



# Palm Sunday



**1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Isaiah 50.4-7** I did not hide my face from insult and sitting. I know that I shall not be put to shame.  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Philippians 2.6-11** Jesus humbled himself. Therefore, God highly exalted him.  
**Gospel: Matthew 26.14-27.66** The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ.



## Saturday, April 1

5:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Joan Cooper-Franks  
 7:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Mass: Cathy Dolan's Intentions

## Palm Sunday, April 2

8:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass: People of the Parish  
 9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + William Ironside  
 9:30 a.m. St. Andrew's Mass:  
     Catholic Women League's Intentions  
 9:30 a.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass: + Eleanor Duffy  
 11:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Mervyn Bill Kelly  
 11:00 a.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Henry VanDyk

## Monday, April 3

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Craig Robertson

## Tuesday, April 4

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Antonio Vavala

## Wednesday, April 5

12:10 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Marie Misinchuk

## THE SACRED TRIDUUM

## Holy Thursday, April 6 | *Mass of the Lord's Supper*

5:00 p.m. St. Andrew's Mass: People of the Parish  
 7:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Mass: People of the Parish  
 7:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: People of the Parish  
 7:30 p.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass: People of the Parish

## Good Friday, April 7 | *Passion of the Lord*

*Please join Guardian Angels Church  
 at 2:30 p.m. for the Stations of the Cross*

3:00 p.m. St. Andrew's Parish Liturgy  
 3:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Parish Liturgy  
 3:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Parish Liturgy  
 3:00 p.m. St. Francis of Assisi Parish Liturgy

*Please join St. Columbkille Parish at 2:00 p.m. for the  
 Stations of the Cross and Divine Mercy Novena Chaplet*

## Holy Saturday, April 8 | *Easter Vigil*

6:00 p.m. St. Andrew's Mass: Donor's Intention  
 7:00 p.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Jim Butler  
 8:00 p.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Jose Coquia  
 8:30 p.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass: + Anna Jacob

## Easter Sunday, April 9 | *Resurrection of the Lord*

8:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass:  
     Carpino & McMillan Deceased Family Members  
 9:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Deacon Bob Sparkes  
 9:30 a.m. St. Andrew's Mass: + Ted Conway  
 9:30 a.m. St. Francis of Assisi Mass: + Paul Chanphil Lee  
 11:00 a.m. Guardian Angels Mass: + Mervyn Bill Kelly  
 11:00 a.m. St. Columbkille Mass: + Bernard Gogarty

## Pope's Intentions for April 2023

*For a culture of peace and non-violence*

We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

## Holy Week

It is through the crucifixion that Christ defeats Satan and triumphantly attains our salvation, allowing us to enter our heavenly home. As we approach the Holy Triduum, let us take some time each day this week to reflect on the passion of Christ. We can do this in many ways such as praying the Stations of the Cross or the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary, reading the passion narratives in the Bible or simply gazing upon a crucifix.

## Divine Mercy Sunday



On May 5, 2000, the late Pope St John Paul II declared that the Second Sunday of Easter shall have added to its title Divine Mercy Sunday. Through St. Faustina, we learned that Jesus said, "I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My mercy." John Paul II felt this was such an important event that he declared a plenary indulgence to anyone who celebrates it worthily. A novena begins on Good Friday and ends Divine Mercy Sunday. Please find a pamphlet at the back of the church to help you with preparing for this great solemnity and join us on that Sunday in prayers following each mass.

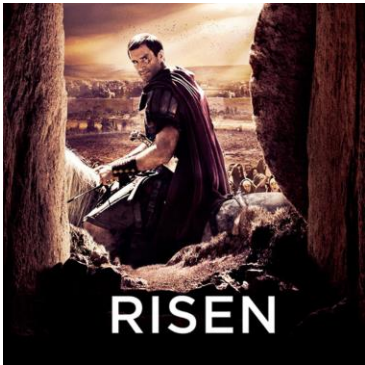
Conditions for receiving the plenary indulgence - full remission of our sins: A sincere confession within 8 days of the Sunday with a sincere desire to stay away from sin, receive holy communion on that day, venerate the image of the Divine Mercy, trust in Jesus and be merciful to others.

## Pray the Divine Mercy Novena Chaplet

A novena is typically nine days of prayer in preparation of a celebration of a feast day. For the Divine Mercy Novena the Chaplet is recited perpetually at the Hour of great mercy-three o'clock p.m. (if possible) Jesus specifically asked that the chaplet be recited as a novena. He promised, "By this Novena (of Chaplets), I will grant every possible grace to souls."

*Novena Days: Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup>  
to Divine Mercy Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.*

## Movie Night



The Faith Formation presents: "Risen" Reflecting on the Resurrection of Our Lord on April 11 at St. Columbkille Church Hall from 7-9 p.m.

Refreshments will be provided.

For more information contact 705-238-2663

## Support our Lenten ShareLife Appeal

In today's celebration of Palm Sunday, we are reminded of our Lenten reflections and how we are called to welcome Jesus into our hearts and to follow Him and his ways. We invite you to follow Jesus' example and sacrifice and share what you can to those who are in most need of our help. We ask you to give generously to ShareLife. Thank you for your support and for living the Gospel by providing for those in need. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate).

## Religious Articles Room

If you're looking for a gift to commemorate the celebration of the sacraments of **Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation or Marriage**, we can help. We generally have a good selection of **bibles, catechisms, devotionals, religious articles and spiritual reading available**. If you don't see what you're looking for, please ask a volunteer for assistance. Guardian Angels Religious Articles Room is located at the office side entrance to the church near the Chapel and is open after Saturday evening and Sunday masses or by appointment.

## St. Andrew's Lasagna Dinner

ON SUNDAY,

April 30, 2023 @ 5:00 P.M.

Hosted at Brechin Mara Legion

(Made by Susan Potalivo)



Cost: Adults, \$20, Under 10, \$15,

Includes: Lasagna, Salad, Roll, Dessert,

Coffee, Juice and Water.

Silent Auction 50/50 Draw

*Please purchase tickets prior to the date of the event.*

Tickets are available after Masses at St. Andrew's or by calling **Jane Lee @ 705-238-0457, Debbie Leroux @ 705-484-5573, Sandra Heitzner @ 705-323-2921, Joann Emons @ 705-484-5537** or **Mary Jane Whalen @ 705-484-0063.**

## Parish Stewardship February - 2023

### Guardian Angels Parish

Offertory Donation: \$ 12,129

Building Fund: \$ 1,743

#### Pre-Authorized Giving

Offertory Donation: \$ 11,928

Building Fund: \$ 1,598

### Sacred Heart Mission

Offertory Donation: \$ 1,395

We Look Forward Fund: \$ 155

#### Pre-Authorized Giving

Offertory Donation: \$ 413

We Look Forward Fund: \$ 45

### St. Columbkille Parish

Offertory Donation: \$ 4,230

Building Fund: \$ 883

#### Pre-Authorized Giving

Offertory Donation: \$ 1,758

Building Fund: \$ 573

### St. Francis of Assisi Parish

Offertory Donation: \$ 1,830

Building Fund: \$ 450

#### Pre-Authorized Giving

Offertory Donation: \$ 923

Building Fund: \$ 210

### St. Andrew's Parish

Offertory Donation: \$ 3,060

Restoration Fund: \$ 2,536

Stained Glass Restoration Fund: \$ 863

#### Pre-Authorized Giving

Offertory Donation: \$ 700

Restoration Fund: \$ 460

*Thank you for supporting our churches.*