

# *Sacred Heart Parish*

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*Partnering Parishes Sacred Heart, St. Charles Borromeo (Drexel Hill) and St. Hedwig's Chapel (Chester)*

*"Hosanna  
to the  
Son of David!"*

*Blessed  
is he  
who comes in the name  
of the Lord!*

*Hosanna in the highest!"*

*Matthew 21:7-9*

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**PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD ~ APRIL 5, 2020**

**Rev. Msgr. George A. Majoros, M.Div., M.S., Pastor**

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# Mass Intentions

## Sacred Heart Church

### Saturday, April 4

+ Dennis T. Cahill Of The Crawford family

### Sunday, April 5 Palm Sunday

+ Mary & Joseph Lenski, Sr. Of Lenski family

### Monday, April 6

+Danny Kleinschmidt Of Mom, Connie

### Tuesday, April 7

+ Danny Kleinschmidt Of Mom, Connie

### Wednesday, April 8

The Living & Deceased Parishioners of Sacred Heart Parish

### Sunday, April 12 Easter Sunday

The Living & Deceased Members of Sacred Heart Parish

St. Hedwig's Chapel

### Sunday, April 5 Palm Sunday

+ Catherine & Walter Kowalski

### Sunday, April 12 Easter Sunday

The Living & Deceased Members of St. Hedwig's Chapel

*All Intentions will be celebrated privately*

## Candles for the Month of April

### Sacred Heart

+ Tina Mori

### St. Hedwig

+ Brzezicki Family + Nancy Tokarowksi

**Candles for the month are \$20.00**

**All Mass Intentions are \$15.00**

Call the Rectory at 610-623-0409 if interested.

**ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA--TELEVISION MASS**  
Sunday mornings at 5:30AM: WPVI—Channel 6

## CRS RICE BOWL—Hunger in our world



When Jesus fed the 5,000, He said, "Give them some food yourselves." Reflect on the challenge of global hunger. How can you contribute to support the hungry in your community? Visit [www.crsricebowl.org](http://www.crsricebowl.org).

### Operation Rice Bowl

**Please Cash or Checks Only  
(No coins) Please send by mail or electronically.**

**Your donation is most appreciated!**

### FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Prayerfully consider your Offertory Gift as your act of praise to God for all HE has given you.

### Sacred Heart— March 29, 2020

Sunday Envelopes	18	\$905.00
Easter Flowers		80.00
Maintenance		45.00
Latin America		10.00
Military		15.00

### St. Hedwig - March 29, 2020

Sunday Envelopes	8	\$720.00
Easter Flowers		80.00
Maintenance		35.00
Latin America		5.00

### Weekly Offering

As we struggle to make ends meet, please pray about what you might be able to do, given your own needs, to continue your parish support by mailing in your weekly offerings or use the electronic giving in order to keep our parish operating. If you have questions about electronic giving or have no online access, please call the Rectory Office so we can provide an answer to your questions or help you set it up for yourself.

The Lord is our Shepherd, leading and guiding us. Let's pray for one another, trusting in the Lord's mercy and strength. And through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, all the Angels and Saints, may we have their help and protection.

Sincerely yours, Monsignor George A. Majoros  
Pastor

## Good Friday Collection For the Holy Land

Each year the Holy Father invites Catholics to support fellow Christians and sacred shrines in the Holy Land As we commemorate Jesus' passion on Good Friday, Please send by mail or electronically. Thank you

Dear Partnering Parishioners,

As we endure the stay-at-home order in our collective efforts to mitigate the spread of the covid-19 virus, no one could have envisioned this pandemic. We now have to adjust our celebration of Palm Sunday and the **Sacred Triduum** of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Solemn Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday.

As of this printing, we are still trying to have live-stream of the Sacred Triduum available for you. It is a work in progress.

**Please check the parish website if we are up and running or not. If not, please access the Mass and Services via the other sites previously posted. Suggested sites to access Mass and the Liturgies of the Sacred Triduum**

The Vatican website: [www.vatican.va](http://www.vatican.va)

Archdiocese of Philadelphia website: archphila.org and Paul with Archbishop Nelson Perez  
Ascension Press

CatholicTV.org from Boston

EWTN with Sunday Mass at 8AM, 12Noon and 7PM each day and various times for the Sacred Triduum and other devotions.

