

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

04/06/25

Presentation of Our Lady Church



John 11:11,12

This He said, and after that He said to them, "Our friend Lazarus has fallen asleep; but I go, that I may awaken him out of sleep." 12 The disciples therefore said to Him, "Lord, if he has fallen asleep, he will recover."

Saturday Mass

4:30 pm (English)

Sunday Masses

8:30 am (English)

10:30 am (Bilingual)

12:00 pm (Spanish)

5:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

8:00am

Tuesdays

8:30 am

**For Religious
Education, Adult
Inquirer's classes,
Baptism classes, or
Marriage preparation
call the Parish office
for more information.
Do you need confession,
spiritual guidance or just
talk?**

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Presentation of Our Lady Catholic church, are inspired by the holy spirit to live out Christ's commandments by showing love to ALL people, though the gifts God has given each of us. We commit ourselves to the virtues of faith, hope and love by worshipping God, in word and sacrament. Strengthened by God the Father, we shall strive to live out the Gospel in serving the needs of our parish faith family and the global community.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH PARISH OFFICE

695 Julian St.

665 Irving St.

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

8:30am to 12:30 p.m.

Fridays 8:30am to 5:00 p.m.

Saturdays 9:00am to 5:00 pm.

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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Please register as a member of the parish. Forms are always available at the church entrance or at the parish office. Return forms to an usher or the parish office.

Moving?

Please notify the parish office.

SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES

Anointing of the sick

Last Rites

Please call

720-473-9053 anytime

BENEDICT XVI

ANGELUS

St Peter's Square

Fifth Sunday of Lent, 9 March 2008

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In our [Lenten journey](#) we have reached the Fifth Sunday, characterized by the Gospel of the resurrection of Lazarus (Jn 11: 1-45). It concerns the last "sign" fulfilled by Jesus, after which the chief priests convened the Sanhedrin and deliberated killing him, and decided to kill the same Lazarus who was living proof of the divinity of Christ, the Lord of life and death. Actually, this Gospel passage shows Jesus as true Man and true God. First of all, the Evangelist insists on his friendship with Lazarus and his sisters, Martha and Mary. He emphasizes that "Jesus loved" them (Jn 11: 5), and this is why he wanted to accomplish the great wonder. "Our friend Lazarus has fallen asleep, but I go to awaken him out of sleep" (Jn 11: 11), he tells his disciples, expressing God's viewpoint on physical death with the metaphor of sleep. God sees it exactly as sleep, from which he can awaken us. Jesus has shown an absolute power regarding this death, seen when he gives life back to the widow of Nain's young son (cf. Lk 7: 11-17) and to the 12 year-old girl (cf. Mk 5: 35-43). Precisely concerning her he said: "The child is not dead but sleeping" (Mk 5: 39), attracting the derision of those present. But in truth it is exactly like this: bodily death is a sleep from which God can awaken us at any moment.

This lordship over death does not impede Jesus from feeling sincere "com-passion" for the sorrow of detachment. Seeing Martha and Mary and those who had come to console them weeping, Jesus "was deeply moved in spirit and troubled", and lastly, "wept" (Jn 11: 33, 35). Christ's heart is divine-human: in him God and man meet perfectly, without separation and without confusion. He is the image, or rather, the incarnation of God who is love, mercy, paternal and maternal tenderness, of God who is Life. Therefore, he solemnly declared to Martha: "I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die". And he adds, "Do you believe this?" (Jn 11: 25-26). It is a question that Jesus addresses to each one of us: a question that certainly rises above us, rises above our capacity to understand, and it asks us to entrust ourselves to him as he entrusted himself to the Father. Martha's response is exemplary: "Yes, Lord; I believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, he who is coming into the world" (Jn 11: 27). Yes, O Lord! We also believe, notwithstanding our doubts and darkness; we

believe in you because you have the words of eternal life. We want to believe in you, who give us a trustworthy hope of life beyond life, of authentic and full life in your Kingdom of light and peace.

We entrust this prayer to Mary Most Holy. May her intercession strengthen our faith and hope in Jesus, especially in moments of greater trial and difficulty.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Day	Date	Time	Intentions	Offered by
Sat.	Apr. 05	4:30 p.m.	For our Parishioners living and deceased	The Parish
Sun.	Apr. 06	8:30 a.m.	†Rudy & Maeve Cordova	Mark Cordova
		10:30 a.m.		
		12:00 a.m. Spanish		
		5:00 p.m. Spanish		
Mon.	Apr. 07	8:00 a.m.		
Tues.	Apr. 08	8:30 a.m.		
Wed.	Apr. 09	8:30a.m		
Thur.	Apr. 10	8:00 a.m		
Fri.	Apr. 11	8:00 a.m.		
Sat.	Apr. 12	4:30 p.m.		

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Weekend of March

29 and 30, 2025

Offertory

My Lenten Offering

4:30 Mass Regular Collection \$376.00

4:30 Mass Second Collection \$53.00

8:30 Mass Regular Collection \$849.43

8:30 Mass Second Collection \$111.00

10:30 Mass Regular Collection \$933.50

10:30 Mass Second Collection \$116.00

12:00 Mass Regular Collection \$ 1,213.12

12:00 Mass Second Collection \$194.75

5:00pm Mass Regular Collection \$103.00

5:00pm Mass Second Collection \$48.25

Regular Collection

Total: \$ 3,780.05

Second Collection

Total: \$523.00

Candles

Total: \$180.00

Special Needs

Total: \$33.00



PREPARATION FOR LENT AT THE PRESENTATION:

THE SCHEDULED RETREAT WILL BE RESCHEDULED. WE AWAIT CONFIRMATION.

APRIL 13
PALM SUNDAY

GOOD FRIDAY,
APRIL 18, 2025
THE PASSION OF CHRIST WILL BE
PERFORMED LIVE BY A GROUP
AT 2:00 PM.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
EVERY FRIDAY AT 6:00 PM.

CONFESSIONS AVAILABLE.



LENTEN
SEASON

PRAY THE
HOLY
ROSARY


AND THE
DIVINE
MERCY
CHAPLET



THE
SORROWFUL
MYSTERIES
OF THE
HOLY ROSARY

EVERY FRIDAY,
AT 5PM. IN THE
CHURCH

Stations of the Cross



Fridays at 6pm. Bilingual.
Confessions available.

Altar & Rosary
SOCIETY



Reminder:
*The Altar and
Rosary Society
will hold
its monthly
meeting on
April 8, 2025,
at 1:00 p.m.
in the
St. Joseph Hall.*

Lenten Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament
Presentation of Our Lady
Church
Adoration Thursdays
7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

In the Eucharist, you hide your
divinity and humanity, but in
the silence of my heart, you
are transfigured, Lord. And
your light returns to rescue me,
to heal me, to make me fall in
love. How good it is for me to
be here, at your side, Lord.



