St. Damian Parish

April 4th, 2021
EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

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Monday - Thursday 9:00AM - 8:00PM
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Public Mass Schedule:

Daily

9:00 AM: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
No registration required. School Mass only on Tuesday.

Weekend

Sat: 4:30 PM, 6:00 PM | Sun: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM

Registration is required for weekend Masses. Parishioners will receive an email link to Sign Up the Wednesday prior to Mass. The Pastoral Center will assist those without internet access.

Eucharistic Adoration in the Church
Wednesdays: 9:30 AM - 7:00 PM. Sign Up in Narthex.

Live Streaming on St. Damian Facebook page:

All Masses are Live Streamed

Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet - Mon.-Fri. at 3:00 PM
Videos offered on Sat./Sun.

Music & Reflection - Wednesdays at 7:00 PM

Pastor's Corner by Fr. Joe Noonan

Jesus is RISEN! Alleluia, Alleluia. His Resurrection from the dead is the central miracle of our Christian faith. It is the reason Jesus founded the Catholic Church. We are to teach his teachings and to extend to believers his presence and grace in the Sacraments. However, our most important mission is to share throughout the world the Good News that Jesus is Risen from the dead.

The Resurrection of Jesus is the most important event in human history. We are no longer estranged from God. When God took on our human flesh in the person of Jesus Christ it was to fulfil God's plan to reconcile us to God. Jesus rose from the dead to redeem our human brokenness. Sin and death no longer have power over us who live in Christ Jesus.

Rejoice today and thoughout the Easter Season. Jesus is Risen!

What is the origin of the English word *Easter*?

Our word *Easter* is unique to English. The word *Easter* derives not from a Hebrew, Latin or Greek word, but from the English language's Anglo-Saxon roots. Some stories derive the word from an Anglo-Saxon mythical goddess of spring and the sun rise. Others trace Easter to the German word *ostern* meaning sun rise.

Many Christian cultures developed names for this sacred day derived through the Latin word *Pascha* and Greek word *Paskha,* cognate to the Hebrew word *Pesach* meaning Passover. Hence, *Pascua* in Spanish, *Pasqua* in Italian and *Paques* in French. Similarly in English *Paschal* is often interchanged for Easter. For example, the phrase Paschal Candle is synonymous for Easter Candle.

Why Passover?

God saved the Jewish people from centuries of slavery in Egypt leading them to the Promised Land. Annually the Jewish faithful recall this great act of God's love by celebrating a Passover Meal. At the first Passover meal an unblemished lamb was sacrificed, its blood spread on the family's door posts and its flesh eaten by those who would be saved from slavery.

The New Jesus is the new Passover

Christians believe a deeper meaning of Passover involves the sacrifice of Jesus, crucified on Friday of Passover week and resurrected on Passover Sunday. Jesus is the ultimate Sacrificial Lamb with his blood spread on the doorposts of the Cross (and our hearts) and we consume him – body, blood, soul and divinity - in Holy Communion. Therefore, in our relationship with him we are saved from the slavery of sin and death. When the final judgment comes, eternal death will pass over us. In Christ, we who believe are set free from the power and penalty of sin. The Paschal mystery of Christ's death and resurrection is the very heart of Christian faith.

What does Easter mean to you?

More important than the question of how the word Easter originated is what it means to us today. When you reflect on the word Easter, what comes to mind? Do you envision bunnies, baskets with candied and chocolate eggs? If so, then you're missing out on the richness of this day, the most significant day in our human history. Easter is more important than Christmas or any other day as it is Jesus Christ's Resurrection Day - the anniversary of when Jesus rose in triumph from the grave, claiming victory over death. Jesus is risen! Because He lives, so can you and I, through a living faith in Him. God provided Himself the sacrifice for our Passover. Thanks to Him, you and I have the hope of eternal life with Him. Won't you trust in Him today?

Recently the Archdiocese made an announcement concerning the expansion of our originally assigned Renew My Church grouping, adding St. Stanislaus in Posen to our parish and St. Christopher in Midlothian. No other discussion has taken place. **No mergers of parishes or changes of St. Damian personnel have been scheduled or even discussed.** Please note some news agencies may have misconstrued "grouping" as "merging" which is not accurate. We will keep you informed when we begin the Renew My Church discussions this summer.

Alleluia!

I am the Resurrection and the Life

May the death and Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ
be a constant reminder of His great love for you.
May His peace, hope and joy fill your heart this Easter season!

