



Pope St. Pius X Church

A Parish of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Boise

April 4, 2021

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of Our Lord



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5PM (also livestreamed)

Sunday: 8AM, 9:30AM and 6PM

Mass in Spanish: 11AM

(1st & 3rd Sundays)

Tuesday-Thursday: 8:30AM

Friday: 12 Noon

First Saturday Mass: 8:30AM

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday, 9AM-6PM

(Benediction at 5:45PM)

CONFESSIONS (IN CHAPEL)

Thursday: 5PM-5:45PM;

Friday: 11AM-11:45AM

Saturday: 3:30PM-4:30PM

HOLY ROSARY

Sunday: 9:05AM

Tuesday-Friday:

30 min. prior to Mass

Tuesday: 6PM (livestreamed only)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 8AM-4PM

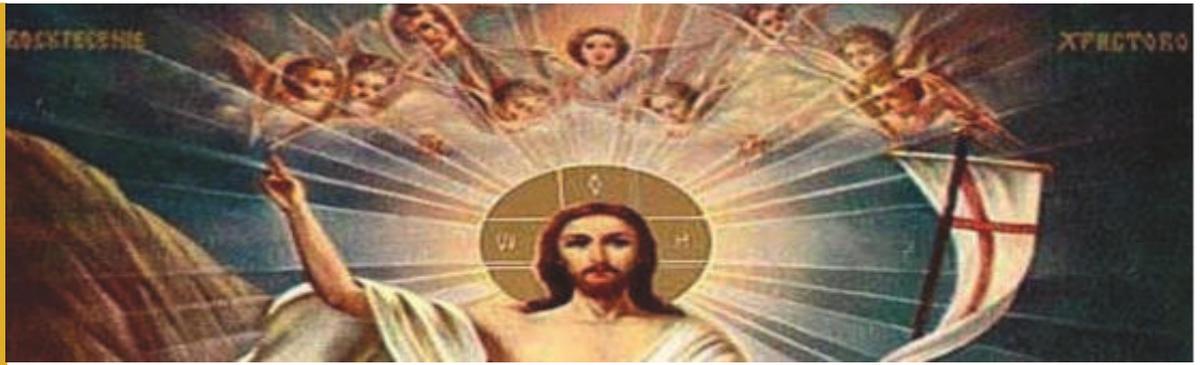
Friday: 8AM-12 Noon

(Closed for Staff Meeting: Tuesdays 9:30-10:30AM)

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From the desk of

Father Flores



Today we celebrate the glorious culmination of God's self-revelation. Everything that we as Christians believe and hold as true is rooted in God's revelation of Himself. Among the ways God reveals Himself are the Sacred Scriptures and Holy Tradition, which is the life of the Christian Church led by the Holy Spirit. Everything that is proposed for our belief is rooted in either or both of these sources of revelation along with the teaching authority of the Church known as the Magisterium. No facet of our faith is more rooted in both Scripture and Tradition than the great feast we celebrate today: Easter Sunday.

The early followers of Jesus began to see how the Old Testament prefigured the newness brought about by Christ. Among the many foreshadowings—or prefigurements as they are called—they saw in the story of creation that God is the source of all existence, He creates the days and the nights, the sun and all celestial bodies. He dictates what is good and what is holy.

Jesus echoes this in the new creation brought about by His resurrection. In the story of the fall of Adam and Eve, the pair say “no” to God thereby introducing sin and all its consequences including death. Jesus says “yes” to the will of the Father and conquers the sin of Adam and Eve. In the story of Exodus, the penultimate plague was darkness, after which the firstborn was killed, and Israel was liberated. This same formula is found in the crucifixion of Christ; there is the darkness of the eclipse, the firstborn dies, and humankind is liberated from the dominion of sin and death.

