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Palm Sunday March 29, 2026

Increase the faith of those who place their hope in you, and graciously hear the prayers of those who call on you, O God, that we, who today hold high these branches in our minds and hearts to hail Christ in his triumph, may bear fruit for you by good works accomplished in him. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

Amen

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Holy Week Mass Schedule For Holy Rosary & Holy Family

Palm Sunday March 29th

8am Holy Family · Fr. Jeff
11am Holy Rosary · Fr. Jeff

Holy Thursday April 2nd

6pm Holy Family · Fr. Jeff
6pm Holy Rosary · Fr. Tomson

Good Friday April 3rd

3pm Holy Family · Fr. Jeff
6pm Holy Rosary · Fr. Tomson

Easter Vigil April 4th

8:15pm Holy Family · Fr. Jeff

Easter Sunday April 5th

9am Holy Family · Fr. Jeff
10am Holy Rosary · Fr. Tomson

Holy Week's Mass Intentions

Saturday	3/28/2026	4:00pm	Donna Janikowski †- Holy Family
Sunday	3/29/2026	8:00am	People of Holy Family- Holy Family
		11:00am	People of Holy Rosary - Holy Rosary
Monday	3/30/2026	8:00am	Selene Verdugo - Holy Family
Tuesday	3/31/2026	—	No Mass
Wednesday	4/01/2026	8:30am	Robbie Henrie † - Holy Family
Thursday	4/02/2026	Holy Thursday	
		6:00pm	Mary Gay McRae †- Holy Family
		6:00pm	Souls in Purgatory - Holy Rosary
Friday	4/03/2026	Good Friday	
		3:00pm	Doug Presnell †- Holy Family
		6:00pm	Clete, Mary Lou & Dan Scharnhorst † - Holy Rosary
Saturday	4/04/2026	Easter Vigil	
		8:15pm	People of Holy Family - Holy Family
		—	No Easter Vigil at Holy Rosary
Sunday	4/05/2026	Easter Sunday	
		9:00am	Souls in Purgatory - Holy Family
		10:00am	Mike Ledgerwood † - Holy Rosary

WHAT DO WE REMEMBER ON THE DAYS OF HOLY WEEK?

PALM SUNDAY - Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem.

HOLY MONDAY - Judas rebukes Mary of Bethany for anointing Jesus' feet.

HOLY TUESDAY - Jesus announces the betrayal of one of the 12 and St. Peter's denial.

HOLY WEDNESDAY - Jesus confirms Judas Escariote's betrayal.

HOLY THURSDAY - Last Supper; Jesus institutes the Eucharist and the Priesthood.

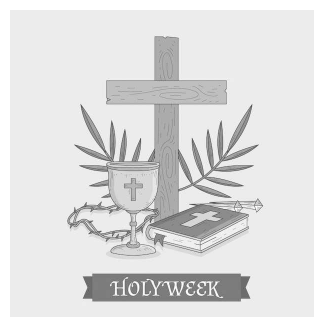
GOOD FRIDAY - Passion and Death of Jesus on the cross.

BLACK SATURDAY - Jesus descends into hell and triumphs over death. We celebrate the **EASTER VIGIL**.

EASTER SUNDAY - Jesus is risen, **Hallelujah, hallelujah!!**

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Lent invites us to turn away from what distracts us, and return with our whole heart to what truly matters. This week HF students participated in a prayer walk to reflect on their faith journey. During Holy Week students will walk through Jesus' last days. We reenact the Last Supper and the washing of the feet, and witness the journey He made to the cross through the Live Stations. We hope you will be able to join us. We pray for each of you in your own faith journey.



Our HFS Auction is Saturday, May 9th! We hope you will join us for an evening of fun.

ATV/Cash Raffle Tickets – If you would like to purchase a chance to win a 2026 Yamaha Wolverine 2-seat ATV OR \$10,000 cash, contact a HFS student/family.

If you would like to donate an item to our **HFS Auction**, please contact the school. We are looking for businesses who would like to **sponsor our auction**, please contact Mrs. Gehring to see what levels of sponsorship we have. We appreciate your continued support of HFS! This is our biggest fundraiser of the year.

ENROLLMENT FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR IS OPEN! PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS. IF YOU KNOW OF SOMEONE WHO IS INTERESTED IN JOINING OUR SCHOOL FAMILY, PLEASE ENCOURAGE THEM TO CONTACT THE OFFICE, SCHEDULE A TOUR, OR APPLY ONLINE. NEW STUDENT APPLICATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED.

