**Liturgy Schedule** 

Saturday 5pm

Cantor

Lector

Susan Harley

**Parish Life Director** 

Inga Turner

Sister Amy Westbrook awestbrook@cdlex.org

**Gifts** Sr. Amy

**Sacramental Minister** 

**Eucharistic Minister** 

Jeremiah Gilbert

Fr. Bob Damron

## **Announcements**

- Our Bible Study on the Gospel of Mark will continue this Wednesday at 5:30 pm. All are invited to come at 4 pm to work outside in the yard. Snacks provided!
- Monthly Eucharistic Adoration Hour will be held April 17<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm with Simple Supper following, and then Bible Study at 5:30 pm, please join us in praise to our Lord. Out of respect for the Blessed Sacrament, we need at least 2 Guardians of the Eucharist, please sign up in the back if you can attend.
- April is the month that we devote to the Holy Spirit. Consider praying the Novena to the Holy Spirit which can be found on the website praymorenoven as.com.
- Holy Cross Parish is planning a VBS for the children in our community on July 15-19<sup>th</sup>. St Raphael the Archangel Church in Oshkosh will be staying with us during this week to help us with VBS. Please keep these days open so we can partner with our Sister Parish and spend quality time with them and the children of our community!
- You are invited to light a Memorial Candle in the back of Church for a special cause, or in memory of a loved one during this joyful season of Easter. Suggested donation is \$.50 per candle.
- Last Saturday Offertory 4/6/2024 \$55.00

## Liturgy Notes

**Breaking Bread**: p.146 Third Sunday of Easter

**Music:** 

Entrance: 562 "All the Ends of the Earth"

Offertory: #475 "Eye Has Not Seen"

Communion: #331 "One Bread, One Body"

Closing: #570 "Alleluia"

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, let your face shine on us.

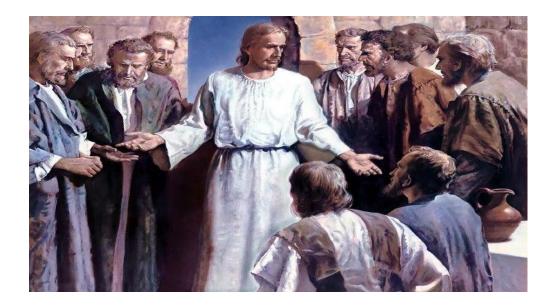
Dear Holy Cross Family,

As you may know, Head Start will be moving out of our building by June 7<sup>th</sup>. WE are so grateful that Holy Cross Church was able to help them for the past two years after they lost their building in the Flood of 2022. We celebrate their recovery and the move into their new building near the hospital. We will have lots of clean-up to do before and especially after they move in order to set up the parish hall and bedrooms for our Sister Parish to visit us in mid-July. Please consider coming each week on Weds to help in the yard or whatever we need to be working on. It's our Church together and it takes all of us to take care of it.

Also, a press release will happen later this month from our Bishop outlining our new diocesan commitment to environmental care and responsibility of our parish buildings, energy use, and grounds. Please be thinking about a plan we can make as a parish. We will set a Community Meeting about this after the press release.

May the Lord grant you his peace in Christ this Easter Season,

Sr. Amy (614-282-2103)



### **Gospel Reflection:**

Today's Gospel teaches that God's Messiah *had to suffer* before entering into the glory of his risen life. The failure to grasp both aspects, suffering and glory, led many to reject Jesus. The two disciples on the road to Emmaus represent those whose hopes were dashed. If they had understood all the prophesies, not merely those promising a glorious Messiah, they would have realized that Jesus' sufferings were necessary to God's plan. The disciples were transformed by the presence of the risen Christ.

### **Reflection Question:**

When have your eyes been opened so that you recognized the Lord walking with you?

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Third Sunday of Easter Vigil, April 13, 2024