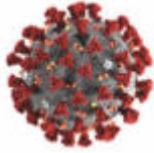
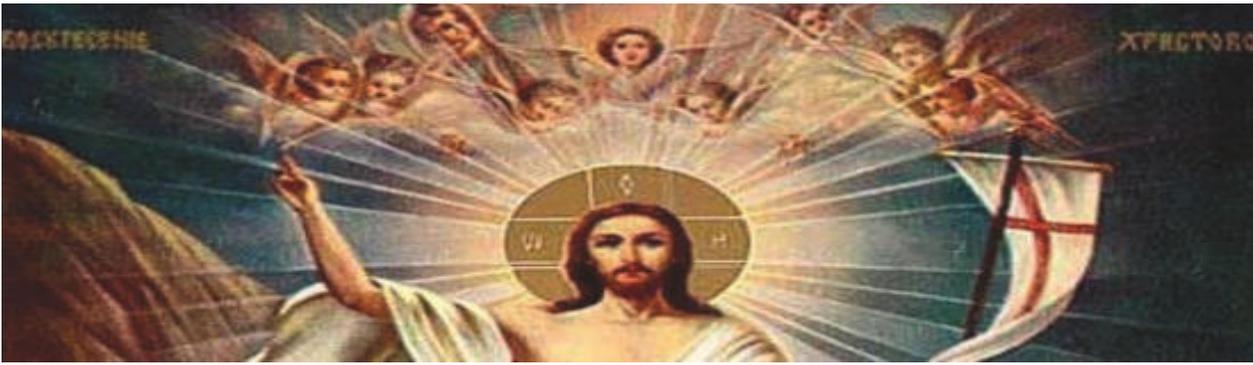
There are many more, but it is useful to pause at the prefigurement of the Prophet Jonah. Jonah spent three days in the belly of the whale; as good as dead he was spat out and brought the message of repentance to the sinful citizens of Nineveh. This gives us the image of Jesus' three days in the tomb; He arises fully alive and immediately speaks to His apostles about reconciliation and the forgiveness of sins. These are just a few examples of the patterns that the early believers saw in Jesus and in the power of His resurrection. It was new and it was exciting, but its announcement and preparation were old and foretold for centuries by people who believed.

I think that it can be exciting and even new for you and me to go to Mass at Easter and then begin the celebration in the ways that our families have customarily done. For some, Easter includes eating lamb, symbolic of the lamb of God who is Jesus. Some families will celebrate by eating ham, because the newness brought about by Jesus has removed the authority of the law which prohibited the eating of pork. Hopefully, most Easter tables will include sweets and pastries and other festive foods that represent the joy and happiness of this day. Whatever ways you celebrate and whatever you eat in honor of this day, rejoice in the knowledge that you are participating in a glorious tradition announced long ago, brought about by Christ in His passion, death and resurrection, and kept alive through the centuries by the Holy Spirit in the life of the Church. You are participating in and rejoicing in the culmination of God's self-revelation! Jesus Christ is risen from the dead, truly He is risen—Alleluia, Alleluia!

Happy Easter,
Father Flores



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It is with praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God and guidance from Bishop Peter, that we are relaxing COVID-19 protocols. Updated protocols (made in consultation with local medical personnel), are available on the parish website and at the back of the Church.



I SHALL GIVE HALF: Join in this effort making a difference in the lives of unborn children. "I Shall Give Half" is a response to a poor choice made by our national legislators. Through, "I Shall Give

Half," we are given an opportunity to support organizations which work to ensure the protection of all human life. Visit the parish website to link to organizations you may wish to support, or visit the table in the back of the church for envelopes and more information.

SACRAMENTS

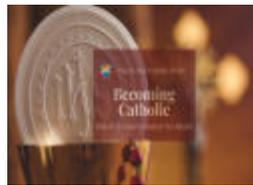


BAPTISM OF INFANTS: The best time to begin the Baptism preparation process is before the birth of your child. Please contact us to get started.

MARRIAGE: We are here to help prepare you as a couple to establish a solid foundation for a joy-filled, Christ-centered marriage. Please contact us at least six months prior to your wedding day.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK / HOMEBOUND is available to those in case of serious illness, impending surgery or advanced age, or if a loved one is in need of receiving the Eucharist or Reconciliation.

CONFIRMATION, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, FIRST RECONCILIATION: Registration for next year will begin this summer. Stay tuned!



