

## BLESSED TRINITY PARISH CONTACTS:

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## MASS INTENTIONS: 24<sup>TH</sup> MARCH—1<sup>ST</sup> APRIL

24 <sup>th</sup> Mar.	5pm	Open
	7pm	Almas benditas del Purgatorio
25 <sup>th</sup> Mar.	9:30am	Esther Canfield †
	12pm	Pro Populo
26 <sup>th</sup> Mar.	9am	* No Mass *
27 <sup>th</sup> Mar.	9am	Communion Service
28 <sup>th</sup> Mar.	9am	Communion Service
29 <sup>th</sup> Mar.	5pm	Amalie Rose
	7pm	Special Intention
30 <sup>th</sup> Mar.	9am	* No Mass *
31 <sup>st</sup> Mar.	8pm	Pro Populo
1 <sup>st</sup> Apr.	9:30am	Katherine Parker
	12pm	For the Spirit of God to guide & protect our nation

## WEEKLY OFFERTORY

17<sup>th</sup>~18<sup>th</sup> March: \$6,206.05  
Capital Improvements: \$647.36

## UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

March 30<sup>th</sup>: Holy Land  
April 15<sup>th</sup>: Diaconate 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
April 29<sup>th</sup>: Catholic Home Missions Appeal

## KNIGHTS CORNER

<http://koc12274.com/> [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org)  
Meetings on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month.

in helping those in need, serving our parish, growing in faith or obtaining exclusive access to top rated insurance protection for your family? Knights of Columbus is the for you. **BT Council 12274 is looking for new members.** Please consider joining our Council. Please contact Grand Knight Don Kontowsky (864.616.7807) or any knight wearing a name tag.



«Blessed is he  
who comes in the  
name of the  
Lord! Hosanna in  
the highest!»

## CONFESSIONS HOLY THURSDAY MORNING:

Fr. Jaime will hear confessions on Holy Thursday (March 29<sup>th</sup>) from 9am-12:30pm.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR HOMEBOUND & SICK:** Irene Ainsworth, Phil Bianchini, Clair Paul Altenhöfen, Mario Armendariz, Joan Crouch, Harry DeMary, Leroy & Gail Drummond, Mary King, Frank Miller, Anastacio Rosas, Yolanda Vigo

**OUR DEAR USHER** Joseph Onyx wants to give thanks to God and to those at BT who prayed for him in moments of health problems. He & wife Paula are well appreciated in our community. Blessings

**OUR SINCERE APPRECIATION** to Clair Paul Altenhöfen for all his hard & loving service during many years to Blessed Trinity as we continue to pray for his health.

**RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE:** Ladies Auxiliary is collecting tabs from aluminum beverage cans for the *Ronald McDonald House*, Greenville which serves as a “home” away from home for critically ill or injured children & their families. They provide hope & comfort when needed most. A labeled jar is in the parish kitchen. Please drop tabs there.

**MAGNIFICAT-GREENVILLE, SC Chapter** hosting next meal on **Sat., April 28<sup>th</sup>, 9am-12pm**, at **Hilton Greenville** (45 West Orchard Park Dr., Grnvll). Praise, fellowship & worship. Guest speaker **Elise Botch**. More info: [www.magnificat-ministry.org](http://www.magnificat-ministry.org) under Chapter Webpages. Tickets \$25. Mail check payable to *Magnificat-Greenville* by April 18. Please include name, phone #, email, address & parish. Send to **Beth Snyder, 151 Lake Lyman Heights, Lyman SC 29365**. Seating limited. For more information call **Lucille Irving (864.967.7463)**.

## PALM SUNDAY

### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2,16-17, 22-23  
COL 3:1-4; JN 20:1-9

### INSPIRED BY THE SAINTS IV .-

" apart from the cross there is no other ladder by which we may get to heaven "

( St. Rose of Lima )

the Cross .....the terror of demons , the most powerful weapon against evil and wickedness , the symbol of the Victory of the merciful love of God in his beloved Son Jesus .....he went up to the cross carrying all our sins and his eternal love destroyed eternal death and punishment... in Jesus Christ there is an ocean of mercy and compassion . The wicked man rejects the cross , the humble man embraces the cross , because he understands that is not foolishness , but wisdom beyond telling , the way our friend St. Rose understood and also St. Paul when he said " but may I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ " ( Galatians 6 )

In the beautiful Psalm 123 we read :  
" like a bird from the fowler's snare , the snare was broken and we escaped " , this is the work of the cross , to break the fowler's snare and make us free.

Today we accompany Jesus entering Jerusalem , crossing those strong gates , we go with him to the cross that is waiting for him... those who praised him that day , soon will be saying crucify him , crucify him ..our Palms are our hearts inflamed in Jesus' love. We don't betray Jesus , we don't betray our neighbor ....we belong to the faithful , the grateful , the true believers and each day more and more , with the grace of God. Mary , Our Sorrowful Mother , pray for us .

Blessings from Fr. Jaime

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:

### PALM SUNDAY:

*Regular Mass Schedule*

### HOLY MONDAY:

*No Mass*

### HOLY TUESDAY:

*Communion Service*

### HOLY WEDNESDAY:

*Communion Service*

### HOLY THURSDAY:

*Mass of the Lord's Supper*

5pm (*English*)

7pm (*Spanish*)

### GOOD FRIDAY:

*Passion of the Lord*

12pm (*English*)

3pm (*Spanish*)

*\*Live Viacrucis follows*

### HOLY SATURDAY:

9:30am: *Blessing of Easter Foods*

8pm: *Paschal Vigil (Bilingual)*

### RESURRECTION SUNDAY:

9:30am (*English*)

12pm (*Spanish*)

### LAST SEVEN WORDS OF JESUS:

"Father, forgive them for they know not what they do."  
(Lk 23:34)

" Amen, I say to you: this day you shall be with me in paradise."  
(Lk 23:43)

"Woman, behold your son." [To the disciple], "Behold your mother."  
(Jn 19:26-27)

"My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"  
(Mk 15:34)

"I thirst."  
(Jn 19:28)

"It is finished."  
(Jn 19:30)

"Father, into your hands I commend my spirit."  
(Lk 23:46)

LIVE STATIONS  
OF THE CROSS:  
Good Friday:

3:30pm

