Palm Sunday of the Lord’s Passion  ➔ April 14, 2019

Our Mission

We are a welcoming Eucharistic community committed to growing together as disciples of Jesus Christ. As both a parish and the Mother Church of the Archdiocese, we serve as a beacon of faith, a patron of the arts and a haven and advocate for people who are poor and marginalized.

Becoming a Parishioner

Do you attend Mass or other events at the Cathedral on a regular basis? Would you like to become a parishioner? Registration takes place at First Sunday Coffee the first Sunday of the month or online by visiting www.stjohncathedral.org.

“Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord. Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.”
Lk 19:38

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Archdiocese of Milwaukee  ➔ Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Palm Sunday of the Lord’s Passion

April 14, 2019

Masses – Saturday 5:15PM & Sunday 9:00AM & 11:00AM
Vespers – Sunday 5:15PM

April 15, 2019 – Monday of Holy Week
Morning Prayer – 7:30AM • Masses – 7:45AM & 5:15PM
Reconciliation – 4:30PM • Evening Prayer – 5:00PM

April 16, 2019 – Tuesday of Holy Week
Morning Prayer – 7:30AM • Mass – 7:45AM
Reconciliation – 4:30PM
Chrism Mass – 7:30PM

April 17, 2019 – Wednesday of Holy Week
Morning Prayer – 7:30AM • Masses – 7:45AM & 5:15PM
Reconciliation – 4:30PM • Evening Prayer – 5:00PM

April 18, 2019 – Holy Thursday
Morning Prayer – 7:30AM
Mass of the Lord’s Supper – 7:00PM
Adoration in the Atrium – After Mass until 9:30PM

April 19, 2019 – Good Friday
Morning Prayer – 7:30AM
Celebration of the Lord’s Passion – 12:15PM & 5:15PM (BILINGUAL)

April 20, 2019 – Holy Saturday
Morning Prayer – 7:30AM
The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night – 8:15PM

April 21, 2019 – Easter Sunday
Masses – 7:30AM, 9:00AM, & 11:00AM

Music for Palm Sunday and the Easter Triduum

Palm Sunday • April 14, 2019
11:00AM Mass ~ Cathedral Choir

Wednesday • April 17, 2019
No concert: Holy Week

Holy Thursday • April 18, 2019
7:00PM Mass of the Lord’s Supper ~ Cathedral Choir & Handbell Ensemble

Good Friday • April 19, 2019
12:15PM Celebration of our Lord’s Passion ~ Cathedral Choir
5:15PM Celebration of our Lord’s Passion ~ Voces Mundi

Holy Saturday • April 20, 2019
8:15PM Easter Vigil ~ Cathedral Choir, brass and timpani

Easter Sunday • April 21, 2019
7:30AM Mass ~ organ & cantor
9:00AM Mass ~ Cathedral Choir, Women’s Choir, brass and timpani
11:00AM Mass ~ Cathedral Choir, Women’s Choir, brass and timpani

For us Catholics these days are the holiest of the year. It is our desire, then, to prepare some of the finest music to assist in our worship.

Please consider making a donation to the music program to help offset the extra costs. Any amount is greatly appreciated. Thank you!
Financial Stewardship Update
Parish Support – April 1, through April 7, 2019

Stewardship Offering: $13,548.00
(Envelopes & Electronic)
Offertory: $1,086.28

Budget updates
Fiscal Year July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019

Year to Date Contributions: $496,778.02
Year to Date Budget: $502,920.00
Year to Date Difference: ($6,141.98)

“Prayer, humility, and charity toward all are essential in the Christian life: they are the way to holiness.” Pope Francis

Cathedral Fine Arts / Music Appeal 2018-19

You’ve helped us raise: $19,600!
We have $10,400 to go!

