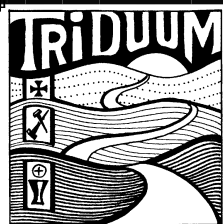


PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

*Christ Jesus humbled himself,
becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.*

APRIL 5, 2009

—Philippians 2:8



MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

April 6, 7, 8

8:00 a.m. Mass

HOLY THURSDAY, April 9

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

6:00 p.m. Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper (English)

8:00 p.m. *Ultima Cena* (Spanish)

10:00 p.m.-Midnight — Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the Altar of Repose in the Parish Hall

GOOD FRIDAY, April 10

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

3:30 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion (English)

6:00 p.m. *Servicio de Viernes Santo* (Español)

HOLY SATURDAY, April 11

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer

7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil Service and Mass (English)

10:00 p.m. *Vigilia Pascual* (Español)

EASTER SUNDAY, April 12

Regular Sunday Mass schedule

PLEASE DONATE CALLA LILIES AND EASTER LILIES THIS WEEK

In order to decorate our altar for Holy Thursday, we once again need your generous donations of **calla lilies and leaves** brought to the Rectory office **by this Wednesday, April 8th**. We are also in need of **Easter lilies**. Please bring them to the Rectory **before Good Friday**. Thank you for your help.

COMUNIDAD MEETING

Tuesday, April 7th, 7:00 p.m.

Fr. Gerald Meisel Parish Hall

The program for this Holy Week meeting will be a ritual Passover Seder meal designed for the lesbian and gay community. All are welcome to share in this experience.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING DATE CHANGE

There will be no blood pressure screening available next weekend, Easter Sunday. **Please plan to attend the health fair on April 26th between 9:30a.m. & 3:00p.m.** and take advantage of numerous health services offered.

— CRUSHING MEDICAL INTEGRITY —

PLEASE HELP STOP SB 374

Among other things, SB 374 fails to acknowledge that in a pregnancy the doctor has two patients, mother and child. SB 374 will punish medical professionals who refuse to disclose availability of abortion, an elective procedure that will leave one patient dead and another with emotional trauma. SB 374 does not assure informed consent, but assures access to abortion.

Phone, fax, or write to State Senator Ron Calderon and express your opposition to SB 374 and its unjustified intrusion into the medical profession. Ask him to withdraw SB 374. Then contact your committee member asking her to Oppose SB 374 should it come to a vote.

THEY NEED TO HEAR FROM ALL OF US...

**Senator Ron Calderon, 400 N Montebello Blvd.,
Suite 100, Montebello, CA 90640;
323.890.2790, Fax: 323.890.2795.**

**At the Capitol: 916.651.4030, Fax: 916.327.8755
email: Senator.Calderon@senate.ca.gov.**

**Senator Jenny Oropeza, 2512 Artesia Blvd., #200,
Redondo Beach, CA 90278;
310.318.6994 Fax: 310.318.6733**

**At the Capitol: 916.651.4028 Fax: 916.323.6056
email: Senator.Oropeza@senate.ca.gov.**

MANNA MEALS

On Friday, April 17 we will be making lunches for the Manna Meals Shower Program at St. Luke's. Come to the Parish Hall at 8:45 if you can help. Many hands make light work! Please join us. Information: Claire 597.4030.

EASTER REFLECTIONS

The readings for next Sunday, *Easter Sunday*, are listed below along with questions for your quiet reflection throughout this week.

FIRST READING: Acts 10:34a, 37-43

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8

GOSPEL: Mark 16:1-7

When and to whom do I proclaim Jesus' resurrection and promise of new life? How do we help one another expand our understanding of who God is and how he works in our midst.



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