

eBulletin

ST CHARLES CATHOLIC CHURCH - VICTORY PARK - JOHANNESBURG

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HOLY MASS: Weekdays 08:00 daily; **Mon, Wed & Fri** 17:30; **Public Holidays** 08:00; **Saturdays** 8:00, 17:30

Sundays 08:00, 10:00, 14:00 (Zulu/Sotho) & 17:30

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturdays 10:00 -11:00 or by appointment.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Fridays 08:30 – 17:15 & 18:30 – 20:00 in the Chapel (excluding public holidays)

BAPTISMS / WEDDINGS / FUNERALS: Contact Parish Office

4TH SUNDAY OF LENT
27 MARCH 2022



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Scott Hahn

Found Alive Again: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Fourth Sunday of Lent [Listen Here:](#)

Readings:

[Joshua 5:9–12](#)

[Psalm 34:2–7](#)

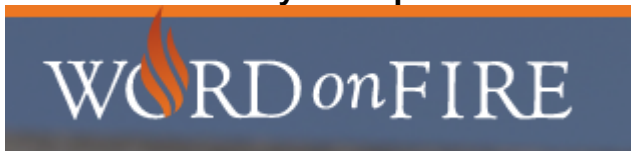
[2 Corinthians 5:17–21](#)

[Luke 15:1–3, 11–32](#)



In today's First Reading, God forgives "the reproach" of the generations who grumbled against Him after the Exodus. [Read More](#)

1. Word on Fire by Bishop Robert Barron



[Read More](#)



It's Not Over Yet!: 3 Tips for the Last Days of Lent [Click Here:](#)

[Click here](#) for more on Life Teen



Parishioners are encouraged to attend **weekday Mass**, pray the **Rosary**, attend **Stations of the Cross** (Fridays after 8:00 & 17:30 Mass), attend **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** (Fridays 9:00-17:15 & 18:30-20:00).



Join our prayer team to pray for peace in Ukraine, for our church community and all our leaders.

Contact: Dcn Mike Harrington

082 924 8411



Delicious samosas etc. on sale Sundays after morning Masses at the Lapa. Funds in aid of SSVP charitable works.



Empty 2lt cool drink bottles are needed to make candle holders for the Easter Vigil. Please place them in the box at the back of the church or the parish office.



Penitential Service – Sat 02 April inside the church from 10:00 – 11:30. A number of priests will be in attendance to assist with this Sacrament of Reconciliation.



Palm Sunday 10 April

Please drop off any palms at the church during the morning on Friday 08 April. Help is needed on Saturday 09 April to decorate the church and make palm crosses in the Catechetical Centre.



Other Misc. Etc...



SPIRITUAL SMOOTHIE: WHAT WERE MARY'S SEVEN SORROWS? You would think that the Mother of God would have the least cause for sorrow – yet God's plan is perfect and Mary's suffering is a witness for all of us. Learn from Mary's Seven Sorrows she experienced throughout her life. [Watch Here:](#)



The Hidden Powers of St. Benedict's Medal

Holy medals, also known as devotional medals or religious medals, are medallions, usually resembling a coin, created for devotional purposes or a commemoration.. [Read Here:](#)



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

UNITED STATES | CANADA

APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER

Pope Francis will consecrate Russia and Ukraine to the Immaculate Heart of Mary on March 25, 2022.



Pope Francis will consecrate Russia and Ukraine to the Immaculate Heart of Mary on Friday, March 25, during the Celebration of Penance that he will preside over at 5pm [local time] in St Peter's Basilica. [Read More:](#)



AD NEWS

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YouTube **Liturgy of the Word** on St Charles YouTube Channel from 07:00 every Sunday. [Watch Here](#)



BISHOPS' LENTEN APPEAL –

Envelopes on tables at back of the church. Place your contribution in 2nd collection baskets. Alternatively EFT into the Parish bank account with reference: *BLA*.

Children may place their offerings in the large mite box in the sanctuary.



CWL Senior parishioners Mass –

Tuesday 29 March followed by tea in the Catechetical Centre.



Repository open after weekend Masses.

Contact Patricia 073 557 7248



CWL Crockery and Cutlery Hire –

Contact Ann 083 536 5722 / 011 678 2179



"During this season of conversion, let us renew our faith, and receive with open hearts the love of God"

Pope Francis



www.universeoffaith.org

Children's Catechism & Confirmation

Classes take place at the Catechetical Centre
Confirmation: Mondays, from 18h30 to 19h30.
Catechism: Tuesdays, from 15h30 to 16h30
Any queries please contact Giselle on 084 584 2229.