BECOMING CATHOLIC (RCIA): If you are considering the Catholic faith, or know someone who would like to know more about becoming Catholic, we are

here to help guide them on the journey of the sacraments and live in the fullness of relationship with Jesus and the Church He founded.

Contact the Parish Office and visit the Parish Website for additional Sacramental Information.

Please join your Serrans of North Idaho for a very special evening at Pope St. Pius X Catholic Church



Fr. Francisco Flores will be speaking about
Promoting Vocations Within the Family
Saturday, April 10, 2021
6:30pm in the Hospitality Center
at Pope St. Pius X Catholic Church
625 E Haycraft, Coeur d'Alene, ID
For info call 208-765-5108

Families are encouraged to come!

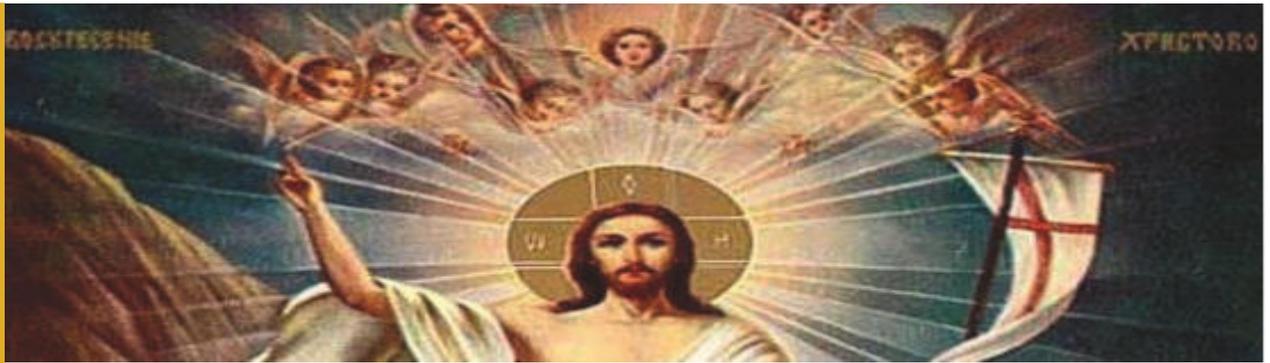


For those that wish to partake - Wine & Cheese will be served after the event.



Maybe you're even called to be a Serran. We'd love for you to join us!





MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Apr. 3	Easter Vigil
7:30 PM	Easter Vigil Mass
Sunday, Apr. 4	Easter Sunday
8:00 AM	Mass of the Resurrection
9:30 AM	Mass of the Resurrection
11:00 AM	Bilingual Easter Mass
6:00 PM	No Mass
Weekday Masses	
Monday 8:30 AM	No Mass
Tuesday 8:30 AM	Andrew Fernandez
Wed. 8:30 AM	Coleen Spalsbury
Thursday 8:30 AM	Timothy Cleary †
Friday 12 Noon	Pope St. John Paul II †
Saturday, Apr. 10	2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)
5:00 PM	The Fernandez family
Sunday, Apr. 11	2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)
8:00 AM	Marge McRae †
9:30 AM	For the Parish
11:00 AM Spanish	No Spanish Mass this weekend
6:00 PM	Roberta Watkins †

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays,
9am-6pm
(Benediction at 5:45pm)

Sign up for a one-hour time slot at:
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Signing up helps us ensure that Our Lord is never left alone. Pope St. Pius X Catholic Church

The Feast of
Divine Mercy

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HOLY HOUR
Sunday, April 11th
3pm-4pm
Pope St. Plus X Catholic Church

The Hour of Divine Mercy:
Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Reconciliation,
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
and Benediction

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Prepare for this Feast by praying the
Divine Mercy Novena which begins on
Good Friday.
<https://www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotions/novena.php>

