

PALM SUNDAY – C

APRIL 13, 2025

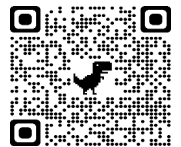
ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109



*Palm
Sunday*

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



April 13 — Palm Sunday

As Holy Week begins, palms are blessed and distributed at all Masses

April 14—16 — Holy Monday to Holy Wednesday

Masses at 7:00 am and 8:00 am

April 17 — Holy Thursday

Morning Prayer at 8:00 am

Mass of the Lord's Last Supper at 7:00 pm

Night Prayer at 11:00 pm *(after the Eucharistic Vigil)*

April 18 — Good Friday

Morning Prayer at 8:00 am

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion at 3:00 pm

Via Crucis at 7:00 pm

April 19 — Holy Saturday

Morning Prayer at 8:00 am

Easter Vigil Mass at 8:15 pm *(or at sunset)*

April 20— Easter Sunday

Masses at 8:00 am, 10:30 am and 12:15 pm

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Weekly Mass Intentions

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SATURDAY, April 12

8:00a Carmello Mobilio by Marino Family
5:30p Genevieve "Jean" Giordano by Family

SUNDAY, April 13 (Palm Sunday)

8:00a Doris Gomez by Adriana Rivera
10:30a People of the Parish
12:15p Juana Torrocha by Wilma Torrocha

MONDAY, April 14

7:00a Jaime Cruz by Daisy Tiu
8:00a Isagani Cruz by Daisy Tiu

TUESDAY, April 15

7:00a Simon Gonsalves by Julie Mathew
8:00a Nora Kelly by Daisy Tiu

WEDNESDAY, April 16

7:00a Rolando Cruz by Daisy Tiu
8:00a Anna Sessa by Anna Marie

THURSDAY, April 17 (Holy Thursday)

8:00a Morning Prayer
7:00p Mass of the Lord's Supper

FRIDAY, April 18 (Good Friday)

8:00a Morning Prayer
3:00p Service—Passion of the Lord
7:00p Via Crucis/Stations of the Cross

SATURDAY, April 19 (Holy Saturday)

8:00a Morning Prayer
8:15p Easter Vigil—People of the Parish

SUNDAY, April 20 (Easter Sunday)

8:00a Doris Gomez by Adriana Rivera
10:30a Margaret Raimondi by Gilda
12:15p Sulpicia Vivas (Birthday) by Rey & Norie Ramos

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

April 13 - April 20, 2025

The Altar Bread & Wine will be offered for the Intentions of
People of the Parish

The Altar Candles will be offered for the Intentions of
People of the Parish

The Sanctuary Lamp will be offered for the intentions of
People of the Parish

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Edward McNulty, Grace Constantino, Carlos Zapanta, Jonel Francisco, Nicholas Castellano, Feliciano Lima, Zenaida Baltazar, Carolyn Salvatoriello, Judy Batson, Elisa Ortiz, Remedios Uy, Alfreda Surigao, Rita Charles, James De Fago III, Patrick Sitton, Gustavo Caceres, Billy Juliano, Nita Andre, John Buglione, Michael Profenno, Kaitlyn Vega, Grace Pennella, Amelia Collina, Bobby Collina

Please call the parish office if you need to be kept in next month's bulletin.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Special Collections - \$ 429.00
(Indian & Black)

Regular Sunday Collections - \$ 3,312.19
(April 5 & 6, 2025, including online)

Special Collections - \$ 1,509.00
(Easter Flowers)

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT TO OUR PARISH!

"One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, only suffers wants." (Proverbs11:24)

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Ranulfo D. Docabo, SSL
Pastor

Rev. Jose Adrian Surigao, MA
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PRAYER TO BEGIN THE HOLY WEEK

Lord Jesus Christ, as I begin this most Holy Week, commemorating Your gift of salvation, I pray that this commemoration will also be a real and transforming participation in Your life, death, and resurrection. Thank You for redeeming us, dear Lord. Please open my heart to receive Your grace fully. Jesus, I trust in You. Amen.

Palm Sunday

John 14:23-29

This portion of John's Gospel comes near the end of the first of four chapters that make up Jesus' long farewell discourse at the Last Supper. This section of chapter 14 actually sums up the themes of the opening of the discourse: the Christian's life is not shaped by Jesus' absence but by God's abiding presence; God's presence overcomes anxiety about God's absence; and the present holds in it the seeds of a fresh future shaped by love, not fear.

These verses also contain a glimpse of some of the other themes of the farewell discourse: Jesus' relationship with the Father and the disciples' relationship to Jesus connect the disciples to the Father as well. Jesus promises to send an Advocate or intercessor who will remind the disciples of everything that Jesus taught them and bring them peace.

Jesus is preparing his disciples in advance for his absence so that they will continue to believe in him and not feel all alone after his return to the Father. After the initial excitement of his Easter appearances, Jesus will remain with his followers in a very different way throughout the centuries.

As our celebration of the Easter season is coming to an end, the liturgy reminds us that Jesus remains with us through the Holy Spirit, who teaches us everything we need to know, reminds us of all that Jesus taught, and brings us peace.

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TODAY, SUNDAY, APRIL 13

PALM SUNDAY

Masses: 8am, 1030am & 1215pm

HOLY WEEK BEGINS

THURSDAY, APRIL 17

HOLY THURSDAY

8:00am—Morning Prayer

7:00pm—MASS: Lord's Supper

11:00pm—Night Prayer

Church

FRIDAY, APRIL 18

GOOD FRIDAY

8:00am-Morning Prayer

3:00pm-Passion

7:00pm-Via Crucis

Church

SATURDAY, APRIL 19

HOLY SATURDAY

8:00am Morning Prayer

8:15pm Easter Vigil

Church

SUNDAY, APRIL 20

EASTER SUNDAY

Masses: 8am, 1030am & 1215pm

Church

FLORES DE MAYO 2025

#FloresDeMayo2025. #FaithAndJoy. #JoinTheFun

This is a wonderful time to honor our Blessed Mother through joyful songs, prayers, and exciting activities.

