

Pastor's Note - Holy Thursday

A Blessed Holy Thursday

My dear parishioners,

I wish to tell you how much I miss celebrating these Holy Days with you. This virus has forced us to change so much of our life. At 4 p.m. today the priests of the parish will celebrate the solemn liturgy of the Lord's Last Supper. Be assured at this Mass we will remember each and every one of you and pray that God keeps us all healthy and safe.

Holy Thursday reminds us of the interconnection between faith and charity - faith in God's goodness and charity in our service to our neighbors. At this mass we renew the Mandatum, the new commandment; Jesus washes the feet of the Apostles, as He did so we also must do.

Thank God for all those who take this call to service to heart. We see each day countless people who are helping their neighbors. May God bless them and keep them safe and healthy.

Please join your priests spiritually at 4 p.m. today as we thank God for the wonderful gift of the Eucharist. Hopefully, we'll celebrate this great gift together very soon.

Also to our Jewish sisters and brothers, be assured of my prayers to you as you celebrate Passover. May the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob - the God of the Living - bless and protect you.

Msgr. Keane