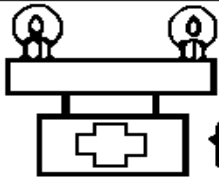




Parish Bulletin

Palm Sunday of the
Passion of the Lord
April 5, 2020



Masses for the week

April 5 - 11, 2020

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Sunday, April 5		
5 & 7:30	- Nomie Salang (D) & Parishioners of St. Anne	Fr. Tieng, LRMS & Fr. Nascimento
9:00 & 10:30	- B-day of Zeny Mangabat & Raymond & Susan Domenici (D)	Fr. Nascimento & Bishop Walsh
12:00	Agatha Tang (D)	Fr. Zhai, SVD
Monday, April 6		
6:30	Healing of Covid19 patients	Bishop Walsh
8:45	Joseph Chen (D)	Fr. Tieng, LRMS
Tuesday, April 7		
6:30	David Liu (D)	Fr. Zhai, SVD
8:45	Heather Frank (Healing)	Fr. Nascimento
Wednesday, April 8		
6:30	Safety and well being of all	Bishop Walsh
8:45	Alice Liu (D)	Fr. Tieng, LRMS
Thursday, April 9 - Holy Thursday		
7:30pm	For the Renewal of All Priests	Bishop Walsh
Friday, April 10 - Good Friday		
1:30pm	Liturgy of Veneration of Cross	Fr. Nascimento
Saturday, April 11 - Holy Saturday		
8pm	For an End to the Coronavirus	Fr. Tieng, LRMS

Holy Week Services

While the Church is closed, we invite you to join us for Holy Week services live through Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/StAnneSF>.

Palm Sunday

Sat., April 5 @ 5pm

Sun., April 6 @ 10:30am

Holy Thursday:

Thurs., April 8 @ 7:30pm

Good Friday (Fri., April 9)

12pm Last 7 Words of Jesus

1:30pm Liturgy with Veneration of Cross

7pm Stations of the Cross

Easter

Sat., April 11 @ 8pm - Vigil Mass

Sun., April 12 @ 10:30am - Sunday Mass

Pastor's Corner

Confessions During Pandemic - With the "shelter-in-place" order, what are our options to celebrate that Sacrament of Reconciliation?

- First, according to the Guidelines of the Archdiocese of San Francisco "...confessions will have to be scheduled by appointment. Confessions must be heard in an open space, or spacious room, where the six-foot distance rule can be observed and confidentiality respected." In line with this, we are open and welcome you to receive the grace of this sacrament; however, we would not like you to unnecessarily expose yourself to the risk contracting the virus, especially our parishioners who are seniors, to whom the risk is greater.
- Second, there is another option during this extraordinary time. The Catechism allows the faithful to confess directly to God when it is impossible to confess to a priest (#1484). We can consider the shelter-in-place order an "impossibility" at this time.

The Catechism further teaches that we should:

- make a perfect contrition, meaning that we should be sorry for "having offended you my God, who are all good and deserving of all my love."
- resolve to amend our lives,
- and avoid future occasions of sin.

And part of the resolve is to avail ourselves of the Sacrament of Reconciliation once it is possible. As Pope Francis taught: "You do what the catechism says. It is very clear: if you do not find a priest to hear your confession, speak to God, He is your Father, and tell Him the truth... Promise Him, 'Later I will confess, but forgive me now.' And immediately you will return to the grace of God."
- Fr. Pete

Blessing and Distribution of Palms - Due to the present circumstances and the desire to protect you from the possibility of the virus transmitting through the palms, we will save the Palms and pass them out to you at a later date when it is safe to do so.

Donations to the Parish - While I know that this can be a difficult financial time for many of you, if your finances allow you to support us, know that you can donate to us on-line through our website: <http://www.stanne-sf.org/ministries/online-giving/>. There, you can set up a one-time payment or a recurring payment. And it makes it safer and easier for our counters to record your donations for tax purposes.

With Gratitude and Blessings to All of You - Know that Bishop Walsh, Fr. Peter, Fr. Pete, Sr. Mary Francis and all of us at St. Anne are grateful for your faith in these difficult times. Though we may be apart, our faith holds us all together. Know that we pray daily for all of your safety and well being.
- Fr. Dan