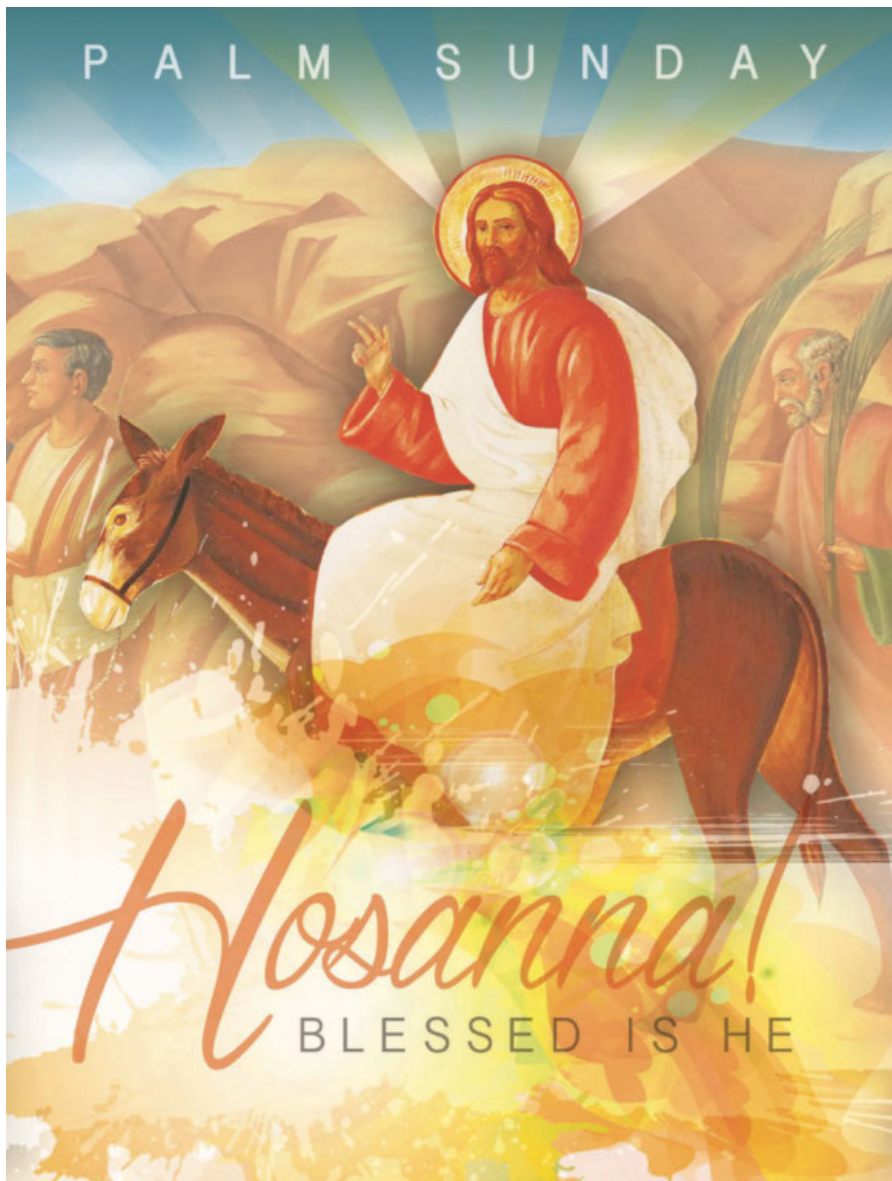


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PARISH REGISTRATION

Visit the Parish website to register online or stop by the Parish office to register. Our next Parish Welcome is **TBD**.

INFANT BAPTISMS

Fill out a registration form at www.olmctempe.com/sacrament-baptism, or email Deacon Gass at baptisms@olmctempe.com

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Please contact the parish office 480.967.8791 to arrange for the Sacrament of the Sick. If after hours assistance is needed, please call the parish number for the after hours service number.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

We are happy to help you as you prepare for marriage and plan your wedding. Our parish staff is here to answer your questions and provide you with all the details of marriage preparation. For more information, please call Jenn Blackstad at (480) 967-8791 or email at jenn@olmctempe.com.

