



### Lenten Friday Evening Dinners

- **The Knights of Columbus** are hosting Lenten Friday Fish dinners on February 16, 23 and March 9, 16, 23. The menu is fresh fish, macaroni and cheese, fresh-baked dinner rolls, french fries, rice, vegetables and green salad.
- Fish will be served hot from 5:45-6:30PM.
- Dinner Prices: \$12.00 ages 13-64, \$10.00 ages 65 and up, \$5.00 ages 5-12; children under 5 are free.
- **The Altar Society** is hosting the Lenten Friday dinner on March 2nd. The menu is spaghetti dinner, salad and rolls.
- Dinner will be served at 5:45-6:30PM.
- Dinner Prices: \$20.00 for families, \$7.00 for ages 13 and older, \$5.00 for children 5-12; children under 5 are free.

### Rice Bowl Collection

Our parish Rice Bowl donation for the needy overseas and in our community is made by a second collection at Sunday Masses during Lent and through the personal Rice Bowls used in your home. "Rice Bowls" are cardboard boxes made to be taken home to collect your own special offering. Information on the Rice Bowl program is printed on the boxes. These are available for you to pick up on your way out of the church beginning February 10. Please take a box home and make a true effort to experience sacrifice for and with our less fortunate brothers and sisters by fasting, praying and donating to the collection. **Please bring these offerings back to the church by Palm Sunday.** You can give them to the ushers and if that isn't possible, you may take them to the Parish Office during business hours.

### Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land

This is a collection taken up as we leave the church in silence after the Good Friday evening service. These donations are used to help with the upkeep of the shrines in the Holy Land, and are a very necessary part of helping to ensure that sacred places in far off lands are maintained properly. There will be "Good Friday" envelope in your monthly packet for this collection.

## LENTEN MISSIONS AND RETREATS

### Lenten Mission: March 5, 6, 7 and 8 in the church

More information will be presented in upcoming bulletins. Morning Sessions follow Mass.

**Morning Sessions:** March 5, 6 and 8: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 8:15AM with **Confession** following.  
March 7: Wednesday at 9:15AM with **Confession** following.

**Evening Sessions:** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evening at 7:00PM with **Confession** following each session except for Thursday, the 8th. On Thursday join us for a light reception in the Parish Hall hosted by the Adult Faith Formation Department.

**Please Note:** The Morning and Evening presentations are the same.

### Vietnamese Lenten Mission

Saturday, February 24th: 9:30AM—3:00PM—in the Church

### St. John Mission - Men's Day of Reflection: Saturday, March 3rd

8:00AM—2:00PM—Deacon Dave Alcorta will present this thought provoking retreat that will focus on prayer and ethics and Christian values faced by men as husbands, fathers, friend, leader, employee, employer etc. Plan to attend and enjoy a day of prayer, reflection, group discussion and good fellowship. Please RSVP to Tom Link (425-347-1207), Gene Dvornick (425-347-3642) or Ron Hughes (425-349-9753)

## CONFESSION

### **There are no Communal Reconciliation Services**

at St. Mary Magdalen/St. John Mission and no confessions are held on Holy Thursday or Good Friday. Please plan ahead and make use of the Mission Confessions and the extra times included in the schedule:

### **Confessions at St. Mary Magdalen:**

Thursday: March 1 at 6:30—7:30PM, with Adoration and Holy League.

Fridays: February 16, 23 and March 2, 9, 16, 23 at 6:00—7:00PM

Saturdays: February 17, 24 and Mar. 3, 10, 17, 24 at 8:00—9:00AM and 3:30—4:30PM  
Mar. 31 at 3:30-4:30PM

Parish Mission: See Confession schedule under "Lenten Mission" above.



## PALM SUNDAY, THE HOLY TRIDUUM AND EASTER

### Palm Sunday—March 25th

- Regular Mass schedule at both St. Mary Magdalen and St. John Mission with the Procession of the Palms at the **10AM Mass** at St. Mary Magdalen.

### Holy Thursday—March 29th

- No 7:30AM or 12:00PM Chapel Mass. Morning Prayer will be recited in the Adoration Chapel at 8:00AM
- No Chapel Adoration from 5:00PM Holy Thursday until 1:00PM on Easter Sunday
- 7:00PM: Mass of the Lord's Supper, followed by silent procession to the Altar of Repose. Adoration until midnight. –St. Mary Magdalen

### Good Friday—March 30th

- No 7:30AM Mass. Morning Prayer will be recited in the Adoration Chapel at 8AM
- Parish Office closed.
- Stations: 11AM Living Stations of the Cross by the school children—St. Mary Magdalen  
3PM—Parish Stations SMM
- 7:00PM—Service of The Lord's Passion—St. Mary Magdalen (Collection for the Holy Land)

### Holy Saturday—March 31st

- No 7:30AM Mass. Morning Prayer will be recited in the Adoration Chapel at 8:00AM.
- 3:30PM Confessions
- 8:30PM—Easter Vigil Mass with reception to follow in the St. Mary Magdalen Parish Hall.

### Easter Sunday—April 1st

#### St. Mary Magdalen

Masses: 8:00AM, 10:00AM and 12:00PM  
(All Masses are in English)  
No 2PM or 4:30PM Mass

#### St. John Mission

Mass at 9:00AM

Adoration in the Chapel resumes at 1:00PM.



### Ash Wednesday: February 14th—Day of Fast and Abstinence

- **Masses:** 7:30AM, 11AM (with school children), 5PM and 7PM at St. Mary Magdalen.
- **Fast and Abstinence Obligations:** Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of fasting for Catholics, (unless there are medical conditions that excuse one from this obligation) and no meat is allowed. The norms of fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members from age 14 onwards.

### Stations of the Cross

- **Tuesday at 6PM—St. John Mission:** to be held on February 20, 27 and March 6, 13, 20, 27.
- **Fridays at 2:15PM – St. Mary Magdalen Church:** ordinarily led by the St. Mary Magdalen School students: February 23, and March 2, 9, and 23. There are no 2:15PM Stations of the Cross on February 16 and March 16. On Good Friday, March 30, the St. Mary Magdalen School students will present Living Stations in the church at 11AM before their 12PM noon dismissal.
- **Fridays at 7PM - St. Mary Magdalen Church:** February 16, 23 and March 2, 9, 16, 23. The 7PM Stations on March 23 will be the Living Stations of the Cross led by the school children. The Stations of the Cross will also be held at 3PM on Good Friday, March 30th.
- **Special Presentation: A Lenten Reflection by Fr. Hoiland** following the Stations of the Cross Friday evening March 16th at 7:45PM.
- **Passion Of The Christ:** Movie Presentation and Q & A lead by Fr. Hoiland on Saturday, March 24 in the Parish Hall from 12PM-3PM.