

# HOLY CROSS PARISH

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Holy Cross Church  
Humility



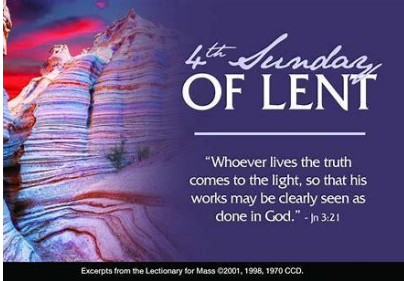
Sacred Heart Mission Church

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4th Sunday of Lent *Gaudate Sunday*

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## 4th Sunday of Lent

So the readings for the 4th Sunday of Lent Year B offer a deep exploration of God's relationship with humanity, characterized by both justice and immense love. Despite the harsh reality of judgment, there is always a path back to God through repentance, illuminated by the light of Christ. These themes encourage us to embrace the light, acknowledge God's sacrificial love, and move towards a future where our actions are aligned with God's will. As we journey through Lent, let us hold fast to the promise of restoration and the gift of God's mercy, celebrating the profound love He has for each of us, manifested through the giving of His only Son.

### God's Love for Humanity

The readings for the 4th Sunday of Lent Year B also emphasize God's love for humanity, despite our sinfulness. In 2 Chronicles 36, God is patient towards the people, even as they rebel against him. In John 3, Jesus speaks of God's love for the world, and his willingness to give his only son as a sacrifice for our sins.

### Longing for Restoration

Despite the reality of judgment and punishment, the readings for the 4th Sunday of Lent Year B also emphasize the possibility of repentance and restoration. In 2 Chronicles 36, the Babylonian exile is seen as a time of purging and purification, and God later allows the people to return to Jerusalem and rebuild the temple. In John 3, Jesus speaks of the possibility of eternal life through belief in him.

Content Source: *4th Sunday of Lent Year B - Embracing Light in Darkness - Young Catholics (young-catholics.com)*

**Parish Mission:** Guided by the diocesan thrust of Stewardship of the Gospel, Holy Cross Parish of Kalaheo commits to developing Lay Leaders, expanding our Youth and Young Adult Ministry, enriching Family Life and strengthening our Faith Formation.

**Parish Vision:** We, the parishioners of Holy Cross, envision a community of Christian stewards imbued with zest and dynamism as evangelizers of the local church who are working to transform society into a God-loving, Pro-life, and Pro-environment community.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### Parish Clergy:

Pastor: Fr. Danilo C. Galang, MS

Deacon: Averiet Soto

### Church Office Staff:

Jacqueline Muños, Secretary

Corinne Rosa, Bookkeeper

## MASS SCHEDULE:

### Holy Cross Church:

Daily Mass: 7 AM, Mon.-Fri.

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 6:45 AM & 9:45 AM

### Sacred Heart Mission Church:

Sunday: 8:15 AM

## CONFESSION:

Every Saturday at 4:30 PM, Holy Cross or by appointment

## INFORMATION:

### Baptism:

- Class, last Tuesday, 6PM PH
- Baptism, 2nd Sunday of the month, 9:45 AM mass

### Sacraments of Confirmation &

### First Communion:

- Eligible at age 7
- Sacramental preparation, CCD classes
- RCIA

## OTHER INFORMATION

### OR INQUIRIES:

• Call the Church Office, 808-332-8011, or fax inquiries to 808-332-7749, for information about Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals, & Sacramental Preparation for children and adults.





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**808-332-8011** or send an  
 email to:  
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 for more information & to  
 leave your contact data.

✓ **PARISH LENTEN ACTIVITIES**

The Easter Season is coming up and here are Lenten services and events scheduled for the parish. Everyone is encouraged to attend these activities as preparation for the Easter celebration.

DATE	ALL EVENTS BEGIN AT <u>6 PM</u> , UNLESS STATED
<b>STATIONS of the Cross, Fridays of Lent</b>	
Mar. 12	Parish Penance Service
Mar. 20	Parish Lenten Recollection, Fr. Joseph Pilotin, MS

✓ **LENTE PENANCE SERVICES**

Just a reminder, **please check the bulletin board** for the **schedule of Lenten Penance services** at the other parishes if you will be unable to attend our Penance services on March 12 at 6 PM.

✓ **PARISH LENTEN RECOLLECTION**

Fr. Joseph Pilotin, MS, from California, will lead us in this year's parish Lenten recollection, "Eucharist and Stewardship" on **Mar. 20 at 6 PM**. Come, join us as we participate in our continuing Easter preparations at the end of the Lenten season.

✓ **PALM SUNDAY & HOLY WEEK SERVICES**

Holy Week begins with Palm Sunday services the weekend of March 23 & 24. Mass times for Palm Sunday have changed slightly. See the times below:

Holy Cross:

Saturday: 5 PM, Sunday: 6:30 AM, 10:00 AM

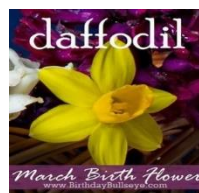
Sacred Heart:

Sunday: 8:15 AM

Please check the flyer on the bulletin boards for the dates and times for the upcoming Holy Week services.

**Stewards of the Treasury**

WEEK OF:	03-02/03-2024	AMOUNT
OFFERTORY		\$ 5,182.60
MASS INTENTIONS		380.00
CANDLES		143.26
BUILDING MAINTENANCE FUND		260.00
Augustine Ed. Foundation:		10.00
Catholic Relief Services:		35.00
Ash Wednesday:		25.00
First Offering:		25.00
Holy Thursday/Rice Bowl:		20.00
Good Friday/Holy Land:		15.00
Easter Flowers:		1,009.00
Easter Offering:		25.00



May God bless you wonderfully for your generosity & support.

**PARISH CALENDAR**

DATE and TIME,	EVENT and PLACE
Thursdays, 5-6 PM <b>CCD Coordinator and Catechists NEEDED:</b>	Pre-K – Gr. 1 CCD classes, CR Grs. 2-5 classes on hold <b>Office: 808-332-8011</b>
EDGE contact:	<b>Bart &amp; Cindy Garcia</b>
Life Teen contact:	<b>Charlie &amp; Della Silva, Mindy Santella</b>
Wednesdays, 5:30PM	Rosary
Mar. 10: <b>Masses at Holy Cross</b>	<b>School Carnival Ticket Sales</b>
Mar. 11: 6 PM	Penance Service, St. Raphael
Mar. 12: 6 PM	<b>Parish Penance Service, Holy Cross</b>
Mar. 14: 6 PM	Penance Service, Immaculate Conception
Mar. 18: 6 PM	Penance Service, St. Theresa
Mar. 20: 6 PM	<b>Parish Recollection, HCC</b>
Mar. 20: 6 PM	Penance Service, St. Catherine