



CHURCH *of the* HOLY APOSTLES

Glorifying God through worship, discipleship, stewardship, fellowship and love

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

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A Reading from the Book of Joshua (5:1, 9-12).

As soon as all the kings of the Amorites who were beyond the Jordan to the west, and all the kings of the Canaanites who were by the sea, heard that the LORD had dried up the waters of the Jordan for the people of Israel until they had crossed over, their hearts melted and there was no longer any spirit in them because of the people of Israel. And the LORD said to Joshua, "Today I have rolled away the reproach of Egypt from you." And so the name of that place is called Gilgal to this day. While the people of Israel were encamped at Gilgal, they kept the Passover on the fourteenth day of the month in the evening on the plains of Jericho. And the day after the Passover, on that very day, they ate of the produce of the land, unleavened cakes and parched grain. And the manna ceased the day after they ate of the produce of the land. And there was no longer manna for the people of Israel, but they ate of the fruit of the land of Canaan that year.

The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 34:1-8. *Benedicam Dominum.*

I WILL alway give thanks unto the LORD; *

his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

2 My soul shall make her boast in the LORD; *

the humble shall hear thereof, and be glad.

3 O praise the LORD with me, *

and let us magnify his Name together.

4 I sought the LORD, and he heard me; *

yea, he delivered me out of all my fear.

5 They had an eye unto him, and were lightened; *

and their faces were not ashamed.

6 Lo, the poor crieth, and the LORD heareth him; *

yea, and saveth him out of all his troubles.

7 The angel of the LORD tarrieth round about them that

fear him, * and delivereth them.

8 O taste, and see, how gracious the LORD is: *

blessed is the man that trusteth in him.

A Reading from the Second Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians (5:17-21).

If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we

might become the righteousness of God.

The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

✠ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to St. Luke (15:11-32).

People **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Jesus said, “There was a man who had two sons. And the younger of them said to his father, ‘Father, give me the share of property that is coming to me.’ And he divided his property between them. Not many days later, the younger son gathered all he had and took a journey into a far country, and there he squandered his property in reckless living. And when he had spent everything, a severe famine arose in that country, and he began to be in need. So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him into his fields to feed pigs. And he was longing to be fed with the pods that the pigs ate, and no one gave him anything. “But when he came to himself, he said, ‘How many of my father’s hired servants have more than enough bread, but I perish here with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, “Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you. I am no longer worthy to be called your son. Treat me as one of your hired servants.”’” And he arose and came to his father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and felt compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him. And the son said to him, ‘Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you. I am no longer worthy to be called your

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son.’ But the father said to his servants, ‘Bring quickly the best robe, and put it on him, and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet. And bring the fattened calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate. For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found.’ And they began to celebrate. “Now his older son was in the field, and as he came and drew near to the house, he heard music and dancing. And he called one of the servants and asked what these things meant. And he said to him, ‘Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fattened calf, because he has received him back safe and sound.’ But he was angry and refused to go in. His father came out and entreated him, but he answered his father, ‘Look, these many years I have served you, and I never disobeyed your command, yet you never gave me a young goat, that I might celebrate with my friends. But when this son of yours came, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fattened calf for him!’ And he said to him, ‘Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. It was fitting to celebrate and be glad, for this your brother was dead, and is alive; he was lost, and is found.’”

The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

SUNDAY ROTA

	MARCH 30 FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT	APRIL 6 FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT
<u>8:00 A.M.</u>		
LECTOR	LEAH McADAMS	
ALTAR SERVER(S)	CHARRA WRIGHT	RIK MARSHALL
GREETER		
VIDEOGRAPHER	DAVE WILSON	DAVE WILSON
<u>10:00 A.M.</u>		
LECTOR	SUSAN HENRY	TODD MARCHAND
SUB DEACON	JIM STUBBLEFIELD	TIM SCHWARZ
CRUCIFER/SERVER	TRACEY MINCE	RACHEL SCHWARZ
CHALICE	TAYLOR BENAVIDES	KELLY WOOD
TORCHBEARERS	RACHEL SCHWARZ ZOEY TEAGARDEN	MARSHALL BENAVIDES AISLIN SMITH
THURIFER	TIM SCHWARZ	JIM STUBBLEFIELD
VIDEOGRAPHER		MATT TEAGARDEN
OBLATIONERS	UPWARDS	
USHERS	PINNAUS	PINNAUS
GREETERS		
ALTAR GUILD	CINDY BARTLETT	KATHY SIMPSON
FLOWER GUILD	BETTY BRADLEY	LEIGH McADAMS
COFFEE HOUR	CAROL ROBINIUS	JENNIFER WARD
VESTRY REPS	ELIZABETH SCHWARZ TAYLOR TEAGARDEN	CINDY BARTLETT KELLY WOOD

SUNDAY PRAYER LIST— MARCH 30, 2025

BIRTHDAYS

4/2 Susan Henry

ANNIVERSARIES

4/5 Brant and Adrienne Stovall

HEALING, SUCCOR, OR GUIDANCE

Joe, Mary Beth, Sheri, Donna, Fr. Jerry, Peggy, Betty, Hudson, Carol, Bill, Johanna, Jim, Nelson, Fr Brooks, Robin, Bobby, Glenn, Billy, Paul, Greg, Colby, Martina, Emery, Priscilla, Mike, David, Danny, Keiller, Jerry Ann, Libby, Bobby, John, Ray.

PREGNANCY

Alyssa

TRAVEL

Cathy

ARMED FORCES

Jamie Lee Austin, Chris Gibbs, Shane Graf, Kyle Hake, Jamie Holifield, Richard Johnson, Joshua Kresowaty, Jay Lavers, Mark, Hunter Moody, David Reyes, Manny Rodriguez, Lee Salcedo, Brent Shaffer, Justin Simmons, Jason Sinclair, Alex Stack, Adrienne Stovall, Genaro Valero, Dalton Wilson

DEPARTED

James D. Owens—3/31/1990, Byron Young—3/31/2024,
Bud Watson—4/1/2010, Mary Sue Norman—4/1/2019,
Grady David—4/2/2014, William Barret+—4/2/2014,
Howard Gregory, Sr. —4/5/1985, Ron Hedges—4/5/2019
Gary Wilson—3/1/2025, Doris Reaugh—3/18/2025

There are sheets for several Sundays ahead on the clipboard. Please sign your name after the request, in case the office or Priest wishes to clarify your desires. Names will be listed for one week—except for long-term illnesses, military and pregnancy.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, March 30t *FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT*

8:00 a.m. Said Mass 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Sung Mass 5:00 p.m. Confirmation Class

Monday, March 31 *Bl. John Donne*

Tuesday, April 1 *Bl. FREDERICK MAURICE*

9:00 a.m. Said Mass with Unction
6:30 p.m. Parish Life Meeting
Office Staff available 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 2 *Bl. Henry Budd*

10:30 a.m. Bible Study 12:00 p.m. Said Mass
6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross
6:30 p.m. Meal and Lenten Program
Office Staff available 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Thursday April 3 *Bl. James Lloyd Breck*

Office Staff available 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Friday, April 4 *Saint Isadore of Seville*

Saturday, April 5 *Saint Vincent Ferrer*

9:00am Altar Guild 9:00a.m. Parish Clean up

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