

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

March 28, 2010

The children of Jerusalem welcomed the King!

MOST HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

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Eucharistic Liturgies:	Weekends:	Saturday Vigil	5:00 PM
		Sunday	8:00 AM & 10:00 AM
	Weekdays:	Mon – Fri.	9:00 AM
Sacrament of Reconciliation:		Saturday	4:00 PM - 4:30 PM
			Or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism: Call the rectory 2 months in advance to make the necessary arrangements.
Sacrament of Matrimony: Call the rectory 6 months in advance to make preparation.

Parish Membership:	New members are always welcome. Please contact the Rectory office (607) 862-3216 for a census form.
Parish E-mail Address:	MRosaryChurch@stny.rr.com (non-urgent matters)
Parish Website:	http://mostholyroosary-maineny.org
Office Hours:	Tuesday through Friday 10 am – 4 pm
Religious Education Classes:	Sunday 9:00am – 9:50 am for Grades K-5
	Alternating Sundays 11:10 am – 12:30 pm for Grades 6 through Confirmation. Program runs October through May.
Bulletin Deadline:	Material must be submitted in writing by 10:00 am Tuesday

We show respect for the priesthood by making sure our celebrant is the last to enter and the first to leave.

Parish Liturgies for the Week of March 29, 2010

Masses for the Week (+ indicates deceased)

Mon: 9:00 AM - + James W. Zimmer / Req. by the Anstrom Family

Tue: 9:00 AM - Communion Service

Wed: 9:00 AM - + Lenore Albrecht: Birthday Remembrance /Req. by Bob and Family

Holy Thursday: 7:00 PM - Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday: 3:00 PM - Stations of the Cross

7:00 PM - Liturgy of the Passion

Holy Saturday: 3:00 PM - Blessing of the Easter Food

8:00 PM - Easter Vigil: For the People of Most Holy Rosary Parish

Easter Sunday: 8:00 AM - For the People of Most Holy Rosary Parish

10:00 AM - For the People of Most Holy Rosary Parish

Parish Ministries for Good Friday through Easter Sunday

Lectors

Sat: 8:00 PM - P. Acciai (#3); K. Cappellett (#5);
Jeff Felice (#1); J. Felice (#7)

Sun: 8:00 AM - Barbara Dessel
10:00 AM - Kathleen Wiktorek

Offertory Procession

Sat: 8:00 PM - Harold and Joyce Lewis

Sun: 8:00 AM - Paul and Jean Girard
10:00 AM - Jeff and Michelle Hoskins

Altar Servers

Friday 04/02: Stations-3:00 PM: R.Wiktorek, G. Stephens, R. Henrich

Friday 04/02: The Passion - 7:00PM: Ashley, Brian, and Justin Yale

Sat: 8:00 PM - Jason and Jacob Felice, A. J. Vitanza

Sun: 8:00 AM - Mary, Liz, and William Laughlin
10:00 AM - Ryan Scanlon, Anthony and Nicholas Taylor

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat: 8:00 PM - *Charles Hunt, Robert Henrich

Sun: 8:00 AM - *Danielle Curran, Cyndy Healy, Penny Thompson

10:00 AM - *Bill Austin, Jeff Gonz, Marge Liebe

* indicates the person assisting Father Clarence

Ushers/Greeters

Friday 04/02 - 7:00 PM: Nick and Jan Mangino, Pat Horvatt, John Seward

Sat: 8:00 PM - Tim McGovern, Steve Reynolds, Bryan and Debra Takacs

Sun: 8:00 AM - Carmen Gumble, John Curran
10:00 AM - Emil Stastny, Chris Stastny, John Sienko, Steve Brandt

Collection Counters

Syd Bouton, Dave McGregor, Kathleen and Bob Wiktorek

~ Please see insert for Holy Thursday Ministries ~



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and GLORY
of the
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OUR PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday: Religious Education Classes
K-5: 9:00 am - 9:50 am
6-Conf. II: 11:10 am - 12:30 pm

Holy Thursday: No Adult Church History Classes
Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:00 pm
Eucharistic Vigil until 10:00 pm

Good Friday: **Strict Fast and Abstinence**
Silent Prayer & meditations on the
7 Last Words of Christ 12:30-3:00pm

Second Collection: Holy Land
Stations of the Cross @ 3:00 pm

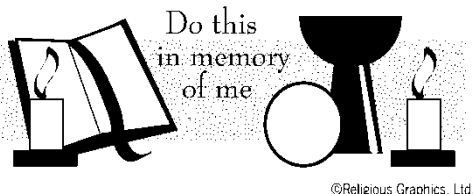
Liturgy of the Passion & Holy Communion: 7pm

Holy Saturday: Blessing of Easter Food - 3:00 pm
Easter Vigil - 8:00 pm

Easter Sunday: No Religious Education Classes
Masses at 8:00 am and 10:00 am

REGULAR COLLECTION

Weekly Goal: \$3,800.00
March 21st: \$4,575.00



Dear Friends,

This week we enter Holy Week, palms in hand, praising Jesus! Today we revisit Our Lord's triumphant entrance into Jerusalem. On Holy Thursday, we sit at the table in the upper room with Jesus as He celebrates the Last Supper...."do this in memory of Me".

