

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent † March 3, 2024

Reflect, today, upon this twofold cleansing of the Temple in Jerusalem by our Lord and apply Jesus' sacred actions today to your own soul. Are there new sins that you have fallen into recently that require a gentle rebuke from our Lord? Are there sins that Jesus has been revealing to you for years now that you obstinately persist in? Allow Him to rebuke you in love and to cleanse you so that His saving Sacrifice as the Lamb of God will indeed purify you and allow His judgment and wrath to "Passover" you this Lent.

(Visit: [www.catholic-daily-reflections.com](http://www.catholic-daily-reflections.com) for more!)

## Saturday, March 2, 2024

### 8:00am Mass

Intention: Oscar & Maria Drumonde †  
Requested by: Tony & Cidalia Drumonde

### 3:00pm Wedding of Tatum Holland ❤️ Harsh Anchan

### 5:30pm Mass

Intention: Dionisio Espinola †  
Requested by: Wife

Intention of: Children & Grand Children  
Requested by: Jose & Estelle Coelho

## Sunday, March 3, 2024 *Third Sunday of Lent*

### 7:00am Mass

Intention: Antonio Diniz †  
Requested by: Lee & Dina Borges

Intention: Manuel A. Cardoso †  
Requested by: Manuel & Tina Cardoso

### 8:30am Portuguese Mass "Happy Anniversary"

Requested by: Children

Intention: Maria Fernanda Silva †  
Requested by: Children

### 10:00am Mass

Intention: All Those Inscribed in the  
*Legacy of Faith Book*

### 5:00pm Mass • St. Mary's

Intention: People of the Parish

### 6:30pm Spanish Mass • St. Mary's

Intention of: Daniel Corrales  
Requested by: Parents

## Monday, March 4, 2024

### 8:00am Mass

Intention: Living & Deceased Members of  
Holy Rosary † St. Mary's Altar Society

## Tuesday, March 5, 2024

### 8:00am Mass

Intention: Manuel A. Cardoso †  
Requested by: Armelim & Odelta Cardoso

## Wednesday, March 6, 2024

### 8:00am Mass

Intention: Antonio & Olinda Enes &  
Deceased Family Members  
Requested by: Celina Rocha

## Thursday, March 7, 2024

### 8:00am Mass

Intention: Carolina Sousa †  
Requested by: Children

Intention: Angela L. Machado †  
Requested by: Acenção Galhandro

## Friday, March 8, 2024

### 8:00am Mass- New Church

Intention: Souls in Purgatory †  
Requested by: Tammy Brass

### Friday's Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 5pm in the New Church

### 5:00pm Confessions

### 6:00pm Stations of the Cross

## Saturday, March 9, 2024

### 8:00am Mass

Intention: Jorge, Aurelio & Antonio Avila †  
Requested by: Manuel & Maria Avila

### 5:30pm Mass

Intention: Fr. Ignatius Loughran †  
Intention: Dionisio Espinola †  
Requested by: Jenny Mendoza

## Sunday, March 10, 2024 *Fourth Sunday of Lent*

### 7:00am Mass

Intention: Amanda Dias †  
Requested by: Arminda Sousa

Intention: Glenna Tremble †  
Requested by: Ron & Celeste Tremble

### 8:30am Portuguese Mass

Intention: João, Mariana, Anselmo &  
João Paulo Silveira †  
Requested by: Manuel Jr. & Ryan Silva

### 10:00am Mass

Intention: Rui Reis †  
Requested by: John & MaryJo Fontes

Intention: Deceased Family Members †  
Requested by: Frank & Darlene Victoria

### 5:00pm Mass • St. Mary's

Intention: For All Those Inscribed in the  
*St. Mary's Memorial Book*

### 6:30pm Spanish Mass • St. Mary's

Intention: People of the Parish

**Please Keep in Your Prayers:** Maura Almada, Linda Andrade, Maria Olivia Avila, Lilia Babelle, Carol & Sally Baggett, Odelta Cardoso, Dan & Shirley Coelho, Sarah Cox, Ann DePalma, Gary Fernandes, Porter Fernandes, MaryJo Fontes, Jared Germann, Alex Gonsalves, Richard Huntley, Doris Krikorian, Brian Lawrence, Philbert Lawrence, Sara Lindo, Henry Locke, Mike Lopes, Brenda Mays, Edward Mendes Jr., Delores Mendes, Lewis Mendes, Margaret Mendes, Nico Morasci, Maverik Nash, Alan Oliveira, Christy Oliveira, Anthony Parreira, Stephanie Rockwell, Jeanne Tristant, Zeb Parreira, Samantha Roberts, Kathleen Silva, Lucy Silveira, Jill Scoto, Taylor Westcott and Lesley Zorra.

