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ON THE PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, March 25th:

Religious Education Classes, K-5, 8:30 a.m. (lower church hall)
Latin Mass Children's Catechism, 9:30-10:25 a.m. (lower rectory conference room)
Valentia Family Christening, 1:00 p.m.
Main Church

Wednesday, March 28th:

"The Light Is on for You" Lenten Season Confessions, 6:30-8:00 p.m. (Main Church)

Friday, March 30th:

Stations of the Cross Lenten Devotion, 7:30-8:30 p.m. (Main Church)

Saturday, March 31st:

Requiem Anniversary Mass for Mary Wood, 10:30 a.m., (Main Church)

Sunday, March 18th:

Religious Education Classes, K-5, 8:30 a.m. (lower church hall)
Latin Mass Children's Catechism,
9:30-10:25 a.m.

Sodality of the Immaculate Conception Monthly Meeting, after the 10:30 a.m. Mass (lower rectory conference room) Religious Education Classes, Grades 6-8 (lower church hall)

SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS FOR THE SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH

"What return can I make to the Lord for all His kindness to Me?"



OFFERTORY FOR SUNDAY, MARCH 18th, 2012: \$4,239.00 + \$1,441.00 (OTHER OFFERINGS) = \$5,680.00

FOR THOSE PARISHIONERS WHO SUBSCRIBE TO ENVELOPES: THERE ARE TWO MISTAKES IN THE LATEST MAILING. THERE IS NO HEATING/FUEL SECOND COLLECTION FOR MARCH 25th AND ON EASTER SUNDAY THE ONLY COLLECTION TAKEN UP IS FOR THE CLERGY FUND. PLEASE DISCARD THE ERRONEOUS ENVELOPLES. WE APOLOGIZE FOR THE CONFUSION.



Requiescant in Pace

Mary Penzo, age 79 David Quinn, Month's Mind



Wednesday Nights during Lent,

from 6:30-8:00 p.m., the church will be open and a priest will be available in one of the Confessionals for the Sacrament of Penance.



MARCH IS THE MONTH OF SAINT JOSEPH

Pastor's Note



(Front Cover:
"Despised and
Rejected of Men", by
the English painter
Sigismund Goetze,
1905.)

PASSIONTIDE

The final two weeks of Lent are traditionally known as "Passiontide". In these days we concentrate more intently on the sufferings of Christ as He accomplished

the act of our Redemption.

The cover picture of this week's bulletin is a painting by Sigismund Goetze (1866-1939) entitled "Despised and Rejected of Men", a phrase taken from the Suffering Servant of Isaiah's prophecy. I am grateful to parishioner Millie Rizzo for having provided me with a copy of this picture and the explanation of its meaning.

Goetze is classified as an English Victorian Painter although he outlived the Victorian era (Queen Victoria died in 1901). He was a devout Anglican and in this particular scene he superimposes his English society on the Suffering Christ. In the painting Christ is tied to a pillar about to be scourged, but the pillar is an altar of an ancient pagan shrine and the people moving about are in a Greek Temple. In the Acts of the Apostles, Chapter 17, St. Paul is preaching the Gospel to the people of Athens. There he makes reference to an altar dedicated to "THE UNKNOWN GOD". Although the Athenians meant it to be an insurance against slighting any overlooked deities in their manygods world-view, St. Paul used it as an opening

to speak about the one true God whom they had hitherto not known by name. Here in Goetze's painting, Christ chained to an altar of the Unknown God is a cruel irony. Although England has been Christian for centuries, Christ remains largely unknown its present generation. The throngs are too caught up in their own egotism to notice Him.

Goetze depicts several types familiar to late-Victorian society. In the left-hand corner there is the lady of fashion flirting shamelessly with her escort. Behind them is the scientist, so infatuated with his bubbling test-tube that he is blind to Christ. Above him is the sportsenthusiast, lost in the horse-racing pages. At the base of the altar huddles a poor mother with a sickly child. Turned in on herself by misery, she also has her back to Christ. To the right, a ragamuffin newsboy hawks the latest tabloid scandal sheet. A pompous cleric walks along, eyes straight ahead. Behind the cleric is a scheming businessman whose god is money. Next to him a corrupt judge is pouring over his lawbooks. In the far background a demagogic politician is haranguing the crowd. Only the nurse looks upon Christ, and reacts with sorrow and compassion.