Fr. Joe, Fr. Michael, Fr. Jerry
The Deacons & their wives
The Parish Staff

Pray for the Sick

Linda Carey	Emily Haynes	Mary Pat Egan
Mary Anne LaHayne	Mary Jean Walsh	Elizabeth Massaro
Linda Ruisz	John Virva	Timothy Wasko
Linda Lisikiewicz	Isabel Perez	Michele Lockwood
Brian Wheeler	Maureen Kosman	David Cobb
Judy Morgan	Greg Plesha	Eileen Coit
Earl Morgan	Chuck Hofbauer	Dan Joyce
Celine Lisikiewicz	Jim Kapocious	Lou Coppens, Jr.
Warner Spencer	Henry Posciak	Irene Gale
Tenley Spencer	Madeline Kimmey	Alice Gomolka
Rick Davis	Annie White Priddy	Geralyn Gordon
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William Sutton	Cathy LaMantia	Guinivere Fobert
Deborah Klun	Dan Mueller	Minerva Fobert
Carol Gust	Kenneth Moser	Diane Bergquist
Terri Deligio	Margarita Flores	Cathy Jackson
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Lucy Gannon	Anne Keblusek	Linda Cox
Patrick Gordon	Michael Morgan	Jayne Wagner
Bernadette Klein	Harry Moroney	Barbara Bremer
Richard Klein, Jr.	Debbie Fogarty	Janet Abramic
Walter Dockus	David Olson	Michael Dilger
Kevin O'Brien	Laura Mazurowski	Loretta Dreznes
Barbara Feltz	Michael Burgos	Michele Worden
Donna Brindley	Sylvia Prokop	
Dale Elenteny	Sandra Prokop	

THE PASTORAL CENTER WILL BE CLOSED
EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 5.

SHOP

returns to the Narthex beginning

Saturday, April 10
4:00-7:00PM

Sunday April 11
7:00AM - 1:00PM

Baptisms

March 27, 2021

Noah James Hummel
Child of
Thomas & Stacy

Parish Support

March 21, 2021

Collected	$16,022
Budgeted	$18,000
Difference	($1,978)
Year-to-Date Collected	$592,520
Year-to-Date Budgeted	$684,000
Year-to-Date Difference	($91,472)

Easter	$1,165
Flowers	$867
Ash Weds	$45
Sharing Parish	$79
Capital Donation	$731
Initial Offering	$10
Fuel	$20
Good Friday	$56
Holy Thursday	$36

Thank you for your generosity!

The Gloria (Sung)

Glory! Glory to God in the highest.
Glory! Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you.
We give you thanks for your great glory.
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God,
Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Glory! Glory to God in the highest.
Glory! Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will. Amen.

The Renewal of our Baptismal Promises

Presider: Dear friends, through the paschal mystery we have been buried with Christ in baptism so thay we may rise with Him to newness of life. Wsahed in His love, let us renew the promises we made in baptism when we rejected sin and promised to serve Christ as witnesses to His Gospel message of love and peace. Therefore, I now ask you:

Do you reject Satan?
All: I DO.

Presider: And all his works?
All: I DO.

Presider: And all his empty promises?
All: I DO.

Presider: Do you believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth?
All: I DO.

Presider: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was born of the Virgin Mary, was crucified, died and was buried, rose from the dead, and is now seated at the right hand of the Father?
All: I DO.

Presider: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, Holy Catholic Church, the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting?
All: I DO.

Presider: This is our faith. This is the faith of the Church. We are proud to profess it in Christ Jesus,our Lord.

All: AMEN.

Mass Parts ~ Sung for Easter

Holy Holy Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Memorial Acclamation

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your
Resurrection, until you come again, until you come again.

Great Amen

A-men, a – men, a – men. A-men, a – men, a – men.

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.

The Liturgy of the Word - Easter Sunday

First Reading Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Peter proceeded to speak and said:
"You know what has happened all over Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached, how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power. He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree. This man God raised on the third day and granted that he be visible, not to all the people, but to us, the witnesses chosen by God in advance, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commissioned us to preach to the people and testify that he is the one appointed by God as judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness, that everyone who believes in him will receive forgiveness of sins through his name."

The Word of the Lord
R. Thanks be to God!

Responsorial Psalm

**R. This is the day!
This is the day!
This is the day
that the Lord has made.
Let us rejoice!
Let us rejoice!
Let us rejoice and
be glad.**

**Second Reading
1Cor 5:6b-8**

Brothers and sisters:
Do you not know that a little yeast leavens all the dough? Clear out the old yeast, so that you may become a fresh batch of dough, inasmuch as you are unleavened. For our paschal lamb, Christ, has been sacrificed. Therefore, let us celebrate the feast, not with the old yeast, the yeast of malice and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

Alleluia

R. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, give the glory and the honor to the Lord.

