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Third Sunday of Lent 3/23/2025

Day	Event	Time	Mass Intentions	page#
Sunday 03/23/25 Third Sunday of Lent	Confession Low Mass Confession High Mass Vespers	7:45 – 8:20 AM 8:30 AM 9:45 – 10:20 AM 10:30 AM 4:30 PM	Pro Populo	359
Monday 03/24/24 Monday of the 3rd week in Lent <i>Comm. St. Gabriel, 3rd class</i>	Confession Low Mass	11:35 – 11:55 AM 12 PM	Gilberto Repunte (+)	363 1150
Tuesday 03/25/24 Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Confession High Mass <i>Procession after Mass</i>	5:35 – 5:55PM 6:00 PM	George Stratton (+)	1154 154 155
Wednesday 03/26/25 Wednesday of the 3rd week in Lent	Confession Low Mass <i>Catechism</i>	4:35-4:55 PM 5:00 PM 6:00 PM	Tucker Trahan	371
Thursday 03/27/25 Thursday of the 3rd week in Lent <i>Comm. St. John Damascene, 3rd class</i> 4th Anniversary of blessing of Oratory	Confession Mass in thanksgiving, benediction	5:35 – 5:55 PM 6:00 PM	John & Brenda Pellerin	375 1157
Friday 03/28/25 Friday of the 3rd week in Lent <i>Comm. St. Jean de Capistran</i>	Confession Low Mass Stations of the Cross after Mass	5:35- 5:55 PM 6:00 PM	Maurice & Kathleen Caraway	378 1160
Saturday 03/29/25 Saturday of the 3rd week in Lent	Confession Low Mass	7:35 - 7:55 AM 8:00 AM	EmilyAnne Clancy	384
Sunday 03/30/25 4th Sunday Of Lent	Confession Low Mass Confession High Mass Vespers and stations	7:45 – 8:20 AM 8:30 AM 9:45 – 10:20 AM 10:30 AM 4:30 PM	Pro Propulo Emily Caraway	391

Sanctuary candle for this week in honor of Grace Caraway Smith . *Every day is a commemoration for the Pope pg. 822. *

*Page numbers are based on the 1962 Angelus Press Missal. *

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AN EXPLANATION OF SOME RITES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY FORM OF THE MASS

Benedict XVI in his Motu Proprio (July 2007) encourages all Catholics to acquire a "notable liturgical formation and a deep, personal familiarity with the earlier form of the liturgical celebration".

We will then explore the theological, historical, devotional, liturgical, ritualistic, architectural, artistic, linguistic, practical, legalistic, mystical... aspects of the August Sacrifice.

All the Rites that we see at Mass derive from the prototype of the highest form of celebration, that is the mass of the Bishop, the Pontifical Mass or even the Papal Mass. Some of the gestures of the ministers are consequences of this reality. Hence at the solemn high Mass, the subdeacon is facing the altar as he proclaims the epistle. It flows from the fact that at the pontifical Mass the bishop sits right there at the bottom of the steps, in front of him. The priest will hold the Missal placed on the altar at the low mass, since the subdeacon does so at the pontifical Mass...

You are encouraged to submit your questions on the Mass.

Canon Moreau extends his gratitude to all of you for so many signs of kindness.

Canon's new address is 1914 Kirby Ct., Sparks, NV 89434.

Lenten Regulations

-The law of **abstinence** (Fridays and Ember Days) forbids the use of meat. This does not apply to dairy products, eggs, or condiments and shortening made from animal fat.

-The law of **fasting** allows only one full meal a day and two smaller meals. The two smaller meals should not equal the quantity of the main meal (which in the United States is customarily observed as the evening dinner).

-Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids are allowed, including milk and fruit juices. -Fish and all cold-blooded animals may be eaten (e.g., frogs, clams, turtles, etc.).

Altar Flowers

To honor a loved one this Easter season, donations can be made to defray the cost of Easter lilies and flowers, \$40.00 for each loved one. In honor of or in memory of will be listed next to their name in the bulletin. Please place an envelope with names and donation in the collection basket with the notation "Easter flowers" on the envelope.

Sanctuary Candle

Contact Steven Coco(scoco729@hotmail.com) to reserve the Sanctuary Candle in honor of a loved one. The donation is \$30 for the week, which can be mailed or placed in a labeled envelope in the collection basket. Please indicate for whom the candle will burn on the envelope or email the name to Steven.

Mass Intentions

In order to ask for Masses, do not hesitate to contact Canon Meney. canon.meney@institute-christ-king.org .

Oratory Collection for the month of March

Our monthly goal to cover all bills is \$15,000. This amount will ensure all bills are paid with some left over. We are grateful for all your generosity and may God reward you!

Sunday 3/2/25	\$ 2,653.10
Sunday 3/9/25	\$ 3,886.31
Sunday 3/16/25	\$3,653.64
Total for month of March	\$10,193.05

Make checks payable to ICKSP.

Mark your calendars

Today Vespers at 4:30 pm followed by the Stations of the Cross.

Tuesday March 25, High Mass at **6:00pm** for the Annunciation of the BVM. **Procession** around the Oratory.

Thursday March 27, Fourth Anniversary of the blessing of the Oratory. Mass and benediction in Thanksgiving.

Saturday March 29, mass at **8:00 am** at the Oratory because of the ordination of deacon Hunter Thomas LaRocca at the Immaculate Conception Cathedral in Lake Charles at 10:00 am.

Sunday, March 30, after mass baptism of **Thomas Paul Burruss**, son of Connor and Sarah.

Sat. April 12, Lenten Work day to clean up the grounds around the Oratory. Contact Jenna Dismukes 409 781 7803

Sunday April 13, PALM SUNDAY

April 17: Holy Thursday, Mass and adoration until Midnight / **April 18: Good Friday**, Stations of the Cross at 1:00 pm. Liturgy at 3:00 pm / **April 19: Easter Vigil** at 6:00 pm

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