There will be

FUN GAMES, **AWESOME PRIZES**, & **DELICIOUS FOOD** waiting for everyone! Don't miss this chance to celebrate, learn, make new friends and have fun with faith and joy.

Bring your friends and join us –see you there!

For more details, contact:

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EVERY SATURDAY OF MAY AT 230 IN THE AFTERNOON

SANTA CRUZAN

SUNDAY, MAY 25, 2025
AT 330 IN THE AFTERNOON

ST ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH
63 FRANKLIN ST. BELLEVILLE NJ 07109



ALTAR SERVERS' SCHEDULE (1030am Mass)

April 13, 2025

Ethan Venturi
Taina Venturi
Lucas Tiankee
Reagan Ocampo

April 20, 2025

Samantha Llaban
Chloe Llaban
Joseph Bunk-Grant
Clarie Anya

TRAVELING CHALICE

Sunday, April 13, The Traveling Chalice will be received by **BARBARA & JOHN GRICE & FAMILY** at the 10:30am Mass. They will be praying for vocations this week and present to **SISSY & MARCO ALLENDE & FAMILY** next Sunday at the 10:30am Mass. Let us continue to pray for priestly & religious vocations in our parish!

JOIN YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS
FOR OUR PRIVATE VIEWING OF THE MOVIE



SATURDAY, APRIL 26
7:00pm Ferraro Hall

Please be sure to reserve your seat as soon as possible. A night out for the the whole family to enjoy and learn all about the first American saint!

FREE ADMISSION FOR ALL
Including Refreshments

Please call the Parish Office to RSVP!



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

**DON'T MISS THESE UPCOMING
EVENTS**

Family Movie Night—CABRINI—April 26

Mothers' Day Breakfast—May 11

Flores de Mayo—Saturdays in May

Saint Anthony Festival—June 13 & 14

ST. ANTHONY'S MOTHER'S DAY MASS & BREAKFAST

SUNDAY, MAY 11, after the 8:00 AM Mass

Come to Mass at 8:00 AM to Honor Your Mother

After Mass Enjoy a Delicious Hot Breakfast

Pick up a ticket order form at church. JUST \$20pp

Invite Your Mom, Your Grandmother, Your Godmother and Your Siblings—
Make This an Extra Special Day

RSVP DEADLINE—MAY 8 — NO WALK-INS

The Veiling of Images and Crosses

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Veiling

The third typical edition of the Roman Missal provides a rubric at the beginning of the texts for the Fifth Sunday of Lent, which allows that: "the practice of covering crosses and images in the Church from the Fifth Sunday of Lent is permitted, according to the judgement of the Conferences of Bishops. Crosses remain veiled until the end of the celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday; images remain veiled until the beginning of the Easter Vigil." In 2001, the USCCB approved an adaptation of the General Instruction of the Roman Missal allowing for the veiling of crosses and images in this manner.

The option of veiling images and crosses is left to the discretion of the local pastor and is not a required practice. If it is decided to cover crosses and statues, it is not to be done until the Fifth Sunday of Lent.

Unveiling

Crosses are unveiled following the Good Friday liturgy. Since the cross is the focus of attention on Good Friday, it is logical that all crosses would be unveiled after the celebration of the Passion of the Lord for the veneration of the faithful.

Statues are unveiled before the beginning of the Easter Vigil. The veiling and unveiling of statues is not done as part of any liturgy, including the Easter Vigil. Statues are to be unveiled before the Easter Vigil begins.

Veils

While liturgical law does not prescribe the form or color of such veils, they have traditionally been made of simple, lightweight purple cloth, without ornament.

Holy Thursday

The concluding rubrics following the Mass of the Lord's Supper (41) indicate that "at an opportune time the altar is stripped and, if it is possible, crosses are removed from the church. It is fitting that crosses which remain in the church be veiled." After the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, then, it is permitted to cover crosses if this has not been done at the Fifth Sunday of Lent. This practice is optional. The decision to cover the crosses is left up to the discretion of the local pastor.

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GOOD FRIDAY, April 18 @ 7pm

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS
WITH THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF
ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA PARISH**

Please be sure to attend this very holy service as we commemorate the crucifixion and death of Our Lord Jesus Christ. As we approach the high point of the Paschal Triduum, this is a time to reflect and meditate on His Passion through readings, prayer and song.

LAST CHANCE TO JOIN THE CHOIR!!

No tryouts! Just show up!

Today at 1:30pm in the Choir Loft!

Join our Choir and help make this Easter Mass resound with beautiful praises as we glorify our Lord.

HAPPY & BLESSED EASTER TO ALL!!

NEXT WEEK'S 2nd COLLECTION

The 2nd Collection next week, April 19 & 20, will be for *Easter Gift*. Please be reminded that this Easter Gift is in addition to our Regular Easter Sunday Collections. A Happy and Holy Easter to All. Thank you for your generous donations and may the Lord bless you and your families always.

UPCOMING 2nd COLLECTIONS SCHEDULE

April 26 & 27 – Catholic Home Missions

May 3 & 4 – Monthly Assessment

May 10 & 11 – Mothers' Day Mass Remembrance

May 24 & 25 – none

May 29 – Ascension

May 31 & June 1 – Monthly Assessment

June 7 & 8 – Feast of Saint Anthony

June 14 & 15 – Fathers' Day Mass Remembrance

June 21 & 22 – HELP

June 28 & 29 – St. Peter's Pence