

# *Holy Family Traditional Roman Catholic Church*

Traditional Latin Mass according to the Tridentine Rite codified by St. Pius V  
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## *Laetare Sunday*

*March 30, 2025*

We gladly welcome visitors and newcomers.

At the same time, we respectfully remind you that to receive Our Lord in Holy Communion, one must be:

A baptized Catholic free from any mortal sin committed since one's last Confession.

Fasting for three hours from any food and/or alcoholic beverage.

One hour from any other beverage except water.

Praying in  
Silence

**Kindly maintain prayerful silence both before and after all Masses.**

Please respect the needs of fellow parishioners to spend time quietly in the church in uninterrupted prayer. Everyone is asked to take all conversations outside the building or into the church hall where conversations are welcome.

**Mass Intentions will be posted in the bulletin once daily Mass resumes.**

All Mass Intentions that are put in the designated container at the back of the church will be collected by the priests and said at their daily Masses.

### **HOLY MASS SCHEDULE**

Sundays: 4:00 PM

Weekdays: TBA

Holy Days of Obligation: TBA

CONFESSIONS - Before Each Mass

ROSARY - Before Each Mass

BLESSING OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

at the communion rail after Mass

### **NOVENAS**

Miraculous Medal - TBA

Sacred Heart - TBA

### **COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION CLASSES**

Sundays after Mass

CHOIR PRACTICE - Sundays before the Mass

Please contact the priests regarding **BAPTISMS, MATRIMONY, EXTREME UNCTION, CONSULTATIONS AND SICK CALLS**

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## Laetare Sunday - Fourth Sunday in Lent

**GOSPEL (John 6:1-15)** At that time, Jesus went away to the other side of the sea of Galilee, which is that of Tiberias. And a great multitude followed Him, because they saw the miracles which He did on them that were diseased. Jesus therefore went up into a mountain: and there He sat with His disciples. Now the Passover, the festival day of the Jews, was near at hand. When Jesus therefore had lifted up His eyes and seen that a very great multitude had come to Him, He said to Philip: "Whence shall we buy bread, that these may eat?" And this He said to try him: for He Himself knew what He would do. Philip answered Him: "Two hundred denarii worth of bread is not sufficient for them that everyone may take a little." One of His disciples, Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, said to Him: "There is a boy here that has five barley loaves and two fishes. But what are these among so many?" Then Jesus said: "Make the men sit down." Now, there was much grass in the place. The men therefore sat down, in number about five thousand. And Jesus took the loaves: and when He had given thanks, He distributed to them that were set down. In like manner also of the fishes, as much as they would. And when they were filled, He said to His disciples: "Gather up the fragments that remain, lest they be lost." They gathered up therefore and filled twelve baskets with the fragments of the five barley loaves which remained over and above to them that had eaten. Now those men, when they had seen what a miracle Jesus had done, said: "This is indeed the Prophet who is to come into the world." Jesus, therefore, when He knew that they would come to take Him by force and make Him king, fled again into the mountains, Himself alone.



**Laetare Sunday**, the fourth Sunday in the season of Lent. Traditionally, this Sunday has been a day of celebration, within the austere period of Lent.

The term "Laetare Sunday" comes from the Latin *laetare*, the singular imperative of *laetari*: "to rejoice". This Sunday gets its name from the first few words of the traditional Latin Introit for the Mass of the day, "Laetare Jerusalem" — "Rejoice, O Jerusalem".

Historically, the day was also known as "the Sunday of the Five Loaves," from the story of the miracle of the loaves and fishes.

Laetare Sunday is also known as Mothering Sunday and Rose Sunday, either because the golden rose sent by Popes to Catholic sovereigns used to be blessed at this time, or because the use of rose-colored (rather than violet) vestments was permitted on this day.

Laetare Sunday is considered a day of relaxation from normal Lenten duties, a day of hope with Easter within sight. Traditionally, weddings (otherwise banned during Lent) could be performed on this day, and servants were released from service for the day to visit their mothers (hence 'Mothering Sunday').

Laetare Sunday is 21 days before Easter Sunday, a moveable feast based on the cycles of the moon. The date can be between 1 March and 4 April; occurrence in April is considered to be uncommon; the last occurrence was on 3 April 2011 and the next will be on 4 April 2038. The earliest occurrence of Laetare Sunday in the twenty-first century was on 2 March 2008.

