



“Stations of the Cross” reflections for  
HOLY WEEK

Monday - Wednesday

Pierced Hands and Feet, a thorn-crowned Head:  
Thy triumph this! Love is not dead!

Thursday - Saturday

My sinful heart would refuge be  
For Thee, dear Jesus, all for Thee



**Time to “Up our Meds” ~ Meditations on the Sorrowful Mysteries**

*The Carrying of the Cross*

The journey from the Praetorium to Calvary, up and down narrow dusty streets, must have been a nightmare for the worn-out Christ with a cross on His back. But Jesus was never too tired to console His friends. He filled the Cyrenean’s heart with a strange, delightful peace and joy; gently He told the mourning women to hold back their tears, for their children. He left the image of His Face on Veronica’s veil, repaying her sympathy with a miracle of thoughtfulness. And His Mother Mary found the strength to bear her sorrow in a glance from Her Son as He passed.

The fruit of suffering well borne is sympathy for others who suffer.  
If I bear trials and pains patiently, as Christ did,  
I’ll be kind and consoling to others, as Christ was.

*The Crucifixion*

At the summit of His sufferings – His agony on the Cross – Jesus simply radiated His divine mercy. While His enemies were pounding nails through His Hands and Feet, He forgave them, and prayed for their repentance. His first word on the upraised Cross was a promise of Paradise to His crucified companion who a short while before had reviled Him. Jesus gave Mary to John to be the whole world’s dearest Mother. And a moment before His death He cried out to His Father with a voice so mighty that the pagan centurion, as if echoing that cry, was forced to confess: “Indeed, this Man was the Son of God!”

Jesus, be as kind to me as You were to other sinners  
until Your last breath on Calvary.  
And give me Your merciful Heart.

*Three crosses stand on Calvary’s height  
One must chosen, so choose aright.  
Like a saint you must suffer, or a penitent thief,  
Or like the reprobate, in endless grief.*

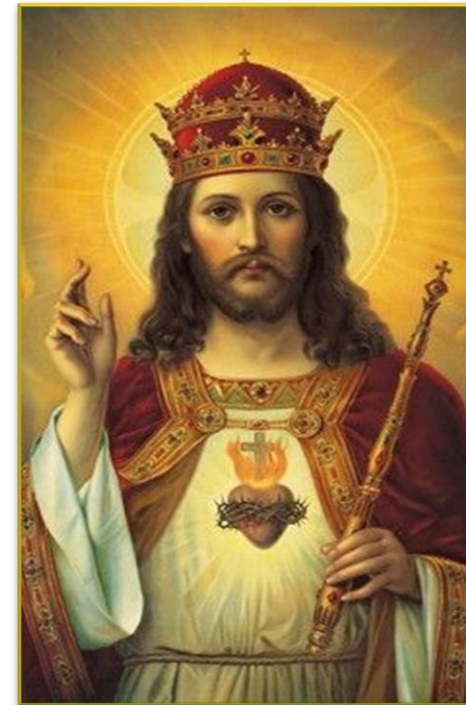


## Sacred Heart of Jesus Traditional Catholic Church

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### Palm Sunday



*“All the faithful should be aware that to participate in the Mass is their chief duty and supreme dignity.” Pope Pius XII*

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Month of Saint Joseph

### Sunday, March 29

8:00 AM  
10:00 AM  
4:00 PM in Roland

**Palm Sunday** / Ss Jonas & Comp, Mm

Pro Populo  
Private Intention  
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### Monday, March 30

*no Mass*

Monday in Holy Week / St John Climacus, Ab

Private Intention

### Tuesday, March 31

8:00 AM

Tuesday in Holy Week / St Benjamin, M

Private Intention

### Wednesday, April 1

*no Mass*

6:00 PM

Wednesday in Holy Week / St Hugh, BC

Private Intention  
Rosary, OMPH devotions, Prayer for Priests  
*~ for our priests and for many fervent vocations!*

