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# SUNDAY APRIL 4 2021

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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**APPOINTMENT ONLY** 

# MASS SCHEDULE (TEMPORARY)

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4 pm & 6 pm

Sunday: 8 am, 10 am & Noon

Weekday Masses

Monday: 7:30 am

Tuesday: 9:00 am

Wednesday: 7:30 am

Thursday: 9:00 am

Friday: 9:00 am

Saturday: 9:00 am

#### **PARISH STAFF**

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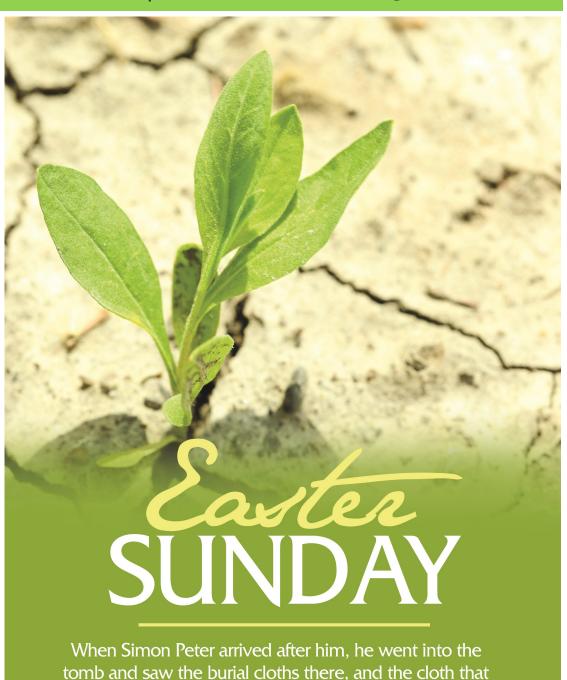
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had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled

up in a separate place. - Jn 20:6-7

# **WEEKLY PRAYER**

## Readings for the week of April 4, 2021

SUN 4/4 Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/Col 3:1-4 or 1

Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or Lk 24:13-35

MON 4/5 Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Mt 28:8-15

**TUES 4/6** Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [5b]/Jn 20:11-18

WED 4/7 Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 [3b]/Lk 24:13-35

**THR 4/8** Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2, 5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/Lk 24:35-48

FRI **4/9** Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-24, 25-27 [22]/]n 21:1-14

SAT 4/10 Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1, 14-15, 16-18, 19-21 [21a]/Mk 16:9-15

**SUN 4/11** Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-3

#### **OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 4, 2021**

**Sunday:** Easter Sunday

**Monday:** Monday within the Octave of Easter

**Tuesday:** Tuesday within the Octave of Easter

**Wednesday:** Wednesday within the Octave of Easter

**Thursday:** Thursday within the Octave of Easter

**Friday:** Friday within the Octave of Easter

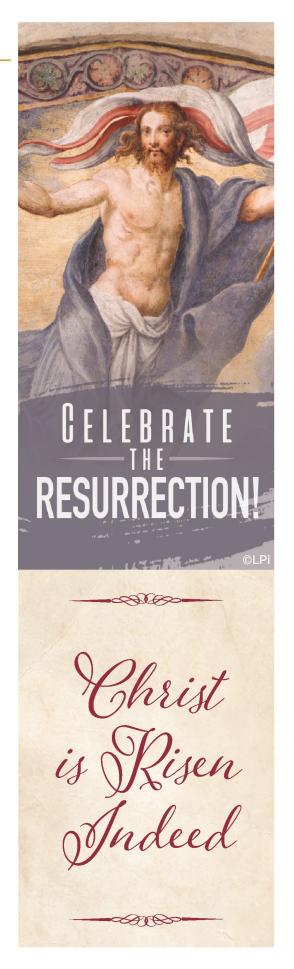
**Saturday:** Saturday within the Octave of Easter

**Next Sunday:** 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

#### LIVE THE LITURGY

#### Inspiration for the week

Alleluia! Christ is risen! About today's feast, St. Augustine writes: "And he departed from our sight that we might return to our hearts and find him there. For he left us, and behold, he is here." Christ's resurrected presence lives not only in the highest heaven but in the fragile human heart. Christ's life inspires us and moves us to see a future for every human being and discover our true purpose and meaning. Every human being has a desire to live, and this cry can be heard within. There is a longing for a connection with Someone greater than ourselves that gives an import to our existence that we cannot supply. Today, our deepest questions find answers.



# OLP:

#### **FIRST READING:**

"To him all the prophets bear witness, that everyone who believes in him will receive forgiveness of sins through his name." (Acts 10:43)



#### **PSALM:**

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad. (Ps 118) Or Alleluia.



#### **SECOND READING:**

Think of what is above, not what is on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. (Col 3:2-3)



#### GOSPEL:

Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. (Jn 20:8)

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# **WORSHIP & MEDITATION**



#### GOSPEL MEDITATION

### **Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture**

Who are you? This question was most assuredly asked of Jesus on the day of resurrection and it is a question asked of each of us. Our identities can be described in so many ways. We can start with our gifts and our talents, expertise and unique personality expressions. We can describe things we like and things we prefer to set aside. As descriptive and captivating as these can be, none come close to our essence, our real and true self. While accurate in their own right, the self who lives and interacts with the world is the self we want others to see, the one we project. But there is much more to us just as there is much more to Jesus.

