

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
FEBRUARY 28, 2021

VISION STATEMENT
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MASS TIMES: **SATURDAY:** 4:00PM; **SUNDAY:** 8:30AM, 11:00AM, & 5:30PM (MASS ALSO STREAMED ONLINE)

WEEKDAY: **MONDAY - FRIDAY:** 6:45AM (ALL MASSES EXCEPT THURSDAY WORD SERVICE WITH COMMUNION)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: **EVERY OTHER SATURDAY:** 11AM (MASK REQUIRED)

Parish Office

Our office is open 9am—2pm, Monday through Friday. To make an appointment with a staff member please call us at (330) 492-3119, and leave a voicemail if necessary. Thank you!

Parish Staff

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Scripture Readings for February 28, 2021 Second Sunday of Lent

Gen 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19

Rom 8:31b-34

Mk 9:2-10

Bulletin Deadline

The deadline for the Mar. 7th bulletin has passed.

The deadline for the Mar. 14th bulletin is Mar. 4th.

The deadline for the Mar. 21st bulletin is Mar. 11th.

Please e-mail bulletin information to:

Stephanie@stmichaelcanton.org &

Justin@stmichaelcanton.org

Giving Summary

February 7, 2021

Envelope Amount	\$25,672
Loose Cash	\$806
Online Giving	\$9,863
Total Collection (This week)	\$36,341
Weekly Budget Number	\$33,985
Weekly Budget +over/-shortage	+\$2,356

2020 Week's Total (same week one year ago) \$24,382

Sincere thanks for your first fruits offered onto God. —Fr. Benson

PARISH UPDATE

Our Lenten opportunities for prayer continue both in-person, and online. Don't miss our online Lenten meditations, released every Monday morning as a way of maintaining a spirit of Lenten prayer beyond the weekends. Thank you to Libby Saxton and Jeff Fricker for preparing these meditations with music and prayerful editing, and for members of our pastoral staff and parish for writing them. Our Lenten Calendar and additional announcements in this bulletin also includes many more opportunities (e.g. Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Taize, and more). For Zoom events, please email our staff for the Zoom links - their emails are listed throughout the bulletin for each event, or contact justin@stmichaelcanton.org. Lenten prayer books for adults and families are also available in the upper and lower gathering space.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: We continue to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation on alternate Saturday mornings at 11am, including February 27th. As we get closer to Easter, we will have confessions more often: on March 13th, 20th, and 27th. **Please note that March 20th and 27th will be our last two Saturdays for confession before Easter,** and we will have additional priests with us to celebrate the sacrament. Due to pandemic protocols, confessions will continue to be heard in the main church (and not in confessional rooms), with portable screens for those who wish to use a screen.

Bishop's Appeal for Catholic Charities

and Church: As part of our Lenten practice of almsgiving, we continue our annual Bishop's Appeal. **Two-thirds of this appeal goes to the work of Catholic Charities,** supporting those most in need, and the remainder supports diocesan ministries of worship, religious education, youth and young adult ministry, seminarian formation, and more. Needless to say, with the pandemic these ministries have become even more critical, and especially the needs of Catholic Charities, which is serving more and more people. Considering this great need, the diocese has set an ambitious goal of \$4 million, and our parish goal is \$195,800. Our parish has been a leader in this campaign in the past, and we are asked to lead again this year. Please prayerfully consider how you can best respond using the Bishop's Appeal commitment envelopes here at Church, or when you receive your letter from Bishop Bonnar in the next month. Online giving is already available via our homepage.



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Pictured on the Cover: Scenes from last Sunday's Rite of Sending (at St. Michael) and Rite of Election with Bishop David J. Bonnar (at St. Joseph in Canton). With St. Michael Catechumen Victoria Custer, who will be baptized at the Easter Vigil, her sponsor Eric Welshenbaugh, RCIA Director Justin Huyck, and Deacons Mark Fuller and Phil Tischler. (Photos by Norm Kutz and Justin Huyck)

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Bishop David Bonnar has also released his first pastoral letter, Testify to the Light. In it, Bishop Bonnar offers encouragement to the diocesan Church during this pandemic, invites us to make prayer a priority, and suggests an exciting path forward for our diocesan Church. This letter is also linked from our homepage: www.stmichaelcanton.org.

