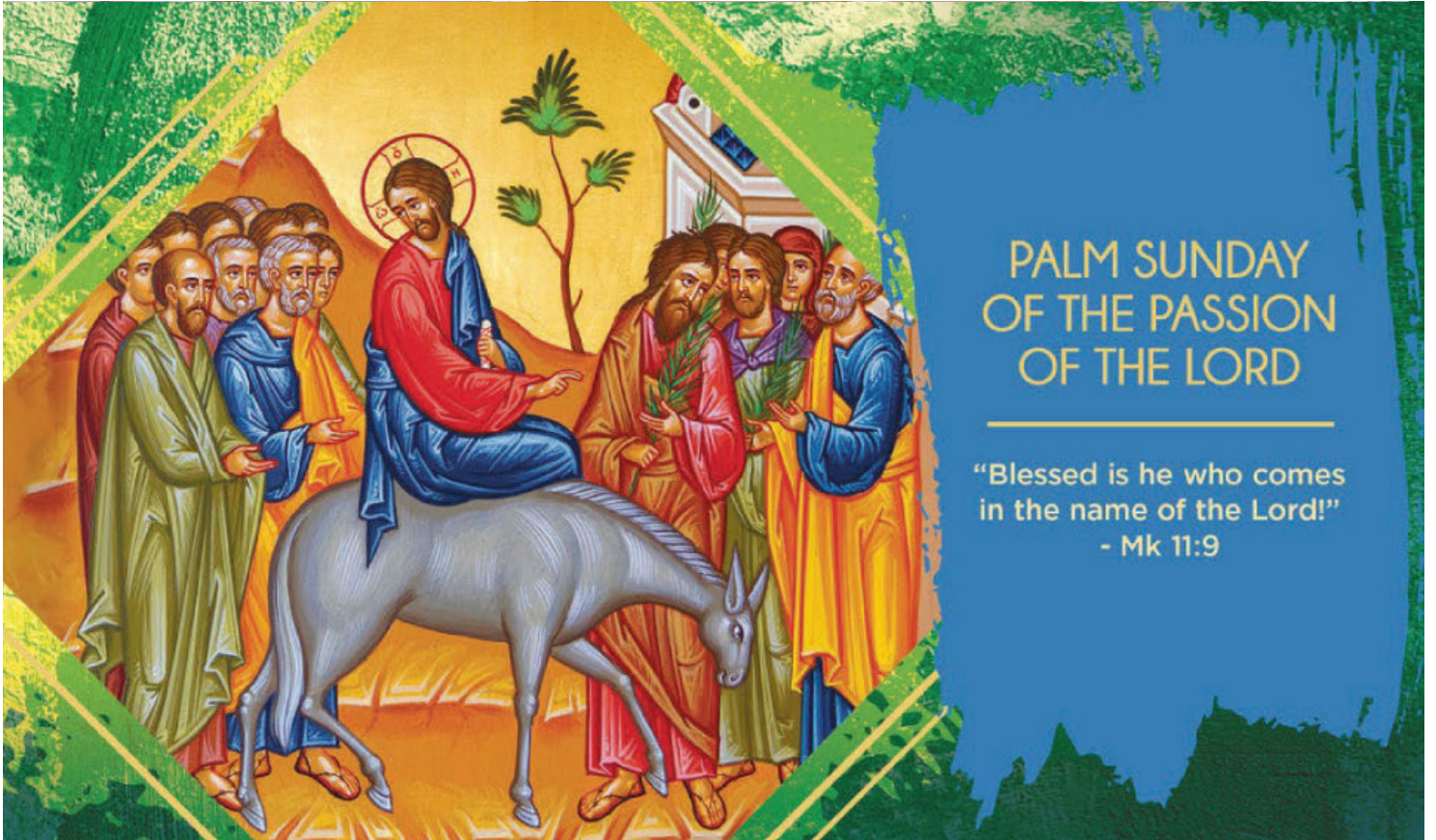


MARCH 24, 2024 | PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

Cathedral OF THE *Incarnation*



PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

“Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord!”
- Mk 11:9

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Friday 7:00 AM & 12:10 PM
Monday - Thursday 5:30 PM UCat

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8:00 AM (First Saturday Only)
5:00 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday 8:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 5:00 PM

CONFESSION

Saturday 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

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Saturday - Sunday Closed

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MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions may be obtained for loved ones, living or deceased, through the parish office. Please email info@cathedralnashville.org.