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We have available food boxes, rental or utility assistance to those living within OLMC parish boundaries and qualify for assistance by calling 480-966-1974 between 9am-11am Mondays through Saturdays. Sorry no walk ins.

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PARISH INFORMATION

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday.....9:00am - 5:00pm
***Closed Wednesdays 11am- 12pm

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Wednesday4:00pm - 5:30pm
Saturday.....3:00pm - 4:30pm

WEDNESDAY ADORATION SCHEDULE

Wednesdays from 9:00am to 6:00pm Benediction

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ADORATION SCHEDULE

First Fridays Mass at 7pm, with Adoration following until the 8am Mass on Saturday

MORNING PRAYER

Monday - Friday8:00am

MASS SCHEDULE

***HOLY WEEK AND EASTER MASS SCHEDULE
INSIDE BULLETIN***

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday 6:30am and 8:30am
Wednesday6:30pm
Saturday 8:00am

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil 5:00pm
Sunday7:00, 9:00, 11:00am and 5:00pm

Live Stream Mass

Sunday11:00am
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READINGS OF THE WEEK

Sunday: Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16/Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 (2a)/Phil 2:6-11
Monday: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/Jn 12:1-11
Tuesday: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34/Mt 26:14-25
Thursday: **Chrism Mass:** Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:21-22, 25 and 27/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21
Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18
(see 1 Cor 10:16)/1 Cor 11:23-26/Jn 13:1-15
Friday: Is 52:13-53:12/Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25 (Lk 23:46)/Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9/Jn 18:1-19:42
Saturday: **Easter Vigil:** Gn 1:1-2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a/Ps 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 (30) or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20-22 (5b)/Gn 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/Ex 14:15-15:1/ Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18 (1b)/Is 54:5-14/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 (2a)/Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/Bar 3:9-15, 32-4:4/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28/Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4 (42:2)/Rom 6:3-11/Mk 16:1-7
Next Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 (24)/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 6:30am Souls of The Remenyi Family
03/25/2024 8:30am Soul of MaryLou Kockelman
Tuesday 6:30am Soul of Jack McCoy
03/26/2024 8:30am Soul of Shelly Hessinger
Wednesday 6:30am Soul of Francine Lee
03/27/2024 8:30am Souls of Potwora Family
6:30pm Ints. of Bella Villasista
Thursday 7:00pm People of the Parish
03/28/2024
Friday No Masses
03/29/2024
Saturday 7:30pm Ints. of RCIA, RCIT, RCIC
03/30/2024
Sunday 7:00am Soul of Tino Rossi
03/31/2024 9:00am Ints. of Damiano Kozeliski
Church
9:00am Soul of Wayne Zaremba
Hall
11:00am People of the Parish

RCIA, RCIC & RCIT

Throughout this Lenten Season, let us continue to pray for those in the RCIA, RCIC and RCIT programs who are preparing to receive their Sacraments of Initiation.



PARISH CALENDAR

Monday 8:15am St Therese Bible Study -
03/25/2024 St Simon
5:30pm Soup & Bread - South
Hall
6:00pm EDGE - Hall
6:30pm Hayden's Ferry Girl Scout
Council - St Simon Room
Tuesday 8:30am Mom's Group Rosary - St
03/26/2024 Simon
6:00pm Music Rehearsal -
Church
7:00pm KOC/BM - South Hall
7:00pm RCIA - North Hall
Wednesday 6:30pm Girl Scout Leaders - Holy
03/27/2024 Family Room
Thursday 6:00pm LifeTeen Study Hall -
03/28/2024 Holy Family Room
HOLY 7:00pm Mass of the Lord's
THURSDAY Last Supper - Church
8:30pm Procession/Adoration -
Church
Friday 7:45am KofC - Shrine
03/29/2024 2:30pm Divine Mercy Chaplet -
GOOD Church
FRIDAY 3:00pm Stations of the Cross -
Church
7:00pm Passion Liturgy - Church
Saturday 6:30am OLMC Men's Group - Hall
03/30/2024 9:00am Vigil Rehearsal - Church
HOLY 12:00pm Blessing of Food - Hall
SATURDAY 7:30pm Easter Vigil - Church
Sunday 7:00am Mass - Church
03/31/2024 9:00am Mass - Church
EASTER 11:00am Mass - Church
SUNDAY