Abstaining from Meat: As a reminder, Roman Catholics (ages 14 and onward) are called to abstain from meat on Fridays during Lent.



Additionally, Good Friday is an obligatory day of fasting and abstinence for Roman Catholics. For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

Obviously, those with nutrition restrictions should attend to what is best for their health, and might consider embracing the spirit of Lent prayer, fasting, and almsgiving in a way appropriate to their situation.

Church Teaching on Vaccines: Finally, Father Benson has received his vaccination doses, and (along with Pope Francis and the U.S. Bishops) is encouraging parishioners to do as well, when it becomes available to you. The Ohio Bishops have written that the currently available Moderna and Pfizer vaccines can be taken "without moral reservations" and U.S. Bishops write that receiving vaccines "ought to be understood as an act of charity toward the other members of our community." Our bishops encourage Catholics to remain vigilant about further vaccine development and just distribution, upholding the sanctity of human life and concern for the most vulnerable. Please see the full statement from Ohio bishops in this bulletin.

LENTEN ROSARY

Starting the first Sunday of Lent, February 21st, and continuing each Sunday in Lent, we will be praying the Rosary before the 8:30am Mass **in person** and also **Sunday evening (online)**. On Sunday mornings, we will begin in the church at 8:00AM. Free Rosary beads and guides will be available in the Gathering Space. We will also be offering the Rosary virtually through Zoom on Sunday evenings at 7:00pm. Please email Justin at justin@stmichaelcanton.org to receive the zoom link for the Sunday evening Rosary. These are two great opportunities to learn how to pray the Rosary and to join with other Catholics in this communal prayer.



OH NO! It's tax time.

St. Michael will be sending out your contribution statements for 2020. The current delay in the Postal Service is the perfect time to use some of the new functionality we have in our community pages. We will be using email to deliver these statements to all of our households who have an email address on file.

Now is the perfect time to update your record with an email address. If you have any trouble making the update contact Bruce Gordon bruce@stmichaelcanton.org or Stephanie Bole stephanie@stmichaelcanton.org in the parish office and we can add this information to your record.



Weekdays

3/1 @ 6:45am ~ for peace in the world (Maryann Meniru)

3/2 @ 6:45am ~ Dr. Marcianito Bautista (Ed & Linda Malacaman)

3/3 @ 6:45am ~ Catherine Rambaud (Evelyn & Russ Folger)

3/4 @ 6:45am ~
Communion Service

3/5 @ 6:45am ~ Louis A. Sucheck (Daniel & Susan Seftick)

Weekend

3/6 @ 4:00pm ~ families of Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Bogovich (Mrs. Jacqueline Bogovich)

3/7 @ 8:30am ~
Dr. Anthony Malacaman (Ed & Linda Malacaman)

3/7 @ 11:00am ~ Sam Bagnola (LaRue Hess)

3/7 @ 5:30pm ~ David & Mardell Maser (Douglas Maser)

Tabernacle Candle the week of Mar. 6th



Burns in Memory of
Dan Martino

From
Family

**Have you ever considered becoming an altar server?
learning more about the Mass?
helping the priests and deacons?**

We are in need of altar servers. Any 4th grade through high school student or adult is welcome to join the ministry of altar servers. Please complete the form below and return it to the parish office or email Libby Saxton at libby@stmichaelcantan.org for an electronic version of this form.

Our wonderful deacons have taken up the responsibility of preparing the altar during this pandemic as we have tried to keep everyone safe. We now have a plan for keeping our altar servers and our priests/deacons safe as we reinstate this wonderful ministry. Our deacons have graciously accepted to **train new altar servers Saturday March 20th 9:30am-10:30am and/or Sunday March 21st 1-2pm.**

St. Michael the Archangel Church *Altar Servers*
Registration Form 2021

Full Name: _____ Parent/Guardian: _____

If student, school: _____ Grade (2020-2021): _____

Best Contact Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Home Address: _____

Mass Preference (please circle)

Sat. 4:00pm Sun. 8:30am Sun. 11:00am Sun. 5:30pm Wed. SMS 8am

Commitment:

*Arrive at least 15 minutes before your assigned Mass. *Be responsible for finding your own substitute.