On Good Friday, we watch as Jesus is condemned to death. We even join the crowds shouting "Crucify Him! Crucify Him!" We stare in horror as a cross is placed on His shoulder, and He is forced to drag the cross to the top of a hill. We cringe and look away as He is nailed to the cross. Jesus' love for us is infinite. We ask: "How much do You love me?" Jesus answers: "This much." as He extends His arms on the cross.

On Holy Saturday, we will have a blessing of the Easter food at 3:00 pm at the Church. The Easter Vigil will be at **8:00 pm** on Saturday evening. Please note the change in time. The Church directs that we not start before sundown (7:43pm), so our service will begin at 8:00 pm.

Easter Sunday services will be at 8:00 am and 10:00 am. Please refer to the yellow insert in last week's bulletin for detailed information on more Church programs during Holy Week.

Friday's Simple Supper was Minestrone Soup, hosted by Hands and Hearts of Mary. It was our final Simple Supper for this Lenten season. Thank you to Pat Krzyzewski and the Hearts and Hands of Mary group for providing this supper. And one final thank you to all who stepped forward to host the Simple Suppers.

Those of you who were able to attend our St. Patrick-St. Joseph Get Together last Saturday were treated to a spectacular dinner which featured herb scented pork tenderloin. Ann Marie Stone and her crew truly went 'above and beyond' with the food and the table decorations, and we thank them for their talents and their time!

**God Bless You,
Father Clarence.**

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Live web cam from Medjugorje: <http://www.medjugorjevideo.com/webcam/bigcam.html>

If you have signed up for the Hands and Hearts of Mary's trip Tuesday – April 20th to Lancaster, PA to see Joseph – The Musical, please send in your check for \$72.00 (made out to Most Holy Rosary), which covers the cost of the show ticket and bus transportation. If you've not yet signed up, you can reserve your seat by sending us your check. Checks can be mailed to the Rectory or dropped in the collection basket marked "Hands & Hearts of Mary Trip".

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This is the final week we will be focusing on personal hygiene and cleaning items. These items will be given to the CHOW Pantry at Maine Federated Church and used in the Easter Food Baskets which Maine Federated Church distributes. Monetary donations are also accepted. Just put your donation in an envelope marked "Human Development Committee" and place it in the collection basket. (Checks should be made payable to Most Holy Rosary Church.)

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Thank you to all who supported the Clam Chowder Sale at Maine Federated Church.

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Please check the vestibule bulletin board for more information on the following events:

- **Healing Mass** every Monday at 7:00 pm at St. Mary of the Assumption, Court & Fayette Streets, Binghamton. You will see Father Clarence smiling back at you from the altar!
- **St. James Church Easter Chocolate and Candies Sale.** Sale ongoing see flyer for info.
- **Wide Horizons Preschool Open House:** Maine Fed. Church - March 29th - 6:00-8:00pm
- **CYO Co-Ed Volleyball League:** Gr. 9-12 Starts end of March. Call: 584-7800


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Family Perspective from the Office of Family Life Education (A Hope Appeal Agency):

At each Mass the words, "This is My body which is give for you" challenge married couples to renew their vows of selfless giving (our body and blood) for each other. The generosity of Christ at the Last Supper continues today when couples daily lay down their lives for one another.

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If you or someone you know should be on our Prayer List, please call the Rectory or clearly PRINT the name on a piece of paper and drop it in the collection basket marked "Sick and Shut-Ins List". Don't forget to let us know when to remove the name.

Pray for Our Sick and Shut-Ins			March
Barbara Barcak	Marion Benthin	Terry Berge	 The Sanctuary Candle burns for the greater honor and glory of God, and in loving memory of the Deceased members of the Glover Family * * * At the request of Dorothy Winans
Syd Bouton	James Buttimer	Linda Darrow	
Jerry Donnelly, Jr.	Pam Donnelly	Debi Evans	
Frank Giordani	Ron Malinowski	Theresa Mills	
Elizabeth Moat	Jack Molyneaux	De Molyneaux	
David Olsen	Betty Perry	Edward Radulski	
Helen Radulski	Maureen Reynolds	Carol Sienko	
Esther Simrell	Billy Stadelman	Leone Tillery	
Frank Vicari	Barbara Wheatley		
Please help keep our Prayer List current by letting us know of people who should be added; also, please let us know when names should be removed. Thank you.			

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