By its anticipation of the joy of Easter, Laetare Sunday is meant to give us hope and encouragement as we slowly progress towards the Paschal Feast.

In addition to attending Sunday Mass, a family might choose to mark Laetare Sunday by anticipating the Easter feast; a Sunday brunch with roses on the table would be appropriate. A family might also wish, during this beginning period of spring, to plant a rose bush on this day.

**DRESS POLICY** ~ If this is the first time you have attended the Traditional Latin Mass you may have noticed that our parishioners do not dress casually in the church. Since the changes of Vatican II in the Church, few parishes have had any kind of dress code: we still believe that modesty and appropriate attire are necessary, especially in Church out of respect for the True Presence of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament, and for the edification of our neighbor, we kindly request that all who come to our parish observe the basic traditional Catholic standards of dress for church attendance  
**and to receive communion at the communion rail:**

Women and girls must cover their heads. (Chapel veils or mantillas are available for loan or purchase in the vestibule.)

Women and girls must wear dresses or skirts that cover the knee completely when standing or sitting. Slacks, jeans, shorts, sleeveless, tight or low-cut clothing, and dresses or skirts with long slits above the knees are not permitted.

It is recommended for men and boys to wear suit coats and ties for Sunday Mass.

Jeans and other casual attire are inappropriate for attendance at church.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Kindly sign-up to spend one hour in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.** The sign-up sheet is located at the back of the church on the bookshelf.
- **On April 4<sup>th</sup> there is First Friday Mass at 9 AM.**
- **The Altar & Rosary Society will hold their regular monthly meeting on Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM.**
- **On Sunday April 6<sup>th</sup>, you are invited to celebrate Fr. Molina's birthday and ordination anniversary with cake and refreshments** in the church hall following the 4 PM Mass.
- **During the month of March,** we will pray the Litany of St. Joseph at the end of Mass.
- **On Fridays during Lent, Stations of the Cross** are held at 7 PM.
- **The Altar & Rosary Society will hold their annual Easter bake sale** on Sunday, April 13<sup>th</sup> following the Mass.
- **Join fellow parishioners every Tuesday at 3 PM** in the church to recite fifteen decades of the rosary. Our intentions are to ask God and his Blessed Mother for their protection of our country and our church against the force which is trying to destroy us.
- **In your kindness, please remember to pray for those listed on the Memorial Page,** and all deceased members of the chapel.
- **New to the Tridentine Mass,** you may find the grey or green paperback missals found in the pews helpful in following the Mass.
- **The church website is updated frequently and reflects all upcoming events and Mass times.** You can also find suggested readings from Fr. Molina both for general reflection and specifically for the Lenten season.
- **We are a smoke free church.** No Smoking or Vaping Within 25 Feet of the church and school buildings is allowed.
- **Parishioners, friends and visitors are welcome to refreshments** in the church hall following the 4 PM Mass.



### **\*EASTER DUTY\***

All the faithful who have reached the use of reason are gravely obliged to receive Holy Communion worthily at least once during the Easter season. In the United States, this extends from the first Sunday of Lent to Trinity Sunday (the Sunday after Pentecost).

## **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Come adore the Lord for one hour or more in Eucharistic Adoration. Adoration is when a consecrated host is placed in a monstrance (from the Latin monstrare, to show or view) for adoration (for us to adore Him).

Adoration is a silent time for you to be alone with Jesus to recite your favorite prayers, say the rosary, read the bible, contemplate acts of faith, hope, charity, thanksgiving or reparation, or do whatever type of prayerful devotion that suits you before our Lord. You can sit quietly and say nothing, just keeping Him company like you would with a dear friend.

Day and night Jesus dwells in the Blessed Sacrament because you are the most important person in the world to Him. Stay for one hour. Feel His love and His peace!

"Be still and know that I am God." — Psalm 46

**The Most Blessed Sacrament will be exposed upon the altar on April 17<sup>th</sup>, Holy Thursday from 7:00 pm until 11 am, April 18<sup>th</sup>, Good Friday morning. We must have at least two people present during each hour as the Most Blessed Sacrament may not be left alone while exposed. Sign up sheet is available at the back of the church on the bookshelf. May you receive many blessings during Adoration.**

~ Holy Family School OPEN HOUSE - Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup> from 12noon to 2pm ~

The open house for Holy Family School is scheduled for May 4th from 12noon-2pm.

