

## PALM SUNDAY

St. Anthony of Padua Parish  
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### MASS INTENTIONS

#### TUESDAY, APRIL 15

No English Mass  
Chrism Mass at Cathedral 11:00 a.m.  
6:30 p.m. VN Mass at Pastoral Center

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16

No English Mass  
6:30 p.m. VN Mass at Pastoral Center

#### THURSDAY, APRIL 17 [Holy Thursday]

7:00 p.m. +Nellie Roets  
6:30 p.m. VN Mass at Pastoral Center

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 18 [Good Friday]

7:00 p.m. +Albert Nusrata  
6:30 p.m. VN Mass at Pastoral Center

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 19 [Holy Saturday]

7:00 p.m. Intentions of the Claycomb Family  
8:00 p.m. VN Mass at Pastoral Center

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 20

9:30 a.m. St. Anthony Parish Family  
11:00 a.m. Vietnamese Mass

#### **Liturgical Roles for Saturday, April 19, at 7:00 p.m.:**

Lectors: P. Andrews, C. Claycomb  
E. Minister: K. Hunter  
Ushers: J. & K. Cordell, B. Buhrman

#### **Liturgical Roles for Sunday, April 20, at 9:30 a.m.:**

Lector: N. Baird  
E. Minister: D. Walterscheid

#### **PARISH PRAYER LINE**

Jerry Warrell Kathy Hunter Johnny  
Ukraine and its Citizens Julie Munoz  
Lori Born Dee Francis Mary Staab  
Doug Dischner Lauren Rome

## Good News!

April 13, 2025

*Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord (C)*  
Luke 19:28-40 / Isaiah 50:4-7 / Philippians 2:6-11 /  
Luke 22:14-23:56 or 23:1-49

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

**We like to fill life with good things**—good friends, good times, good jobs, good memories. They are all graced moments of life. Life is also marked by an emptying process. Friends move away, good times come to an end, jobs become boring. Saint Teresa of Kolkata (Mother Teresa) once noted how even God can't fill what is already full. The emptying process may very well be the action of God in our lives, emptying us to make room for God's gift of resurrection and life in its fullest.

Holy Week is the story of such a process—one long saga that begins with Palm Sunday as it focuses on how Jesus willingly emptied himself even unto death. The story moves on to Holy Thursday and the gift of the Eucharist to sustain us in the emptying. On to Good Friday, where, once more, a narration in stark liturgical strokes tell of the emptying of Jesus. Finally, the Easter Vigil and the Feast of the Resurrection, the culmination of a journey through death into life. We tell this weeklong story because the story of Jesus is also our story—more of God working in us rather than our own doing. The Jesuit theologian Karl Rahner once noted that one of the tasks of life is to learn how to die well. Our willingness to learn that lesson, again and again, is how we begin to share in the resurrection, even as we live our lives today. ●

#### **Liturgical Roles for Holy Thursday:**

Lector: M. Gittrich  
E. Minister: D. Walterscheid

#### **Liturgical Roles for Good Friday:**

Lectors: D. Anton, M. Gittrich  
E. Minister: S. Oakes

#### **OFFERING**

April 6, 2025

English: \$ 2,515.10  
Vietnamese \$ 4,680.00  
Total: \$ \$ 7,195.10

APRIL 13, 2025

**AND THOSE WHO WENT BEFORE HIM, AND  
THOSE WHO FOLLOWED, KEPT CRYING OUT,  
SAYING, HOSANNA! BLESSED IS HE WHO  
COMES IN THE NAME OF THE LORD!**

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## *Palm Sunday*



Jesus rode into Jerusalem as a King, but later that week He would suffer a humiliating death. How often have we felt "on top of the world" and then something happens and it all disappears. Do we lose faith because we have lost something, or do we remember Job's quote---"if we accept good things from God why not the bad?"

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## **Mark Your Calendar**

**St. Anthony's will be raffling off a new car on May 25!**

This raffle is being done to honor the memory of Phu Nguyen. He dedicated his life to the Wichita Vietnamese Catholic community and St. Anthony Parish since he immigrated here in 1982. His estate is making this vehicle donation in hopes of raising money for the Parish and the Diocese so God's work can continue and to inspire Catholic education.

Each raffle ticket is \$50. If someone buys three \$50 raffle tickets for \$150, they get one extra \$50 ticket free. Tickets can be purchased in the parish office (1214 East Second Street).

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## **Holy Week Schedule**

Monday, April 14:

6:30-7:30 pm VN Mass in Pastoral Cent.

Tuesday, April 15:

No English Mass

Chrim Mass at Cathedral 11:00 am

6:30-7:30 pm VN Mass at Pastoral Cent.

Wednesday, April 16

No English Mass

10-11 a.m. Confessions in Past. Cen.

5-6 p.m. Confessions in Pastoral Cent.

6:30-7:30 p.m. VN Mass in Pastoral C.

Holy Thursday, April 17.

10-11 a.m. Confessions in Pastoral C.

5-6 p.m. Confessions in Pastoral C.

7-8 p.m. Mass in English at church

6:30-8:30 pm VN Mass at Pastoral C.

Good Friday Service

10-11 am Confessions in Pastoral C.

5-6 pm Confessions in Pastoral C.

7-8 pm English Service in Church

6:30-8:30 pm VN Service in Pastoral C.

Saturday, Easter Vigil, April 19

7-8 pm. English Mass in Church

8-10 p.m. VN Mass in Pastoral C.

Easter Sunday, April 20

9:30 a.m. English Mass in Church

11:00 a.m. VN Mass in Pastoral Cen.

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Support Wichita's new Catholic youth theatre! Lolek Theatre Company shares stories of truth, beauty, and goodness. See *Singin' in the Rain* on May 1-3 at 7 p.m. at Bishop Carroll auditorium. Early bird ticket pricing \$10. [lolekwichita.com](http://lolekwichita.com)

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