

## March 29, 2026 – Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

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**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** Approximately 15 minutes before the Saturday & Sunday Masses when possible.

<b>MASSES FOR THE WEEK</b>	<b>FEASTS &amp; MEMORIALS</b>
Monday, March 30    7:45 AM    SJ - Tom & Marge Gallardy 6:00 PM    SB - Donna Shandor, requested by M/M Terry Trusik Tuesday, March 31    7:45 AM    MHT – Raymond Nale requested by Alice Nale Wednesday, April 1    7:45AM    IC - Richard J. McCoy <b>5:00 PM</b> SJ - Janice Young <b>6:00 PM</b> IC - <i>Stations of the Cross with Exposition &amp; Benediction</i>	

**TRIDUUM SCHEDULE**

<b>Holy Thursday, April 2</b>	<b>5:30PM</b>	<b>IC</b>	Barb Grosik	John Grosik
	<b>7:00PM</b>	<b>MHT</b>	Leo Dempsey	Alice Nale
<b>Good Friday, April 3 Services</b>	<b>Noon</b>	<b>SJ</b>	Celebration of the Lord’s Passion	
	<b>3:00PM</b>	<b>SB</b>	Celebration of the Lord’s Passion	
<b>Good Friday, April 3 Stations of the Cross</b>	<b>6:00PM</b>	<b>MHT</b>	Stations of the Cross	
	<b>6:00PM</b>	<b>SB</b>	Stations of the Cross	
	<b>6:30PM</b>	<b>SJ</b>	Stations of the Cross	
<b>Easter Vigil, April 4</b>	<b>8:00PM</b>	<b>SB</b>	Ruth Seabolt, by Kris & Brian Aiken & Parishioners of all four Parishes	
<b>Easter Sunday, April 5</b>	<b>8:00AM</b>	<b>SB</b>	Mark Blaisdell	Margie
	<b>8:00AM</b>	<b>IC</b>	Lee & Leona Wirfel & For the Parish	Family
	<b>10:00AM</b>	<b>MHT</b>	Raymond Nale	Alice Nale
	<b>10:00AM</b>	<b>SJ</b>	Jeff Penatzer & For the Parish	Family

<b>Sanctuary Candles</b>	St. Bart	MHT	St. John	Immaculate C.
March 29-April 4	Carolyn Marcato	Joseph & Letizia Vitali	Our Military	Eric Gregorich

**Liturgical Minister Schedule**

April 2-5	Lector	EMHC	Altar Servers
IC - 5:30PM- Holy Th	Mary Sue Long	Mary Sue Long	Volunteer
MHT-7:00-PM-Holy Th	G Mehall	G Mehall, vol.	All servers
St. J –Noon -Good Fri	Scott Curtis & Deacon Rick	Deacon Rick	Samuel Yunetz
St.B–3:00PM-Good Fri	N-B Kessler V -B Golden		
St. B - 8:00PM-Vigil	Lector & 5 <sup>th</sup> M Branas 3 <sup>rd</sup> -S Curtis, 7 <sup>th</sup> -M Ringler,	Deacon Rick, M Ringler, M Branas	All servers
IC – 8:00AM -Sunday	Linus Smith	Need Volunteer	Volunteer
St. B – 8:00AM-Sunday	K Miller	K Miller	
St. J 10:0AM-Sunday	Dave Templeton	Dave Templeton	Samuel Yunetz
MHT–10:00AM-Sun.	B Kessler	J Gruse	volunteer
M/B Count-April 6	D Fox, B Rosmus	StB-April Church cleaning	H Cabala/L Mastaler

**Offertory Collections**

March 22	Reg	Flowers	Votive	Spec.	Easter	Pantry	Diocese	Cem.	Build	Total
MHT	\$1434	\$150		\$10	\$	\$	\$25	\$	\$10	\$1629
St. B	\$1985	\$265			\$75		\$30	\$	\$290	\$2645
IC	\$1959									\$1959
SJ	\$1272									\$1272

**IC & SJ WEBSITE:** There is one question that defines our life. It is a question that we will all have to answer eventually. It is the most important question of all time. It is called the Jesus question. What is the Jesus question? Find out [stjic.org](http://stjic.org).

