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SETMANA SANTA DE TARRAGONA

Declarada "Festa Local d'Interès Turístic" per la Generalitat de Catalunya.

PROCESSÓ DEL SANT ENTERRAMENT

Declarada "Festa Patrimonial d'Interès Nacional" pel Parlament de Catalunya.



The spaces for Easter in Tarragona are located at the churches of Sant Agustí (Rambla Vella), St Llorenç (Plaça de la Pagesia), St Miquel del Pla and Nazaret (Plaça del Rei) from Saturday 28 March to Sunday 5 April, from 10.30 am to 1.30 pm and from 5.30 pm to 8.30 pm.

Timetable exceptions:

- Church of Sant Agustí: Friday 3th April in the afternoon
- Church of Sant Llorenç: Thursday 2nd April all day ; Friday 3rd April in the afternoon; and Saturday 4th April in the morning.
- Church of Sant Miquel del Pla: Tuesday 31st March in the afternoon; Wednesday 1st April in the afternoon; and Friday 3rd April all day
- Church of Natzaret: Sunday 29th March in the afternoon and Friday 3rd April in the afternoon

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(Available from 18 April)

Sunday 1st March

7:00 p.m. Church of Sant Joan. General Prim Square . **Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

Friday 6th March

7:00 p.m. Church of Sant Pau. La popular Street, 2. **Lenten's Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

8:00 p.m. Church of Sant Francesc. Rambla Vella. **Lenten's Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

Sunday 8th March

7:00 p.m. Church of Sant Joan. General Prim Square. **Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

Friday 13th March

8:00 p.m. Church of Sant Francesc. Rambla Vella. **Lenten's Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

Sunday 15th March

From 11:00 am to 2:30p.m. Old Town. **10th Easter Bands Gathering.**

Route: Cos del Bou St., Baixada Pescateria, Sant Hermenegild St., Santa Anna St., Plaça del Fòrum Sq., Merceria St., Santiago Rusiñol Sq., where there will be a performance of the exhibition pieces by each group.

12:00 pm Espai Turisme. **Opening of the Exhibition "Negrets i negretes. La Setmana Santa des de dins."** A collection of 25 photographs offering an intimate, contemporary view of the Holy Week in Tarragona, focusing on the moments of preparation and the traditional customs of the various groups that form part of the Royal Brotherhood of Jesus of Nazareth.

7:00 p.m. Church of Sant Joan. General Prim Sq.. **Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

Thursday 19th March

8:30 p.m. Church of Sant Llorenç (Pagesia Sq.). **“37th Holy Week Sacred Concert”**

Friday 20th March

8:00 p.m. Church of Sant Francesc. Rambla Vella. **Lenten’s Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

Saturday 21st March

7:30 p.m. Church of Sant Pere. El Serrallo. **Via Crucis of the Gremi de Marejants (stations of the cross) and procession** through the streets of the fishermen’s quarter.

Route: Bisbe Bonet Sq., Sant Joan St, Sant Pere St, Sant Andreu St, Gravina St, Trafalgar St (pedestrian zone), Bisbe Bonet Sq..

Sunday 22nd March

7:00 p.m. Church of Sant Joan. General Prim Sq.. **Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

Monday 23rd March

7:30 p.m. Church of Nazareth, del Rei Sq. **Paschal Triduum to the Holy Christ of the Blood and Our Lady of Solitude.**

Tuesday 24th March

7:30 p.m. Church of Nazareth, del Rei Sq. **Paschal Triduum to the Holy Christ of the Blood and Our Lady of Solitude.**

Wednesday 25th March

7:00 p.m. Church of Nazareth, del Rei Sq. **Concert del Tecler.** The concert, with a repertoire focused on the melodies characteristic of Holy Week, will offer the audience a journey through the musical tradition associated with these significant dates.