This religious painting is supposed to make people think: am I not also somewhere in that passing crowd? We could easily imagine an updated version of this painting with very recognizable types of contemporary American society. Few enough there are who recognize Our Lord Jesus Christ for who He is and try to shape their lives accordingly.

These next two weeks are the most solemn, reflective time of the year for Catholics. If we have been keeping Lent for the past four weeks, we ought to redouble our efforts over the next two. Dedicate yourself in these next two weeks to the recollection of Our Lord's Passion.

(Fr. Higgins)

LATIN MASS TEXTS Traditional Propers Passion Sunday

Vestments: Violet

INTROIT: Psalm 42: 1-2 Judge me, O God, and distinguish my cause against an ungodly nation: O deliver me from the unjust and deceitful man: for Thou art my God and my strength. *Psalm 42: 3* O send out Thy light and Thy truth: they have led me and brought me unto Thy holy hill, even unto Thy tabernacles.

COLLECT We beseech Thee, almighty God, mercifully look upon Thy family: that by Thy great goodness it may be governed in body and by Thy protection be preserved in mind. Through our Lord. **EPISTLE:** Hebrews 9: 11-15 Brethren: Christ being come, an High Priest of the good things to come, by a greater and more perfect tabernacle, not made with hands, that is, not of this creation: neither by the blood of goats or of calves, but by His own blood, entered once into the Holies, having obtained eternal redemption. For if the blood of goats and of oxen and the ashes of an heifer, being sprinkled, sanctify such as are defiled, to the cleansing of the flesh: how much more shall the blood of Christ. who, by the Holy Ghost, offered Himself unspotted unto God, cleanse our conscience from dead works, to serve the living God? And therefore He is the Mediator of the new testament: that by means of His death, for the redemption of those transgressions which were under the former testament, they that are called may receive the promise of eternal inheritance, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

GRADUAL: Psalm 142: 9, 10; 17: 48-49 Deliver me, O Lord, from my enemies: teach me to do Thy will. Psalm 17: 48-49 My deliverer, O Lord, from the angry nations: Thou wilt lift me up above them that rise up against me: from the unjust man Thou wilt deliver me.

TRACT: Psalm 128: 1-4 Often have they fought against me from my youth. *V*. Let Israel now say: often have they fought against me from my youth. *V*. But they could not prevail over me: the wicked have wrought upon my back. *V*. They have lengthened their iniquities: the Lord who is just will cut the necks of sinners.

GOSPEL: John 8: 46-59 At that time, Jesus said to the multitudes of the Jews: Which of you shall

convince Me of sin? If I say the truth to you, why do you not believe Me? He that is of God heareth the words of God. Therefore you hear them not, because you are not of God. The Jews therefore answered, and said to Him: Do not we say well, that Thou art a Samaritan, and hast a devil? Jesus answered: I have not a devil: but I honour My Father, and you have dishonoured Me. But I seek not My own glory: there is One that seeketh and judgeth. Amen, amen, I say to you: If any man keep My word, he shall not see death for ever. The Jews therefore said: Now we know that Thou hast a devil. Abraham is dead, and the prophets: and Thou sayest: If any man keep My word he shall not taste death for ever. Art Thou greater than our father Abraham, who is dead? and the prophets are dead, whom dost Thou make Thyself? Jesus answered: If I glorify Myself, My glory is nothing: it is My Father that glorifieth Me, of whom you say that He is your God, and you have not known Him: but I know Him: And if I shall say that I know Him not, I shall be like to you, a liar. But I do know Him, and do keep His word. Abraham your father rejoiced that he might see My day: he saw it and was glad. The Jews therefore said to Him: Thou art not yet fifty years old: and hast Thou seen Abraham? Jesus said to them: Amen, amen, I say to you, before Abraham was made, I am. They took up stones therefore to cast at Him: but Jesus hid Himself, and went out of the temple.

OFFERTORY: Psalm 118: 17, 107 I will confess to Thee, O Lord, with my whole heart: render to Thy servant: I shall live and keep Thy words: enliven me according to Thy word, O Lord.