JESUS I TRUST IN YOU

PRAYER INTENTIONS



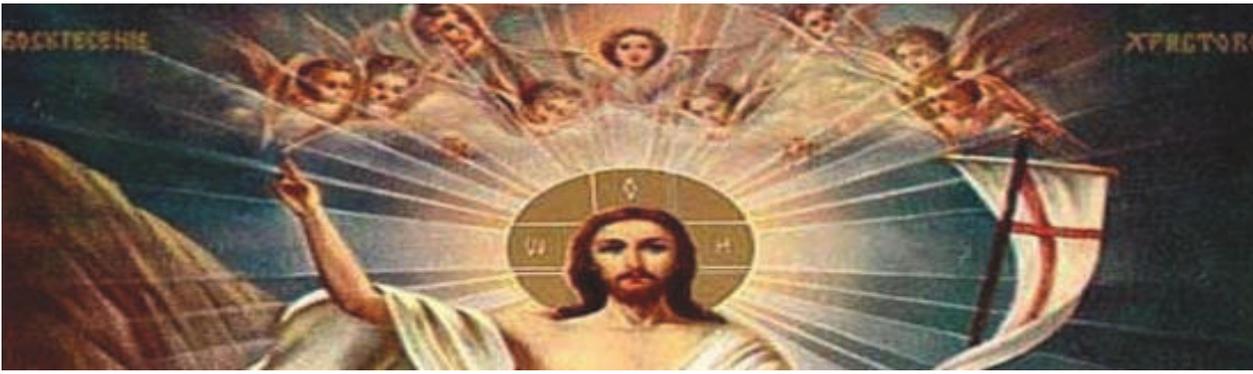
We pray for all those who are sick and chronically ill, especially: Richard Ochoa, Mariah Lowman and Dick, Susan & Caleb Coffman.

And for all those who have died, especially: Rita Beehler.

Email stpiusprayerlink@gmail.com to be included in our prayer chain, or for special intentions.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

1st Reading:	Acts 4:32-35
Resp. Psalm:	Ps. 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24
2nd Reading:	1 John 5:1-6
Gospel:	John 20:19-31



GET "PC"!!! (Purposefully Catholic)

PC is a joint initiative between Pope St. Pius X and St. Thomas the Apostle which fosters an encounter with Christ drawing all into a deeper relationship with Him through a number of gatherings:

- † **PC@CHURCH** is an occasional in-person event. Ideally it includes a potluck meal, time of prayer, presentation, and community time.
- † **PC@HOME** is a virtual event on Facebook & YouTube held the remaining Tuesday evenings of the month. PC@HOME includes praying the Holy Rosary in community and themed presentation.
- † **PC FAMILY** is a once-a-month gathering for all families. PC FAMILY also hosts special events which nourish a Catholic family culture.
- † **PC YOUTH** is a weekly gathering for 6th-12th graders from St. Pius X, St. Thomas the Apostle and St. George's, and any youth preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.
- † **PC MARRIAGES** helps strengthen marriage and bring couples closer to Christ in a number of ways including an annual marriage retreat.

Save the Date:

**PC Joint Parish Picnic
(Pope St. Pius X and St. Thomas the Apostle:
Sunday, July 25th**

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November 4-18, 2021



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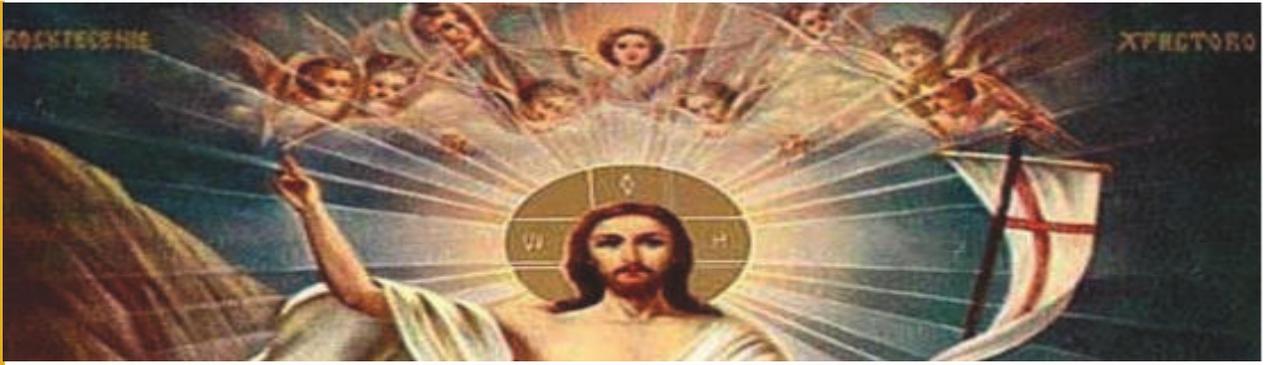
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A MESSAGE FROM DEACON CHRIS Missions of Charity