Readings for the Week of April 14

MON: Is 42:1-7/Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14 [1a]/Jn 12:1-11
TUE: Is 49:1-6/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 and 17 [cf. 15ab]/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38
Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9/Ps 89:21-22, 25 and 27 [2]/Rv 1:5-8/Lk 4:16-21
WED: Is 50:4-9a/Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 and 33-34 [14c]/Mt 26:14-25
Your Help is Needed
175 Alive/Celebrating Community

On Saturday May 4th, people from around the Archdiocese will be coming to the Cathedral to celebrate the anniversary of Bishop Henni’s arrival to Milwaukee (see details in the box to the right). As the Cathedral, the Mother Church of the Archdiocese, this anniversary is also an important milestone in our own parish history.

Help us extend a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors that day by volunteering to greet folks as they arrive for Mass at 11:00 am and by serving as tour guides in the Cathedral after Mass until 3:30 pm. You can sign up for an hour or for as many hours as you would like to share with us. Please contact Amy at 414/276-9814, ext. 306 or amynikolai@stjohncathedral.org.

Sacra Nova Cathedrale Announces Upcoming Concert
For the Beauty of The Earth

New sacred music vocal ensemble Sacra Nova Cathedrale presents new works, and works that may be unfamiliar to the concertgoer, for their spring concert, For the Beauty of The Earth, held at the Cathedral.

Come join us on Sunday, April 28, 2019, 3:00 – 4:00 pm as we present new music which reflects on the beauty of springtime. From Rutter to Martinson, Mathias to Lekberg and more, this is a concert you won’t want to miss. Composers with works featured include: McConnell; Hahn; Bahr; Artley.

The concert is free. Free-will donations will be accepted.
Guest conductor, Michael Batcho
Guest organist, Simone Gheller
Guest pianist, Derrick Hahn
For more information on the Upcoming Concert:
www.facebook.com/events/592257067851728/
For more information on Sacra Nova Cathedrale:
www.sacranovacathedrale.com or www.facebook.com/sacranovacathedrale/

New Horizons Weekend of Healing

New Horizons is an Archdiocesan ministry for Catholics who have experienced separation and divorce. The next New Horizons Weekend of Healing will be April 26 - 28, 2019 at Schoenstatt Retreat Center in Waukesha. Information and a registration form are available by contacting the Office for Marriage and Family Life at 414/758-2201 or visit www.johnpaul2center.org/Nazareth--Project/Separated-and-Divorced.htm.

Join us on May 4, 2019 to commemorate and celebrate the day the first Bishop of Milwaukee, Bishop John Martin Henni, arrived in Milwaukee in 1844. The celebration will start at Pere Marquette Park, then process to the Cathedral for an 11 a.m. Mass. We will continue our celebration in Cathedral Square, as we join together in a fun-filled family day of music, food and games.

Pere Marquette Park - 900 N. Plankinton Ave., Milwaukee
10:00 a.m. | Archbishop Listecki will arrive at Pere Marquette Park by boat (weather permitting)
10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. | Archbishop Listecki and Dr. Michael R. Lovell Presentation
10:20 a.m. | Begin procession to Cathedral

Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist
812 N. Jackson St., Milwaukee
11:00 a.m. | Mass

Cathedral Square (Jackson St., between Kilbourn St. and Wells St.)
11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. | Food trucks and Sprecher Brewing truck on Jackson St.
11:45 a.m. – 4 p.m. | Live music including the Squeezettes in Cathedral Square, yard games, historical information
12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. | Cathedral Tours
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. | 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament on Jackson St.

CELEBRATING COMMUNITY
The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

An Invitation to a Gathering of Senior Adults at the Cathedral

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist invites you to the monthly gathering of SPARC to be held on Wednesday, April 17 at 12:45 pm in the Cathedral Atrium.

The SPARC Ministry is composed of a group of senior adults gathering together monthly to enjoy the company and friendship of peers. Camaraderie, special guests and lively conversation are what will make this a worthwhile way to spend your afternoon. Besides, Lunch is Served!!!!