### Thursday, April 2

6:00 PM High Mass

Holy Thursday

Private Intention

### Friday, April 3

12:00 Noon

Good Friday

Stations of the Cross, Good Friday liturgy

### Saturday, April 4

10:30 PM

Holy Saturday, *no Mass*

**Day of Complete Abstinence**

Easter Vigil

### Sunday, April 5

12:00 AM  
1:00 PM  
4:00 PM in Roland

**Easter Sunday** / St Vincent Ferrer, C

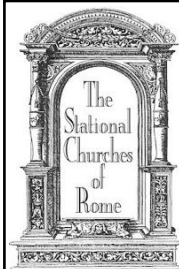
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*If you would like to have a Mass offered for a specific intention, the intention may be submitted to the Priest. If it is for a person, please specify whether the person is living or deceased, and Catholic or non-Catholic. The customary stipend for offering the Mass is \$25.00.*



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Thursday: All-night adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following the evening Mass. Be sure to sign up to “watch one hour with Him.”
- Friday: Holy Communion is distributed during the Sacred Liturgy, about 1:30pm.
- First Friday and First Saturday occur this week. What perfect days to offer all in reparation to the Hearts of Jesus and Mary!
- Holy Saturday, vigil of Easter, is a day of complete abstinence from meat.
- Closing hymn: Our Lady of Sorrows, page 59, #18.



Saint John Lateran is the Stational Church for Holy Thursday's liturgy and the Midnight Mass of Easter.

Holy Thursday is the *day of the cathedral* - in Rome, the day of St. John Lateran. Centuries ago, the pope celebrated the Mass of the Chrism in this cathedral, with the blessing of the holy oils.

The mosaic of the Basilica is suitable for catechumens waiting to begin a new life in Christ on the feast of His Resurrection:

At the top is depicted Christ the Savior among multicolored clouds. The face is thought to be inspired by the miraculous “not made by human hands” image that appeared in the original Lateran basilica.

In the center is seen a jeweled cross, which becomes the Tree of Life, from which the four rivers of Paradise emerge. From them springs the life-giving Jordan. It's a visual invitation to receive Baptism, following the example of the Savior who was baptized in the Jordan. This scene is depicted in the medallion at the center of the cross. (*Too small to be seen here, look it up!*)

Creation is fulfilled in the Paschal sacrifice: the cross becomes the tree of life and the sign of victory, the Spirit that hovered over the waters is now the Spirit given by Christ's sacrifice, and the water of the rivers is the water of Baptism from which new life is born.



**Pray for the living:** Audrey Hockel, Daniel Kramer, Mark Narlesky, Tony Gable, Jones family, Amaranta Torres Rodriguez, Cecilia Rodriguez and baby, Melvin Geckle, Joe Dias, Manuel Cordova, Mickey Ellis, Shelby Littlejohn, Diane Pawlowski, those affected by Hurricane Helene, Don & Babette Lobban, Gil Credeur, John Pawlowski, Luis Martinez, Kristine Neal

**Pray for the faithful departed:** Sr Mary Claretia, Fr Leo Carley, Linda Io, Milt Nelson, Ted Jones, Nancy Ciccone, Gerald Crochet, “Ernest,” Eddie Solomon, Mary Tarnowski, Guillaume Bega, Joseph Vogel, Patsy Nash, Josie Mascarenas, Fr James Thielen, Maria Eugenia, Doranne McMahon, Alexa Martin, Roberta Daley, Patricia Scott, Carlos Zepeda Sr, Cecilia Bender, Kathy Winter

### Monthly Collection

December 2025: \$21,285.05

January 2026: \$2,417.55

February 2026: \$6,343.75

“For from the rising of the sun even to the going down, my name is great among the Gentiles, and in every place there is sacrifice, and there is offered to my name a clean oblation: for my name is great among the Gentiles, saith the Lord of hosts.” *Malachi 1:11*