7:30 p.m. Church of Nazareth. del Rei Square. **Paschal Triduum to the Holy Christ of the Blood and Our Lady of Solitude.**

Thursday 26th March

7:00 p.m. Church of Nazareth of Santissima Trinitat. del Rei Square **“Via Crucis”** (stations of the cross) **performed by the Gypsy community** inside the church. Then, they will march through the streets of the old town.

Route: del Rei Sq., Santa Anna St, Forum Sq., Merceria St, Major St, Baixada Misericòrdia St, Cos del Bou St, Baixada Pescateria St, Sant Hermenegild St, del Rei Sq.

Friday 27th March

7:00 p.m. Church of Sant Llorenç. Pagesia Sq. **Lenten's Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

7:30 p.m. Church of Sant Francesc. Rambla Vella. **Mass celebration.**

8:00 p.m. Church of Sant Francesc. Rambla Vella. the **Lenten Stations of the Cross** will be held inside the church.

7:45 p.m. **Friday Sorrow's procession** through the streets of the old town.

Route: Pagesia Sq, Arc de St. Llorenç St, Coques St, Pare Iglesias St, Merceria St, Santiago Rusiñol Sq., Major St., La Nau St., Sant Hermenegild St., del Rei Sq., Portella St., Passeig Sant Antoni prom., Sant Antoni Sq., Descalços St and Pagesia Sq.

Saturday 28th March

10:30 a.m. **Meeting of children's bands to commemorate the 15th anniversary of the RGJN aspirants' band.**

Route: Font Sq., Baixada Misericòrdia St., Major St, Santiago Rusiñol Sq..

Back route: Major St., Cavallers St., Comte St., Sant Miquel Sq. and church of Sant Miquel del Pla.

5:00 p.m. **Descent from the float of the Entry of Jesus into Jerusalem.**

Route: Rambla Vella, Sant Agustí St., Rambla Nova, Unió St., Prim Sq.

7:00 p.m. From the Church of Sant Nicolàs de Bari. Pau del Protectorat St. **The Passion of Christ procession.** Procession of the float called *Christ of Good Love*. This float will go through the streets of the lower part of Tarragona city.

Route: Pau del Protectorat St., Barcelona St., Sant Miquel St., Misericòrdia St., Sant Josep St., Nou de Santa Tecla St., Smith St., Castaños St., Reial St., dels Carros Sq., Apodaca St., Barcelona St., and Pau del Protectorat St.

Palm Sunday, 29th March

10:30 a.m. Coques St. **Blessing of palms and olive tree and bay tree branches, followed by the Palm and Branch Procession.**

Route : Coques St., Pla de la Seu sq., and Cathedral.

11:00 a.m. Cathedral. **Palm Sunday's Pontifical Mass.**

5:00 p.m. Church of Sant Joan, General Prim Sq.. **Entrance of Jesus Christ to Jerusalem's Procession.**

Route: Prim Sq., Gasòmetre St., Fortuny St., Reding St., Corsini Sq., Canyelles St., Rambla Nova (central section until the intersection with Unió St.), Unió St., Unió St., and Prim Sq.

7:00 p.m. Church of Natzaireth. del Rei Sq. **Via Crucis de la Sang (Stations of the Cross)** will leave the Church of Nazareth in del Rei Sq., following along the Archaeological promenade (city walls), the old town and ending at the Cathedral.

Route: del Rei Sq., Portella St., Granada St., Sant Antoni's Gate, Sant Antoni Prom., inside Archaeological promenade (city walls), Portal del Roser's Gate, del Pallol Sq., Cavallers St., Major St., Merceria St., Pare Iglesias St., and Pla de la Seu Sq.

Back route: Pare Iglesias St., Merceria St., Major St., La Nau St. and del Rei Sq.

Holy Monday, 30th March

10:30 a.m. Cathedral. **Chrism's Mass.**

7:00 p.m. Hermitage of Sant Magí, Portal del Carro St. **Mass celebration.**

7.30 p.m. **Processional *Via Crucis* (Stations of the Cross)** from the Hermitage of Sant Magí. Portal del Carro St. through the streets of the old town.