SATURDAY, 3/23

5:00PM † Earl & Aileen Etter by Rita & Angela Etter

SUNDAY 3/24

8:30AM † Theresa Mardini by Jack & Ann Waddey

11:00AM † Margaret "Bitsy" Higgins Thompson (4th Ann.) by Pete & Katherine DeLay

5:00PM People of the Parish

8:00PM University Catholic Students

MONDAY, 3/25

7:00AM † Teresa Nowalk by Sally Helfer

12:10PM CC Gaiennie by Adeline Brown

5:30PM † Mary Payne

TUESDAY, 3/26

7:00AM Charlie Mercier (Special Intention) by Tori LaPlue

12:10PM Donna Asselin by Ray & Erica Elder

5:30PM NO MASS - CHRISM MASS at CATHOLIC PASTORAL CENTER

WEDNESDAY, 3/27

7:00AM † Pat Harris by Rhett & Estie Harris

12:10PM † John Lawrence by Chris & Patricia Casa Santa

5:30PM † James E. Payne, Sr.

THURSDAY, 3/28

7:00PM HOLY THURSDAY - EVENING MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

FRIDAY, 3/29

12-3PM Tre Ore / Confessions / Stations of the Cross

7:00PM GOOD FRIDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION - VENERATION OF THE CROSS

SATURDAY, 3/30

7:00PM EASTER VIGIL MASS

*May the Souls of the Faithful Departed,
through the Mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen*

This Week At Cathedral

March 23 - March 30

SATURDAY

7:00pm Cursillo Group in RM 303 & 304

SUNDAY

Coffee & Donuts After Morning Masses

8:00am Rosary Before Mass

8:30am CLOW RE RM 104

4:00pm CYA Book Club RM 202

MONDAY

4:30pm UCat Confession/Adoration

6:30pm CYA Bible Study RM 305

7:00pm Boy Scouts RM 304

TUESDAY

4:30pm UCat Confession/Adoration

5:30pm Legion of Mary RM 204

6:30pm Cursillo RM 202 & 206

WEDNESDAY

4:30pm UCat Confession/Adoration

6:15pm Regnum Christi Encounter Grp RM 302

THURSDAY

No Scheduled Events

FRIDAY

No Scheduled Events

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Celebrate Easter with Generosity!

Dear Parishioners,

As we approach the joyous occasion of Easter, we extend our heartfelt gratitude for your unwavering support. Your sacrificial gifts have a profound impact on the life of our beloved Cathedral of the Incarnation.

Your generosity enables us to maintain and enhance our historical church, preserving its sacred beauty for generations to come. Every donation, no matter the size, contributes to our vibrant community and the spiritual growth of all who enter our doors.

This Easter, we invite you to give meaningfully, reflecting the love and sacrifice of our Risen Lord. Your kindness sustains our mission, and we are profoundly thankful for your presence in our parish family. Use the QR code on page 2 to give online!



In many Eastern European countries, it is a tradition to have a basket of food blessed on Holy Saturday, a practice dating to the 15th century or earlier, and one which is still maintained by many Eastern European families. We will observe this tradition at **10AM in the Fleming Center on March 30th.**

Easter
EGG HUNT
MARCH 30TH
BLESSING OF THE EASTER BASKETS
IN THE FLEMING CENTER AT 10AM
EASTER EGG HUNT IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING
ON THE FIRST FLOOR OF ST. ALBERT'S HALL
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✠ HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE ✠

Palm Sunday Masses, March 23/24:

Saturday 5pm, Sunday 8:30 & 11am, 5pm

Chrism Mass, March 26:

6:30pm at the Catholic Pastoral Center

Holy Thursday, March 28:

*Holy Thursday - Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper 7pm
ADORATION UNTIL MIDNIGHT*

Tre Ore, March 29:

*12pm - 3pm (including Stations of the Cross at the
conclusion of the Tre Ore)
CONFESSIONS HEARD DURING THE TRE ORE*

Good Friday, March 29:

*Good Friday the Lord's Passion - Veneration of the Cross
7pm*

Easter Vigil, March 30:

*7pm
NO CONFESSIONS HEARD ON SATURDAY*

Easter Sunday, March 31:

*8:30 (Overflow in the Fleming Center)
11am Cathedral
11am Fleming Center
5pm Cathedral*

✠ CONFESSION ✠

Catholics are required to go to Confession at least once a year during the Lenten season. We will have one final Wednesday Confession time from 6:30-7:30pm on Wednesday, March 27th. There will be Confessions throughout the Tre Ore on Good Friday as well.

Diaper Fair for Mulier Care



The Diaper 500 is running this Lent ... Mulier Care is in need of diapers.

Mulier Care is a pregnancy crisis organization providing help for expecting women. Donating diapers is the most life affirming support we can give them right now. It is their most pressing need.

We will continue to collect diapers up to and including Sunday, March 24, 2024. Look for collection boxes around the church. Your donations are greatly appreciated!

Parking Information

Due to the generosity of some of our neighbors, additional parking will be available for Easter Sunday. We are grateful for the use of these additional parking spaces.

