

# One Family in Mission

Called to Evangelize



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## AT-A-GLANCE... April's Stewardship Resources for your Parish

### April 3<sup>rd</sup> – Fifth Sunday of Lent

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, Jesus saves the woman caught in sin from public punishment.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Formation:* In the Second Reading, Paul states that knowing Christ and being a believer has made everything else second in his life. This Lenten season, share your faith with someone (your children, your spouse, your friends) and show them (through your words and actions) how much Christ means to you.

*General Intercession:* For the children of our parish this Lenten season, that they may grow closer to the Lord. We pray to the Lord...

### April 10<sup>th</sup> – Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

*Bulletin Reflection:* Today is Palm Sunday. When Jesus entered the city, He was greeted with palms and love. In a few days, on Good Friday, we will remember how He was betrayed, beaten and killed.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Prayer:* As we enter Holy Week, think of all the ways you could strengthen your prayer life. Throughout the Holy Triduum, come to church, make a good confession and pray the Stations of the Cross.

*General Intercession:* For all persecuted Catholics throughout the world. We pray to the Lord...

### April 17<sup>th</sup> – Easter Sunday

*Bulletin Reflection:* Jesus Christ is Risen! Alleluia! May the Lord bless you and your loved ones this Easter season.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Hospitality:* Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ died and rose again for us. As Christians, let us enter this Easter season overflowing with love and compassion for all those we meet. Let us spread the love of Christ to everyone!

*General Intercession:* For our parish this Easter season, that we may all feel God's love. We pray to the Lord...

### April 24<sup>th</sup> – Second Sunday of Easter

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, we read about Doubting Thomas. He could not believe, without seeing for himself, that Jesus had truly risen.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Service:* How do you show others that you believe that Jesus rose from the dead? Do your actions say, "I am a believer. I am a Christian?" This week, make your actions align with your beliefs.

*General Intercession:* For all of our friends and family members who do not believe or are struggling with their faith, that they may feel Jesus reaching out to them. We pray to the Lord...