SUMMER PROGRAM! Enrollment information for the summer program is open for currently enrolled students. **Registration is due to the HFS office by April 24.**

Upcoming dates:

4/1 - School Mass at 8:30 a.m.

4/3 - Live Stations of the Cross, 10 a.m. in the church by Middle School followed by Adoration of the Holy Cross

April 4-12 – Spring Break!

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Saturday, March 28th:

- Holy Family Confessions 3:00pm
- Holy Family Mass 4:00pm
- **MOVIE NIGHT The Passion in Fr. Root Memorial Hall after Mass.**

Sunday, March 29th Palm Sunday:

- Holy Family Mass 8:00am
- Holy Family Coffee & Donuts
- Holy Family Sacrament Class 9:30am
- **Holy Rosary Mass 10:00am**
- **Holy Rosary Faith Formation 11:15am**

Monday, March 30th:

- Holy Family Mass 8:00am
- Holy Family Ladies Prayer Group 8:45am

Tuesday, March 31st:

- No Mass

Wednesday, April 1st,

- Holy Family Mass 8:30am
- Holy Family Holy Hour and Confessions

Thursday, April 2nd - Holy Thursday:

- **Holy Rosary Mass 6:00pm**
- Holy Family Mass 6:00pm
- Holy Family Adoration 7:00pm

Friday, April 3rd - Good Friday:

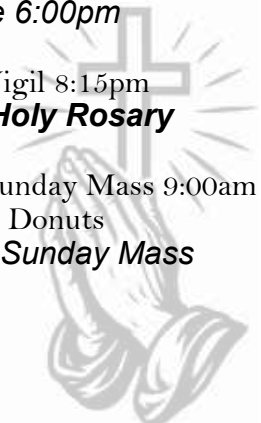
- Holy Family School *Live Stations of the Cross 10:00am*
- Holy Family Service 3:00pm
- **Holy Rosary Service 6:00pm**

Saturday, April 4th:

- Holy Family Easter Vigil 8:15pm
- **No Easter Vigil at Holy Rosary**

Sunday, April 5th :

- Holy Family Easter Sunday Mass 9:00am
- Holy Family Coffee & Donuts
- **Holy Rosary Easter Sunday Mass 10:00am**



Called to Share Bread for Life Holy week, the heart of the liturgical year, invited us to journey with Christ through his Passion, Death and Resurrection. As we witness the Last Supper and Jesus' gift of the Eucharist, we are reminded of our call to be bread broken for others. Let us draw strength from the Bread of Life and dedicate ourselves to serving our sisters and brothers who bear heavy crosses, bringing hope and resurrection to the world. Visit crsricebowl.org/holy-week to learn more. **Starting next weekend there will be plastic bins in each entrance to return your filled rice bowls. Thank you for your generosity during this Easter Season.**



Please contact Cheryl Fuqua at 758-6936, Linda Wolf at 751-2370 or the parish office at 758-6102 or email to dparis@dioceseofspokane.org if you would like someone to be added.

Week 1

- Tom & JoAnn Harvey
- Don Brooks
- Dobbs Family
- Charlie Sprayberry
- Val Godwin
- Stapleton Family
- Kauffman Family
- Verla Day
- Evelyn Nanik
- Jay & Donna McCann
- Marjorie Caetano
- John & Viola Keller Family

Week 2

- Gene Breeding
- Schumacher Family
- Zachary Paris
- Tina Flerchinger
- Sue Buratto

- Russ Bashore
- Betty Eggleston
- Linda Entel
- Eileen Jeffreys
- Gene Whitaker
- Kathy Renggli
- Dick Jacobs
- Anne Anderson
- Lou Fanning

Week 3

- Don Tuschoff
- Paul & Lisa Carey
- Christian Morgan
- Dave Massaro
- Debbie Neill
- Todd McKenna
- Jerry Haldeman
- Arlene Williams
- Miles LaFay

Week 4

- Selene Verdugo
- Stephen Di Meo
- Ron & Brenda Irvin
- Myliissa Schmidt
- Amanda Anderson
- Emily Segebartt
- Amy Phillips
- Gayne Bafus
- Doreen Isaac
- Charlie Hill
- Keela Carter
- Debbie Menero
- Todd Vantosky
- Herb Boreson Sr.
- Bob Walk
- Janet Gau
- Sheila McDougall
- Melva Boyle
- Liz Samayoa
- Karen Davis

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- Michael Cheek
- Mary Gocke
- Janeen Smith
- Janice Williams
- Lissa and Dale Marshall
- Mary Lou Amidei
- Theresa Sykes
- Mary Ellen Hill
- Janelle Williams
- Laurie Knopes
- Perry Decker
- Jim Minnette
- Steve
- Ross Starwalt
- Don McConnell
- Fr. Roga Urassa
- Nicholas Polis
- Bob Konen

Letter from Father

29 March 2026
Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion
Triduum, Three Days of Mystery

Greetings,

Several years ago, when The Passion of the Christ came out in theaters, I attended a showing with about a hundred and fifty young adult Catholics from the Boise area. At the end of the movie, as everyone was leaving the theater, many were in tears at having witnessed the suffering of Jesus for our sake. One young woman asked me why I wasn't crying or at least teary-eyed. My response was simple. I said, "Because I know how the story ends."