In celebration of National Poetry Month, April’s SPARC Gathering will feature members of Poets Ink, a group of local writers. They will read original work followed by an open mike opportunity for SPARC members who may wish to read poems they have written or favorite poems by other authors. Please bring poetry if you wish to share. Join us for an afternoon of enjoyable food, fellowship, and good listening.

Please do join us and bring a friend. There is no concert in the Cathedral this day as this is Holy Week. There is no charge for the luncheon. A Free Will Offering is gratefully appreciated.

Reservations must be made to ensure your place at the table. Thank You. Please do RSVP by Monday, April 15 to Jim at 414/276-9814, ext. 308 or via email: jimtrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org.

Good Friday

On Good Friday we come together as a people of faith to meditate on Jesus’s suffering and death on the cross, and how we embrace what Jesus has done for us. For us, on Good Friday, the Catholic Church throughout the world takes up a very special collection - the “Collection for the Holy Land.” This special collection originated from the Popes’ wishes to maintain a strong bond between the Holy Places of the Holy Land and all Christians of the world. It is the main source of sustenance for life around the Holy Places, and is also the tool through which the Custody of the Holy Land is able to sustain and carry forward the important mission to which it is called: to preserve the holy places, the stones of memory, and to favor the Christian presence, the living stones of the Holy Land, through many activities of solidarity such as the maintenance of pastoral, educational, welfare, health and social structures.

I can attest to this vital need to preserve these Holy places where God revealed and still reveals himself to us. Last year I had the privilege of walking in the footsteps of Jesus and the many millions of people before me. I was able to visit the sites and have Mass each day, where Mary said yes to God’s call to her. I was able to go to Mount Tabor to the place where Jesus was transfigured before Peter, James and John. At Banias and Dan I saw where the Jordan River begins, and which flows into the Sea of Galilee, to Capernaum, to visit Tabgha, to the Mount of the Beatitudes, to stepping in the waters of the Jordan where Jesus was Baptized. I also experienced walking on Mount Nebo where Moses was granted the Promised Land, to Jesus’ birthplace in Bethlehem. Experiencing the walk through the Mount of Olives, to touch the stone where Jesus prayed and wept, to touch the place where Jesus’ cross stood, and to enter the Holy Sepulchre and celebrate Eucharist where his body laid.

The importance of this collection is vital to keeping the history of our faith alive and well cared for, for future generations. Please accept this invitation to prayerfully consider a financial contribution for preservation of the sites in the Holy Land. Many of the Holy Land Shrines have been cared for by the Franciscans for over 800 years. Your contribution is greatly appreciated.

Your servant in Christ

-Deacon Tom

Easter Flower Memorials

We are currently accepting memorial donations for the season of Easter. If you would like to remember a loved one or donate in honor of an individual during the Easter season, please send your memorial to the parish office, either in the envelope provided in your monthly packet or in an envelope marked “Easter Flower Memorial.” Memorial donations made through Monday, April 22 will be included in our annual listing on the Second Sunday of Easter, April 28. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Please be assured of our prayers for your loved ones.
Pastoral Care

Are any among you sick?

James 5:14

The Pastoral Care Phone Extension (414/276-9814, ext. 603) is a special line dedicated exclusively to receiving requests for ministry and service to those who are sick, hospitalized, home-bound, residents of nursing homes or health care facilities or in need of the Sacraments and prayer.

The Prayer Link (ext. 604 or prayerlink@stjohncathedral.org) is a line/email address dedicated to receiving requests for prayer by other parishioners and friends of the Cathedral.

If you would like to be part of the Prayer Link and pray for parishioners please contact Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate.

To arrange for a priest, deacon or lay minister to visit a loved one who is sick, homebound, or hospitalized, please contact the parish office. Because of HIPAA policies, a hospital cannot notify the Cathedral of an admittance, so a family member must take the initiative. Anointing is also offered the second Saturday of the month at the 5:15 pm Mass.

