

MUSIC SELECTIONS: April 7, 2019  
 ENTRANCE HYMN 343  
 PREPARATION HYMN 575  
 COMMUNION HYMN 751S  
 RECESSIONAL HYMN 349

PSALM 130: FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR A



R. With the Lord there is mer-cy and full-ness of re-demp-tion.

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\*It is the tradition of the church not to exit before the final hymn has been sung.

9:00 AM – Children’s Sending: May your holy word take root in them (us). May your holy word bear fruit in them (us). Plant your word within them (us), so that they (we) may grow.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF  
 APRIL 6<sup>TH</sup> THROUGH APRIL 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2019

If you are having a Mass offered, please contact an usher before Mass and let them know you would like to bring up the gifts.

4-6	4:00 PM	Mary DeMaria – The Family Stanley Korona (4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary) – Kristy & Tracy Clara Coppola – The Rankin Family
4-7	9:00 AM	Hank Buczkowski – Mary Ann & Dick Schaeffer Robert J. Peck – Veronica, wife Angela Zuppa – The Zuppa Family Anthony & Marie Sabatello – Their daughters, Jan & Roberta Antonio Lauria – Remo & Isabella
4-8	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
4-9	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
4-10	7:30 AM	Mass
4-11	7:30 AM	Daniel F. Dippo – Daughter, Debbie
4-12	7:30 AM	Mass
4-13	4:00 PM	Diamond & MaryAnn Romano – Son, Peter Romano Susan Watson – The Family
4-14	9:00 AM	Hank Buczkowski – The Purcell Family Antonio Mastroianni – Concetta Grasso Phyllis Boyd – Toni Walsh Josephine & Raffaele Zambella – daughter, Maria

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – APRIL 13<sup>TH</sup> AND 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2019

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM
LECTOR	S. Janack	J. Raymond
CUP 1	S. Ernst	TBD
CUP 2	D. Kruk	D. Stec
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant
BREAD 2	D. Mayer	P. Johnson
BREAD 3	C. Gregoire	A. Seaver
BREAD 4	Deacon	Deacon
CUP 3	R. Kruk	D. Schoch
CUP 4	R. Higgins	T. Cappuccitti
SERVER	E. Higgins	N. Smith
SERVER	R. Higgins	D. Burns
GREETER	T. Grasso & M. Zuppa	P. Johnson

FINANCIAL STATISTICS 3/25-3/31/19

OFFERTORY	\$3,689.51	ENVELOPE USERS	133
CHILDREN	2.00	ATTENDANCE	305
EASTER	20.00		
DEBT REDUCTION	22.00		
UTILITIES	2.00		
EVANGELIST	20.00		
MEMORIALS	305.00		
REIMB. EXPENSES	2,379.49		
TOTAL INCOME	\$6,440.00	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,940.41

Last weekend’s collection for **Catholic Relief Services** amounted to **\$946.60**. Next weekend’s second collection will be for **Utilities** (please note ~ in the last fiscal year, we spent \$20,666 in utilities for all of our properties which averages \$397/week). Thank you for your generosity.

Scripture Readings for the Week

Mon. 4/8	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62	Jn 8:12-20
Tues. 4/9	Nm 21:4-9	Jn 8:21-30
Wed. 4/10	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95	Jn 8:31-42
Thur. 4/11	Gn 17:3-9	Jn 8:51-59
Fri. 4/12	Jer 20:10-13	Jn 10:31-42
Sat. 4/13	Ez 37:21-28	Jn 11:45-56
Sun. 4/14	Lk 19:28-40 Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11	Lk 22:14-23:56



Remember in your prayers those members of our parish who are sick or suffering in any way, as well as those in hospitals and nursing homes and all of our shut-ins. We also pray for family, friends and those who have died recently. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.