*Appropriate dress and behavior required. (Face masks required.) *Attend a training session.

We are willing to accept the responsibility of being an altar server.

Volunteer's Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

*Please return this form to your teacher or the parish office.

YEAR-ROUND FOOD DRIVE

Weekday collections
Monday – Friday 8:00AM – 5:00PM
Door # 11 Lower Level
Weekend collections before each Mass

Special "Ask":

- Hamburger Helper
- Soup
- Spaghetti

Month of February: 31 pantry visits
1645 lbs. distributed

A special thank-you to everyone who continues to support our Year-Round Food Pantry and Hunger Awareness



Upcoming Virtual Gathering

ST. MICHAEL CANTON YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday, February 28th - 7 PM

Sunday, March 7th - 7 PM

FOR A COMPLETE SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING GATHERINGS

VISIT OUR WEBSITE

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More Small Faith Groups via Zoom

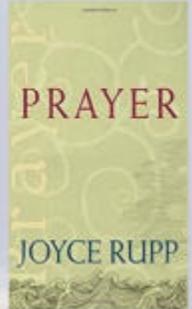


Women's Book Study

Wednesdays, 9:30am

February 17; March 3, 17, 31

Currently Reading: *Prayer* by Joyce Rupp

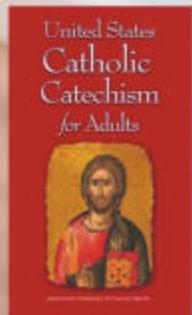


Men's Fellowship

Mondays, 6:30pm

February 15; March 1 and 15

Currently: *U.S. Catholic Catechism for Adults*



CONTACT JUSTIN@STMICHAELCANTON.ORG

for the Zoom links or to connect your faith group via Zoom

Catholic Conversations

Tuesdays | 7PM | Zoom Video Chat

Each week, we explore scripture and discuss a key Catholic topic.

Email justin@stmichaelcanton.org for the Zoom link and a "preview" of each week's conversation.

Are you thinking about becoming Catholic?

These weekly gatherings are a great way to explore Catholicism and connect with our parishioners.

But whatever your schedule and digital comfort is, connect with us and let's start the conversation:

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Note: On December 16th, the Catholic Bishops of Ohio released the following guidance, affirming the use of the Moderna and Pfizer vaccines, along with moral guidance on vaccine development and distribution.

In recent days, we have entered another stage in addressing the global pandemic. While cases rise to new levels, vaccines approved by the US Food and Drug Administration are on the horizon. Both of these issues raise questions and concerns. Of particular concern to many Catholics are various issues related to application of the Church's moral teaching to the development, distribution, and reception of vaccines. We take this opportunity to outline the most important principles.

Any vaccine must be developed in a morally acceptable manner. This means that the development must respect all human life, created in the image and likeness of God, from conception to natural death. We know that cell lines derived from babies aborted many decades ago have been used and, in some cases, continue to be used at various stages of development of some vaccines. Taking innocent human life to harvest such cells and create cell lines which can be scientifically propagated over time is morally unacceptable. However, "as for the question of the vaccines that used or may have used cells coming from voluntarily aborted fetuses in their preparation, it must be specified that the 'wrong' in the moral sense lies in the actions, not in the vaccines or the material itself" (*Note on Italian Vaccine Issue* of the Pontifical Academy for Life, July 31, 2017). The Academy concludes, "The technical characteristics of the production of the vaccines most commonly used in childhood lead us to exclude that there is a morally relevant cooperation between those who use these vaccines today and the practice of voluntary abortion. Hence, we believe that all clinically recommended vaccinations can be used with a clear conscience and that the use of such vaccines does not signify some sort of cooperation with voluntary abortion."