God's right hand is powerful and exalted. I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of God.

R. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, give the glory and the honor to the Lord.

Gospel Jn 20:1-9

On the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning, while it was still dark, and saw the stone removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them, "They have taken the Lord from the tomb, and we don't know where they put him." So Peter and the other disciple went out and came to the tomb. They both ran, but the other disciple ran faster than Peter and arrived at the tomb first; he bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in. When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. For they did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead.

The Gospel of the Lord
R. Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ!

Gathering Hymn:

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

Jesus Christ is ris'n today, Alleluia!
Our triumphant holy day, Alleluia!
Who did once upon the cross, Alleluia!
Suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!

Hymns of praise then let us sing, Alleluia!
Unto Christ, our heavenly King, Alleluia!
Who endured the cross and grave, Alleluia!
Sinners to redeem and save, Alleluia!

Preparation of Gifts:

Alleluia! Love is Alive

People of God, see the morning is new; rise from your sleeping and run to the tomb.
Come and see! Come and see! He is alive!
A grave that is empty, a promise fulfilled.
God who was with us is here with us still.
He is here! He is here! He is alive!

Alleluia! Love is Alive;
conquered the grave and defeated the night.
Alleluia! Love is alive!
The Son has arisen for all.
Your people sing alleluia!

People of God, let your fear fall away.
Your chains have been broken; abandon your shame.
Lift your hearts! Lift your hearts! He is alive!
Here now is mercy embracing your soul;
here the fulfillment that once was foretold.
It is true! It is true! He is alive!

Communion Songs:

Christ the Lord

Darkness hangs, the world is aching,
yearning for the coming light.
In his rising, hope awaking,
love has come to steal the night.
In our hearts true east we're facing,
toward the coming of our Lord.
Morning rising, gloom now fleeing;
Christ returned! His word is true!

As we wait with hope for rescue
love descends and all is well.
Prophets tell, "Your God is with us.
Heaven's gift, Emmanuel."
He is here, but hid as lowly in the poor and mystery.
Where the bread and wine are offered,
He is here: our God and King.

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Parting clouds reveal his wonder: Mighty King in victory.
Trembling earth and rolling thunder,
blazing sun and quaking sea.
Now he comes, our King in glory:
Saints rejoice and darkness flees.
Rising rays of light his chariot,
Christ the Lord has made us free.

On us now the Son is shining, lifting us to his embrace.
Shame is cursed, no more confounding;
lift your head and know his face.
Love incarnate, breath in dwelling,
now in truth is truth made known.
We are his and he forever is our God and he alone.
We are his and he forever is our God and he alone.

Two Were Bound for Emmaus

Two were bound for Emmaus, disheartened and lost;
all their hope for the future had been nailed to a cross.
Love unknown then walked beside them,
come back from the dead, and they knew he was risen in the breaking of bread.

On the Sea of Tiberius, when the night was nearly gone and their toil seemed so useless, not one fish had they caught, from the shore the stranger called to them:
Cast your net, friends, once more."
And they filled it to bursting, but the net was not torn.

Then they knew it was Jesus and they hastened in to shore; bread and fish for their breakfast from the hands of their Lord. "O Peter, if you love me you must care for my sheep; if you follow your Shepherd, then a shepherd you'll be."

When the road makes us weary, when our labor seems but loss, when the fire of faith weakens and too high seems the cost, let the Church turn to its risen Lord, who for us bore the cross, and we'll find our hearts burning at the sound of his voice.

Recessional:

Jesus Christ, You Are My Life

Jesus Christ, you are my life, Alleluia, Alleluia.
Jesus Christ, you are my life. You are my life, Alleluia.

Be our Way, our Truth, and our Life.
Form us anew in how you died.
We embrace the cross that you bore, and will arise in glory.

Jesus Christ, you are my life, Alleluia, Alleluia.
Jesus Christ, you are my life. You are my life, Alleluia.
You are my life, Al-le-lu-ia.

2021 Easter Flower Memorials

"I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in Me, even if he dies, will live."

