



# **SUGGESTED PLENARY INDULGENCE OF THE MONTH**

## **APRIL 2022**

### **ADORATION OF THE CROSS**

**A PLENARY INDULGENCE is granted the Christian faithful who devoutly take part in the adoration of the cross during the solemn liturgy of Good Friday.**

#### **FR. EUGENE'S COMMENTARY & SUGGESTION**

Here at St. Thomas More Catholic Church we will have Good Friday liturgy on April 15 at 3:00 pm and at 7:00 pm. There is hardly any other day on our calendar that holds more significance than this solemn day in which we remember the awful price that was paid for our salvation.

#### **CONDITIONS FOR RECEIVING A PLENARY INDULGENCE**

1. Do the prescribed work.
2. Receive Holy Communion within several days (before or after) of the indulgenced act.
3. Go to confession within several days (before or after) the indulgenced act
4. Pray for the Pope. An Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be can suffice.
5. Be free from attachment to all sin, even venial sin.
6. OTHER NOTES: · In order to be capable of gaining indulgences one must be baptized, not excommunicated, and in the state of grace (free of mortal sin) at least at the completion of the prescribed works. · To gain an indulgence, one must have at least the general intention of doing so and must carry out the enjoined works at the stated time and in due fashion, according to the sense of the grant. · Plenary indulgences can be applied to one's self, or to a person who has died. · Only one plenary indulgence may be obtained per day. · A single sacramental confession suffices for gaining several plenary indulgences; but Holy Communion must be received and prayer for the intention of the Holy Father must be recited for the gaining of each plenary indulgence. · Special exceptions can always be made for those who are sick or disabled in which case please inquire with the priest.