



THE DIOCESE OF KALAMAZOO

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TO: Priests, Deacons, Parish Coordinators and Parish Secretaries
FROM: David J. Reilly, Director, the Office of Christian Worship
RE: The Chrism Mass

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The Chrism Mass will be celebrated during Holy Week on **Tuesday, March 31st** at **6:00 p.m.** in St. Augustine Cathedral.

Distribution of Holy Oils at the Reception

The Oils will be distributed at the reception in the Cathedral Center following the Mass. Please select one or two representatives from your parish or community and if applicable, one or two representatives from your mission to receive the Holy Oils. Please send the attached invitation to your parish representatives.

Fruit and Nut Breads for the Reception

Each parish is asked to donate three fruit or nut breads for the reception following the Mass. Breads may be dropped off at the Cathedral Center before Mass.

Last Year's Holy Oil Bottles

Clean bottles may be placed in the drop box outside the sacristy at the Chrism Mass or brought to the Diocesan Pastoral Center M-F, 8:30 am – 4 pm.

2015 Chrism Mass Representatives

Please respond by **March 15th**
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