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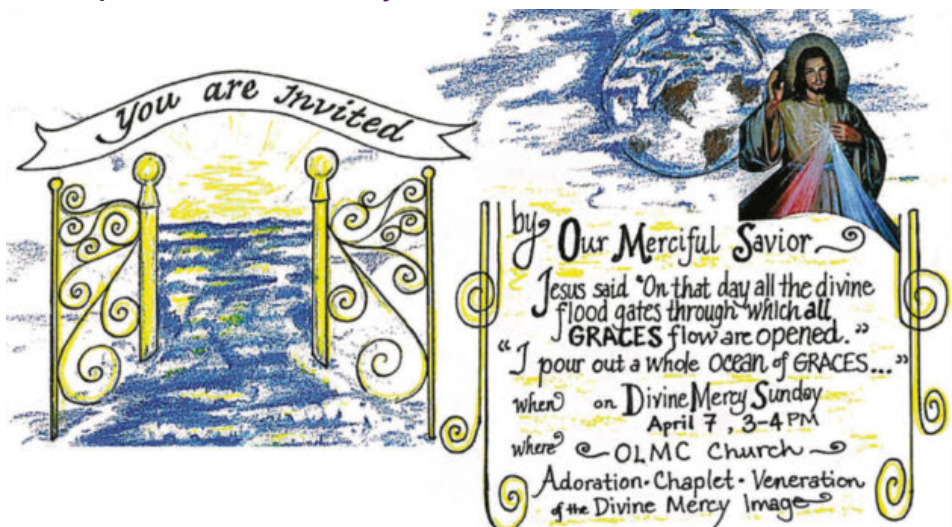
HOLY WEEK 2024 Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church

				
PALM SUNDAY	HOLY THURSDAY	GOOD FRIDAY	HOLY SATURDAY	EASTER SUNDAY
REGULAR WEEKEND MASS TIMES	7PM MASS 8:30PM PROCESSION/ADORATION	2:30PM CHAPLET 3PM STATIONS 7PM LITURGY	12 NOON FOOD BLESSING 7:30PM VIGIL	MASS TIMES 7AM 9AM 11AM

*Easter Sunday 9am and 11am Mass will be in the Church and the Hall.

*Incense will be used in the Church, not in the Hall.

*No 5pm Mass Easter Sunday.



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Monday, March 25

5:30pm - 7:00pm in McCready Hall

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February 14 - March 24

7:00am - 7:00pm

In front of the Planned Parenthood:

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You are invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside of Planned Parenthood. For more info, visit 40daysforlife.com/tempe or contact tempe40daysforlife@gmail.com

HOLY WEEK CONFESSIONS

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel:

Wednesday: 4pm

ASU Newman Center:

Monday-Holy Thursday: 10:30am

Good Friday: 1pm

Holy Saturday: 10:30am

Holy Spirit:

Monday-Wednesday: 8:45am

Resurrection:

Monday-Wednesday: 8:40am

Good Friday: 1pm

St. Tim's:

Tuesday: 9:30am/1:30pm/6:30pm

Wednesday: 5:30pm

Holy Saturday: 9am

St. Mary's:

Holy Thursday: 1pm (Hurtado Hall)

Good Friday: 9a-11a (Hurtado Hall)

Queen of Peace:

Good Friday: 9am

Holy Saturday: 9am

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You can also visit our website at www.olmctempe.com and click on the green "GIVE ONLINE" button.

