

**ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH – NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY – HIGH HILL**  
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**Rev. Jasper Liggio, Pastor – Rev. Luke Prihoda, Parochial Vicar**  
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**SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2024 – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

Jer 31:31-34    Heb 5:7-9    Jn 12:20-33 (35)

Wednesday, March 20 <sup>th</sup>	5:30 PM	Thomas Liebig and Paul Liebig
Sunday, March 24 <sup>th</sup> (Palm Sunday)	<b>**10:30 AM**</b>	James Kainer
Wednesday, March 27 <sup>th</sup>	5:30 PM	Sandra Anthony
Sunday, March 31 <sup>st</sup> (Easter)	10:15 AM	Albert Muras

**LENTEN REMINDERS**

Masses during Lent on Wednesdays will be followed by the Stations of the Cross. There are opportunities for Confession each Sunday 30 minutes before Mass.

**March 23/24 – PALM SUNDAY**

- St. Rose – Regular Schedule
- 5:30 pm – Mass – Ammannsville
- 8:00 am – Mass – Holman (NOTE TIME CHANGE)
- 10:30 am – Mass – High Hill (NOTE TIME CHANGE)

**March 28 – HOLY THURSDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

- 7:00 pm – Mass – St. Rose
- 7:00 pm – Mass – High Hill

**March 29 – GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES**

- 2:00 pm – Mass – St. Rose
- 2:00 pm – Service, followed by Stations – High Hill
- 7:00 pm - Stations – St. Rose

**March 30 – HOLY SATURDAY**

- 8:00 pm – Easter Vigil Mass – St. Rose



**LENT FAQ'S**

**What are the Lent rules on fasting/abstinence?** In this context, abstinence refers to “abstaining” from meat on Fridays during Lent. Whereas Catholics fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday with just one normal meal, Catholics must refrain from eating meat on other Fridays, though they can have three full meals. Age guidelines advise that those 14- 59 must abstain from meat on Fridays during Lent. Canon Law does mention that for young children not fasting, parents should still communicate the meaning of penance. Children, adults with physical and mental illness, pregnant women and those nursing are all exempt.

**EASTER EGG HUNT**

Get your Easter baskets ready because the Easter bunny will be hopping in to surprise all of the little ones with colorful eggs and delicious candy!! Following the 10:15am Easter Sunday Mass (March 31,2024) the Easter Egg Hunt will begin. While the kiddos are having fun, we will also be serving donuts and kolaches in the hall, for everyone to enjoy.

**SAVE THE DATE**

The 2024 Women’s Conference for the Diocese of Victoria is April 13, 2024, this year. For more details visit the Diocese website. Tickets are \$40 each or \$200 for 6 (buy 5 and get 1 free!). More information to come soon. Save the date!

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Sundays of Lent & Easter	<i>Special Collection</i> – Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Rice Bowl
March 19	St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
March 24	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
March 28	Holy Thursday
March 28	<i>Special Collection</i> – Education of Seminarians Of the Diocese of Victoria (Holy Thursday)
March 29	Good Friday
March 29	<i>Special Collection</i> - Holy Land
March 30	Holy Saturday
March 31	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
April 8	The Annunciation of the Lord

**FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP**

Restoration Box	\$ 111.00
Restoration (anonymous)	\$ 155.00
Restoration (Dan Pipalas Memorials)	\$ 250.00
Restoration (Richard & Georgia Gabler Memorial)	\$ 50.00
Restoration (Tom Antosh Memorials)	\$ 230.00
Restoration (Wedding Payment)	\$ 500.00
Gift Shop Proceeds	\$ 1,000.00
Rice Bowl	\$ 61.00
Catholic Relief Services Collection	\$ 328.00
St Rose Church (Mass Stipend)	\$ 25.00
<u>Offertory (3/10/24)</u>	<u>\$ 1,017.00</u>
Total Deposit	\$ 3,727.00

**LAY MINISTERS**

**SUNDAY – MARCH 24**

Rosary	Tonya Stang – Pam Slaton
Eucharistic Minister	Eric Oeding – (Stacy Oeding)
Lector	Lad Trojacek – (Mary Stavinoaha)
Altar Servers	Charlie Shank
Ushers	Buddy Hemann – Bob DeWitt
Ushers	Robert Hranicky – Johnnie Segura
Gifts	Johnnie & Susan Segura

**SUNDAY – MARCH 31**

Maria Bohac – Dorothy Meyer
Mary Stavinoaha
Kim Wellborn – (Susie Shank)
Katy Shank
Charlie Shank
Buddy Dittrich – Donald Bohac
Matt Kubala – Alex Wellborn
Mary Muras Family

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Renee Mazoch, Glen McLaren, Henry Miksch, Connor Machicek, Ken Dittrich, Francis Pio Pilkington, Leon Shank, Mary Shank, Larry Nuhn, Jessi Wilcox, Gordon Ross, Diana Heinrich, Doris Anders, Jan Ripper, Cheryl (Kobza) Powell, Nadine Kriskche, Steve Hopkins, Barbara Nugent, Luke Friedel, Orly R. Elizondo, Wilbert Demel, Elroy Demel, Terri Hanna, Georgia Kalich, Bruce Treybig, Carrol Ray Demel, Francis Ripper, Julia Oeding, Lillian Hilscher, Leon Popp, Mary Demel, Marilyn Adamcik, Lad Trojacek, Joyce Dittrich, Mildred Hollas, Kathy Kutac, Al Martinez, Willy Schmidt, Edward Schwenke, Angie Schwenke, Derek Schwenke and Johnnie Bargas.