SECRET May these offerings, we beseech Thee, O Lord, loosen the bonds of our wickedness, and procure for us the gifts of Thy mercy. Through our Lord.

Preface of the Holy Cross

COMMUNION: 1 Corinthians 11: 24, 25 This is My Body which shall be delivered for you: this chalice is the new testament in My Blood, saith the Lord: do this, as often as you receive it, in commemoration of Me.

POSTCOMMUNION Draw near to us, O Lord, our God, and by Thy unfailing help defend those whom Thy mysteries have refreshed. Through our Lord.

Music Programs for this Sunday's Masses

Mass of Pope Paul VI (1970 Missal)

March 25th, A.D. 2012 Saturday vigil, 4 p.m. Sunday 7:30 and 9:00 a.m.,& 5:30 p.m.

The Fifth Sunday in Lent

Introit: Psalm 42:1-2,3

"Vindicate me, O God, and defend my cause against an ungodly nation; from wicked and deceitful men deliver me, for You are my God and my strength."

Kyrie(B) Mass XVIII (Deus Genitor Alme)

Responsorial Psalm Gospel Acclamation:

"Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory."

Credo I: (extra sheet)

Offertory: Psalm 118:17,107

"I will praise You, O Lord, with my whole heart; deal bountifully with your servant, that I may live and observe Your word; revive me according to Your word, O Lord."

Mass Setting: Mass XVIII

Sanctus

"Mortem tuam annuntiamus, Domine, et tuam resurrectionem confitemur, donec venias"

Lord's Prayer

Agnus Dei

Communion: John 12:26

"If a man would serve Me, let him follow Me; wherever I am, My servant will be there too."

Post Communion Hymn

Ave Regina Caelorum (Solemn Tone)

Recessional Hymn:

I See My Jesus Crucified (Parish Hymnal **No.55)**

Mass of St. Gregory the Great (1962 Missal)

March 25th, A.D. 2012, Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Passion Sunday Processional Hymn

Vexilla Regis Prodeunt (Gregorian Hymn)

Asperges: Chant **Introit**: Psalm 42:1-2,3

"Júdica me, Deus, et discérne causam meam de gente non sancta: ab hómine iníquo et dolóso éripe me: quia tu es Deus meus et fortitúdo mea. V. Emítte lucem tuam et veritátem tuam: ipsa me deduxérunt, et adduxérunt in montem sanctum tuum, et in tabernácula tua. Júdica me, Deus."

Ordinary Prayers: Mass XVIII Deus Genitor Alme (Parish Hymnal, No. 152)

(Kyrie**(B)**, Credo I, Sanctus, Agnus Dei) **Gradual:** Psalm 142:9,10;17:48,49

"Eripe me, Dómine, de inimícis meis: doce me fácere voluntátem tuam. Liberátor meus, Dómine, de géntibus iracúndis: ab insurgéntibus in me exaltábis me: a viro iníquo erípies me."

Tract: Psalm 128:1-4

"Sæpe expugnavérunt me a juventúte mea. Dicat nunc Israël: sæpe expugnavérunt me a juventúte mea. Etenim non potuérunt mihi: supra dorsum meum fabricavérunt peccatóres.

Prolongavérunt iniquitátes suas: Dóminus justus concídet cervíces peccatórum."

Offertory Verse: Psalm 118:17,107

"Confitébor tibi Dómine in toto corde meo: retríbue servo tuo, vivam et custódiam sermónes tuos: vivífica me secúndum verbum tuum, Dómine."

Offertory Hymn: "Seniores Populi" (Tomás Luis de Victoria **d.1611**)

Communion Hymn:

Miserere Mei (Gregorio Allegri +1652)

Communion Verse: Corinthians 11:24,25

"Hoc corpus, quod pro vobis tradétur: hic calix novi Testaménti est in meo sánguine, dicit Dóminus: hoc fácite, quotiescúmque súmitis, in meam commemoratiónem."

Recessional Hymn: God So Loved The World (Stainer)

Angelus (Chant)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DAILY LATIN MASS

March 26th-31st, A.D. 2012

Monday, March 26th: 12:30 p.m.

ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

MARY (transferred)

Tuesday, March 27th: 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday in Passion Week

Wednesday, March 28th: 12:30 p.m.

Wednesday in Passion Week

Thursday, March 29th: 5:30 p.m.

Thursday in Passion Week

Friday, March 30th: 12:30 p.m.

Friday in Passion Week

Saturday, March 31st: 9:00 a.m.

Saturday in Passion Week



FIRST WEEK IN PASSIONTIDE

FRIDAY STATIONS OF THE CROSS, PARISH LENTEN DEVOTION:



I. Way of the Cross:
Meditations of St.
Alphonsus Liguori
II. Sermon:
"The Catechism of
Lourdes, Part 6"
III. Holy Communion
IV. Exposition and
Benediction of the Most
Blessed Sacrament.

Please join us on Fridays of Lent from 7:30-8:30 p.m. Main Church

SCHEPULE OF SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK, APRIL 1st-8th, 2012:

Palm Sunday: Blessing and Procession of Palms before the 10:30 Latin Mass

(Blessed Palms will be available at all the Sunday

Masses next weekend.)

Spy Wednesday: Tenebrae Service for Maundy Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Maundy Thursday:

Mass of the Lord's Supper (English), at 5:30 p.m.

Solemn Mass of the Lord's Supper (Latin), 7:30 p.m. with Procession to the Altar of Repose.

Good Friday:

Commemoration of the Lord's Passion (English), 3:00 p.m.

Commemoration of the Lord's Passion (Latin), 7:30 p.m.

Holy Saturday—Caster Eve: Paschal Vigil and the First Mass of Caster (Latin), 8:00 p.m.

Caster Sunday:
Masses according to regular Sunday
Schedule.

CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD SUNDAYS BEFORE AND AFTER THE 10:30 LATIN MASS

WE INVITE
EVERYONE TO JOIN US FOR
COFFEE HOUR
DOWNSTAIRS EACH
SUNDAY AFTER THE

10:30 LATIN MASS.

The Good Samaritan is YOU

ARCHDIOCESAN CATHOLIC APPEAL 2012
Many thanks to all those parishioners who have already contributed to this year's campaign or made pledges. Our parish goal for 2012 is to raise at least \$20,048. Our parish number for Mary Immaculate of Lourdes is 294.



Our Lady's Academy Open House



Our Lady's Academy is having an **OPEN HOUSE** for PreK-Grade 8 on Sunday, **March 25**th from **2:00pm-4:00pm**. We are truly a "school on the move." Come and see what we're up to! We offer innovative curriculum and methods, premium technology, enrichment, after-school program, and much more, all within a Catholic valuesbased environment. Explore the possibilities of a 21st century Catholic education. Visit our website at www.ourladysacademy.org or call us at 781-899-0353 with any questions.



March 25th is the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the beginning of our Redemption. Since the it falls on a Lenten Sunday this year, the feast is transferred to tomorrow, Monday, March 26th.

Jackson School Open House

Jackson School, a Catholic elementary school (K-6), will be hosting an Open House on Wednesday, March 28, from 9-11a.m. at 200 Jackson Rd. in Newton.

All prospective families with children entering grades K-6 are invited to attend. The Jackson School sixth graders will lead tours of the entire school and current parents, faculty, and staff will be on hand to informally answer questions.

Light refreshments will be served.

For more information and to RSVP, please contact Tim Alberts at 617-202-9772 or email timalberts@jacksonwalnutparkschool.org

MILITARY SERVICE PRAYER LIST:

We remember all of our military servicemen and women, especially ... SPC Dennis Geary, US Army, Afghanistan, Matthew Simard, 1st Lt., USMC (Afghanistan), Michael Simard, PFC, USMC, Christopher Raymond, 82nd Airborne (Afghanistan), Command Sgt. Major Gregory Widberg and his 1-182 Infantry Regiment, deployed to Kabul, Afghanistan, Lance-corporal Alex Tomchik, USMC, Brian Rainey, US Army (Afghanistan), Joseph Rainey, US Army (Iraq), Sgt. Kevin James Howard, USMC (Afghanistan), Sgt. Brian Joseph Howard, USMC (Afghanistan), Sgt. 1st Class David Garduque, Sgt. Jeffrey R. Quinn, USMC.

