

**FROM FATHER BILL: HAIL KING OF THE JEWS! PRAISED BE JESUS CHRIST!!**

**TODAY WE CELEBRATE PASSION (PALM) SUNDAY.** After our Masses this weekend, hopefully we'll return to Church especially on Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and/or Easter Sunday. AS WE WAVE OUR BLESSED PALM, we commit ourselves to walking through all the ceremonies of Holy Week, with Jesus, to Easter Sunday. This is the HOLIEST WEEK of our Liturgical Year. Come to Church on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday and, I believe, you will experience the Holiest and Happiest Easter of your lives. We **WARMLY WELCOME JESUS** into our lives today. **EVERYONE** is invited to attend all of our Holy week and Easter services at St. Paul's and St. Peter's. **HOSANNA TO THE SON OF DAVID!**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING WHO WILL RECEIVE SACRAMENTS AT OUR 7:00 PM EASTER VIGIL MASS AT ST. PAUL'S:** CONFIRMATION – SHANNON EILEEN ALEXANDER and LISA ANN JENKINS; FIRST EUCHARIST – SHANNON EILEEN ALEXANDER, GANJAH RA'VON BOYCE, MARQUS ISAIAH GETTINGS and NATHAN MICHAEL WOODS; BAPTISM – SELENA ALYZEA ANGELINA BORRERO – MOYE. GOD bless!

**THE EASTER COLLECTION:** There will only be **ONE COLLECTION** taken up at our **Holy Saturday and Easter Sunday Masses.** Place your Easter Envelope along with your regular offering envelope into the ONE Collection. I'm unable to remember when we last reached our weekly offering goal. Therefore, we are always **SHORT** each weekend of the Year. Our bills are much higher than our Income. Make your **EASTER OFFERING** a very generous gift to your Parish.

## **THE SACRED TRIDUUM AND EASTER**

### **HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 20**

**SAINTE PAUL** – JOINT ST. PETER @ ST. PAUL 5:30 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by a Pot Luck Supper for all.

ADORATION until 9:00 pm.

**SAINTE PETER** – 6:30pm Latin Mass and Procession to the Repository- Adoration till 10 pm.

### **GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 21 – FAST AND ABSTINENCE - HOLY LAND COLLECTION**

**SAINTE PETER** – **NOON** – JOINT PARISH ENGLISH Liturgical Service of Good Friday.

**6:30 pm LATIN** Good Friday Service.

**SAINTE PAUL** – Traditional ENGLISH Stations of the Cross at 6:30 pm.

### **HOLY SATURDAY (MARCH 22) – EASTER COLLECTION**

**No 4:00 PM Mass at St. Paul's!**

**SAINTE PAUL** – ST. PETER/ST. PAUL JOINT PARISH ENGLISH EASTER VIGIL MASS at **7:00 pm.**

**SAINTE PETER** – LATIN EASTER VIGIL SERVICE and MASS at 8:00 pm.

### **EASTER SUNDAY (MARCH 23 – EASTER COLLECTION)**

**REGULAR SCHEDULE OF MASSES.** 9:00 am and 10:30 am Masses - Young people and their families let go of helium filled balloons at the end of Mass to signify the Resurrection of Jesus. All girls, please wear Easter Bonnets so that Father Bill can sing "YOU KNOW WHAT!"

LATIN TRIDENTINE MASS at NOON.

***DON'T FORGET OUR HOLY THURSDAY MASS followed by our Joint Parish Holy Thursday POT LUCK SUPPER. Please leave your food at St. Paul's Hall prior to the 5:30 pm Mass.***

*STATIONS OF THE CROSS:*

ST. PAUL (ENGLISH) –GOOD FRIDAY at 6:30 pm.

***RICE BOWL OFFERINGS*** (please use envelope) may be dropped into the Collection basket Palm Sunday Weekend, Holy Thursday, Good Friday, the Easter Vigil or Easter Day Mass.

***The official RICE BOWL COLLECTION will take place at the Holy Thursday Masses.***

Father Bill will dip people's hands into perfumed water as his act of priestly service to parishioners at the English Holy Thursday Mass at St. Paul's.

*THE HOLY LAND COLLECTION will be taken up at our Good Friday Services. Your financial contribution will support the works of the Catholic Community in the Middle East and protect the Holy Places and Christian shrines. Please be generous.*

***ALTAR SERVERS REHEARSAL*** FOR ALL HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES at ST. PAUL'S: **ONLY ONE REHEARSAL WITH FATHER BILL** this Wednesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 pm followed by a cheese pizza supper at the Notty Pine. St. Peter's Altar Servers are also invited to this rehearsal and supper.

CLUSTER MEETING: Tuesday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm at St. Augustine's.

CITY WIDE DEANERY MEETING: Wednesday, March 26, 1:00 pm at St. Anthony's.

**DECEASED:** Sister M. Clare, Valerie Noonan and David Kacerguis. God grant them Eternal Life.

*EVANGELIZATION:* "Palm Sunday.....Domingo de Ramos."