Catholics are obliged to advocate for vaccine development to be done in a morally acceptable manner throughout every stage. This remains true even when, for the common good and lack of an available alternative, we feel compelled to receive a vaccine the production of which is in some way linked to morally unacceptable means.

The vaccines developed by Moderna and Pfizer to combat COVID-19 may be taken without moral reservations. The Chairmen of the US Bishops' doctrine and pro-life committees said in a November 23, 2020, statement that it is not immoral to be vaccinated with the vaccines being developed by Moderna and Pfizer. They went on to say in the statement, "Neither the Pfizer nor the Moderna vaccine involved the use of cell lines that originated in fetal tissue taken from the body of an aborted baby at any level of design, development, or production...They are not completely free from any connection to abortion, however, as both Pfizer and Moderna made use of a tainted cell line for one of the confirmatory lab tests of their products. There is thus a connection, but it is relatively remote." The statement goes on to reference Vatican documents relevant to this issue from the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith and the Pontifical Academy for Life. They conclude by stating, "These documents all point to the immorality of using tissue taken from an aborted child for creating cell lines. They also make distinctions in terms of the moral responsibility of the various actors involved, from those involved in designing and producing a vaccine to those receiving the vaccine. Most importantly they all make it clear that, at the level of the recipient, it is morally permissible to accept vaccination when there are no alternatives and there is a serious health risk."

Catholics are also obliged to advocate for the just distribution of a vaccine so that those most vulnerable may have access. It is often the communities which are poor and without adequate resources that are hit hardest by disease due to lack of financial wherewithal (including insurance) or medical resources. Any distribution plan must take this disparity into account and correct for it.

As the situation continues to unfold and more information becomes available the bishops and Catholic medical ethics experts will continue to monitor and evaluate the morality of options available to us. We pray that the Lord will guide us as we strive for the common good of all in limiting the spread of serious disease.

Sunday, February 28, 2021

First Reading

Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

God put Abraham to the test.
He called to him, "Abraham!"
"Here I am!" he replied.
Then God said:
"Take your son Isaac, your only one,
whom you love,
and go to the land of Moriah.
There you shall offer him up as a
holocaust
on a height that I will point out to you."

When they came to the place of which
God had told him,
Abraham built an altar there and
arranged the wood on it.
Then he reached out and took the knife
to slaughter his son.
But the LORD's messenger called to him
from heaven,
"Abraham, Abraham!"
"Here I am!" he answered.
"Do not lay your hand on the boy," said
the messenger.
"Do not do the least thing to him.
I know now how devoted you are to
God,
since you did not withhold from me
your own beloved son."
As Abraham looked about,
he spied a ram caught by its horns in
the thicket.
So he went and took the ram
and offered it up as a holocaust in place
of his son.

Again the LORD's messenger called to
Abraham from heaven and said:
"I swear by myself, declares the LORD,
that because you acted as you did
in not withholding from me your
beloved son,
I will bless you abundantly
and make your descendants as
countless

as the stars of the sky and the sands of
the seashore;
your descendants shall take possession
of the gates of their enemies,
and in your descendants all the nations
of the earth
shall find blessing—
all this because you obeyed my
command."

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19

**R. (116:9) I will walk before the Lord, in
the land of the living.**

I believed, even when I said,
"I am greatly afflicted."
Precious in the eyes of the LORD
is the death of his faithful ones.
**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land
of the living.**
O LORD, I am your servant;
I am your servant, the son of your
handmaid;
you have loosed my bonds.
To you will I offer sacrifice of thanksgiving,
and I will call upon the name of the
LORD.

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land
of the living.**

My vows to the LORD I will pay
in the presence of all his people,
In the courts of the house of the LORD,
in your midst, O Jerusalem.

**R. I will walk before the Lord, in the land
of the living**

Second Reading

Rom 8:31b-34

Brothers and sisters:
If God is for us, who can be against us?
He who did not spare his own Son
but handed him over for us all,
how will he not also give us everything
else along with him?

