

# SONRISE

*5th Sunday in Lent  
March 21, 2021*



## *Lent & Easter Schedule*

**Communal Reconciliation Service** Wednesday, March 24 , 7:00 pm

**Outdoor Stations of the Cross** Throughout Lent in parking lot.

**Palm Sunday Masses** Saturday, March 27, 4:00 pm  
Sunday, March 28, 9:00 and 11:00 am &  
10:20 Communion Service in Parking Lot

**Holy Thursday** April 1, 7:00 pm Mass  
8:00 pm - 12 midnight Adoration

**Good Friday** April 2, 12:00 pm Stations of the Cross  
1:00 pm Rosary  
1:30 pm Communion Service

**Holy Saturday** April 3, 11:00 am Blessing of Baskets

**Easter Masses** Saturday, April 3, 8:00 pm Vigil Mass  
Sunday, April 4, 9:00 and 11:00 am &  
10:20 Communion Service in Parking Lot

*Resurrection Parish is a small, inviting Catholic family joyfully celebrating the Good News of the Risen Lord through the Eucharist and the sacraments, lifelong spiritual growth, responsible stewardship and loving service to others. Welcome!*



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### Sunshine in a Box - LaMora Clinic

It has been a long year. Being unable to be with family and friends has been especially hard during this pandemic. Despite the challenges, the LaMora Clinic committee has been gratified to see how our parish has continued to support the clinic in El Salvador even though our normal fundraising activities have been significantly curtailed.

Now as spring is on its way and life is gradually returning to something closer to normal, the committee is ready to offer a way for parishioners to both support this ministry of providing health care to the Salvadoran people as well as to offer a way to gift someone in your life.

We are offering for a suggested donation of \$25 a "Sunshine in a Box". Each box will contain a handmade scented soap, a plant, a hand poured fragrant candle made from recycled liturgical beeswax, something sweet (a biscotti type biscuit) and something savory (cheesy crackers) for snacking and an original designed note card to give to your recipient - all in a beautiful box ready for giving.

**We will offer the "Sunshine in a Box" on Palm Sunday, March 27/28** just in time for Easter giving. They will also be available the weekend before Mother's Day. Included in the box will be a brief explanation of how this gift will help those in need of medical care in El Salvador. As is true of all of our fundraising efforts, 100% of revenue from your donation goes directly to helping the clinic.

We hope to see you the weekend of Palm Sunday. Again, thank you for your generous support to the clinic over the years. Resurrection is a little parish with a huge heart!

If you have any questions, contact Marti Simms at [martis@wowway.com](mailto:martis@wowway.com).

The LaMora Clinic committee

### Please Sign Up for Mass in Advance

To help us better plan seating for the increasing number of people who are attending Mass, we ask that you register for weekend Masses at <https://bit.ly/ResMass>, by scanning the QR code, or by calling the church office. When you arrive, please sign in at the table in the gathering space immediately outside of the church and pickup a bulletin with the readings, prayers, and songs inside. Thank you!



### Waltonwood Ministry - Help Needed

Waltonwood Senior Living Community will be re-opening to visitors soon and Resurrection would like to re-start our Sunday Communion Service ministry for the residents living there. If you (or your family) would like to share the Eucharist, along with the Mass scripture readings and prayers, with our neighbors at Waltonwood who are unable to travel to church on Sundays we would love to have your help. Please contact the parish office with questions or to volunteer. Background check and Protecting God's Children workshop (online) is required. We would like volunteers to commit to visiting one Sunday every 2 months but the schedule is flexible. Come join this rewarding ministry!

### SVDP HAPPENINGS:

In the Gospel today, Jesus says "Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me." When we help the poor, we are truly followers of Jesus, servant of the poor.

The Covid Pandemic has continued to impose a severe burden on families living in our parish community. Since October 2020, the beginning of our current fiscal year, our Vincentian conference helped 26 families including 41 children with various financial needs. Many people with good paying jobs were laid off due to the economy shutting down. Unemployment benefits were not enough to carry the rent payment, utility bills, put food on the table, and pay for other emergencies as they arose. Thanks to many generous parishioners at Resurrection, we were able to help all 26 families with their most urgent bills.

As you place your St. Vincent DePaul (SVDP) green envelope in the Sunday offertory basket, or mail it to the parish office, please know that you are a sign of God's love to those who are suffering, and you give them Easter hope and joy.

May God bless you for loving the poor,

George Krinke

SVDP Resurrection Conference, President





SALAM ! SHALOM ! PAX ! PEACE ! This week we turn into the so-called ‘home stretch’ of Lent. We are blest to have two events that spotlight some of what Lent is about. Wednesday at 7 pm. we have our evening COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE. In addition to confessions most Saturdays, and the morning service a couple of weeks ago, this is an opportunity for us to join together both to reflect on our need for Divine Help individually as well as a society and to ask God’s blessings on ourselves and our families and communities – work, school, groups, etc.- in dealing with the evils and shortcomings we have. As usual, there will be several priests to speak with. Then, on Thursday, we have the Feast of the ANNUNCIATION – recalling when the angel spoke to Mary about having the child. She responded joyfully and enthusiastically. That is how we should respond in Confession ! The issue is NOT our sins. It is God’s Love ! We should be joyful and enthusiastic in inviting God’s creative, life-giving power into our lives – including healing any sins and problems we may have. Do not let the Lenten Season finish without having made use of this powerful tool for your well-being, and that of those around you.