Besides the Vanderbilt garage, parking will be available at the corner of West End Avenue and 21st Avenue South, at the site of the closed Qdoba restaurant.

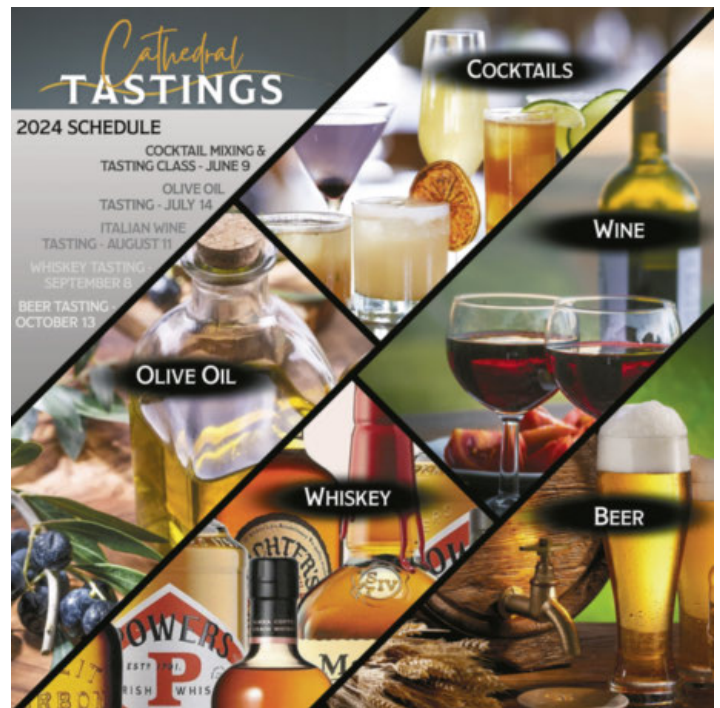
Parking will also be available at the surface lot located at 20th Avenue North behind the Graduate Hotel. A volunteer will be posted at this lot to allow access. Cars parked in this lot must be removed no later than a half hour after Mass has concluded. Cars remaining beyond this time will be subject to towing.

Parking in a vibrant downtown neighborhood can be a challenge. We are grateful for your understanding and patience. We appreciate you being a part of our cathedral family and choosing to worship with us.



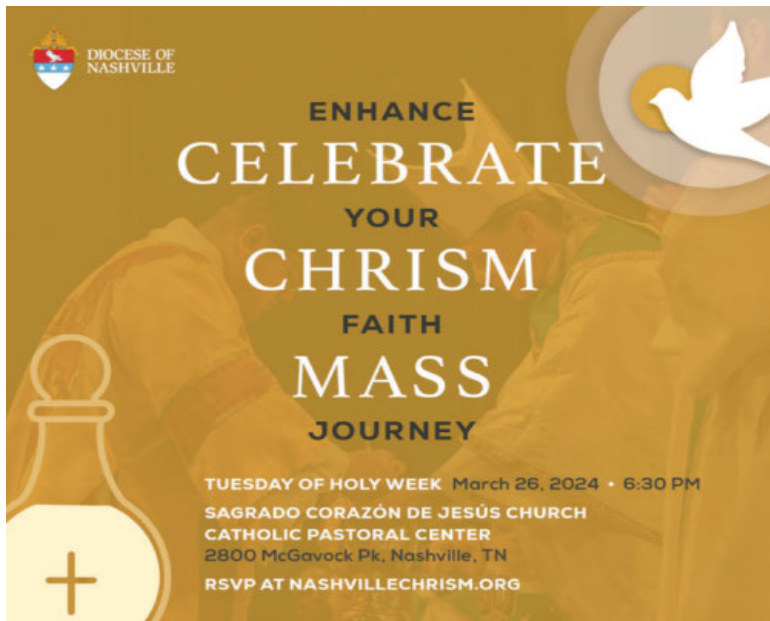
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- Parking lot directly behind the Cathedral rectory
- Parking lot on corner of Terrace Place and 20th Ave – behind the Cathedral
- Vanderbilt Garage – access from alley near Fleming Center
- Vanderbilt Garage – access from Terrace Place. Use entrance closest to Cathedral parking lots



Room In The Inn is almost over for the year. We end the last Tuesday of the month, on March 26th. We are set with volunteers and donations.

We will have a volunteer thank you pot luck on Tuesday, April 9th at 6pm in the Fleming Center. Sarah McLeod will provide the main dish and the drinks and asks everyone else to bring a side or dessert to share.