FULLCIRCLE COFFEE SHOP

Please visit the OLMC Coffee Shop Sundays after the morning Masses. All proceeds benefit the FullCircle Program. A program that offers assistance for At Risk Kids and their families. For more info regarding assistance for your family please contact AJ Creswell at ajcreswell@fullcircleprogram.com or 480-620-7995 to leave a message.

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HOW CAN WE MAKE HOLY WEEK HOLIER AGAIN?

Dear Friends,

This weekend, we celebrate Palm Sunday, also known as Passion Sunday. For the past five weeks, we have, I believe, engaged in many spiritual activities in order to prepare well and share fruitfully in the paschal mysteries of our Lord which we are about to celebrate in a few days time. To help us in this process, in one of my articles at the beginning of this season, I recommended a series spiritual activities to observe. It is my hope that during this period you have heeded to my recommendations by, among other things, resolving to pray more, fast more and be more charitable in almsgiving to the poor and needy. By and large, we might have succeeded in living up to our resolutions in this regard, but we also recognize that we may have failed on many occasions.

As we approach the climax of this season beginning this Palm Sunday, our focus should now be shifted more on the spiritual gains we have made in order to make them not only permanent but also consistent features of our Christian lives. On the other hand, our failures should propel us into making this Holy Week not only holier but also to repent and make amends for our failures.

There are many spiritual opportunities and activities this week that will help us in these efforts. I encourage you dear friends to take advantage of them through your active participation in all of them. These are the Easter Triduum activities which will include: **Holy Thursday**, during which we celebrate the institution of the Eucharist as well as the institution of the Sacrament of Holy Orders by Jesus at the Last Supper; **Good Friday** which commemorates the day of the Lord's Passion and Crucifixion; and **Holy Saturday** which commemorates the time between the Crucifixion and Resurrection and at the **Vigil Mass** that evening, we shall have Baptisms, Confirmations and 1st Holy communion of our Catechumens and Candidates who have been preparing through OCIA over the past several months. We are so blessed to have 22 candidates in this category this year.

To start the week off, tomorrow, the entire Diocese will join the Bishop and your Priests for the Chrism Mass at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church in Avondale. During this Mass, the Bishop will consecrate the Sacred Oils of Chrism, oil of Catechumens and oil of the Infirm, which will be used during the entire year for the celebrations of the the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Ordination and the Anointing of the Sick. At the same Mass, the priests and deacons of the Diocese will also renew their obedience to the Bishop as the "Chief Shepherd" representing the Vicar of Christ in this Diocese and their commitment to serve God and His people. The Mass will begin at 4.00pm. I encourage those who can, to please attend this wonderful liturgy and encounter the power,

strength and unity of our Catholic Church centered around our Bishop. I look forward to seeing a good representation of our Parish at this Mass.

In addition to attending this Chrism Mass and the Easter Triduum celebrations, (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday) I urge you to make this Holy Week holier by being:

Silent when you realize your words would hurt;

Patient when you are being hurt unfairly or when things do not seem to go your way;

Deaf and Mute when scandals and gossips flow around you;

Thoughtful and sympathetic for another's misfortunes by sharing whatever little you have; and,

Kind rather than being right most of the time.

In addition, I want to conclude with the reemphasizing the recommendations I proposed to you at the beginning of our Lenten season which is to:

Fast from hurting words and say kind words.

Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.

Fast from anger and be filled with patience.

Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.

Fast from worries and have trust in God.

Fast from complaints and contemplate simplicity.

Fast from pressures and be prayerful.

Fast from bitterness and fill your hearts with joy.

Fast from selfishness and be compassionate to others.

Fast from grudges and be reconciled.

Fast from words and be silent so you can listen.

Have a blessed Holy Week and Easter!

I love you!

God's blessings,

Fr Robert Aliunzi



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