This week, Holy Week, holds the end of the Season of Lent and the beginning of the shortest liturgical season, Triduum. Triduum is Latin for, *Of the Three Days*. The three days are Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday. Lent ends and Triduum begins at sundown of Holy Thursday. Holy Thursday is the traditional day on which a diocese celebrates the Chrism Mass at which the priests renew their priestly promises and the holy oils used for Sacraments are blessed and consecrated by the bishop. The Diocese of Spokane celebrated our Chrism Mass last Tuesday. On Holy Thursday evening, the Mass of the Lord's Supper commemorates the institution of the Priesthood and the institution of the Eucharist by Jesus. At the end of this liturgy, the Eucharist is removed from the church and held at the altar of repose as a sign of Christ's absence from the world for the days He spent in the tomb. When this is complete, the altar and sanctuary are stripped of all cloths, decoration, and any items not permanently installed. However, the liturgy does not end here.

Good Friday is observed in silence. The Triduum liturgy continues as the people gather in the church, the priest enters in silence, and commences with the Liturgy of the Word. The Passion narrative is read and is followed by ten General Intercessions for the Church and for the World. The cross is then brought forward for veneration by the people and this is followed by the reception of Holy Communion, brought from the altar of repose. The people leave in silence and the church is then left vacant and empty until the beginning of the Easter Vigil Mass.

At sundown on Saturday, the Triduum ends and the Easter season begins with a beautiful tradition of blessing the new fire, and with it, the Paschal candle. The candle is brought into the church and a special hymn, the Exsultet, is sung to commemorate the new light of Christ entering the world at His Resurrection. This is followed by the reading of nine scripture readings which cover the entirety of salvation history and culminate with the reading of the Gospel. This is then followed by the reception of the Sacraments of Initiation by the people who have been preparing all year to do so. The Mass continues with the Liturgy of the Eucharist after the people present renew their baptismal promises. The Mass ends with the priest intoning the "double Alleluia" as a sign that the days of penance have come to a close and the season of joy has commenced.

The importance of Triduum is that, while it is a separate season from Lent and Easter, it is inextricably linked with both. The liturgy of Triduum is one, continuous liturgy, not ending until the beginning of the Easter Vigil Mass. Just as Christ's Passion was a continuous sacrifice for us, so too the Sacred Paschal Triduum is constant from its beginning. The events on Holy Thursday and Good Friday are celebrated as one liturgy because they echo the unfolding events of Jesus' Passion and death.

The Sacred Paschal Triduum and Easter Vigil might seem daunting in their scope but they truly are the most beautiful of the Liturgies of the Church. I invite you, if you are able, to attend all of the days of the Triduum and the Vigil Mass. You might go home exhausted, but you will also go home inspired and refreshed with the message of Salvation and Hope that Jesus promises to us in His Resurrection.

Blessings,

Fr. Jeff Core

Holy Family Parish News

Did you know that our HF Columbarium was built in 2014 and contains 165 Niche's for our loved ones? While some faceplates are blank, we currently only have 46 available for purchase and they are \$2800 (holds two urns). If you are interested in purchasing a Niche for your final resting place please call the parish office.

Holy Family Special Monthly Collections
April - Building Maintenance Fund, Holy Family School, St. Vincent de Paul.
*If you have your weekly/monthly donations automatically taken out of your bank account, here is a list of the "special collections" you may not know of. **Thank you!***

"Humility, obedience, meekness, and love are the virtues that shine through the Cross and the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. O my Jesus, help me imitate you!"
 - St. Anthony Mary Claret

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April Ministry Schedules are now available by the bulletins. Please note, Holy Week Ministries are open.