Last Saturday night saw the start of Day-Light Savings Time again, with the official start of SPRING. We have been blest with some truly great weather recently. After what seemed like forever under cloudy skies, to have had both sunshine as well as warmth has been wonderful. I know I have appreciated being able to go for short walks, and longer ones as well. I have appreciated the outdoor Stations of the Cross – a good excuse to pass some time with the Lord. And the return of the songs of so many birds is calming and uplifting. All of this is also challenging – have my Lenten disciplines included any spiritual ‘house cleaning’ ? Have I planned my ‘Garden of Life’ for this year ? Am I ready to do some ‘weeding’ in my life ? The vitamin D the sunshine activates with the good feelings that come from the walks encourage such thoughts – and more importantly such actions. Do not cheat yourself by not taking advantage of all this.

This Saturday is also the start of PASSOVER for our Jewish neighbors and friends. The feast recalls when the Angel of Death ‘past over’ the Hebrews in Egypt. As we pray for them, and for PEACE in the Mid-East, let us dedicate ourselves to being ‘part of the answer’ by being open to what God asks – unlike the Pharaoh in Exodus. Hopefully the ‘long dark night’ of the pandemic is fast ending. Let us not just go now into a long wandering in the desert by not just returning to what WAS, but by channeling God’s power toward what CAN BE. Remember, YOU MAKE A DIFFERENCE ! WE ARE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER. Wear your Masks ! Keep your distances ! Wash your hands ! BE RESURRECTION ALIVE ! Christ IS RISEN ! Alleluia ! He is RISEN indeed ! Alleluia !

Fr. Tom



Please join us in welcoming Robert and Cheryl Weiland and their family to Resurrection Parish.

**Feeding the Hungry:  
John Bolde Food Depot**



**Current list of needed items include:**

- Pasta & Pasta Sauce
- Canned meats (tuna, chicken, spam)
- Paper products, bar soap
- Cereal (hot and cold)
- Canned fruits and vegetables
- Coffee, tea and sugar
- Hearty soups with meat (beef, chicken)
- Peanut butter, jelly, honey
- Can or box potatoes and rice

Leave the food items in the box to the south side of the entrance doors or bring inside to the front kitchen. Watch expiration dates please.

CONSCIENCE : The call is first to pray honestly and sincerely to do God’s will. Second, we’re to listen carefully to the voice of the Church and to other tested sources of wisdom. After forming our conscience as best we can, we make our decision with humility and respect for the teaching authority of the Church while staying open to more wisdom in the future. ( Catholic Update, Sept. 2016 )

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## Deacon Paul's Ponderings...

**Jesus said, "A grain of wheat remains no more than a single grain unless it is dropped into the ground and dies. If it does die . . . it produces many grains." From today's Gospel: John 12:24**

Emily Kingsley is the mother of a disabled child. To help people understand what this is like, she penned a lovely parable called "Welcome to Holland." It goes something like this. Planning the birth of a baby is like planning a glorious trip to Italy. You buy a guide book, map an itinerary, and even learn a few Italian phrases. Finally, the exciting day arrives. You tag your bags, double-check your passport and plane tickets, and leave for the airport. Your flight is called. You say good-bye to your friends, board the plane, take off, and settle back to enjoy the trip. A few hours later, the plane lands, and the stewardess says in a cheery voice, "Welcome to Holland!" "Holland?" you ask. "I'm supposed to go to Italy!" All my life I've been planning to go to Italy. The flight attendant says, "I'm so sorry. There's been a change in plans."

You get off the plane in shock, get your bags, and go through customs. As you leave the airport, you can't believe what has happened. But soon you begin to notice that Holland isn't a terrible place. It's just a different place. You go to a hotel, buy a guide book, and set out on a tour bus. You notice that Holland is less flashy and much slower-paced than Italy. But it does have tulips, quaint windmills, and even Rembrandt paintings. In the days ahead, you meet people coming and going to Italy. Everybody raves about it. And for the rest of your life, you'll say, "That's where I was supposed to go! That's where I always dream of going." And the pain of that lost dream never goes away. But if you spend the rest of your life regretting the loss of your dream, you will never enjoy the many lovely things Holland has to offer.

That lovely parable fits in beautifully with these words of Jesus in today's Gospel: "A grain of wheat remains not more than a single grain unless it is dropped into the ground and dies. If it does die . . . it produces many grains." **John 12:24** If Emily Kingsley had spend the rest of her life regretting the loss of her dream, she would have never enjoyed the many lovely things Holland had to offer. Instead, like the grain of wheat that fell into the ground, died, and bore many grains, she let her dream fall into the ground and die. As a result, it bore much fruit— not the least of which was to discover the many lovely things that remained in her life. It also allowed her to put in writing a beautiful parable that inspired many other people to accept the death of their dreams. More importantly, it inspired them to get on with their lives and discover the many lovely things that remained in their lives.