RCIA - For those interested in being received into the Catholic Church or wanting to know more about the Catholic faith, please contact Gustavo on 082 922 7155.

Life Teen

For all teens (Grades 7 to 12) - Fridays 18:15 to 19:30 in the Catechetical Centre. For further information, contact: info@saintcharleslifeteen.co.za or Daniella 079 986 3679.

Engaged Encounter

Requirement for all couples planning to marry. On Zoom during lockdown. www.engagedencounter.co.za

Retrouvaille

For hurting marriages Starting 28th May, with 12 follow-up sessions covering topics like - Listening, Intimacy, Conflict Management, Trust, Forgiveness & Healing. For further information and bookings, please visit website:

- www.helpourmarriage.com
- joburg@rtretrouvaille.co.za
- www.retrouvaillejhb.co.za

Catholic Women's League

New members most welcome. Contact Mel 082 544 0794

St Charles Care Group

Do you know of any parishioner in need of a kind word, meal or visit? Contact Daniele 083 291 6177.

GriefShare

A Seminar/Support Programme for those mourning the death of a loved one. Virtual meetings via Zoom. Tel: Coralie 083 524 7016. Regret no physical meetings during Covid.

Family of God

Victory and Healing Seminar
- contact Paul Derbyshire 082 460 3950

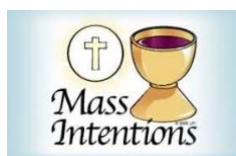
Society of St Vincent de Paul (SSVP)

New members are most welcome. Contact Kevin 084 505 8501.

Friends of Our Lady

Weekly Saturday morning Zoom Webinar at 05:00. Experience the power of men praying together. Register https://zoom.us/webinar/register/5715880741534/WN_1smyl8q3RtOagZ-IX8XCw.

St Joseph Statue - To reserve the statue contact Patricia Chase 073 557 7248.



Sat 26 Mar 08:00 Joao Pereira RIP / Ernest Lopes **17:30** Michael Kourie RIP / José Baptista RIP

Sun 27 Mar 08:00 Isilda de Gouveia RIP / Ernest Lopes **10:00** Patrick Fokam RIP / Martha Sequeira RIP /

Anny Taka & Fokam Family **17:30** Souls in Purgatory
Mon 28 Mar 08:00 Souls in Purgatory / Rafael Lopes **17:30** Brian & Colleen Chase RIP

Tues 29 Mar 08:00 Pamela Martin RIP / Nicholas / Maruice Coopmans / Williams Family / Rita Correia

Wed 30 Mar 08:00 Souls in Purgatory **17:30** Zulmira Dias RIP

Thu 31 Mar 08:00 Manuel Ponce / Cindy-Lee de Jesus

Fri 01 Apr 08:00 Maxine Maurel RIP / Mateus Dias RIP **17:30** Souls in Purgatory



- ❖ Patricia Ford
- ❖ Colin John Chaplin

Holy Week and Easter Liturgy – 2022

In Holy Week the church celebrates the mysteries of salvation accomplished by Christ, in the last days of His earthly life from His Messianic entry into Jerusalem, to His blessed Passion and glorious Resurrection.

Saturday – 09 April

Holy Mass 17:30 – commencing with the blessing of the palms.

Palm Sunday – 10 April

Holy Mass Times 08:00 / 10:00 / 17:30 – commencing with the blessing of the palms

Holy Mass during the week – 11 to 13 April

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday at 08:00; Monday & Wednesday at 17:30

Holy Thursday – 14 April

Chrism Mass (Blessing of the oils) at the Cathedral of Christ the King ~ 09:30

Easter triduum

19:00 – Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by a procession from the Church, with the Blessed Sacrament, to the Grotto (garden of repose). A reminder to bring your candles with candle holders.



Good Friday – 15 April

Passion and Death of Our Lord
Day of fasting and abstinence.

08:00 & 10:00 Stations of the Cross

The Solemn Proclamation of the Passion & Death of Our Lord

12:00 & 15:00 ~ Liturgy of the Word / Veneration of the Cross / Holy Communion

The Good Friday Collection will be for the upkeep of the Holy Land shrines.

Holy Saturday – 16 April ~ Solemn Easter Vigil at 18:00

(please bring a candle, candle holder and empty bottle for Holy water)

Blessing of the Paschal Fire and Paschal Candle
The Liturgy of the Word (the history of Salvation)
Baptismal Liturgy
Liturgy of the Eucharist
Solemn Easter Mass

Day of the Resurrection - Easter Sunday ~17 April

Solemn Easter Masses ~ 08:00 & 10:00 (No 17:30 Mass)

Easter Monday (public holiday) – 18 April

Holy Mass at 08:00

