



WHERE THE UPPER EAST SIDE AND EAST HARLEM MEET
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March 24, 2024

Palm Sunday

OFFICE HOURS

MON - FRI
9am - 5pm

MASS TIMES

SUNDAYS
9am/11am / 12:30pm Spanish
MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY
FRIDAY
8:30am Mass

CHURCH HOURS

WEEKDAYS
9am - 4pm
WEEKENDS
10:30am - 2pm

OUR MISSION

Taking Jesus' message of loving service to heart, all are welcome in our vibrant, hopeful, diverse, Eucharistic Community where we break the bread and open the Word and discover God in our Midst.

NUESTRA MISIÓN

Tomando el mensaje de Jesús de servicio amoroso a corazón, todos son bienvenidos en nuestra Comunidad Eucarística vibrante, llena de esperanza, y diversa, donde partimos el Pan y abrimos la Palabra y descubrimos a Dios en medio de nosotros.

Jesus needed followers, too.

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THOSE IN OUR PRAYERS

MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024

9am– For the Parish of St. Francis de Sales
Guillermina Cruz-Alvarez (D)

11am - Bobby Brown (D)

12:30am – Carmen Milagros Colon-Meléndez (D)
Marcial Jordan (D)

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 2024

8:30am– Stefan Cavallo (D)

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2024

8:30am– Evelyn Lloyd (D)

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024

8:30am– Celida Medina (D)

FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2024

8:30am– Maria Pura Fiel (D)

SICK & DEPARTED

SICK : Evelyn Lloyd, Lois Siegal, Edward Siegal

DECEASED ☒

Winston Drew, Juan Calderon

HAVE A SPECIAL PRAYER REQUEST?

Send us who or what needs a special prayer by using the Prayer Request feature on our new SFDS app—available in the Google Play or Apple App Store. Our parish prayer group will pray upon all submissions.



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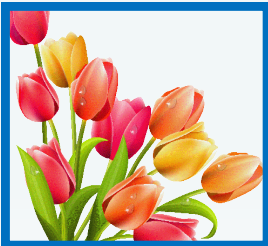
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PASTOR'S COLUMN

A great big thank you to one and all who participated last week in fellowship as we honored St. Patrick /St. Joseph. The Irish Soda Bread and pastries were delicious and a special shoutout to Kristen McDonough and Lisa Kelly for the organizing behind the scenes to make it all come together. For everyone who cooked or bought and brought something, thank you! After the Potluck dinner in January we are hearing from so many folks that they want more opportunities to come together outside of mass. This is a wonderful thing to hear as it is a sign of a healthy community. The very act of celebrating Eucharist is what forms us as a community and sends us out to continue the celebration in the world. Let's be intentional in the coming year to make time to foster and strengthen the bonds of community.

I hope that you can come out and celebrate this Holy Week in its entirety with our Community. The schedule of service is in the bulletin and you can always get reminders on Instagram sfdsnyc and Facebook. I encourage you strongly to make the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday at 7pm as it is truly the crown jewel in the liturgical year as we celebrate Jesus' victory over death and the power of resurrection in our world.

And finally, each year at Christmas and Easter, we ask each wage earner, who is in a position to do so, to consider making a gift of **\$150 for your Easter offering**. Please know, whatever you give will be greatly appreciated. I also continue to invite and encourage everyone to consider our automated gift-giving system Tithely. (Here is the link to our online gift giving system: <https://give.tithe.ly/?formId=6792e6ac-5d42-11ee-90fc-1260ab546d11>)



FLOWER DONATION CONTRIBUTIONS

We have placed our order for our Easter Flowers and welcome any donations you would like to make to help us defray the expense of this investment towards the beauty of our church during the Easter season. Envelopes for your donations, and a way to remember your loved ones are available on the tables at the entrance to the Church

Weekly Collection March 12th-March 18th

\$3,898.66—Online Debit Giving

\$2,461.00— Collection 9:00am,11:00am&12:30pm Masses

Mailed in Checks

Total-\$ 6,359.66



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LATEST NEWS

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CALLING ALL CRAFTSPERSON'S AND ARTISANS!