FORMED.org  
Word on Fire

**Can I receive Blessed Palm even though there is no Public Mass? Yes,** you may receive “blessed palm” on Palm Sunday, at St. Charles and Sacred Heart Churches from 9:30A.M. to 11AM by driving up to the Church, where parish volunteers, with gloves and masks, will assist you to receive prepared bundles of palm. In addition, our Churches remain open for private prayer and visits to the Most Blessed Sacrament. You will be able to access the palm in the vestibule of the churches until Wednesday of Holy Week. I remind you that are Churches on Sunday from 9AM to 4PM except for the following dates and times:

**The Sacrament of Penance will be celebrated**

**Monday of Holy Week, April 6<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 -8:00P.M. –St. Charles Borromeo Church

**Tuesday of Holy Week, April 7<sup>th</sup>**

1:30- 2:30P.M. – Sacred Heart Church

7:00P.M.-8:00P.M.- St. Charles Borromeo

**Wednesday of Holy Week, April 8<sup>th</sup>**

1:30- 2:30P.M. St. Charles Borromeo Church

7:00P.M.-8:00P.M.- Sacred Heart Church

**The Sacrament of Penance:** Our Parishes will be following the schedule for the Sacrament of Penance published and posted for Lent and available on the website. These holy days call us to conversion, penance and to be reconciled with God and each other. Individual confession is the ordinary way of celebrating this sacrament (cf. can. 960 CIC). However, during this time of the current pandemic, Pope Francis, through the Apostolic Penitentiary, has decreed that “where the individual faithful find themselves in the painful impossibility of receiving sacramental absolution, it should be remembered that perfect contrition, coming from the love of God, beloved above all things, expressed by a sincere request for forgiveness (that which the penitent is at present able to express) and accompanied by *votum confessionis*, that is, by the firm resolution to have recourse, as soon as possible, to sacramental confession, obtains forgiveness of sins, even mortal ones.” During these holy days, let us present ourselves before the Lord, pleading Him for His help, He who is our intercessor before the Father in this time of suffering, and with an attitude of humility and confidence, ask Him for forgiveness of our sins, that He may obtain for us the spiritual and bodily health that all peoples need.

We can join our sufferings to Christ through our daily prayers and sacrifices, through the spiritual and corporal works of mercy, praying the Stations of the Cross and the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and seeking the help of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Our Mother of Sorrows through the holy Rosary.

**Plenary Indulgence during the pandemic-please go the parish website to read and reflect on the Decree** of the Apostolic Penitentiary on the granting of special Indulgences to the faithful in the current pandemic.

## **The Sacred Triduum**

**April 9, 2020 Holy Thursday**

**Both Churches will be open for private prayer 9:00A.M. until 4PM**

**The Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper (without the faithful present).**

**We are trying to live-stream the Mass. Please check the parish website for the time.**

**Churches will re-opened for private prayer 7:00P.M until 9:00P.M.**

**April 10, 2020, Good Friday is a day of fasting and abstinence from meat.**

**Both Churches will open from 9AM until 2:00PM**

12Noon –1:00P.M. The Sacrament of Penance will be celebrated at St. Charles Borromeo Church

**The Celebration of the Lord's Passion (without the faithful present).**

**We are trying to live-stream the Mass. Please check the parish website for the time.**

**The Churches will reopen at 4PM and remain open until 9:00P.M.**

**April 11, 2020, Holy Saturday**

Churches are closed during the morning for final decoration

11:00A.M. -12Noon Confessions at Sacred Heart Church

**There will be no Blessing of Food due to restrictions.**

3:00-4:00P.M. Confessions at St. Charles Borromeo Church

**The Solemn Easter Vigil (without the faithful present).**

**We are trying to live-stream the Mass. Please check the parish website for the time.**

**April 12, 2020, Easter Sunday**

**Easter Sunday Mass (without the faithful present). We are trying to live-stream the Mass. Please check the parish website for the time.**



“Father, into your hands  
I commend my spirit”  
(Lk 23:46)

Crucifixion, Eustache Le Sueur, The J. Paul Getty Museum

*“How does it make you feel when  
you and I together scream out  
'Crucify him, Crucify him' during the  
Gospel this Sunday? Let those words  
resonate in our minds today. We cry  
out 'crucify him.' Isn't it time that  
rather than crucify Jesus,  
we stand with him?”*

*—Bishop Frank Caggiano,  
Diocese of Bridgeport*

Archdiocesan Rosary Campaign For An End  
To The Corona Virus Every evening  
8:00-8:30 PM (Eastern)

Tune in on Facebook Live at:  
[www.facebook.com/PhillyEvangelization](http://www.facebook.com/PhillyEvangelization)

Or go to: <https://zoom.us/j/494480541>  
Click the link 5-10 minutes early to allow your  
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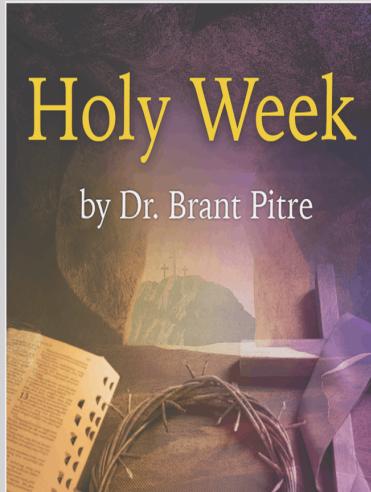
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Dr. Brant Pitre takes listeners on a  
Scriptural walk from Palm Sunday to  
Holy Saturday.

Learn about Jesus's triumphal entry  
into Jerusalem, why he cursed a fig  
tree, the importance of the “blood and  
water” that flowed out from Christ’s  
side, and more.