The first day of school is planned for August 11, 2025. Tuition is affordable and tuition assistance is available, either can be discussed at the open house. We look forward to seeing you there!

Holy Family School Board members: Ken Peldunas and Tricia Coburn. Contact Number : 321-615-2850



**The endeavor is dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows.**

**It was established to promote the pious Catholic traditional practice of women wearing a veil at Mass and when in the presence of Christ in the Eucharist.**

**Proceeds go towards the purchase of veils to give away to perpetuate the ministry.**

**Visit [www.veilsbytradition.com](http://www.veilsbytradition.com)**



*Remember, also, Lord, Your servants and handmaids below who are gone hence before us, marked with the sign of faith, and sleep the sleep of peace. To them, Lord and to all that rest in Christ, grant, we implore You a place of happiness, light and peace through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Deceased Members of the Hunter, Watkinson, Krukowski, & Corvello Families  
 Deceased Members of the Lankenau & Cabble Family  
 Deceased Members of the Liburdi and Fleischer Families  
 Deceased Members of the Toth and Gurbach Families  
 Deceased Members of the Meehan and Spelman Families  
 Janelle & Joseph McKinney; Deceased Souls of Janzen, McKinney & Legge Families  
 Ernie & Dennis Janzen; Gabels & Zechas R.I.P.  
 Deceased Family and Friends of Dean and Betty Racioppi  
 Deceased Members of the Eastwood and Harte Families R.I.P.  
 Deceased of the Lagemann, Kitchen & Lee Families  
 Deceased Members of the Cianchetto and Ruggiero Families  
 Deceased Members of the Brown & Mallett Families R.I.P.  
 Deceased Family & Friends of the Voors & Harber Families  
 John "Jack" Olski and all Deceased Members of the Olski & Lyons Families  
 Deceased Members of the Montgomery, Pond, & Tennyson Families  
 Deceased Members of the J. H. Crain / F.A. Croucher Families  
 Deceased Members of the Kelderhouse Family  
 Deceased DeFillips, Dark, Langbein & Mares Families  
 Deceased Members of the Robert F. Montano Family  
 Deceased Family and Friends of Ray & Michelle DeFillips  
 Audrey Alesio and Deceased of the Alesio & Royce Families R.I.P.  
 Deceased Members of the Blatt-Scherer Family R.I.P.  
 For the Repose of the Soul of Katherine Basala R.I.P.  
 Repose of the Souls of Gosta and Greta Jonsson R.I.P.  
 Deceased Members of the Clark & Ziegler Families  
 Bill O'Connell & Daughter & Great Grandson  
 Anne & Ray Jacobs & Sons & Grandchildren  
 Deceased Members of the Kosack & Schumaker Families, R.I.P.

Deceased Members of Peter Faas Family  
 Deceased Members of the Tigue Family  
 Deceased Members of the Sansone Family  
 Charles & Antoinette Sutly R.I.P.  
 Charles & Mary Sutly Requiescant in pace  
 Joseph & Carmela DiPaolo R.I.P.  
 William Broughton R.I.P.  
 Barbara DeFillips R.I.P.  
 George and Marian Draper R.I.P.  
 Lynn Marie Reynolds R.I.P.  
 Beatriz Jarmillo R.I.P.  
 Patrick Galbraith R.I.P.  
 Marie Delello R.I.P.  
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 Deceased Members of the Steffes Family  
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*"We must empty Purgatory with Our Prayers"  
 St. Padre Pio*



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**The Altar & Rosary Society**

**will hold the annual  
 EASTER BAKE SALE  
 Sunday, April 13th  
 after Mass in the room  
 at the back of the  
 church.**



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 Current Article ~ **Maryland passes bill that would provide \$25 million to fund abortion.**

**PARISH HALL RENTAL**

Less than 50 Members of the Chapel - \$100  
 Less than 50 Non-members - \$150  
 Greater than 50 Members of the Chapel - \$200  
 Greater than 50 Non-members - \$300

**SUGGESTED DONATIONS**

Mass Intentions - \$25      Requiem Mass - \$150  
 Baptism - \$50              Requiem Mass w/ Graveside Service - \$175  
 Nuptial Mass - \$150      Wedding Service - \$125  
 Organist Donation - \$50