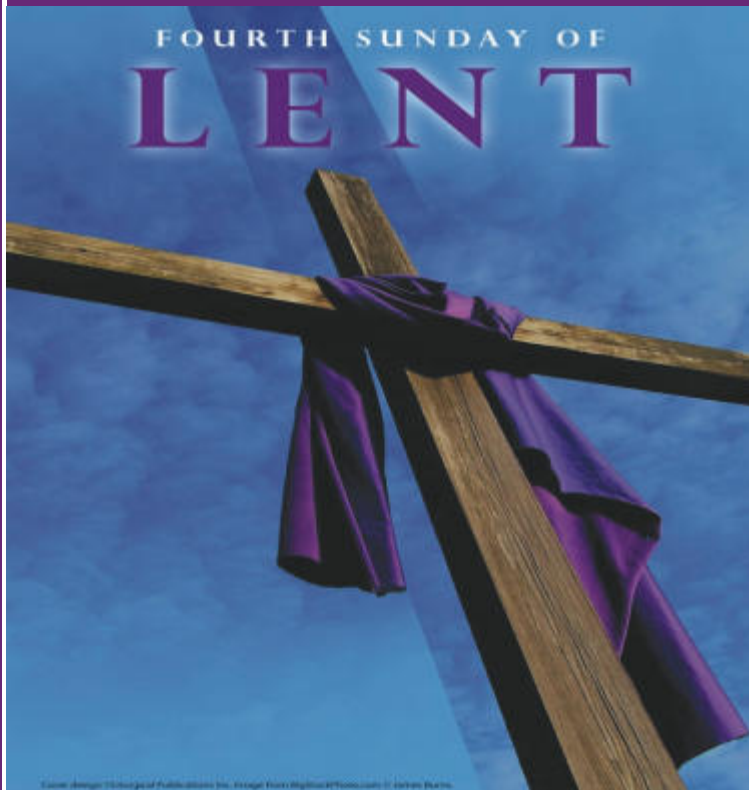


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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening - 4:30 pm

Sunday
6:30, 8:30, 10:30 am & 12:00 Noon

Monday - Friday 8:30 am

Holy Days of Obligation
Please see schedule inside
bulletin.

Blessed Sacrament ~ The chapel is located at the Shelmire ramp entrance and is open Monday-Friday, 7:00am - 5:00pm.

Homebound Visitation ~ Please contact the Rectory.

New Parishioners ~ We encourage you to register on-line or at the rectory during our regular business hours.

Pastoral Care of the Sick ~ Call the rectory to arrange for anointing and communion for the sick and dying.

RCIA ~ The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), Formation begins in mid-September and participants meet weekly Thursday evenings until Easter. Contact Deacon John Knesis at 267-240-9607 for more information.

Resurrection Divine Mercy Group ~ Meetings on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm in the Lower Church (use parking lot door).

Resurrection Prayer Community ~ Meetings on Monday evenings at 7:00pm in the Lower Church.

Sacrament of Baptism ~ Baptisms take place on the first and third Sundays of the month. Call Sr. Alice Walsh at the rectory to arrange Baptism date.

Sacrament of Reconciliation ~ Saturdays 3:30pm - 4:15pm, Sundays 10:00am or by appointment.

Mass will still be available via live stream.
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Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday - March 13

4:30PM George & Josephine Carroll

Sunday - March 14

6:30AM Living & Deceased Members of
Resurrection of Our Lord Parish

8:30AM Amelia Gallina

10:30AM Vito Ziccardi

12:00Noon Angelo Penta

Monday - March 15

8:30AM Archie & Anna Maria Bianchi

Tuesday - March 16

8:30AM Timothy McCann

Wednesday - March 17

8:30AM Tom McAvine

Thursday - March 18

8:30AM Rose Simone

Friday - March 19

8:30AM Jim Naples

Saturday - March 20

4:30PM Patrick Guinan

Sunday - March 21

6:30AM Living & Deceased Members of
Resurrection of Our Lord Parish

8:30AM Anna M. Diorio

10:30AM Charles Brennen

12:00Noon Maria & Andre Colella



Week of March 14th - 20th

Gold Candle Blessed Mother ~ Elizabeth Bock

Gold Candle St. Joseph ~ Salvatore & Edith Fiordimondo

Upper Church Bread & Wine ~ Robert & Felice Simone

Upper Church Lamps ~ Royce J. Curran

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FOURTH WEEK OF LENT

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Bulletin for the week March 14, 2021