	The Week Ahead
Mon. 4/8	Communal Penance Service – 7PM - ICC
Tues. 4/9	Sandwich Making – 11AM - PC
Tues. 4/9	Finance Committee – 7PM - R
Wed. 4/10	Choir Rehearsal – 7PM - C
Fri. 4/12	Stations of the Cross – 7PM - C

Please join us for coffee and pastries after the 9 AM mass today!!



**Crop Walk 2019**

Before and after the masses this weekend, those interested in contributing or walking in the May 5<sup>th</sup> CROP Walk may arrange to do so at the table set up in Holy Family Hall. Sponsored in part by Schenectady Community Ministries, the CROP Walk supports hunger relief efforts at the international and local level.



This weekend is our “In-Pew” Commitment weekend for the Diocesan **“Re-igniting Our Faith” Campaign**. We are pleased to report that going into this weekend, we have **\$101,575** in commitments from **46 families** here at St. Joseph’s.

This is a tremendous response to date and it is our hope this weekend more families will commit to the mission of the Catholic church not only in the Scotia community, but in the Albany Diocese as well. If you did not receive the information in the mail, there are commitment envelopes available for you to respond with a gift or a pledge (pledges may be made up to 5 yrs.)



We will be distributing Easter Plants to some of our shut-ins and nursing home residents during Holy Week (April 15-19) and are looking for parishioners who could help us with deliveries. Please call the office (518-346-2316) and leave your contact information and availability. This is a great opportunity for families with children to reach out to those who may miss the company of “younger folks”!

**Sunday Mass broadcasts on cable and online**

Livestream Sunday Mass  
9:15AM, 9:30AM, 10:30AM

[www.rcda.org/livemass](http://www.rcda.org/livemass)

**Television Broadcasts**

Mid-Hudson Cable Ch. 11, 9:30AM  
St Patrick’s, Ravena

BCN-TV Ch. 17 and 116.2 (TW Cable) and Ch. 29 (Fios),  
1PM Thursday and 9AM following Sun.

Schenectady Public Access Ch. 16 Tues. 2PM and following  
Sun. 2PM (St. Joseph’s, Schenectady) Fox 23, 6AM

SundayVisit [www.rcda.org/livemass](http://www.rcda.org/livemass) for other non-local options

Holy Week Schedule

April 18

Holy Thursday Liturgy 7:00 PM – Adoration at Church until 10:00 PM

April 19

Good Friday – Liturgy of the Passion and Death of Jesus 7:00 PM

April 20

Easter Vigil Liturgy 8:00 PM

April 21

Easter Sunday Liturgies at 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM



**Palm Sunday Bake Sale & Plant Sale**

The Annual Palm Sunday Bake Sale and Plant Sale will be held before and after the weekend masses April 13/14. We need bakers to donate some awesome Easter goodies - pies, cakes, cupcakes, cookies, Easter candies, fudge, etc. Gentlemen – we know that some of you are wonderful bakers – can you bake something to donate? Also needed are volunteers who can help sell all the wonderful baked goods before and after the masses. Question/Concerns – contact Kathy Brooks at 518-280-1478 or email [brookaska@nycap.rr.com](mailto:brookaska@nycap.rr.com). Hope to see all of you there!



Our next order for Hannaford gift cards & reloads is scheduled for **Tuesday, April 9th**.

All orders must be at the Parish Office by **Monday, April 8th at 10 am**. Questions? Please contact Deb Griffith at the office (518-346-2316).



Please see today’s insert regarding our annual **Tag, Treasure & Bake Sale** scheduled for Friday & Saturday, **May 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>**. The time will be here before you know it! Please look over the insert and see how you can help & **MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!** We are presently accepting Jewelry, Books, DVD’s & CD’s at the Parish Office during regular office hours (Monday-Thursday, 9-3). Drop offs for all other items will begin on Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>. Please watch future bulletins as well as the Parish Newsletter for updates. Questions? Contact Tom Hyland (518-370-1758) or Deb Griffith (518-810-8911).

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