This Week on the Calendar

Sunday • April 14
2:30P Musician Rehearsal: Sacra Nova (Cathedral)
5:15P Vespers: Palm Sunday (Cathedral)

Monday • April 15
5:15P St. Vincent de Paul (Open Door Café)
6:45P Centering Prayer (North Meeting Room)

Tuesday • April 16
9:30A Pastoral Staff Meeting (Meeting Room C)
5:30P Pastoral Council Meeting (North Meeting Room)
7:30P Chrism Mass (Cathedral)

Wednesday • April 17
12:45P SPARC Gathering (Atrium)
5:30P AA Meeting (North Meeting Room)
7:00P Rehearsal: Cathedral Choir (Cathedral)

Thursday • April 18
12:15P AA Meeting (North Meeting Room)
7:00P Mass of the Lord’s Supper (Cathedral)

Friday • April 19
(Parish Office Closes at noon)
(Open Door Café: no bag lunches)
10:15A Hygiene Kit Distribution (Lobby - Parish Center)
12:15P Good Friday Service (Cathedral)
5:15P Good Friday Service (Bilingual)

Saturday • April 20
8:15P Easter Vigil (Cathedral)

Sunday • April 21
Closed: Open Door Café

7:30A Mass: Easter Sunday (Cathedral)
9:00A Mass: Easter Sunday (Cathedral)
11:00A Mass: Easter Sunday (Cathedral)
Welcome to the Cathedral

Parish Staff Directory

Archbishop .......................... The Most Reverend Jerome E. Listecki
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Auxiliary Bishop Emeritus ...... The Most Reverend Richard J. Sklba

Pastoral Council

Pastoral Council Minutes can be found at: www.stjohncathedral.org/index.php/pastoral-council-minutes

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Catholic East Elementary School .................. Donna Rongholt-Migan, Director
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Mass Schedule & Sacramental Celebrations

Eucharist:

Sundays: Saturday, 5:15PM (Mass of Anticipation) 9:00 & 11:00AM
Daily: 7:45AM and 5:15PM (Cathedral Day Chapel)

Holy Days: As published in the bulletin.

Reconciliation: 4:30 to 5:00PM Monday-Friday or by appointment.

Infant Baptism: Baptism preparation sessions are held for already registered Cathedral
parish parents for the Catholic commitment they are making for their child. Please
contact Pastoral Associate.

Christian Marriage: Marriages are scheduled for parishioners who have been
registered for at least one year. Preparation sessions with a priest begins no later than
six months before the marriage date.

Communion for the Sick: Parishioners who are confined to their home may have the
Eucharist brought to them. Call the parish office and ask for the Pastoral Care
extension, 603.

Sacrament of Anointing: Make arrangements at anytime. Communal anointing
celebrated on the second Saturday of each month at the 5:15PM Mass (unless
otherwise noted in the bulletin).

Confirmation: Adult Catholics: Preparation begins each January. Please contact the
Pastoral Associate.

Initiation into the Catholic Church  ;RCIA: Please contact the Pastoral Associate.
Annulment Support: Thinking about an annulment? Want more information on the
process? Please contact the Pastoral Associate.

Looking for a Parish?

If you are new to the area or are looking for a parish, please consider joining us.
Call the parish office to receive more information. New Parishioner Registration
takes place after all Masses the first weekend of each month.

Parish Office/Parish Center Hours

Parish Office: 8:00AM - 4:30PM
Parish Center: 8:00AM - 7:00PM Monday-Thursday 8:00AM - 4:00PM Friday

Bulletin submissions are due by 9:00 a.m. Monday morning to Cathy
Quandt at BulletinEditor@stjohncathedral.org.

If you attend Mass at any of the Catholic Communities of Our Lady of Divine Providence, Ss. Peter and Paul, Old St. Mary, and
Three Holy Women, you can place your offertory envelope from your home parish in the basket and it will be forwarded for you.