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Jn 3:20-21

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Altar Servers

Saturday, March 20, 4:30PM

Xander & Dayton Berkheimer, Ryan Ruiz

Sunday, March 21

8:30AM Katy Lamplugh, Natalie & Edzer Turenne

10:30AM Dylan Handley, Giovanni Varillo, Nicholas Batista

12:00Noon John Cooney, Ryan Wilus, Ryan Ruiz



REMEMBER
in your prayers

Iris McGrane	Joanne Jordan	Joe Gross
James McGrane	Elaine Fitzpatrick	Joseph Calagrecio
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Twilley Harris	Lauren Bridges	Debbie Gillin
Lilia Borda	Joseph F. Gessner	Karen Donahue
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WEEKLY PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday 3/14	4th Sunday of Lent 8:45AM PREP Classes 11:00AM Portuguese Mass, Lower Church
Monday 3/15	7:00PM Prayer Group, Lower Church
Tuesday 3/16	7:00PM Portuguese Mass, Lower Church
Wednesday 3/17	7:30PM Divine Mercy, Lower Church
Thursday 3/18	7:00PM Holy Hour, St. Joseph 7:00PM RCIA, Lower Church
Friday 3/19	1:00PM Stations of the Cross, Upper Church 7:00PM Stations of the Cross, Lower Church 7:30PM Portuguese PREP, Lower Church
Saturday 3/20	4:30PM Mass Knights of Columbus, Can Good Drive
Sunday 3/21	5th Sunday of Lent 8:45AM PREP Classes 11:00AM Portuguese Mass, Lower Church 12:45PM Bridal Meeting Knights of Columbus, Can Good Drive



Please remember in your prayers those members of our parish serving in the military whether at home or abroad. We pray for their safety and security as they continue to serve our country and keep us safe.



Please remember all our deceased relatives, friends and fellow parishioners, especially:

*Francisco J. Meirelles
Florence Stanger*

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen



Sanctuary Endowment Fund

Mass is offered once monthly for all the members enrolled in the Sanctuary Endowment Fund. On the occasion of a funeral or the settlement of an estate, remember your loved ones with a donation to the Sanctuary Endowment Memorial Fund - a true living memorial! The fund is used exclusively for the maintenance, preservation and restoration of the sanctuary and shrines of our church. Thank you to the many families who have remembered their loved ones through the Sanctuary Endowment Fund.

Fourth Sunday of Lent, Year B, Lectionary: 32

READING 1 2 CHR 36:14-16, 19-23

In those days, all the princes of Judah, the priests, and the people added infidelity to infidelity, practicing all the abominations of the nations and polluting the LORD's temple which He had consecrated in Jerusalem.

Early and often did the LORD, the God of their fathers, send His messengers to them, for He had compassion on His people and His dwelling place. But they mocked the messengers of God, despised His warnings, and scoffed at His prophets, until the anger of the LORD against His people was so inflamed that there was no remedy. Their enemies burnt the house of God, tore down the walls of Jerusalem, set all its palaces afire, and destroyed all its precious objects. Those who escaped the sword were carried captive to Babylon, where they became servants of the king of the Chaldeans and his sons until the kingdom of the Persians came to power. All this was to fulfill the word of the LORD spoken by Jeremiah: "Until the land has retrieved its lost sabbaths, during all the time it lies waste it shall have rest while seventy years are fulfilled." In the first year of Cyrus, king of Persia, in order to fulfill the word of the LORD spoken by Jeremiah, the LORD inspired King Cyrus of Persia to issue this proclamation throughout his kingdom, both by word of mouth and in writing: "Thus says Cyrus, king of Persia: All the kingdoms of the earth the LORD, the God of heaven, has given to me, and He has also charged me to build him a house in Jerusalem, which is in Judah. Whoever, therefore, among you belongs to any part of his people, let him go up, and may his God be with him!"