Route: Portal del Carro St., Arc de Sant Llorenç St., Sant Pau St., Pla de Palau Sq., Mare de Déu del Claustre St., Escrivanies Velles St., Pla de la Seu Sq., Nou del Patriarca St., Coques St., Arc de Sant Llorenç St., and Portal del Carro St..

Holy Tuesday 31st March

7:00 p.m. Church of Nazareth. del Rei Sq. **Concert by *Cor InCrescendo*.** An extraordinary concert of sacred music, a musical offering full of solemnity and emotion that will captivate the audience.

7:00 p.m. Church of Sant Francesc, Rambla Vella. **Mass and *Via Crucis* (stations of the cross)** of the Nazarenes inside the church.

8.00 p.m. **Procession of the Nazarenes.**

Route: Rambla Vella, Portalet St., Cós del Bou St., Baixada de Peixateria St., del Rei Sq., Santa Anna St., Fòrum Sq., Merceria St., Major St., Baixada de Misericòrdia St., Portalet St., Rambla Vella to the church of Sant Francesc.

Holy Wednesday 1st April

5:30 p.m. From the church of Sant Agustí. Rambla Vella to the church of Sant Joan. Prim sq., **On the way to *Processó del Dolour*** (Procession of Sorrow of the Virgin Mary for the Passion of Jesus Christ).

7:00 p.m. Church of Sant Joan. General Prim Sq. **Rosary of Sorrow.**

7:45 p.m. From Church of Sant Joan Baptista. General Prim Sq. ***Processó del Dolor* (Procession of Sorrow of the Virgin Mary for the Passion of Jesus Christ).**

Route: General Prim Sq., Gasòmetre St., Fortuny St., Reding St., Corsini Sq., Canyelles St., Rambla Nova, Unió St., General Prim Sq.

Holy Thursday 2nd April

5:30 p.m. Church of Trinitat. del Rei Sq. **Mass of the Lord's Supper** Following, at 6:30 p.m. to 9. p.m., **Guard Duty by the *Armats de la Sang al Santíssim Sagrament*** (group of Roman soldiers).

7:00 p.m. From church of Sant Agustí to Rambla Nova. ***Esmendada dels misteris del Gremi de Marejants*** (collecting and move the floats)

Route: Rambla Vella St., August St., Comte de Rius St., Rambla Nova St. until Casa Manel Feliu.

8:00 p.m. Cathedral. **Lord's Supper Mass.**

9:00 p.m. at the Church of Sant Pere. El Serrallo. **The corridor of Light and the Honour Guard Rotation** . The *Armats del Gremi de Marejants* (group of Roman soldiers) will hold a Guard of Honour before the Holy Sacrament

11:45 p.m. from Maria Cristina Av. / Camp de Mart to Loreto Sanctuary, **Via Crucis Sant Ecce-Homo (Stations of the Cross Procession)**. Procession, expressing the different stages or moments of the life of Jesus Christ from the time he was arrested to his crucifixion and burial. Departure of the Viacrucis at 00:00 h Approximate arrival at the Sanctuary at 2:00 a.m. The Christ of the Brotherhood will be carried on the shoulders by all the volunteers who want to do so during the route.

Holy Friday 3th April

6:00 a.m. Cathedral. **Sermon of Passion or de la bofetada (Sermon of the slap).**

6:15 a.m. Cathedral. **Holy Friday Processional Via Crucis (station of the cross).**

Route: del Rei Sq., Santa Anna St., Pare Iglesias St., Pla de la Seu Sq., Les Coques St., Sant Pau St., Pla de Palau Sq., de la Guitarra St., Baixada del Roser St., Salinas St., de la Font Sq., Cos del Bou St., Baixada Peixateria St., del Rei sq.

10.00 a.m. Church of Sant Pau, La Popular St. **Via Crucis (stations of the cross).**

Route: La Popular St, Rambla President Companys, Enric Ossó St., Orleans sq.

