



OUR LADY OF DOLOURS SERVITE CHURCH

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3RD SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR C) 23RD MARCH 2025

Mass Times

Vigil Mass: Sat 6.30 pm
Sunday 9.30 am
11.00 am
Spanish Mass 12.30 pm
6.30 pm
Mon to Sat 10am & 6.30 pm

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 10.45 – 11.15 am
6.00 – 6.30 pm
Mon – Fri 6:15 – 6:30 pm

Parish Office Opening Hrs

Mon – Fri 9am to 5pm
(Lunch from 1.30pm to 2.30pm)

Rosary

Every Wednesday after
10am Mass followed by Tea
in the Founders Room.

- Rosary also held on Sundays at
3pm in the Colonnade.

Legion of Mary

Every Tuesday at 7pm in the
Parlour.

Holy Hour

1st Friday of every month after
10am Mass. The **Blessed
Sacrament** will be exposed for
Rosary, Litany Divine Mercy &
Benediction.

Safeguarding Office

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Saints Days

Mon 24th – St. Oscar Arnulfo Romero
Tue 25th – Annunciation of the Lord
Wed 26th – St. Catherine of Genoa
Thu 27th – St. Gregory of Narek
Fri 28th – St. Catharine of Bologna
Sat 29th – St. Ludovico of Casoria



St. Peregrine Mass of Healing

Our next St. Peregrine Mass of
Healing is on **26th March 2025**
(Wednesday) at 6:30pm.

Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Exposition of this Relic on every
Monday after our 10am Mass.

Blessed Carlo, Pray for us.

Reflection

The Gospel of this 3rd Sunday of Lent is taken from Luke 13:1-9. Just as a fig tree, which has been barren until now, is given a last delay to produce fruits under the intensified care of the vinedresser, otherwise it will be cut down. So also, Israel, who has been barren during most of its history, is given a final opportunity to repent and produce fruits of conversion on the occasion of Jesus' ministry, otherwise it will be destroyed.

Jesus, our patient vinedresser, can make productive fig trees. If our past has been barren for the most part, this doesn't mean that our spiritual growth is forever tiny or small. Our vinedresser will never give up the hope of seeing us bear fruits. He will always continue to lavish his care on us, to surround us with his concern until we'll repent and turn back to him. Let us not lose heart because of our sins. "Where sin increased, grace abounded all the more" (Rome 5:20). Where barrenness has prevailed up to now, a marvelous productiveness can still emerge.



First Holy Communion – The 11th Session will be on 30th March 2025 (Sunday) at 10:00am prompt at the School Hall and followed by the Holy Mass at 11am in the Church. Make sure that your child will come before the time please.

Confirmation Classes 2025 – The next session will be on 30th March 2025 at 2:30 pm for the Recollection at Our Lady of Victories to be facilitated by Fr. Francis.

The Stations of the Cross – every Friday of Lent after the 6:30 pm mass.

Baptismal Course – The next baptismal course starts on 25th March 2025 (Tuesday) with the second concluding part on 8th April 2025 (Tuesday). These will be held in the Founders Room at 7:00pm.

Lenten Spiritual Talk – Everyone is invited to a Lenten Spiritual Talk by Fr. Matthew Blake, OCD, on Thursday, 3rd April 2025, at 7:00 PM in the Founders Room. The talk, titled Pilgrims of Hope, will offer reflections to deepen our Lenten journey.

Pilgrimage to Rome – We are still open for those who are interested to join us. For reservations and further details, please visit the parish office.



PILGRIMS OF HOPE

Hymn for the Jubilee Year 2025



*Like a flame my hope is burning, may my song arise to You:
Source of life that has no ending, on life's path I trust in You.*

1. Ev'ry nation, tongue, and people find a light within Your Word.
Scattered fragile sons and daughters find a home in Your dear Son.
2. Dio ci guarda, tenero e paziente: nasce l'alba di un futuro nuovo.
Nuovi Cieli Terra fatta nuova: passa i muri Spirito di vita.
3. Ang Diyos ay ating nadarama, kahit di natin nakikita.
Naging tao para sa buong mundo, susunod ako sa'n man s'ya patungo .