



**Sunday, March 14, 2010**  
**FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**  
*Reconciled with God through Christ,  
 we are to work for reconciliation,  
 healing and unity in the world.*

**COMING TO A PARISH NEAR YOU!**

*Ruth A. Puls, Interim Pastoral Leader*

And it came to pass that a village had been selected to celebrate a great feast in honor of the king. The townsfolk rejoiced in the news that the king would celebrate in their village. They set about making preparations. Their town was humble and it would take all of the people to share in the preparation for this truly special occasion. They began making sacrifices so that the celebration would be one that truly was "fit for the king."

The people of the village began to have simple meals. They wanted to give money to the causes that were at the heart of the king. And the king had a great heart; a heart for the poor. The people, by means of their fast, had more money to give to the poor of the kingdom. They would gather on Wednesdays for simple soup suppers to be in solidarity with the poor. When they complained about their own hunger they would quickly say "but my hunger is nothing compared to the hunger of the poor." Their new found solidarity with their sisters and brothers in need spurred them on for action.

The Elder of the village listened as all the people discussed their mighty preparations for the royal celebration. Elder delighted at their giving of alms to the poor in honor of their king. At one gathering, a young villager who was the last to speak said "we are doing so much, but the greatness of this celebration does not depend simply on us, it depends on God!" Others noted the wisdom of the youth and began to arrange all manner of prayer services for the King. The villagers spend time gathered in extra prayer; prayer for the king's visit. They fasted, rehearsed, gave to the poor, and prayed.

And then, the day of the great feast came. After all the preparation, after all the invitation, after all the mortification, and self examination...nobody came! Well, almost nobody. There were those servants who were chosen to play some role or another. And there were people who always showed up for everything, but some of the very people who fasted faithfully, who prayed intently, who gave alms joyfully...were no shows! This saddened the King greatly and somewhat diminished the celebration. Oh, it didn't totally diminish it, because as the youngest in the village said, "the greatness of this celebration does not depend simply on us."

Those that didn't come missed out on hearing the wisdom of the King. They missed out on celebrating a great feast. They missed out on welcoming the newest members of the village who were introduced to the townsfolk who were there.

Now some of you are saying, "This story does not make sense. Missing out on the King's celebration after they prayed and fasted and gave alms in his honor would be like our missing out on the Easter Vigil after we have prepared all Lent for this celebration."

I can only say that it would be that ridiculous. But it did happen.

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday	8:00 a.m.	Eucharistic Service
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Eucharistic Service
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Flora Clouse †
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	Geraldine Davis †
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Fr. Joseph Kitko †
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	Fr. John Wielebski (L)
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
	10:00 a.m.	Doris Topasna-Cruz †
	12:30 p.m.	Special Intention (L)

*This week the Our Lady of Guadalupe Candle burns as a Special Intention for the Fr. John Wielebski (L)*

**PRAYERS**

*Please remember to say a prayer for your fellow parishioners and his/her intention: especially those recently added (names highlighted): Anna L. Baeza; Sue Bard; Geoff Bentlie; Lisalotte Beilke; Carol Bounds; Roberta Bullen; Louis Bury; Rachel Cannon; Michael Cherer; David Craybill; Mike Davis; William Dement; Chuck Dixon; Michael Dunn; Lorenzo Estrada; Angelo Gant; Ivan Gonzales; Sherri Hendrix; Mickey Henry; Florette Hunter; Sonny Isner; Dawn Jonas; Edward Jondahl; John Kohler; Karen Krywucki; Ron Lanthrip; Angie Lyons; Najha Marshall; Cormac Jasper Moran, relative of Barbara Flynn; Joseph Murray; Rita Napolitano; James Nichols; Margaret O'Farrell; John & Olga Panas; Karen Petit; Brian Porter; Wayne Richards; Cindy Roman; Linda Sanford; **Bill Stoner**; Nettie Stoner; Norma Summers; Eleanor Venit; Peter Walker; Karen Williams; Jeanne Young; Bob & Patricia Zambreny; and for Edward Walinsky, nephew of Angie Lyons, who died last week.*

**Ministry Schedule**

**For the Weekend of March 20<sup>th</sup> / 21<sup>st</sup>, 2010**

	<u>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>
<b>SATURDAY</b> <b>4:00 P.M.</b>	Sundra Bertrand Jasmin Neihouse Rob Neihouse Donna Mungul-Lynch* Betty Peters*	Carol Lanpsa Andrew Galvez	M. Lynch B. Lynch
<b>SUNDAY</b> <b>8:00 A.M.</b>	Sandy Stoner Bill Stoner Erica Wharry Jody Wharry* Mike McGrath*	Claire McGrath Chris Chamberlain	M. Belt
<b>10:00 A.M.</b>	May Alvarez Anne Cannedy Tim Mical Mary Davis Ray Szyperski Janice Chance* Maribeth Petit*	Jim Calvin Melissa Preston	K. Calvin R. Abban
<b>12:30 P.M.</b>	Ana Diaz Maria Gomez Edgar Diaz	Antonio Santiago Ana Sosa Sandra DelCid	J. Aragon

**EASTER VIGIL...**



*Readings for Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2010*

*For 4pm, 12:30pm (Cycle B)*  
**Reading I:** *Isaiah 43:16-21*  
**Reading II:** *Philippians 3:8-14*  
**Gospel:** *John 8:1-11*

*For 8am, 10am (Cycle A) ~ Scrutiny 3*  
**Reading I** *Ezekiel 37:12-14*  
**Reading II:** *Romans 8:8-11*  
**Gospel:** *John 11:1-45*

How quick am I to cast the first stone?  
Do I make a distinction between the sin and the sinner?


