



HOLY WEEK & EASTER



Unless otherwise noted, all services are in the nave. There will be no Christian Formation classes on Palm Sunday or Easter Sunday. Throughout Holy Week, the church will be open during office hours for prayer, meditation and walking the Stations of the Cross and the labyrinth.

<p>Palm Sunday March 20</p> <p><i>Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.</i></p>	<p>The Liturgy of the Palms and Holy Eucharist 7:45, 9:00 and 11:15 a.m.</p> <p>Taizé Liturgy in the Chapel 5:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Tuesday in Holy Week March 22</p> <p><i>If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.</i></p>	<p>The Rite of Reconciliation of a Penitent 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Wednesday in Holy Week March 23</p> <p><i>May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power.</i></p>	<p>Holy Eucharist at the Side Altar 10:30 a.m.</p> <p>Stations of the Cross 12:00 noon</p> <p>Holy Eucharist in the Chapel 5:30 p.m.</p> <p>The Rite of Reconciliation of a Penitent 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Maundy Thursday March 24</p> <p><i>"This is my body which is given for you." Today's prayers originate in Christ's last act of service to others.</i></p>	<p>The Rite of Reconciliation of a Penitent 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.</p> <p>Holy Eucharist and Foot-Washing 6:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Good Friday March 25</p> <p><i>Jesus' death and burial looked to the world like the end of all he lived for, but in God's love and wisdom it was not! By his holy cross, Christ has redeemed the world.</i></p>	<p>Stations of the Cross 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>Good Friday Liturgy 12:00 noon</p> <p>Outdoor Family Stations of the Cross, 5:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Holy Saturday March 26</p> <p><i>We gather in darkness to celebrate the light of Christ's resurrection.</i></p>	<p>The Great Vigil of Easter Lighting of the New Fire, Baptism, and Holy Eucharist 7:00 p.m.</p>
<p>Easter Day March 27</p> <p><i>Jesus Christ is risen today! Alleluia!</i></p>	<p>Festival Holy Eucharist 7:00, 9:00 and 11:15 a.m.</p> <p>Easter Egg Hunt 10:15 a.m. on the Back Playground (weather permitting)</p> <p>Holy Eucharist in the Chapel, 5:00 p.m.</p>

Additional details about the services and information about child care are on the back of this sheet.



Palm Sunday, March 20

The Liturgy of the Palms and Holy Eucharist will be offered at 7:45, 9:00 and 11:15 a.m. Care is available for infants through three-year-olds during the 9:00 and 11:15 a.m. services in room 107. PreK through second grade students will attend Children's Chapel during the 9:00 service.

Taizé Liturgy in the Chapel, 5:00 p.m. This service includes simple chanted music suitable for singing by children of all ages. The beautiful prayers, music and candles provide a wonderful opportunity for families to begin Holy Week together.

Tuesday in Holy Week, March 22

The Rite of Reconciliation of a Penitent, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Clergy will be available to hear confessions in the nave. The Rite of Reconciliation of a Penitent, also known as penance and confession, is the sacramental rite in which those who wish to repent may confess their sins to God in the presence of a priest and receive the assurance of pardon and the grace of absolution. During Holy Week, St. Paul's clergy will be available by appointment for private confessions.

Wednesday in Holy Week, March 23

Holy Eucharist at the Side Altar, 10:30 a.m.

Stations of the Cross, 12:00 noon

Holy Eucharist in the Chapel, 5:30 p.m.

The Rite of Reconciliation of a Penitent, 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Clergy will be available to hear confessions in the nave.

Maundy Thursday, March 24

The Rite of Reconciliation of a Penitent, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Clergy will be available to hear confessions in the nave.

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Maundy Thursday, March 24, continued

Holy Eucharist and Foot-Washing, 6:00 p.m. A children's service led by the Rev. Lauren A. Villemuer-Drenth, Director of Children's Ministries, will be held in the chapel during the service in the nave. Children may sit with their parents in the nave at the beginning of the service and will be led to the chapel soon afterwards.

Good Friday, March 25

Stations of the Cross, 11:00 a.m.

Good Friday Liturgy 12:00 noon Child care will be provided for infants through four-year-olds in room 107 beginning at 10:45 a.m.

Outdoor Family Stations of the Cross, 5:30 p.m.

Parishioners will gather outdoors and walk together, stopping at stations along the way and ending at the front lawn of the church. The starting point of the route will be announced in ParishLight and ParishWeek.

Holy Saturday, March 26

A Child's Walk Through Holy Week, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in Colhoun B and C. Led by the Rev. Lauren A. Villemuer-Drenth, Director of Children's Ministries.

**The Great Vigil of Easter
Lighting of the New Fire, Baptism, and Holy Eucharist, 7:00 p.m.**

Easter Day, March 27

Festival Holy Eucharist 7:00, 9:00 and 11:15 a.m.

Parishioners of all ages are invited to flower the cross in front of the church before and after services. Child care will be provided for infants through three-year-olds in rooms 107 and 114 during the 9:00 and 11:15 a.m. services.

St. Paul's traditional Easter Egg Hunt will be held at 10:15 a.m. on the back playground, weather permitting.

Holy Eucharist in the Chapel, 5:00 p.m.