**APRIL PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR SICK:** Samilda Huber, Ann Furlong, Francis Girard, Ray Bodenschatz, Val Thomas, Alyse Crownover, Marlene Rummel, Ethan Racicot, Mary Ann Weinzierl, Frank C Primel, Jr, John, Susan & Mary Jo, Debbie Smay/Moyer, Roseann Subich, Mary Domicica, Eddie Werfel, Trinity, Rose, Adam, Sandy Georg, Seth Georg, Mary Giallonardo, George & Cathy Fetsko, Leroy Smith, Maria Felix, Mary Ann Penatzer, Karen Y, shut-ins, special intentions.

**BOTH OFFICES CLOSED:** Holy Thursday and Good Friday. Bulletin will be done Tuesday so have announcements in.

**EASTER DEVOTIONALS:** *The Word Among Us* is in SJ/IC and the Little White Books are at all four churches.

**HOLY THURSDAY COLLECTION:** MHT/St.B will be for local food pantry. IC/SJ for our Parish Charities account.

**THE SPECIAL COLLECTION ON GOOD FRIDAY** is for the Holy Land.

**HOLY THURSDAY ADORATION:** After Mass at IC until 8 PM and at MHT after Mass until 9 PM. There will be no Adoration at SJ Church on Holy Thursday from 3-8 PM.

**MHT EASTER DECORATING:** All are invited to help decorate the church at 4PM on Good Friday.

**EASTER BASKET BLESSINGS – Holy Saturday, April 4 at 10 AM at St. John’s by Fr. Dusza and 1 PM at St. Bartholomew’s, by Deacon Rick.** All four parishes are welcome to attend either blessing to have Easter baskets blessed with food and treats for your holiday celebration. Easter Baskets will also be blessed after all the Masses on Easter Sunday. Place baskets in the front and pick them up after the Mass.

**IC/SJ FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** will be Saturday, April 25 at the 4 PM Mass at Immaculate Conception for 15 students.

**CATHOLIC MINISTRY DRIVE:** If you have not donated this past week, please prayerfully consider it; our diocesan ministries need your support. You may return through the mail, online, or through our offertory. Extra envelopes are in the vestibule. Parish Goals: MHT-\$9,700, St. B- \$11,400, IC- \$13,500, SJ- \$11,000.

**IC & SJ: DONATIONS OF CANDY** for Easter Egg Hunt are now being collected in the back of both Churches.

**IC & SJ YOUTH GROUP** – preparation for the Easter Egg Hunt will start at 11 AM at the **Ballfields Pavilion, Sat., April 4.** Lunch will be provided.

**IC & SJ EASTER EGG HUNT** – Saturday, April 4 at 1 PM at the **New Germany Ballfields.** Sponsored by the Youth Group. Register at the Ballfields Pavilion.

**SJ RAFFLE TICKETS MONEY WINNERS:** Jay Bimle; Paul Kuchenbrod, Jr.; Patrick Donoughe; AJ Wilson; Barb Bodenschatz. Thanks to all who supported our ticket raffle fundraiser, especially Long’s Equipment for paying for the printing of the tickets. Our profit was \$8,660. We had 84 unsold tickets. Thanks again to all for their generosity.

**IC FISH BUFFET: The last Fish Fry will be on Good Friday, April 3** at New Germany Grove Hall from 3:30 to 6:30 PM.

**SJ GOB MAKING** for Comedy Night is Thursday, April 16. Mark your calendar!

**SJ & IC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION:** Anyone who has a child entering First Grade for the 2026/2027 school year and will be attending our CCD program; it’s time to register your child. Call the rectory at 814-495-5241 to request the registration form. Must be registered by May 20. Any child not baptized at either SJ/IC Church we must have a copy of his/her baptismal certificate. Any child from the parish attending Holy Name School, please let us know.