(Please let us know if you would like someone on active duty prayed for by name.)

IN THANKSGIVING...for the safe return of 1st Lt. Michael Mondello, 181st Infantry (Afghanistan)

Pray for Tommy Holcum, severely wounded in a Taliban ambush in Afghanistan.

Pray for Pfc Bowe Bergdahl, captured by the Taliban in Afghanistan.





HEALTH OF THE SICK

"In every man there is Jesus, but in the sick we see Jesus twice."
—Padre Pio

For all those on our parish prayer list, especially for... Mary Trombetta, Helen Reid, Brenda Winegarner, Jean Johnson, Lois Ludwig, Paula Apothacary, Jeanne Ciocca, Sam Adams III, Altair da Silva, Jack Shaughnessy, Christina Kwash, Kitty Ward, Missy Ochsner, Spagnuolo Family, Katie O'Connell, Janet Bourgeois, Judy Sartell, Lana Tomchik, Matthew Banks, Patrick Rainey, Judy Pederson, Ed Donovan, Danny O'Brien, Helen Donnelly, Priscilla Brossard, Mary Sims, Bill Hickey, Lee-Anne Ketchum, Arthur Nauss, Rod MacLeod, Monica Wellenstein,

Teresa Tambunan, Mary Platt, Sean Monaghan, Sheila Whittle, Michelle Fay, Bobbie Hoffman, Beverly Balconi, Martial Rainey, Dennis McCarthy, Edward Crestitelli, Sharon Kopchik, Erin Marie Fell, Dominic Cantillo, Theresa Higgins,

Lita Uilaoghaire, Norman Alibrandi, Joyce Higgins, Peggy
Capasso, Karen Starbird, Jack Buckley, Edward Fahey, Nancy Daly,
Mary Hoffman, Marie Schroter, Dorothy Alibrandi, Helen Krawiecki,
Annie Procopio, Marie Danca, David Kase, Thaddeus Davulis, Andrew
McCloskey, Barbara Sullivan, Wanda Lempitski, Thomas Corcoran, Tony
Palladino, Marie Goodwin, Joe Bellino, Lucia LoPresti, Polly Sullivan,
Fred Strom.



"I do not promise to make you happy in this life, but in the next"—Our Lady of Lourdes to St. Bernadette, February 18th, 1858



SPECIAL INTENTION: For all the expectant mothers of our parish family. "St. Gerard Majella, pray for us"

Prayer for Motherhood:
O good St. Gerard, powerful intercessor
before God and Wonderworker of our

day, I call upon thee and seek thy aid. Thou who on this earth didst always fulfil God's designs, help me to do the Holy Will of God. Beseech the Master of Life, from Whom all paternity proceedeth, to render me fruitful in offspring, that I may raise up children to God in this life and heirs to the Kingdom of His Glory in the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER LINE OF THE POOR CLARE COLLETINE SISTERS

Hawarden, Wales



The website address is: www.poorclarestmd.org

PRAYER

I know not by what method rare, But this I know,

GOD ANSWERS PRAYER.

I know not when He Sends the word
That tells me fervent prayer is heard,
I know it cometh soon or late,
My part is but to pray and wait.
I know not if the blessing sought
Will come in just the guise I thought.
I leave all care with Him above,
Whose Will is always one of Love.

-SELECTED

Many thanks to parishioner Rose Delgrosso for contributing this poem.

This week's bulletin sponsored through the generosity of CARDINAL SEAN'S BLOG Cardinal Sean shares his reflections & experiences. www.cardinalseansblog.com

