

Jesus said, "Whoever drinks of this water will thirst again,
but whoever drinks of the water that I shall give him
will never thirst." - John 4:13-14



Third Sunday of Lent - Year A

Sunday, March 8, 2026

**St. Mary Immaculate Parish, Lakeport
& St. Peter Mission, Kelseyville**

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12:00 pm—4:00 pm

Website: www.stmaryslakeport.com

FACEBOOK: StMaryImmaculateCatholic Parish

Mass Schedules:

St. Mary Immaculate Church, Lakeport

Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm (English)

Sunday 10:00 am (English) & 12:00 pm (Spanish)

Wed, Thursday, Friday: 9:00 am (English)

St. Peter Mission, Kelseyville

4085 Main St. Kelseyville, 95451

(Mail and telephone to St Mary's office)

Mass Schedule: Sunday 8:30 am & Tuesday at 9:00 am
(English)

Reconciliation / Confesiones:

Saturday/Sabado from 3:30 pm till 4:15 pm

Parish Registration: If you are new to the parish or have not yet registered, please fill out the form below and return it during the offertory collection or mail it to the parish office.

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____ Telephone # _____

Whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst again. — *John 4:14*

Are You Thirsty?

We live in a world that offers us everything — and yet so many people feel empty inside. We scroll, we shop, we stay busy, we chase success — and still, at the end of the day, something is missing. Deep down, every human heart carries a thirst that nothing in this world seems to fully satisfy.

Saint Augustine knew this feeling well. He tried everything before he finally found God — and then he wrote these unforgettable words: "**You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it rests in You.**"

The woman at the well in today's Gospel is all of us. She had been searching for happiness in all the wrong places — and she was tired. But then Jesus sat down beside her, looked at her with complete love, and offered her something no one had ever offered before. Not judgment. Not pity. But **living water** — a deep, lasting joy that the world cannot give and cannot take away.

And she was so transformed that she dropped her water jar and ran to tell everyone she knew.

That is what a real encounter with Jesus does. It does not just fill us —

it overflows into everyone around us.

This Lent, let us stop running to empty wells. Let us bring our real thirst — our loneliness, our worries, our longing for meaning — and place it honestly before the Lord.

He is already at the well. He is already waiting. And the water he offers will never run dry.

"Come and see." John 4:29

Prayer for Our Priests This Week

(as suggested by the Diocese of Santa Rosa)

Sunday: Rev. Michael Culligan, Retired

Monday: Rev. Bernard D'Sa, St. Bernard/Sacred heart, Eureka

Tuesday: Rev. Aaron DePeyster, Resurrection, Santa Rosa

Wednesday: Rev. Thomas Diaz, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Rohnert Park

Thursday: Rev. Juan Ramon Diaz de Leon, Retired

Friday: Rev. William Donahue, St. Vicent de Paul, Petaluma

Saturday: Rev. Frank Epperson, Retired

Pre-Baptismal Class

Pre-baptismal instruction class will be held on Thursday April 9, 2026 at 6:00 PM in St. Mary's hall.

For more info, contact the office
(707) 263-4401.

This Week Collections:

February 28, and March 1 2026

First Collection \$3,960

B / M Collection \$2,021

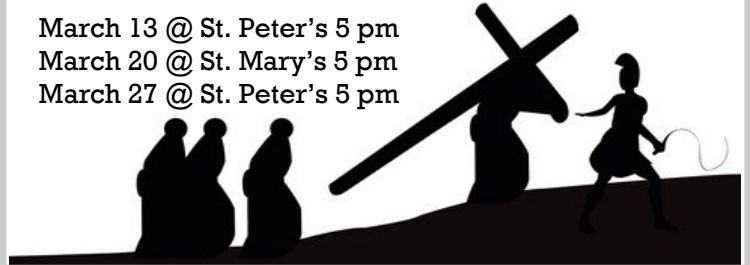
This weekend the second collection is for Catholic Relief Services.

Station of the Cross

March 13 @ St. Peter's 5 pm

March 20 @ St. Mary's 5 pm

March 27 @ St. Peter's 5 pm



HOLY WEEK & PASCHAL TRIDUUM SCHEDULE
St. Mary's Church Lakeport & St. Peter's Mission Kelseyville 2026

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday (March 28 & 29, 2026)

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:30 PM (English) – St. Mary's (Blessing of the palms at all Masses)

Sunday Masses:

8:30 AM (English) – St. Peter's, Kelseyville

10:00 AM (English) – St. Mary's, Lakeport

12:00 PM (Spanish) – St. Mary's

Holy Monday–Holy Wednesday (March 30, 31 and April 1 2026)

Daily Mass Monday thru Wednesday: 9:00 AM – St. Mary's and St. Peter's

Confessions: by appointment

PASCHAL TRIDUUM SCHEDULE

Holy Thursday (April 2, 2026)

Mass of the Lord's Supper

6:00 PM (Bilingual) – St. Mary's, Lakeport, Eucharistic Adoration follows until Midnight

Good Friday (April 3, 2026)

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

12:30 PM – Stations of the Cross (English) – St. Mary's, followed by Passion of the Lord, liturgy of the Word, adoration of Holy Cross and Communion

6:00 PM – Via Crucis (Spanish) – St. Mary's, followed by Passion of the Lord: liturgy of the Word, adoration of Holy Cross and Communion

Holy Saturday (April 4, 2026) – Easter Vigil

6:30 PM (Bilingual) – St. Mary's

Easter Sunday (April 5, 2026)

The Resurrection of the Lord

8:30 AM (English) – St. Peter's, Kelseyville

10:00 AM (English) – St. Mary's

12:00 PM (Spanish) – St. Mary's, Lakeport

Dear Passion Play Cast Members:

All practices will be held at the Passion Playgrounds at 7010 Westlake Rd. in Upper Lake, CA. Practices start at 1:30 PM and will finish at 4:00 PM. Please be prepared to commit to this schedule as follows:

- Sunday March 29th 1:30 - 4:00
- Sunday April 12th 1:30 - 4:00
- Sunday April 19th 1:30 - 4:00
- Sunday April 26th 1:30 - 4:00
- Sunday May 3rd 1:30 - 4:00 Rehearsal Dress
- Saturday May 9th 1:30 - 4:00 Rehearsal Dress

Note: Easter Sunday is April 5th this year. We will not practice on Mother's Day, May 10th. Please note that the Passion Play telephone number is 707-263-0349. (See www.lakecountypassionplay.or Facebook.com/PassionPlay/LakeCom/)

Catholic Men's Conference

Cathedral of St. Eugene March 20-21, 2026

Join men from across the diocese for a day of prayer, fellowship, and spiritual renewal. Be encouraged through inspiring reflections, deepen your faith, and strengthen bonds of brotherhood as we seek to follow Christ more fully together.

Register today: www.srcatholicmen.org

The Bells and the Knights of Columbus of St. Mary's

Invite us to their St. Patrick dinner, this Saturday, March 14th at 5:30 p.m. in the St. Mary's hall, will serve Corned beef and cabbage \$25 per person, tickets available after each Mass or at the office. We are waiting for you all!!!



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Prayers:

For all the people who are suffering from an illness for: Alex, Chris Pokorny, Tom Kalk, Martha Silva, Saul Maldonado and Mary E. Sachse and Lysette Martinez.

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