*Father God, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that You would bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of Your love. In Jesus' name. Amen*

Please call our office if you have an ill family member or friend that you would like to include on our prayer list or request a visit by the priest. (209)667-8961.

# CCD NEWS...

**The tradition of giving Lenten & Easter gifts during Mass continues.** We are now accepting donations for those gifts in memory of loved ones. The gifts will be labeled accordingly. These gifts will be given to every child that is in attendance during the Easter weekend Masses.

## Calling on all Easter Bunny helpers...



We are now accepting donations of candy filled Easter eggs. Please drop off your eggs at the parish office. We are also accepting prizes for the Easter Egg Hunt Prize room. Prizes for our children ages 3-12 years old will be greatly appreciated!!! Thank you!!

Thank you to everyone who donated waters for CCD.  
Our coffers are full!!!

## We need helpers for our upcoming VBS!



This year's VBS week will be the LAST week of June (24<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>). We need folks who will be available to help the week before with set up and during the week to lead sessions with the kiddos. We will also be needing our teen helpers! Please contact Annie if you're able to help with this very fun week of sharing the love of God with our youth!

Visit our CCD page on the Holy Rosary Church website!  
[www.hilmarholyroary.org](http://www.hilmarholyroary.org)

*Our Lenten preparation has begun,  
STATIONS OF THE CROSS*  
Every Friday 6:00pm during the Lenten Season in the New Church.

Join us after the Stations of the Cross & Lenten SOUP SUPPERS hosted by the following...  
March 8 • Portuguese Prayer Group  
March 15 • Fish Dinner (no soup)  
March 22 • S.P.R.S.I.

We thank our organizations in advance for their time, talent and treasure!

**ALMS GIVING** During this season of Lent please remember the less fortunate families of our community by bringing non-perishable food items every Sunday during Lent for our local pantry *Hilmar Helping Hands*.

March 3<sup>rd</sup> - Pasta & Sauce  
March 10<sup>th</sup>-Boxed Meals (Mac & Cheese & Helpers)  
March 17<sup>th</sup> -Soup/ Condiments  
Of course, any and all items are gratefully accepted. Please place all items in barrels at church each Sunday. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

**TICKETS are selling FAST...**  
**2weeks until the**

**Building Fund Fish Dinner on Friday, March 15th.** TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE at the Parish Office. *We SOLD OUT last year! Be sure to purchase yours soon* so you don't miss out on this delicious meal that comes around only once a year. Tickets are \$35.00. **DRIVE THRU ONLY.**

***SAVE THE DATE ....***  
***for Our Lady of the Rosary meeting Monday, March 11, 2024, beginning at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall.***

**TEAMS OF OUR LADY is hosting a Marriage Retreat at St. Anthony Retreat Center in Three Rivers March 15-17, 2024**

This retreat is for married couples only. You do NOT need to be a member of Teams of Our Lady to join. Come spend a weekend away in a beautiful setting with your spouse. This is a wonderful opportunity to enrich your marriage! Fliers are available in the parish office!

**THANK YOU ALL ANGELS**  
*young and old alike for contributing to the piggy dumping weekend as well as our monthly second collection for our building fund. Thank you for your continued support.*

A Big Shout Out Goes out to our children... the total to date on our piggy dumping is \$45,110.42!

This weekend's 10:00AM Mass is dedicated to those honored and memorialized through our **Legacy of Faith program.** We thank all those who have supported the *Legacy of Faith Book* by their contributions to this lasting gift made in honor or remembrance. The following individuals have recently been inscribed in our *Legacy of Faith book*:

**Arnold "Punky" Souza**  
**Angela Lopes Machado**  
**Carolina Sousa**  
**Lucio Brasil**  
**Rui Reis**  
**José Belo**  
**Maria Belo (H)**  
**Henry Ormonde**

**Easter Lilies & Ferns....** will be available from the Altar Society if you would like to donate one in memory or honor of a family member or friend. The donation is \$10 for lilies & \$15 for ferns. The plants will help to beautify our churches during this Easter Season. Please call the parish office to reserve yours.



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**Our offering collection for...**  
**February 24 & 25.....\$6,041.00**  
2023 February 25 & 26 \$6,308.50

*Thank You, Obrigada & Gracias*