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Sunday, April 18, 2021 — Third Sunday of Easter

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INDOOR MASSES:

Monday—Saturday: Morning Prayer 7:30 AM.
Monday—Saturday: Mass 8:00 AM (English)

OUTDOOR MASSES:

Saturday: 5:30 PM (CANCEL) & 6:45 PM (Spanish).
**Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, (English),
11:30 AM (English) 5:30 PM (CANCEL)**

Holy Days: The schedule will be announced

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION :
Saturday, 4:30 PM in the Parking Lot

SACRAMENTS: Contact the Parish Office

Tuesdays, 5:00 - 6:00 PM: Prayer Hour for Peace.

First Fridays, 8:30-10:00 AM: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour for Vocations, Benediction.

Fridays, 7:00-8:00 PM (Spanish): Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour, Benediction.

First Saturdays, 8:30-9:15 AM: Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima (Rosary and meditation on the mysteries).

Sunday, April 18, 2021 — Third Sunday of Easter

Christ Walks with Us

On this Third Sunday of Easter, we hear once again the Emmaus story. This is one of my favorite passages in Scripture. Two dejected disciples of Jesus leave behind the community in Jerusalem, making their way to their old way of life without Jesus. Emaus represents the direction in life when we're going without any hope because of disappointments. The two disciples represent anyone who has ever lost hope, or anyone who was at first delighted with the ways of God, but then experienced disappointment, and lost her way. I have heard of people who due to painful experiences, lose hope in any connection to God through the Church. In the case of the two disciples on their way to Emmaus, that scandal and disappointment was the cross. Their hopes of Jesus had been dashed on the cross.

Then they meet a Stranger on the way. He begins to explain the meaning of the Scriptures and how various texts said that Messiah needed to suffer and die. They are so intrigued by Him that they invite Him to share a meal with them, and then the stranger becomes the one who breaks bread for them. The invited guest becomes the host, and they finally recognize Him as the Risen Lord. At that point he vanished from their midst.

The dynamic experienced by these two disciples was going from disappointment to an insight that changed their direction: they returned to Jerusalem. As our faith is tested through changes and even disappointments, Christ walks with us at each Mass, and offers us His own bread from heaven in the Eucharist, and prepares us first by His Word.

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This is quite a lesson of how much patience we need to accompany each other, while letting the word of God be our guide. This is the ministry of the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults rendered by Steve Granado, Jr. and Mark Ambre. Every year Steve and Mark accompany inquirers into our faith and walk beside them with the Word of God, until they make a decision to accept to live as disciples of Jesus in the Catholic Church by receiving the sacraments of initiation. Many thanks to Steve and Mark for such an important ministry!

On the other hand, when we are the ones receiving accompaniment, we might see a friend, a neighbor, or colleague who accompanies us in our journey of life, but unbeknownst to us it could be the Lord in their heart walking closer to our hearts. When one day we decide to return to a fuller participation in a community of faith in light of Christ's presence and with the hope of the possibility of a beautiful life, we can look back and recognize the Lord in others.

Easter Blessings,

Fr Carlos Medina, OSA

Rest In Peace

John Donnelly, former parishioner, passed away on April 10, 2021 in Arizona. He was a graduate of St. Patrick's School, Class of 1954, and Saint Augustine High School, Class of 1958. His services will be at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Sierra Vista, Arizona on Saturday, April 24. Rosary at 10 AM, followed by a Funeral Mass at 10:30 AM.

Your prayers are requested for the soul of **Mary Fernandez**, former Parishioner, who passed away in Durango, Colorado in February 2021. Her Funeral Mass and Interment will take place on May 21, 2021 at Holy Cross at 11:00 AM followed by the Interment at Noon at Holy Rosary Niche.



Sacrificial Giving
April 11: \$ 4,124.70

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CONFIRMATION

Obligatory Rehearsal for ALL Students and Sponsors: Sunday, May 16, 5:00 PM

Confirmation Mass:

May 23rd, 5:30 PM. Confirmands and families please arrive by 5:00 PM.

**ST. PATRICK'S
CENTENNIAL COUNTDOWN: # 4
OUR 100th on 30th!**

Current plans for our parish's Centennial Celebration from **October 21, 2021 to October 20, 2022** include: an "organic" History Fair, special liturgies, an Anniversary Gala, memorabilia, a Summer Faire, homecoming and other special activities to be determined. Check the Parish Bulletin and Website for how you can play an important part in these historical celebrations.

Los planes actuales para la Celebracion Centenaria de la Parroquia que sera desde **Octubre 2021 hasta Octubre del 2022** incluyen: Feria Historica Organica, liturgias especiales, Gala de Aniversario, cosas memorables, "Homecoming" en verano y otras especiales actividades que seran determinadas. Checa el bulletin y el website de la parroquia para que aprendas como puede tomar un importante papel en estas historicas celebraciones.

FB Update

MASS AND FEASTS

Mass continues to be live streamed on Saturday and Sunday. Holy Hour is streamed on Fridays at 7 p.m. These videos are available on the Parish Facebook page.

EASTER VIGIL AND EASTER SUNDAY

Recordings of Easter mass can be viewed on the Facebook page.

CONTEMPLATIVE SISTERS

Weekday videos of Divine Office by the monastery in Tlaxcala, Mexico are available to view.