John C. Abraham
Jacob & Johnny Abraham
Judith & Edward Abraham
Ronald Barrett
Alfredo E. Barrios Sr.
Dave Barzo
Belluomini Families
Chester & Mary Bertolli
Bird Families
Stan Budz
Alejandro Burgos
Jeanne Carlyle
Tom Connolly
Helen Cordell
William P. Daley
Barbara DeMark
Roland DeMark
Doyle Families
Arthur & Patricia Fanning
Arthur E. Fanning
Mary Fawcett
Gabriel Fuentes
Arturo Fuentes Sr.
Paz & Minda Furio
Joseph Gatto Jr
John & Marjorie Gener
Thomas & Barbara Gener
John P. Gener Jr.
Lisa Forst Geraghty
Carol, Ryan & Terese Gustafson
Halper Family
Robert Haynes
Roland & Josephine Haynes
William Hill
Patricia Hirtz
Raymond Hogan
Huber Families
Odilon & Matilde Huerta
Marie Innocenti
Matthew Johnson
Kevin & Jessie Johnson
Richard & Kimmy Johnson
John Julian
Linda Kavalauskas
Stan & Sophie Kerkla
Harvey Kindt
Jozef Kos
Ludwika Kos
Zofia Krzysztofek
Pawel Krzysztofek
Marilyn Liston
Kenneth R. Mager
James Mahoney
Gerry Mayer
Gail McConnell
Melissa & Kimberly McGrath
Evelyn & Owen McGrath
Jane Szafoni McLaughlin
Mary Jane McMahon
Jack McMahon
Margaret Ryan McMahon
Walter McWilliams
Moreno Families
Joseph G. Noonan
Scott Obluck
Alan & Carol Obluck
John J. & John K. O'Connor
Pearl, Stanley, Ken Pacholski
Helen Paluch
Christiano & Catherine Pesavento
Jim Petkus
Edward W. Polak
Frank & Kay Quitter
Albert & Concetta Reinke
Charles Richter
Stash & Joann Rogowski
Baby Rona
Alfonso Rona Sr.
Joaquin Rosales
Stephen G. & Mary A. Schaefers
Richard & Albina Schroedle
Rick Schubert
Beverly Schubert
Ambrose Smith
Laurence & Sophie Smith
June, Ben, Tom Speaker
Karen Standard
Starr Family
John Stiegler
Rich & Judy Stranc
Diane Sutkus
Marge Szafoni
Danny & Rachel Thompson
Dominick & Marie Vinelli
Vinelli Family
John Wesley Walker
Michael F. Wall
Frank B. Weitz
Ken Whitemiller
Walter & Mary Wozniak
Charles Zagorski

AN INSIDE VIEW OF *THE SEARCH* SMALL GROUP EXPERIENCE

The Search video series was introduced to St. Damian at the beginning of Lent. 23 small groups were formed in a variety of modes: some were family groups, some met with neighbors, some virtual aka Zoom groups, some groups were comprised of only men, some only women, some both men and women, and some met in our Church meeting rooms. Over 200 people viewed the same videos and used the participant guides. The overall feedback ranged from good to great … we want more programs like this!

Rick and Veronica Beltran moved into Oak Forest on Father's Day, 2016. "We chose St. Damian because my cousins were always bragging about it," said Veronica, "and we wanted to live close to family." Veronica first joined MOPS, then St. Damian school to get involved, meeting parents and developing relationships. Both Rick and Veronica joined Christ Renewed His Parish, volunteered at the Block Party and the Marriage Ministry. Rick said, "In the Marriage Ministry, we wanted to build a network of couples reaching out to one another to help and encourage each other in all the issues of relationship. Then Covid hit."

The Beltran Family

The Griffin Family

Sean and Jennifer Griffin are long-time parishioners. Sean's parents have been parishioners of St. Damian for over 49 years. "The decision to marry and worship at St. Damian was a natural as breathing," said Sean. They, too, were involved in the day school, the Food Pantry and have helped out at the Block Party. Jen joined the Woman's Club and was involved in the Nursery pre-Covid and hopes to help out again when it returns.

Both couples participate in a couple's small group. The couples meet virtually on Friday nights at 9:30PM when the children are in bed. "We all get along well," said Rick. "Sometimes we log off at midnight because the discussion is so good. Everyone talks and expresses themselves. It's not just the wives talking. Husbands share their views and interests, too."

Jennifer said, "Our experience in the small group has been absolutely outstanding. Veronica is a natural leader and a great teammate with her husband Rick. There is a great mix of learning and humor, not to mention the personal connection with others."

Rick and Veronica think that "the ice-breakers questions help us to share our histories and know one another better. We've gained a more in-depth understanding of one another in a shorter amount of time."

Veronica says that "there's relevant content in the videos. They've prompted questions we didn't even know we had." "The video on the Big Bang Theory explained how Science and God work hand-in-hand and are very much related," said Rick. Lest we forget, "A friar created beer! We remember that."

"We would say that small groups are an opportunity to learn more about your faith in the safety of a small group of people …to learn from their ideas and input … to share your ideas, and form personal connections that can extend outside of church," said Jennifer.

"The small group is an experience you never knew you wanted to become a part of," said Rick. "If you have an open mind, you pick up something new that makes you think. You also get to know friends on a different level."

