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<u>News Flash!</u> Spiritual Retreat Day -Good Friday, April 14, 2017 at 6:30 pm.

The Readings Is 50, 4-7 Psalm 22 R. MY GOD, MY GOD

WHY HAVE YOU ABANDONED ME? Phil 2, 6-11

Eucharistic Prayer IV Holy Masses TODAY - <u>April 9th</u> - Palm Sunday 09:00 am - Holy Mass. MAUNDY THURSDAY -<u>April 13th</u> - Holy Mass at 6:30 pm. GOOD FRIDAY - <u>April</u> 14th - Service at 6:30 pm. HOLY SATURDAY -<u>April 15th</u> - Blessing of Easter Food at 11am. Easter Vigil Mass at 6 pm.

SUNDAY - <u>April 16th</u> -Easter Sunday. 09:00 am - Holy Mass with Procession

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PALM SUNDAY

Entrance Rite

V. Open wide the door and gates. Lift high the ancient portals. The King of glory enters; Who is the King of glory? He is God, the mighty Lord.**R. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed are You Who are have come to us so rich in love and mercy. Hosanna in the highest.**V. Lord, for us Your wounds were suffered.

R. O Christ Jesus, have mercy on us.

The Gospel (Mt 21, 1-11)

As the crowd drew near Jerusalem, entering Bethphage on the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent off two disciples with the instruction: "Go into the village straight ahead of you and you will immediately find an ass tethered and her colt with her. Untie them and lead them back to me. If anyone says a word to you, say, 'The Master needs them.' Then he will let them go at once." This came about to fulfill what was said through the prophet: "Tell the daughter of Zion, Your king comes to you without display astride an ass, astride a colt, the foal of a beast of burden." So the disciples went off and did what Jesus had ordered; they brought the ass and the colt and laid their cloaks on them, and he mounted. The huge crowd spread their cloaks on the road, while some began to cut branches from the trees and laid them along his path. The groups preceding him as well as those following kept crying out: "God save the Son of David! Blessed be he who comes in the name of the Lord! God save him from on high!" As he entered Jerusalem the whole city was stirred to its depths, demanding,"Who is this?" And the crowd kept answering, "This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee." This is the Gospel of the Lord

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR FRIENDS: Our prayers are needed for: Gertrude Gron, Jennie & Eugene O'Callaghan, Amelia Stankus, Helen Trexler, Gerry & Dorothy Villa. **Our Father.**

The Lectors

April 9th - Tara Broczkowski April 16th - Mary Ann Bartone **SPRING BAZAAR.** Thank you to all who helped to prepare this event in our Parish.