Calendar of Masses

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SATURDAY March 24th	4:00 p.m.	Maria, Angelo, Virginia, Frank, John & Kevin Anzivino, Linda & David Mitchell & Louis Fucci	Memorial	Anzivino Family		
SUNDAY March 25th: Passion Sunday and the Fifth Sunday in Lent	7:30 a.m.	Pro Populo				
	9:00 a.m.	Annie Polcari	Memorial	Donna & Tom Mulhern		
	10:30 a.m.	Earl Lang Carol Cimone Margaret Hood	Memorial Special Intention Birthday Intention Birthday Intention	Annie Procopio Maria Centofanti Anthony & Victoria Angelucci		
		Arlene Covali Linden Yee Greg Widberg Tracy English	Birthday Intention	Susan Goeller Yee Family Dick Fell James & Helen McCloskey		
	5:30 p.m.	Intention of the Celebrant	AC.			
MONDAY March 26th Annunciation of the	7:30 a.m.	Purgatorial Society of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish				
Blessed Virgin Mary (transferred)	12:30 p.m.	Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed				
TUESDAY March 27th	7:30 a.m.	Donald J. McHugh	Memorial	Francis & Peg McNary		
	5:30 p.m.	Dominic A. Dougherty Jr.	Memorial	Dougherty Family		
WEDNESDAY March 28th	7:30 a.m.	Michael J. Kerrigan	Memorial	Joseph & Mary Heneghan		
	12:30 p.m.	Theresa Benoit	Special Intention	McGrath Family		
THURSDAY March 29th	7:30 a.m.	Mrs. Murray	Memorial	Joseph & Mary Heneghan		
	5:30 p.m.	Anna Steinkrauss	Special Intention	McGrath Family		
FRIDAY March 30th	7:30 a.m.	Francis McNary	Special Intention	Friends		
	Health of the Sick	Jesus' Agony in the				
	12:30 p.m.	Garden		Annie Procopio		
SATURDAY March 31st	9:00 a.m.	Michael A. Kopchik Joseph Kane William Davulis	1 year Memorial Memorial Memorial	Sharon Kopchik Yee Family Davulis Family		
	4:00 p.m.	Thomas Meek	15 year Memorial	James & Helen McCloskey		

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish

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TOM GOGUEN, PETER GOGUEN, PATRICK GOGUEN

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Parish Cemetery of Saint Mary's, Needham

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Welcome New Parishioners and Sunday Visitors

Mary Immaculate of Lourdes Parish is a
Canonically open parish of the Archdiocese of
Boston, which has a Traditional Latin Mass
apostolate. Both the ordinary form of the
Roman Rite (1970 Missal) and the extraordinary
form (1962 Missal) are celebrated here with the
blessing of His Eminence Sean Cardinal O'Malley,
Archbishop of Boston. We encourage new
parishioners to please register in the parish and to
introduce yourselves to the Pastor, and we are always
glad to welcome Sunday visitors here to our beautiful,
historic church. We look forward to your coming
again.

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 4:00 PM (Saturday Vigil), 7:30 AM 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM (Traditional Latin), 5:30 PM

Weekdays: Monday—Friday 7:30 AM

Traditional Latin Low Mass:

Mon., Wed. & Fri., 12:30 PM.; Tues. & Thurs., 5:30 PM; Sat. 9:00 AM

Holy Days: If Mon-Fri., 7:30 AM, 12:30 (Latin), 5:30, 7:30 PM (Latin); if on Saturday, 9 AM (Latin) & 12:30 PM

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Upon request. Please contact Father Higgins

Penance (Confession):

Saturday 8:30-9:00 AM and 3:30-4:00 PM Sunday, before and after 10:30 AM Mass, First Fridays (before the 12:30 p.m. Mass)

Matrimony:

Engaged couples should make arrangements with the parish church so as to allow for adequate sacramental preparation (six months), including a Pre-Cana program.

Pastoral Care of the Sick

Anointing of the Sick (for those who are gravely ill or facing serious surgery); **Communion of the Sick for the Homebound:** Please contact Father Higgins.



Parish Mission Statement

"What then is a parish? It is the smallest section of the one universal flock which has been entrusted to Peter by the Lord. Under the authority of a responsible

priest who has received the care of souls from his bishop, the parish is, within the Church of Jesus Christ, the first community of Christian life; it is a community cut to human dimensions, in which the shepherd can know his flock and the flock can know their shepherd ... At the heart of this area, we find the parish church with its bell-tower, its baptistery, its confessional, its altar and tabernacle, a symbol of unity and the centre of community life."

(Pope Paul VI)

March 25th, A.D. 2012

Passion Sunday