**FINANCE**

**Regular Collection . . . . . 03/07/10 . . . . . \$ 6,955.00**

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN U**  
*as of March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2010*

**Total Commitments Pledged:**

**Total Amount Received:**




**HOLY WEEK LITURGY SCHEDULE**  
(Liturgies are in English, otherwise noted)

**Palm Sunday - March 27<sup>th</sup> /28<sup>th</sup>**  
Saturday 4:00pm;  
Sunday 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:30pm (en español)  
Outdoor Processional at both 10am & 12:30pm

**Holy Thursday - April 1<sup>st</sup>**  
Mass of the Lord's Supper - 6:30pm  
Misa de la Cena Señor (en español) - 8:00pm  
Scripture and Song - 11:15pm  
Night Prayer 11:45pm

**Good Friday - April 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
Morning Prayer and Stations of the Cross- 9:00am  
Living Stations of the Cross (led by parish youth) - 3:00pm  
Good Fri . . . . .

**Holy Saturday** -   
Easter Vigil Mass - 8pm

**Easter Sunday - April 4<sup>th</sup>**  
7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am Children's Mass,  
12:30pm (en español)

**PARISH LENTEN MISSION . . .** Dr. Jack Buchner will continue to lead us on our Lenten Journey with a Parish Mission on Wednesdays at 6:30pm and last 45 minutes. Please join us for our Parish Mission.

**YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR *SIMPLE SOUP SUPPER* . . .** Please join us for fellowship on Wednesday evenings at 7:15pm during Lent. A free will monetary donation will be taken for "*My Brother's Keeper*" a Catholic ministry that feeds the hungry and homeless in Baltimore. Please sign up to slurp up on Wednesday.



**INFANT BAPTISMAL PREPARATION . . .** If it is your desire to have you infant receive the Sacrament of Baptism, please call the Pastoral Center at 410-792-7982 to sign up for Baptismal Preparation Course.

**LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS . . .** Rehearsals are March 28<sup>th</sup> at 3pm and April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 1pm. The Living Stations will take place in our Church on Good Friday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 3pm. Any High School or Middle School student who wishes to be a part of the Living Stations or any adult who wishes to volunteer with this activity, please contact our

Youth Minister at



*Stations of the Cross*  
Join us every Friday in Lent  
**12:15PM & 7:00PM**

Fernando@ResurrectionofOurLord.com.

**THE LIGHT IS STILL ON FOR YOU . . . Reconciliation on Wednesday nights in Lent our light IS ON FOR YOU!** Priests throughout the Archdiocese will hear confessions during the Wednesdays of Lent. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered here at Resurrection on Wednesdays from 7:15-8:00pm. We invite you to join us here for this sacrament. If you have been reluctant to come to the sacrament or have been away for some time or just found it difficult to get to a Saturday afternoon confession time, this is a great opportunity to receive penance

**DON'T FORGET THE MULTI-CULTURAL POTLUCK DINNER . . .** It's not too late to sign up for next Saturday's Multi-Cultural PotLuck Dinner. Everyone is asked to bring a dish to share that will feed 6-8 people. Volunteers are still needed to help with all the "*behind the scenes*" tasks that go with these events. For more information please contact Jody Wharry at 301-776-5781 or Elizabeth Barrios 301-399-9097.

**HS ROCK YOUTH GROUP . . .** will meet next Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup> from 6-8:15 pm


**SAVE THE DATES . . .** Our next *Grounds for Worship* on Passion (Palm) Sunday from 7-9pm. All are welcome to join in prayer, worship and adoration.

**WE INVITE CONFIRMATION STUDENTS . . .** to help serve during the *SIMPLE SOUP SUPPERS*. If you wish to help, please come from 6:30-8:30pm. Questions - please contact Fernando.

**ALTAR SERVERS . . .** Students who have already received their First Eucharist are encouraged to participate as a server. Additional help is greatly needed at **all** of our weekend liturgies!! For your convenience, training sessions will be worked around your schedule. For more information, please contact Michael.

**WIN A WEEK'S VACATION . . .** The Christmas Bazaar Committee is sponsoring a One week vacation at Deep Creek Lake at a beautiful condo. The Condo has a Great Room, 4 Bedrooms (sleeps 10), with TV's in every room and 4 1/2 Baths. It also has a Pool Table & Hot Tub. You may choose a winter or summer vacation. Tickets are \$10. each or 3 for \$25. Please support this fund raiser and get a chance to win.

**ST. MARY'S OF THE MILL SCHOOL . . .** St. Mary's is now accepting applications for grades K-8. The School is proud to offer faith formation, academic excellence, a fully equipped state of the art computer lab, small classroom size and financial assistance to those in need. **The In-Parish Rate is now offered to ALL Catholic Families, including members of Resurrection of Our Lord.** Private tours are available by appointment 7am-7pm Please call 301-498-1433 for more info or visit [www.stmaryofthemills.org](http://www.stmaryofthemills.org)



**TAMPICO GRILL FUND RAISER ~**  
**Tuesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> is our**  
**First ALL DAY TAMPICO GRILL**  
fund raising event.  
All you need to do is eat at *Tampico Grill* on March 23<sup>rd</sup> and **50% of your receipt will benefit Resurrection's Youth and Young Adult Ministry.**