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Legion of Mary

Christ said to John " this is your mother" then Christ said to Mary " this is your son" This is when Mary became the mother to everyone. Mary is there for us always. When we pray the rosary, Mary is the most happy. When we give maybe 20 minutes a day to pray the rosary we are giving ourselves the grace to take away our sins and turn our heart toward heaven. I find peace in my day when I pray the rosary early in the morning. If for some reason I am unable to do that, it tugs heavy on my heart until I take the time and pray the rosary during the day. My hope for my dear parishioners and friends at Saint Patrick's is that you all pray the rosary daily. It is much better if you can pray in a group (ie: family or friends) which you will receive more graces. There are many ways to pray as a group. You can find a TV channel that has it daily, or on the internet, or radio.

The Legion of Mary is a great way to pray the rosary daily. If you would like more information about the Legion of Mary, contact me at **maryallen5@cox.net** or call the parish and talk to the secretary. **We meet every Wednesday at 5 o'clock.** If you would like to come and visit a meeting let us know.

Gods blessings to all, Mary



April 19-25

Mon. 8:00 AM	Lucy Peluso † Daniel Emil Valdivia †
Tues. 8:00 AM	Eneida Scoby HB Vincent Maroti †
Wed. 8:00 AM	Eddie Marty † Andrena Gagnon HB
Thurs. 8:00 AM	Petra & Evelio Jimenez † Elizabeth Cunningham HB
Fri. 8:00 AM	Art & Dee Specht † Willie & Offie Gonzalez
Sat. 8:00 AM	Maria Romero † Eric Van Hunt †

† Rest In Peace **HB** Happy Birthday **HA** Happy Anniversar

**Do you have Good memories
of the last 25 years?**

Parishioner **Dan Keays** would love to interview you about the last 25 years of the parish. Please contact him **dankeays@gmail.com**

YP Meets Still Online

Young Professionals continue to meet for Bible Study. Happy Birthday to Esbe Gomez!

Book Club: Mere Christianity by C.S. Lewis

Meetings are twice a month on Saturdays at 11:00am. Please contact Elisa Ambre for more information

mrselisaambre@gmail.com

Designated Donations

April 18 – For the Poor: Support the parishioners and other in need.

April 25 - For the Endowment

Support the future of the parish become more sustainable.

Please make checks payable to: **CCFSD** and write **St. Patrick Endowment in the memo line.**

AMICI Planning Reflections

The Bible study program AMICI has continued to meet, and they are planning to share reflections in this bulletin in the month of June.

Confessions

Weather permitting, Confessions are at **4:30 PM** on Saturdays. In the parking lot.



Readings for the Week:

April 19 – 25

Sundays: Year B — Weekdays: Year III

- Monday: Acts 6:8-15;
Ps 119:23-24,26-27,29-30;
Jn 6:22-29
- Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a;
Ps 31:3cd-4, 6&7b&8a,17&21ab;
Jn 6:30-35
- Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a,4-5,6-7a;
Jn 6:35-40
- Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9,16-17,20;
Jn 6:44-51
- Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc,2;
Jn 6:52-59
- Saturday: Acts 9:31-42;
Ps 116:12-13,14-15,16-17;
Jn 6:60-69
- Sunday: Acts 4:8-12;
Ps 118:1,8-9,21-23,26,28,29;
1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

Cristo Nuestro Guía y Acompañante

Al planear un viaje, yo trato de buscar en Google Mapas las rutas por donde voy a ir, para tener una idea, pero aun así la sensación de no estar muy seguro de saber hacia dónde me dirijo surge. A veces trae nervios esa incertidumbre. Así me encuentro en el camino de la vida, en que todavía no conozco bien los detalles de mi nuevo ministerio de ser formador de novicios agustinos. No conozco cómo será mi entorno, y los frailes con quien voy a convivir, pero al mismo tiempo todas las incertidumbres son invitaciones a estar enraizado en el llamado del Señor, y a buscar la felicidad en Él. El Señor camina siempre con nosotros aunque no lo reconozcamos. Eso nos enseña el evangelio de hoy, en el que dos discípulos ya cansados y decepcionados se alejaban de la comunidad, y Jesús resucitado camina con ellos. Yo he sido testigo de como a pesar de pruebas, la fe de ustedes sigue adelante, y Cristo Vivo sigue haciendo su obra en ustedes. Gloria siempre a El que nunca nos abandona.

Poco a poco se han ido dando oportunidades de conocer al Padre Carlos Flores, OSA gracias a la tecnología de videollamadas. Primero tuvo la oportunidad de conocer al personal administrativo de la parroquia y la escuela, y luego participó en la junta de planeación que se hizo para los 100 años de la parroquia. Ya vendrán nuevas oportunidades de conocerlo por medio de esta tecnología. Todavía no tenemos fecha exacta de cuando el venga, pero se pueden planificar reuniones con el una vez al mes.

P. Carlos Medina, OSA

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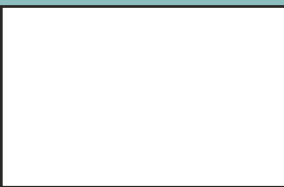



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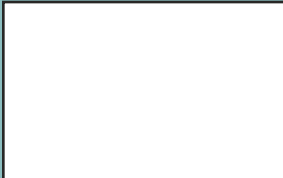
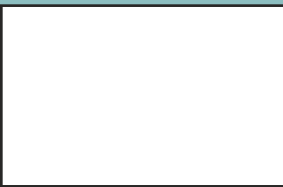
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