"God was on the cross of Jesus, reconciling the world' (2 Cor 5:18). Precisely there on the cross, in silence, God shows his love: 'God so loved the world that he gave his only Son' (Jn 3:16); 'While we were still sinners Christ died for us' (Rom 5:8). It is not easy to understand, but there can be no doubt that this is what the New Testament means: God shows his love by being close to the victims, being in solidarity with them, completely and forever."

(Jon Sobrino SJ, Where is God: Earthquake, Terrorism, Mercy and Hope, Orbis Books, 2015)

During Holy Week, I found myself reflecting on some wonderful insights into the nature of missionary work offered by Father Sobrino in this book. Key to these insights is the idea that to be missionary is to be in solidarity with the poor and victims of this world. Why? Because that is exactly the mission that Jesus set out for us by His example, God's Son sent to live in solidarity with man by taking on human form and suffering and dying as a result by the sacrificial gift of Himself.

Here in the parish, we live out that example because of our gratitude for the great gift our Lord gave us and as part of our life's pilgrimage home to God, to eternal life. This is "the way" of perfection, living a humble life of prayer and worship, lifting our eyes to the world only to see "the other" who may be struggling and in need of our help. In exchange for what we can humbly offer out of our compassion, we receive the grace and truth that we need for our continued journey. Love begets love, always ten-fold.

How? Each of our lives is filled with opportunity to participate in the Cross of Christ. Every day we encounter those who are lonely, hurting emotionally or

that have been pushed to the economic or social margins of life by some circumstance (many times not of their own doing). I suggest we simply open our hearts to the Holy Spirit and allow Him to shed light on who those people are in your every day life. From there, consider spending time helping (through prayer, presence, or pennies) in one of our Missions of Charity in the parish. As always, feel free to give me a call (208-758-1193).

Peace,

Deacon Chris

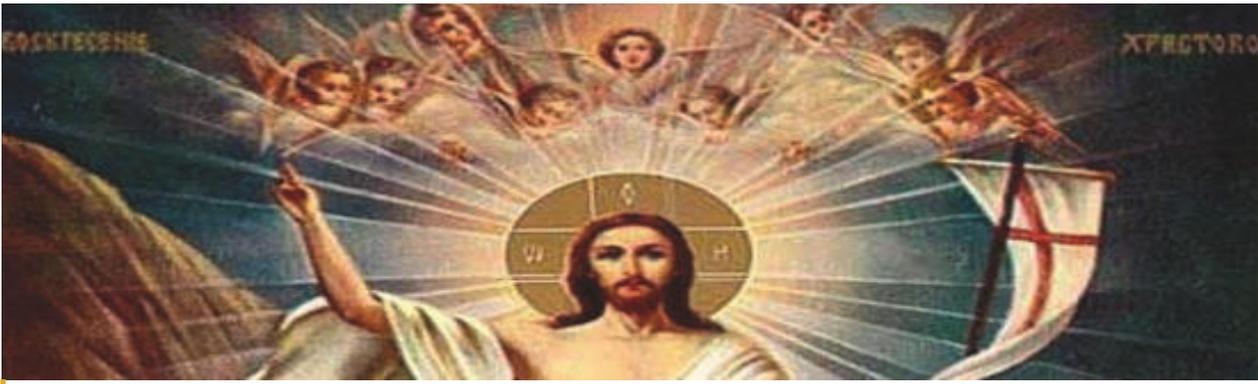


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