Who will bring a charge against
God's chosen ones?

It is God who acquits us, who will
condemn?

Christ Jesus it is who died—or, rather,
was raised—
who also is at the right hand of God,
who indeed intercedes for us.

Gospel

Mk 9:2-10

Jesus took Peter, James, and John
and led them up a high mountain apart
by themselves.
And he was transfigured before them,
and his clothes became dazzling white,
such as no fuller on earth could bleach
them.
Then Elijah appeared to them along
with Moses,
and they were conversing with Jesus.
Then Peter said to Jesus in reply,
"Rabbi, it is good that we are here!
Let us make three tents:
one for you, one for Moses, and one for
Elijah."
He hardly knew what to say, they were
so terrified.
Then a cloud came, casting a shadow
over them;
from the cloud came a voice,
"This is my beloved Son. Listen to him."
Suddenly, looking around, they no
longer saw anyone
but Jesus alone with them.

As they were coming down from the
mountain,
he charged them not to relate what
they had seen to anyone,
except when the Son of Man had risen
from the dead.
So they kept the matter to themselves,
questioning what rising from the dead
meant.

Share prayer intentions quietly or aloud.

Pray the Lord's Prayer.

Pray the Anima Christi (right)

Close with the sign of the cross.

Anima Christi
Soul of Christ, sanctify me;
Body of Christ, save me;
Blood of Christ, inebriate me;
Water from the side of Christ, wash me;
Passion of Christ, strengthen me;
O Good Jesus, hear me;
Within your wounds hide me;
separated from you, let me never be;
From the evil one, protect me;
At the hour of my death, call me;
And close to you, bid me;
That with your saints,
I may be praising you forever and ever.
Amen.

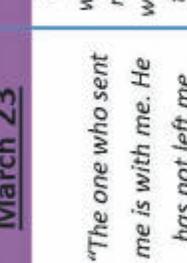


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 Communion Service on Thursdays
 Sat. Mass 4pm, *virtual or in person*
 Sunday Mass: 8:30am, 11:00am, 5:30pm

February 21	February 22	February 23	February 24	February 25	February 26	February 27
1st Sunday of Lent 8:00am –Rosary <i>“Repent and believe in the gospel.”</i> Mark 1:15c 7:00pm –Virtual Rosary on Zoom	Chair of St. Peter 9am –Minute Meditation, <i>virtual only</i> <i>“The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.”</i> Psalm 23:1	The Gospel of today is Jesus teaching his disciples how to pray. The Lord’s Prayer covers everything. When you have no words to pray, pray the Lord’s Prayer.	Ash Wednesday 6:45am –Mass, <i>virtual or in person</i> 12:15pm –Word & Ash Prayer Service 7pm –Mass	Blessed <i>are they who have hope in the Lord.</i> Psalm 40:5a 6pm –Lenten Music, <i>virtual only</i>	<i>What is the fasting God desires from you?</i> 7pm –Stations of the Cross <i>virtual or in person</i>	11am –Confessions <i>“Jesus said to his disciples: ‘Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you.’”</i> Matthew 5:44
February 28 2nd Sunday of Lent 8:00am –Rosary <i>“If God is for us, who can be against us?”</i> Romans 8:31b 7:00pm –Virtual Rosary on Zoom	March 1 9am –Minute Meditation, <i>virtual only</i> 	March 2 <i>“The greatest among you must be your servant.”</i> Matthew 23:11 <i>How do I practice servitude?</i>	March 3 <i>“Can you drink the chalice that I am going to drink?”</i> Matthew 20:22b <i>“Save me, O Lord, in your kindness.”</i> Psalm 31:17b	March 4 <i>As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love.</i> John 15:9 6pm –Lenten Music, <i>virtual only</i>	March 5 <i>“Remember the marvels the Lord has done”</i> Psalm 105:5a 7pm –Stations of the Cross <i>virtual or in person</i>	March 6 <i>“Amazing grace, how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me. I once was lost but now am found, was blind but now I see.”</i> John Newton
March 7 3rd Sunday of Lent 8:00am –Rosary <i>“Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.”</i> John 6:68c 7:00pm –Virtual Rosary on Zoom	March 8 9am –Minute Meditation, <i>virtual only</i> <i>“A thirst is my soul for the living God. When shall I go and behold the face of God?”</i> Psalm 42:3	March 9 <i>“Deliver us by your wonders, and bring glory to your name, O Lord.”</i> Daniel 3:43	March 10 	March 11 <i>“Listen to my voice; then I will be your God and you shall be my people.”</i> Jeremiah 7:23b 8pm –Taize, <i>virtual only</i>	March 12 <i>“Come back to me with all your heart. Don’t let fear keep us apart.”</i> Hosea by Gregory Norbet 7pm –Stations of the Cross <i>virtual or in person</i>	March 13 11am –Confessions <i>“It is mercy I desire, not sacrifice.”</i> Hosea 6:6