Jesus could describe himself based on all of the same criteria we use for ourselves. After all, Jesus is totally human. With all that people witnessed and all that Jesus knew about his physical human self, his divinity also shined forth. There was so much more to know about him. Whereas once Jesus was transfigured on top of a mountain before his disciples' eyes, so today he is transfigured before our eyes as he reveals his resurrected self as the Christ. Alleluia, Christ is risen! His glorified presence stands before us showing us that we are all much more than we see ourselves to be and show to others. We have a depth, purpose, and essence that go way beyond the superficial treasures of our existence to the very core of who we are.

Within each one of us is a spark of Divine Love where creature and Creator meet, and we are known uniquely by the name God whispers to us. It is not the earthly name that was given to us but the one that flows from Divine Power and claims us as one who is special and chosen in God's eyes. This is the self that will rise one day with the eternal Christ of God and live eternally as God provides. This is the self that when free from all superficial constraints layered upon it in this life can discover and know freedom in a way never possible before. This is love lifting us up and transforming us into who we really are, not who we want or need ourselves to be. Who are you? A special, unique child of God who has been fashioned in God's image, sustained by the power of God's love and kept eternally with the Blessed Trinity in heaven. Get to know this deeper, truer self as it is who you really are.



MON 4/5 7<sup>30</sup>AM Patricia Webster [Family] **TUES 4/6 9AM** Walter Trkula [Wife, Evelyn] WED 4/7 7<sup>30</sup>AM Fritz Orben [Wife, Cynthia] THU 4/8 9AM Joseph Baron [Wife, Mary] FRI 4/9 9AM Catherine Mary Sarvas [SJP II Staff] **SAT 4/10 9AM Suffering Souls in Purgatory SAT 4/10 4PM** Lynne Knott [Joe & Joanne Wansack] **SAT 4/10 6PM** MASS FOR THE PEOPLE **SUN 4/11 8AM** Frances Moretti [Jean Sabol] **SUN 4/11 10AM** Mary Volk [The Wible Family] **SUN 4/11 12PM Thomas Test [Mary Achenbach** 



SAT 4/10 4PM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER
M. Multari R. Beal S. Multari

P. Thornburg

SAT 4/10 6PM

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SUN 4/11 8AM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER
J. Feeney B. Rossi K. Gilliland

P. Slezak

SUN 4/11 10AM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER
K. Higgins P. Dinger A. Coates
S. Puhl

SUN 4/11 12PM

LECTOR EUCHARISTIC MIN. ALTAR SERVER
READER NEEDED R. McGoff SERVER NEEDED

\*ATTN VOLUNTEERS! PLEASE CHECK-IN WITH FR. ALLEN PRIOR TO MASS

## THURSDAY MASS CHANGE

Beginning April 15, 2021 the 9:00 AM Mass time will be changed to 5:30 PM.

## **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**SACRAMENTS 2021** 

<u>CONFIRMATION</u> Sunday, April 11,2021 / 2PM / Church

FIRST EUCHARIST
Sunday, May 2, 2021 / 2PM / Church

#### **Prayer for Candidates**

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of our faithful Confirmation candidates and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created.

And You shall renew the face of the earth.

O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of these faithful candidates, grant that by the same Holy Spirit they may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolation, Through Christ Our Lord. Amen



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## **MID-WEEK EVENING PRAYER**

Join us for this New Virtual Prayer Opportunity!

Looking for a mid-week pick-me-up? Consider joining other Catholic Christians in community prayer.

Please join Frank Hannah and others each Wednesday from 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM for virtual evening prayer.

Virtual prayer via Zoom. Use the following link to join: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88954943015

Who do I contact if I have trouble connecting?

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Flowers in Memory: Joanne Aber Eleanore M. Addison Ed & Marie F. Allen Otto & Marie Ammer Stanley & Meldred Amon Andrzejczak Family Charles J. Angelo Lynda D. Means Angelo Sarah Appel Rocco L Mary Arcade Ronald Arcade Vicki Bagnall Andrew Bain Ir. Rose Bain Chuck Baldoff Sr. Nora Baldoff Judith Banas Ccathy Barlett John Bartko Mary Lou Bates Paul, Joyce & Stephen Bayuk Josephine Bennett Genevieve M. Benson J. David Benson Frances Borkowski Henry Borkowski Carmel & Bernard Borman William "Billy" Borman David John Bornes Jacob Bowser Fernando & Teresa Brestelli Mary Brestelli Paul T. Brestelli III Paul & Frances Brestelli Tom & Fiora Bukovitz Mike & Irene Butala Ben Buzard Eleanor R. Byers Maurice S. Byers Michael & Magdaline Cagno Robert & Veronica Cardamon Carmichael Family Linda Chamberlain Chnapko Family Kathy Chavara William & Mary J. Chavara Steven Chavara Mr. John Cidila Sr. Mary Ellen Clayton Kenneth Cline Donald J. Conti Kim F. Conti Betty Coon Ray Cooper Coronavirus Victims Minda Corsaro Mr. & Mrs. Martin Cusick Dick Darko Helen & Jay Darko Tammie Darko Delmonaco Family Blanche Derewonko Yolunda DeSantis Msgr. Homer Dewalt Mr. & Mrs. O. DiPaolo Eugene Dillon Carl Dohallow Andy L. Toni Dorchock Patricia Ann Durisko Teresa D'Urso Anna Elliott James Elliott Io Facca

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#### PLEASE NOTE:

Next weeks bulletin will contain the names of all who gave for luminaria. The money was added to the church environment.

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