Holy Family Ministry Schedule	Altar Servers	Reader	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Ushers
Holy Thursday April 2nd 6:00pm	Need Filled Need Filled Need Filled	Kathy Dobbs	Need Filled	X
Good Friday April 3rd 3:00pm	Aubree Aceveda Need Filled Need Filled	Need Filled	Need Filled	
Easter Vigil Saturday April 4th 8:15pm	Sydney Hinkelman Aubree Aceveda Thang Dao Need Filled 4th	Linda Rossiter Need Filled 7 More	Addy Aceveda	Need Filled Need Filled Need Filled Need Filled
Easter Sunday April 5th 9:00am	Need Filled Need Filled	Need Filled Kathy Dobbs	Bob Uptagrafft	Need Filled Need Filled Need Filled Need Filled

Palm Sunday, or Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, marks Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem and the start of Holy Week in the Catholic Church. It features the blessing of palms, a procession, and the reading of the Passion narrative, highlighting both the joy of his arrival and the sorrow of his impending death.

- **Significance:** It serves as a bridge between Lent and the Paschal Mystery, remembering Christ's kingship as he rode a donkey into Jerusalem, while also preparing the faithful for his suffering.
- **Liturgy and Rituals:** Mass begins with the blessing of palm branches and a procession. The priest wears red vestments, symbolizing the blood of Christ
- The Passion Reading: A long reading of the Passion (the account of Jesus' arrest, trial, and crucifixion) is a central part of the Mass, inviting reflection on Christ's sacrifice.
- The Palms: Palm branches represent peace and victory. Catholics take these blessed palms home as a reminder of their faith; they are not to be discarded as trash, but rather collected the following year to be burned into ashes for Ash Wednesday.
- Combined Themes: The day offers a profound contrast between the joyful "Hosanna" of the crowd and the later shouts of "Crucify him," encouraging Catholics to reflect on their own faith journey and commitment to Christ.

Palm Sunday

Please join us...

- Stations of the Cross will be at Noon each Friday of Lent.
- During Lent, after 8:30am Mass on Thursday mornings, we will be saying the Rosary at 9:00am.



-Steve and BJ Cannon and Cindy Klaveano for your continued work on the Membership Directory. If you haven't gotten a picture taken, please at least get your information (phone(s) numbers, address, & email info to Cindy Klaveano - (509 843- 1927 or 509 780-1927) to list in our Directory. We would like a true Directory of Holy Rosary parishioners.

-Marnie Herres for the organizing and preparing the last weeks of Faith Formation morning snacks. The last Faith Formation classes this year will be Sunday, May 3rd.

-Wynne McCabe for saying the Stations of the Cross for us and Jim Harris for carrying the cross around to each station. Thank You for a faithful Lenten season.

-Connie Harris for getting chocolate Easter crosses for our Faith Formation students. Happy Easter Students!! They will get these at Faith Formation.

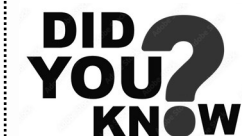
Scholarships should be turned in when completed and at the latest, the week after Easter. We will HONOR our Seniors and Mothers at the Knight's sausage/pancake breakfast on Sunday, May 10th.

- **Holy Rosary Altar Society Scholarship** - Application information sheet in the back of Church.
- **Holy Rosary Knights of Columbus Scholarship** - Application information is available through the Pomeroy High School Guidance office with Fred Knebel.
- **Holy Rosary Parish Scholarship** - Application information sheet is in the back of Church. Send application to Mary or give to a Parish Council member by Sunday April 19th. This scholarship is asking for the same information as the Altar Society scholarship so you can just use the same application letter/resume but just change who the application to "Holy Rosary Parish".

Please note, if you have an announcement that doesn't get in the bulletin, write it on the clipboard that's on the bulletin table for Fr. to announce at the end of Church.



Holy Rosary Prayer Chain if you have a name please call Catherine Altonen 509-843-1767 or text 509-956-8065 for requests.



Jesus riding a donkey was prophesied in Zechariah 9:9, nearly 500 years before his birth?

"Unless there is a Good Friday in your life, there can be no Easter Sunday." - Ven. Fulton Sheen

Holy Rosary Ministry Schedule	Altar Servers	Reader	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Homebound	Family Gift	Faith Formation
Palm Sunday March 29th 10:00am	Braydon & Brenna	Ed	Loren & Denise	Jim & Connie	R. Wolf	Yes
Easter Sunday April 5th 10:00am	McKinzie & Josiah	Nick	Eric & Linda	Eric & Linda	Alvarez	No
Sunday April 12th 10:00am	Brooklyn & Marcos	Judy	Tom & Cece	Steve & Mary	Burnstad	No
Sunday April 19th 10:00am	Robbie & Karl	Jim	Butch & Cindy	Paul & Juyne	Dixon	Yes