<p>March 14</p> <p>4th Sunday of Lent 8:00am –Rosary "We are God's handiwork." Ephesians 2:10a 7:00pm –Virtual Rosary on Zoom</p>	<p>March 15</p> <p>9am –Minute Meditation, <i>virtual only</i> "I will praise you Lord for you have rescued me." Psalm 30:2a</p>	<p>March 16</p> <p><i>In the Gospel today, Jesus asks, "Do you want to be well?" Jesus can heal our soul if only we believe.</i></p>	<p>March 17</p> <p>Feast of St. Patrick "Though the mountains may fall and the hills turn to dust, yet the love of the Lord will stand." Though the Mountains May Fall by Dan Schutte</p>	<p>March 18</p> <p>Remember us, O Lord, as you favor your people. 6pm—Lenten Music, <i>virtual only</i></p>	<p>March 19</p> <p>Feast of St. Joseph  8pm —Living Stations, <i>virtual or in person</i></p>	<p>March 20</p> <p>11am –Confessions "O Lord, my God, in you I take refuge." Psalm 7:2a</p>
<p>March 21</p> <p>5th Sunday of Lent 8:00am –Rosary "Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be." John 12:26a 7pm –Virtual Rosary</p>	<p>March 22</p> <p>9am –Minute Meditation, <i>virtual only</i> "Even though I walk through the dark valley I fear no evil; for you are at my side." Psalm 23:4a</p>	<p>March 23</p> <p>"The one who sent me is with me. He has not left me alone." John 8:29</p>	<p>March 24</p> <p>"If you remain in my word, you will truly be my disciples, and you will know the truth and the truth will set you free." John 8:31b-32 7pm—Social Justice Speaker on Zoom</p>	<p>March 25</p> <p>Annunciation "I say, 'Yes,' my Lord, in all the good times, through all the bad times, I say, 'Yes,' my Lord to every word you say." Digo Si, Seor by Donna Pena</p>	<p>March 26</p> <p>"In my distress, I called upon the Lord, and he heard my voice." Psalm 18:7 8pm —Living Stations, <i>virtual or in person</i></p>	<p>March 27</p> <p>11am –Confessions "The Lord will guard us, as a shepherd guards his flock." Jeremiah 31:10</p>
<p>March 28</p> <p>Palm Sunday </p>	<p>March 29</p> <p>9am –Minute Meditation, <i>virtual only</i> "The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom should I fear?" Psalm 27:1</p>	<p>March 30</p> <p>"Jesus answered, "Will you lay down your life for me?" John 13:38a</p>	<p>March 31</p> <p>"Lord, in your great love, answer me." Psalm 69:14c</p>	<p>April 1</p> <p>Holy Thursday  7pm –Mass, <i>virtual or in person</i></p>	<p>April 2</p> <p>Good Friday 3pm –Good Friday Liturgy, <i>virtual or in person</i></p>	<p>April 3</p> <p>Holy Saturday 8:30pm –Easter Vigil Mass, <i>virtual or in person</i></p>

April 4

Easter Sunday
7:15am –Mass
9:00am—Mass, *virtual or in person*
11:00am—Mass
(No 5:30pm Mass)




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