Sean and Jennifer say, "It's truly mind-opening to learn more and explore the greatness of God's love for us as a people, and then as individuals. To be able to share learning about this with others adds to the joy of it. Lastly, thinking about how uniquely we are all made, each with our own purpose given by God has been eye opening."

Totus Tuus

Summer Catechetical Youth Program
St. Damian Parish June 20 – 25th 2021

What is Totus Tuus?

Totus Tuus is a week-long "parish mission" whereby seminarians and college students proclaim the Gospel through Catechetical instruction, Mass, the Sacraments, skits, games and more!

The Totus Tuus program aims to inspire young people to long for holiness, develop a deep desire for conversion and personally renew their faith with a stronger prayer life. Through evangelization and catechesis, Totus Tuus seeks to foster openness to the sacrifices and blessings of the various Christian vocations.

Grades 1-6 Day program
Monday – Friday
9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
T-Shirt is included!
Bring lunch with drink, and a snack with drink daily.
Cost: $50 first child
2 children price: $75/family
3 children: $100/family
4+ children: $120/family

Grades 7-12 Night program
Sunday - Thursday
7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
T-Shirt is included!
Bring a snack with drink nightly.
Cost: $15 per child

To register, please visit:

https://chicagopriest.com/events/totus-tuus/parent-information-registration

Adult volunteers are needed to help with this program this year.

We also need your help to donate Dinner-for-4 or Lunch-for-4 for the Totus Tuus Missionaries - please call us to volunteer: 708-687-7778

In keeping with health and safety protocols, all participants must wear facemasks and remain distanced from each other while onsite.
Lunches and snacks are to be brought from home. Food and drink must not be shared.
Participants must go through a daily wellness check: mask check, symptom check, temperature check, hand sanitizing.
Program is subject to change due to any updated restrictions.

Electronic registration only – sorry, no walk-ins.

Calling All Chicago Southland Catholic Men

Bishop Perry invites you to the Chicago Catholic Men's Forum

~Keynote Speaker~
Fr. Richard Simon
of St. Lambert, Skokie
and Relevant Radio
"Father Simon Says"

"Being a righteous man. Sounds a little boring, no?"

Saturday, April 11, 2021
The Forum will be held online. Tickets to attend are a free will donation. To register:

https://www.cmcsmen.net/registration

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 5
9:00 Joan Bozek, Al Rawot, Walter Kapusciarz
Tuesday, April 6
9:00 Bill & Violet Jablonski, Jack Brennan
Wednesday, April 7
9:00 Mary T. Gattone, Dale Lilyfors, Gal Casquejo
Thursday, April 8
9:00 Joseph G. Noonan, Ederlina A. Abris, Adora V. Titera
Friday, April 9
9:00 Ben Duewerth, Gloria Cruz, Gal Casquejo
Saturday, April 10
9:00 Bill & Violet Jablonski
Vigil Mass
4:30 & 6:00 Jim Konieczny, Peter Slawinski, John Julian, Tom Speaker, Pat Haxel, Lisa Forst Geraghty, Robert Haase
Sunday, April 11
7:30 Sigmund & Ann Zielinski, Thomas Budds
9:30 Joseph G. Noonan, Paul Ritter, Clyde McCoy, Emilio Bernal
11:30 Virginia Hernadez, James & Carole Ritchey, Senen Licardo

Parish Registration

We welcome new parishioners! For your convenience, a registration form is located on our website www.stdamianchurch.org.

Religious Instruction for Children and Adults

Call Cheryl Plesha at 708.687.7778 for information about becoming Catholic or continuing education. Visit our parish website under Faith Formation.

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the Pastoral Center 708.687.1370 to request a priest to anoint persons who are ill.

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 - 4:00 PM, currently in the Chapel. Enter the Narthex and follow directions from our volunteers.

Baptism

Celebrated each Sunday at 1:00 PM. Call the Pastoral Center to arrange participation in the Baptismal Preparation Program. Arrangements should be made three months prior to the birth of your child.

Weddings

Arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the date of the wedding. Contact one of the priests prior to setting a date at 708.687.1370.

Readings for the week of March 21, 2021

Sunday: 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

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

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

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

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

Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-24, 25-27 [22]/ Jn 21:1-14

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

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

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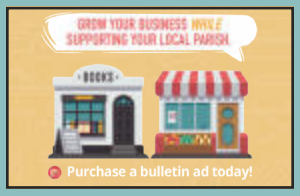

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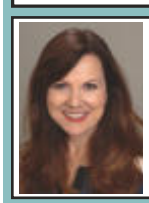

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