READING 2 EPH 2:4-10

Brothers and Sisters: God, who is rich in mercy, because of the great love he had for us, even when we were dead in our transgressions, brought us to life with Christ - by grace you have been saved -, raised us up with him, and seated us with him in the heavens in Christ Jesus, that in the ages to come He might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not from you; it is the gift of God; it is not from works, so no one may boast. For we are his handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for the good works that God has prepared in advance, that we should live in them.

GOSPEL JN 3:14-21

Jesus said to Nicodemus: "Just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the desert, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in Him may have eternal life." For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through Him. Whoever believes in Him will not be condemned, but whoever does not believe has already been condemned, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God. And this is the verdict, that the light came into the world, but people preferred darkness to light, because their works were evil. For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God.





Resurrection of Our Lord Celebrates Together The Year of Saint Joseph

The Vigil for The Feast of
St. Joseph
Thursday - March 18th

7:00pm

Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament

7:15pm

Praise and Worship with Guided
Meditations on Saint Joseph

7:45pm

Litany of Saint Joseph and the
Blessing of Our St. Joseph Table

8:00pm

Benediction

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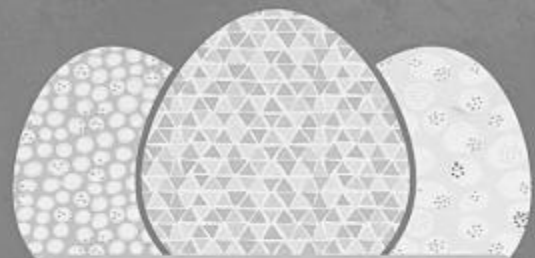


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<i>Father Judge</i>		<i>Holy Ghost Prep</i>	<i>St. Hubert</i>	
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Kurt Magat	Jayden McGonagle	<i>Roman</i>	Angelina Grobeiny	Keyla Denoni
Cruz Resto	Justin Medina	First Honors	Jessica Huckle	Serenity Flores
James Jones	Colin Murray	Brad Ferdinand	Cerena O'Neill	Taylor Handley
Armando Paglia	Sean Junod	Richard To		Diana Kahn
Dominic Savino	Luke Moore	Paul Tran		Kelly Seklecki
Zachary Zolna	Matthew Moser	Second Honors		
	Nicholas Vogt	Ulisses Biancardi		
	Lammuel Saroea			



Resurrection Regional School is in need of lunch monitors. This role entails supervising school children in grades K through 8th during their lunch times from 11:30am to 1:00 pm. If interested please call the school at 215-742-1127 to arrange an interview with the principal Mr. Bellantoni. This is a compensated position and clearances will be required.



Ladies

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Come join our Women's Bible Study Group for 11 weeks *starting April 29th*. We will be studying the book: Beholding His Glory: Christ Revealed in the Old Testament.

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Contacts: Vivian Packet at Vivianwwp@yahoo.com, Patricia McFadden at pttmcfca@aol.com



Fr. Thomas Ryan Council of the Knights of Columbus, will be conducting a canned good drive at Resurrection the weekend of **March 20-21**. This collection will assist the Knights in our Lenten food program. All food collected will be taken to Catholic Social Services, Northeast Center. Your continued support of our endeavors to assist those less fortunate than us in this area is greatly appreciated.

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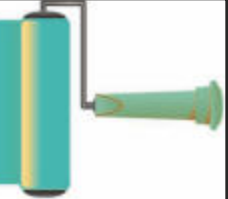


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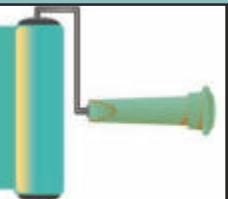
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