Do you knit, crochet, work with clay, make jewelry? Do you make wreaths, sew, do macramé, make bath; body items (e.g. soap, body lotion)? Do you paint, draw? **On Sunday afternoon, April 21 the Social Justice ministry** will host a Spring Community Fair. And you are invited to show (and sell) your handmade treasures. There is no fee to participate. Interested? Please contact Pat Latona latonapal@gmail.com.



ATTENTION ALL WRITERS

We are looking for some folks who can help us put together a quarterly newsletter for the parish. This would entail writing a few articles which gives news on our parish life as well as a parishioner profile. If you have some skill in this area please reach out to us fatherkelly@sfdsnyc.org



HOLY WEEK & EASTER SCHEDULE

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9:00AM MASS, 11:00AM MASS, 12:30PM MISA EN ESPAÑOL

HOLY THURSDAY/JUEVES SANTO

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER/MISA DE LA CENA DEL SEÑOR

7:00PM BILINGÜE/BILINGUAL

GOOD FRIDAY/VIERNES SANTO

LITURGY OF THE WORD/ LITURGIA DE LA PALABRA

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7:00PM BILINGÜE/BILINGUAL

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PASCUA LA RESURRECCIÓN DEL SEÑOR

9:00AM, 11:00AM, 12:30PM EN ESPAÑOL

ÚLTIMAS NOTICIAS & PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

ENTÉRATE DE TODO LO QUE ESTÁ PASANDO EN SFDSNYC.ORG



¡LLAMANDO A TODOS LOS ARTESANOS!

¿Tejes, haces crochet, trabajas con arcilla, haces joyería? ¿Haces coronas, coses, haces macramé, haces baño; ¿Artículos para el cuerpo (por ejemplo, jabón, loción corporal)? ¿Pintas, dibujas? El domingo 21 de abril por la tarde, el Ministerio de Justicia Social organizará una Feria Comunitaria de Primavera. Y estás invitado a mostrar (y vender) tus tesoreros hechos a mano. No hay tarifa para participar. ¿Interesado? Por favor contactar a Pat Latona latona-pal@gmail.com.



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MUSIC SELECTION • MARCH 24, 2024 PALM SUNDAY

PROCESSIONAL: RIDE ON KING JESUS

Refrain

Ride on, King Jesus,
No man can ahinder me,
Ride on, King Jesus, ride on,
No man can ahinder me.

King Jesus rides on a milk-white horse,
No man can ahinder me;
The river of Jordan he did cross,
No man can ahinder me.

I know that my redeemer lives,
No man can ahinder me;
And of his blessing freely gives,
No man can ahinder me.

If you want to find your way to God,
No man can ahinder me;
The gospel highway must be trod,
No man can ahinder me.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 22

My God, My God, why have you abandoned me?

OFFERTORY: JESUS KEEP ME NEAR THE CROSS

1 Jesus, keep me near the cross,
There a precious fountain;
Free to all, a healing stream,
Flows from Calv'ry's mountain.

Refrain:

In the cross, in the cross
Be my glory ever,
Till my ransomed soul shall find
Rest beyond the river.

2 Near the cross, a trembling soul,
Love and mercy found me;
There the Bright and Morning Star
Shed His beams around me. [Refrain]

3 Near the cross! O lamb of God,
Bring its scenes before me;
Help me walk from day to day
With its shadow o'er me. [Refrain]

4 Near the cross! I'll watch and wait,
Hoping, trusting ever;
Till I reach the golden strand,
Just beyond the river. [Refrain]

COMMUNION: IN REMBRANCE OF ME

In Remembrance Of Me Eat This Bread
In Remembrance Of Me Drink This Wine
In Remembrance Of Me Pray For The Time
When God's Own Will Is Done

In Remembrance Of Me Heal The Sick
In Remembrance Of Me Feed The Poor
In Remembrance Of Me Open The Door
And Let Your Brother In, Let Him In