**(B) PIEROGIES:** Pierogies are available for \$7/doz. Call Ann 495-9298 or Margi 495-7020

**GRASS TRIMMER:** St. Bartholomew has one grass trimmer person and needs another. Call Andy Hutsky 814-248-8993

**THANK YOU:** Donation of \$4,100.00 to Mom’s House sponsored by Prince Gallitzin Council of the Knights of Columbus

**SJ/IC CCD CLASSES:** are scheduled for March 29; April 12 & 19. Please return **RICE BOWLS** as soon as possible.

**EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES EXHIBIT:** New Germany Grove Hall on Friday, April 10, from 2PM-8PM; Saturday, April 11 from 11AM-7PM; and Sunday, April 12 from 9AM-2PM. Join us for a self-guided tour of 150 Eucharistic Miracles collected from 22 countries, prayerfully gathered by St. Carlo Acutis. The presenters will be available throughout the weekend to answer questions. For more info, please visit: [www.stjic.org/eucharistic-miracles-exhibit](http://www.stjic.org/eucharistic-miracles-exhibit). Flyers attached to bulletins.

**SJ ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY - PALM SUNDAY BAKE SALE** this weekend **Saturday/Sunday, March 28 & 29.**

**SPRING PORTRAIT MINI SESSIONS**–Call or text Jessica Gouse Photography at 814-322-8049 to schedule spring portrait mini sessions. All profits from the sessions will be donated to the St. Bartholomew’s roof fund.

**JUNE MONEY RAFFLE:** St. Bartholomew Cemetery: Daily prizes of \$125-500. Daily number above and below wins \$25. \$20/ticket for month of June. Each family is asked to take 5 tickets to buy or sell. Pam has some at her office too.

**TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE NOW** for our **Fourth Annual Comedy Night**, sponsored by SJ Church. It’s on Sat., April 18, at New Germany Grove Hall. \$20 a person in advance, \$25 at the door. Doors open at 6 PM and show starts at 7:30PM.

Call Pam at rectory 814-495-5241 for tickets. **Donations of baskets are needed** for this event. Call Lisa 814-243-3009

**VACATION BIBLE CAMP** – Mark your calendars for **June 22-26**, from 9 AM to Noon at New Germany Grove grounds.

Registration forms for campers are in the back of all 4 churches.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM:** Three Education Scholarships of \$500 each for Graduating High School Seniors in the Class of 2026 for members of St. Michael Catholic Church, St. John’s Catholic Church, St. Bartholomew, Most Holy Trinity, and Immaculate Conception, New Germany. Check with your parish office for an application. Your application must be postmarked by April 30, 2026

**CAKE SOCIAL:** “The Roaring Twenties” on Sunday, April 19 at 1PM in St. Bartholomew Church Hall. Tickets \$5 from any St. Anne member.

**QUILT SHOW** Open House Sunday, April 26 from 5 to 7:30 PM at New Germany Grove Hall. \$5 Admission includes gob & drink. Basket Raffle at 7 PM/50-50. Need not be present to win. Sponsored by Calico Quilters of New Germany.

**ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC:** Sport Raffle tickets available by calling the school or contacting a school family.

It will take place beginning at noon on Sunday, 4/19, in the Oriental Ballroom in Gallitzin.

**NEWSIES:** Bishop Carroll Drama Club presents the musical April 16-18 at 7PM. Mark your calendar.

**KNIGHT’S OF COLUMBUS OLDIES DANCE:** with DJ’s George Mehall & Sandy-Dee from WCRO, on Sat, April 25, at the St. Michael’s Church Hall from 5:30-9pm. Reservations are required, contact Dave Brown at 814-487-5525 or by text or call 814-410-4035. Space is limited. \$5.00 per person, send to: Knights of Columbus, 1125 Cameron Ave, Sidman, 15955. Food for purchase along with a 50/50 drawing.