The Chrism Mass

The Chrism Mass is one of the most solemn and important liturgies of the Christian liturgical calendar. This year the Chrism Mass will be held at the Catholic Pastoral Center on March 26 at 6:30 PM. It is also one of the principal expressions of the fullness of the bishops' priesthood and signifies the closeness of the priests with him. It is a celebration of the priesthood with Jesus' words at the last supper, "do this in memory of me." All present renew their baptismal promises and the priests and deacons renew their promises made at their ordinations.

The Sacred Chrism is the only oil that is consecrated. The others are blessed. The Sacred Chrism is used for baptisms, confirmations, holy orders and consecration of churches and altars.

The Oil of Catechumens is used in the teaching ministry of the church.

The Oil of the Sick (or Infirm) is used in the healing ministry of the church, the Anointing of the Sick.

The Sacred Chrism is a mixture of olive oil and balsam, an aromatic resin. The balsam is poured into the oil which gives it a sweet smell to remind us of the "odor of sanctity" as those who are anointed with it are called to serve. The bishop breathes over the vessel containing the Chrism symbolizing the Holy Spirit coming down to consecrate the oil. This recalls Jesus in John 20:22 when He breathed upon the apostles saying "Receive the Holy Spirit." At the same time, the concelebrating priests extend their hands and silently say the prayer of consecration. The Rite of Reception is when the representatives from every parish receive the oils signifying each parish's unity with their Bishop. Whenever the oils are used, the ministry of the bishop who blessed or consecrated them is symbolically present.

In the Cathedral, our oils are kept in silver urns which are on display in a cabinet called an ambry. Our ambry is located just outside the door entering the sacristy from the sanctuary.

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February Baptisms and Weddings

February Baptisms

Remington Grace Schoff
 child of Gregory and Courtney Schoff

Isaac Nicholas Rodriguez
 child of Juan and Tinea Rodriguez

Elliott Claire Miller
 child of Brendan and Katherine Miller

Beau Nicholas Brooks
 child of Ernest and Elizabeth Brooks

Claire Marie Fullan child of Michael and Kathryn Fullan

Oliver Andrew Hill and Evelyn Suzanne Hill
 children of Jared and Chelsea Hill

Savannah Lindy Smith
 child of Matthew and Margaret Smith

Veronika Eloise Anderson
 child of Kirk and Karolina Anderson

Maxine Benoit Frazier
 child of Christopher and Cassi Frazier

February Wedding

Pierce Creighton and Elizabeth Lansden

Arise to Blessedness

April 5 and April 6, 2024

NDCCW Retreat by

Nashville Diocesan Council of Catholic Women at
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Please plan to join the Nashville Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (NDCCW) as they offer a retreat at the beautiful, peaceful Scarritt Bennett Center.

Reserve your room early to get the best rooms and call Scarritt Bennett directly at 615-340-7469. Use the code SBC 2024 to get the special group rate. Please let them know if you need to be on the first floor.

Friday, April 5, 2024 9:00am - 4:00pm

Saturday, April 6, 2024 9:00 am - 2:00pm

Cost includes lunch and dinner on Friday, breakfast & lunch on Saturday

Fri afternoon and Sat: Members \$100, Non-members \$110

One day only: Members, \$50 Non-members \$60

RSVP by March 29

INFO: NDCCWRetreat2024@gmail.com



Divine Mercy Sunday

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Come pray

Sunday, April 7, 3:00 p.m.

MEALS FOR PRIESTS

You can sign up by using this link

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050D48AFAE2F4-feasts1>

or Scan the QR Code

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For more information call Shawn Curley at 615-497-1513 or Debbie Rayhab at 615-584-0732



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Saturday

April 6, 2024

8AM Shotgun Start

(Registration begins at 7AM)

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Long Drive Contest

Hole in One & Closest to the Pin

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Sunday March 24th

our community will take part in



40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You are invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood (412 Dr. D.B. Todd Jr. Blvd, Nashville, TN 37203), and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach. Please come and pray for at least an hour.

Planned Parenthood is still doing abortion referrals and chemical abortions are still occurring in our state through the use of the pill RU-486 (mifepristone).


Closing: March 24 at 2:00 pm starting with Lift High the Cross Procession from the Cathedral of the Incarnation back parking lot to Planned Parenthood (0.7miles) for Stations of the Cross outside Planned Parenthood.

If you'd like more information - and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact Roy Silveira at roysilveira@gmail.com. Also visit the website at www.40daysforlife.com/nashville for more information and to sign up.

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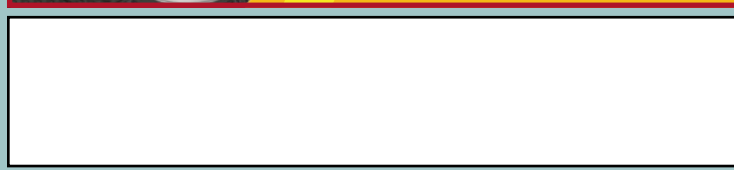
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