10:00 a.m. Church of Sant Joan. General Prim Sq.. **Via Crucis (stations of the cross)** inside the church.

10:00 a.m. Cathedral. **Readings and lauds Service.**

12:00 a.m. Cathedral. **Office of the Lord's Death.**

4:00 p.m. From the Church of Nazareth. del Rei Sq. The "**Armats de la Reial Venerable Congregació de la Puríssima Sang**" (**Roman soldiers**) leave the Church of Nazareth in Rei Sq. to start **collecting the floats** (images and religious sculptures that interpret the Bible) in Rambla Vella, Verdaguer Sq., Rambla Nova, Unió St. and different places in the old town, and bring them to del Rei Square.

- 4:10 p.m. Rambla Vella, section Sant Agustí St-Passeig de les Palmeres Prom.(2 floats).
- 4:20 p.m. Verdaguer Sq. (2 floats).
- 4:25 p.m. Rambla Nova, section Adrià St. - Roger de Llúria St. (4 floats).
- 4:45 p.m. Rambla Nova, section Sant Agustí St.-Unió St.. (5 floats).
- 5.00 p.m. Unió St. (1 float)

Route: Rambla Nova, Sant Agustí St., Portalet St., de la Font Sq., Cós del Bou St., Baixada de la Pescateria St., Sant Hermenegild St .and del Rei Sq.

Second collection: Old town

- 5.30 p.m. Pagesia Sq. (2 floats).

Gremi de pagesos Route: Pagesia Sq., Arc de Sant Llorenç St., Coques S.t, Pare Iglesias St., Merceria St., Major St., Baixada Misericòrdia St., Cos del Bou St., Baixada Peixateria St., Sant Hermenegild St. and del Rei Sq.

- 5.40 p.m. Pla de la Seu (1 float)

Route of the Congregation of Ladies of Solitude: Pare Iglesias St., Merceria St., Major St., Baixada de Misericòrdia St., de la Font Sq., Cós del Bou St., Baixada de la Pescateria St., Sant Hermenegild St. and del Rei sq.

HOLY ENTOMBMENT PROCESSION

7:30 p.m. from the Church of Natzaret (del Rei Sq). **The Procession of the Holy Entombment** declared a National Heritage Asset of National Interest by the Generalitat of Catalonia.

Route: del Rei Sq, Portella St, passeig de Sant Antoni promenade, portal de Sant Antoni gate, Sant Antoni sq, Descalços St. Arc de Sant Llorenç, Sant Pau St, pla de Palau Sq, Mare de Déu del Claustre St, Escrivanies Velles St, pla de la Seu sq, les Coques St, Pare Iglesias St, Merceria St, Santiago Rusiñol Sq, Major sq, baixada de la Misericòrdia, de la Font sq, Sant Fructuós St, Comte de Rius st, Rambla Nova, Sant Agustí St, Portalet St, Trinquet Nou St, Espiridión Sq, baixada de la Pescateria and del Rei sq.

Holy Saturday 4th April

10:00 a.m. Cathedral. **Readings and lauds Service.**

6:00 p.m. From the Church of Natzaret (del Rei Sq.). **Procession of Solitude** through the streets of the old town.

Route: del Rei Sq., La Nau St, Major St., Merceria St., Pare Iglesias St., Pla de la Seu Sq.

Holy Saturday 4th April

10:00 a.m. Cathedral. **Readings and lauds Service.**

6:00 p.m. From the Church of Natzaret (del Rei Sq.). **Procession of Solitude** through the streets of the old town.

Route: del Rei Sq., La Nau St, Major St., Merceria St., Pare Iglesias St., Pla de la Seu Sq.

Route back: de la Seu Sq., Pare Iglesias St, Merceria St., Major St., Baixada Misericòrdia St., Cos del Bou St., baixada Peixateria St., del Rei Sq.

10:00 p.m. Cathedral. **Lenten's Vigil.**