pm – Ping Pong Group (PR) 7:30pm - 10 AM Choir Practice (C)
Friday (Mar 29 <sup>th</sup> )	9:30am – Over 55 Group (SR) 6:30pm – Youth Ministry – All rooms 7:00pm – Stations of the Cross (C)
Saturday (Mar 30 <sup>th</sup> )	8:00am – <b>Confessions (C)</b> 2:30pm – Sacramental Classes (F,SR,PR) 4:00pm – Legion of Mary (FR) 4:00pm – <b>Confessions (C)</b> 6:00pm – Lifeteen (PR)

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

**Regular – March 17 \$ 8,358.79**  
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## TOTUS TUUS

**SAVE THE DATE – SUMMER CAMP**  
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