Take Eat And Be Comforted
Drink And Remember Too
That This Is My Body And Precious Blood
Shed For You, Shed For You

In Remembrance Of Me Search For Truth
In Remembrance Of Me Always Love
In Remembrance Of Me Don't Look Above
But In Your Heart, In Your Heart
Look In Your Heart For God

Do This In Remembrance Of Me
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RECESSIONAL: JERUSALEM MY DESTINY

Refrain: I have fixed my eyes on your hills,
Jerusalem, my destiny!
Though I cannot see the end for me,
I cannot turn away.
We have set our hearts for the way;
this journey is our destiny.
Let no one walk alone.
The journey makes us one.

1. Other spirits, lesser gods, have courted me with lies.
Here among you I have found a truth which bids me
rise.

2. See, I leave the past behind; a new land calls to me.
Here among you now I find a glimpse of what might be.

3. In my thirst, you let me drink the waters of your life.
Here among you I have met the savior, Jesus Christ.

24 DE MARZO 2024 DOMINGO DE RAMOS

ENTRADA: HOSANNA

Estribillo: Cantor, Todos repiten
¡Hosanna! ¡Hosanna! ¡Hosanna! (bis)
Viva el Hijo de David. (bis)
Hosanna en el cielo. (bis)

Estrofas: Cantor, Todos repiten

1. Bendito sea el que viene
en el nombre del Señor. (bis)

2. Gloria en lo más alto,
lo más alto de los cielos. (bis)

3. Éste es el profeta,
Jesús de Nazaret. (bis)

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SALMO: 22

Dios mío, Dios mío, Porque me has abandonado?

OFERTORIO: PEQUÉ, PEQUÉ, SEÑOR

1. Pequé, pequé, Dios mío,
piedad, Señor, piedad.
Si grandes son mis culpas,
mayor es tu bondad. (bis)

2. Por tu preciosa sangre,
piedad, Señor, piedad.
Si grandes son mis culpas,
mayor es tu bondad. (bis)

3. Por tu costado abierto,
piedad, Señor, piedad.

Si grandes son mis culpas,
mayor es tu bondad. (bis)

4. Por tu larga agonía,
piedad, Señor, piedad.

Si grandes son mis culpas,
mayor es tu bondad. (bis)

5. Por tu madre afligida,
piedad, Señor, piedad.

Si grandes son mis culpas,
mayor es tu bondad. (bis)

País: México; **English:** I Have Sinned, Lord

Letra y música: Tradicional.

COMUNIÓN: ERES TÚ, JESÚS

Estribillo
Eres Tú, Jesús, eres Tú.
Eres Tú en un trozo de pan
y en un poco de vino.

1. ¡Qué alegría encontrarte, Jesús,
en tu vino y tu pan!
¡Oh, Señor, qué consuelo saber que me amas!
Eres Tú la Palabra de Dios,
la eterna Palabra de Dios
y has querido venir a morar en mi pecho.

2. Eres Tú, oh, Principio y Fin,
manantial de la vida.
Eres Tú, Luz de Luz, Dios de Dios verdadero.
Eres Tú, ¡oh, milagro de Amor!
¡oh, eterno milagro de Amor!
Eres Tú mi Señor y mi Dios, mi Alimento.

3. ¡Cuánto amor al nacer en Belén
de María la Virgen!
al andar los caminos del hombre y llamarle tu amigo.
¡Oh, Cordero de Dios, cuánto amor,
cuánto amor al morir en la cruz!
¡ Cuánto amor al querer compartir tu victoria!

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SALIDA: POR LA CRUZ A LA LUZ

1. Si la semilla no muere,
no nacerá la espiga.
Si no aceptamos la cruz,
¿cómo alcanzar la vida?
¿cómo alcanzar la vida?

Estribillo
Por la cruz a la luz,
fuente de amor y vida. (bis)

2. No simboliza la muerte,
es signo de victoria,
porque abrazado a la cruz
nos mereció la gloria,
nos mereció la gloria.

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