That brings us to each one of us in this church today. We have all had beautiful dreams that have died. For example, we dreamed of doing great things. We dream of being successful. We dreamed of having the perfect marriage or perfect family. But things just didn't quite work out, and the dream didn't pan out as we had hoped it would. Perhaps it even turned into a nightmare. Psychologists talk about the "midlife" crisis or "crisis of limits." As I understand the concept, there comes a time in our lives when we become aware that our dreams are not going to be realized in the way we had hoped. When that time comes, we can respond by blaming other people for the loss of our dream. Or we can blame bad breaks for interfering with the realization of those dreams. When we do this, we are like the grain of wheat that refuses to die. We allow regret or anger or depression to take over our lives. As a result, we never discover the many lovely things that "Holland" has to offer. Or to put it in another way, we are reluctant to pick up our "cross" and "loss" of a dream and follow Jesus. As a result, instead of letting sorrow and heartbreak draw us closer to Jesus, we let it drive us further away from him. In so doing we overlook one of the beautiful mysteries of the Gospel. When we do not hold on to regret but pick up our cross and follow Jesus, we discover something we never anticipated or dreamed of. What we feared would be a heavy cross often turns into a great blessing.

Malcolm Muggeridge, the British TV celebrity who had such a powerful influence in making Mother Teresa's ministry known to the world, had this to say about the cross and its blessing. He wrote: "I can say with complete truthfulness that everything I have learned in my seventy-five years in this world, everything that has truly enhanced and enlightened my experience, has been through affliction and not through happiness." **Malcolm Muggeridge**

To put it in another way: "Troubles are often the means God uses to fashion us into people we never thought we could ever become." **Anonymous**

Or to put it yet another way:

For every hill I've had to climb . . .

For all the blood and sweat and grime . . .

My heart sings but a grateful song—

These were things that made me strong. **Anonymous**

**Adapted from Sunday Homilies by Fr. Mark Link, S.J.**

God is Good! All the Time!

Deacon Paul

## Love in a Box...

**This weekend, March 20/21, please deliver your box to Resurrection.** Volunteers will be available before and after all Masses to assist with unloading. We will distribute the boxes to our St. Vincent de Paul neighbors in need and the John Bolde Food Depot. Thank you for your participation.

Peace and blessings, Your Christian Service Commission



## Easter Flower Donations

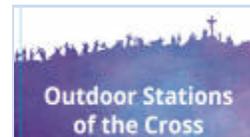
The Decorating Committee invites you to donate flowers in memory of a beloved family member or friend. Envelopes are in the Gathering Space. Or mail in your donation with a note of who you would like remembered or honored. Please return your donation by March 23rd. A list of those being remembered or honored will be in the Easter bulletin.



## Resources for Lent

Some resources to inspire you on your Lenten journey. Email [sonrise@resurrectionparish.net](mailto:sonrise@resurrectionparish.net) to share your favorite resources.

- \* Little Black Books for Lent (Available in the Gathering Space).
- \* "Led by the Spirit" Daily Lenten Reflections with Dr. Tim Gray. <https://formed.org/lent>
- \* Augustine Institute Holy Week Bible Conference on March 27. <https://bibleconference.augustineinstitute.org/>
- \* Dynamic Catholic's Best Lent Ever. <https://www.dynamiccatholic.com/lent/best-lent-ever.html>
- \* Sacred Heart Major Seminary's Lent 2021 course called Growing in Sexual Integrity. <http://explore.shms.edu/sexual-integrity>
- \* Lent #Pray40 Challenge on the Hallow app (\$\$). <https://hallow.com/2021/01/20/pray40-2021/>
- \* Daily Gospel, reflection, and prayer, emailed to you. [faith.nd.edu](http://faith.nd.edu)
- \* Visit the Vatican museums virtually. [museivaticani.va](http://museivaticani.va)



Throughout Lent, you are invited to our **Outdoor Stations of the**

**Cross.** You can pray on foot or in your car. Begin at the end of our parking lot to the right of the ASCS sign and follow the perimeter drive to each of the 14 stations.

See [www.resurrectionparish.net/outdoor-stations-of-the-cross](http://www.resurrectionparish.net/outdoor-stations-of-the-cross) for prayer resources.



## Fr Gabriel Richard High School Open House Thursday, March 25 6:30 – 8:00 pm.

Learn about the intellectual and spiritual benefits of an FGR education at our Spring Open House. We warmly invite all middle school students and their families to tour our school, meet our outstanding faculty, coaches, and students and learn about our exceptional programs of academic excellence, intentional discipleship, creativity, and sportsmanship. To help maintain a safe and enjoyable atmosphere for all, please register for a time slot at [FGRHS.org](http://FGRHS.org) or by contacting Director of Admissions Mary Vangieson at 734-929-6988 or [admissions@fgrhs.org](mailto:admissions@fgrhs.org).

Join the **Women's Faith Sharing** group on the 4th Monday of each month at 7 PM, virtually from your homes.

At each meeting, we read and discuss our 2020/21 book [The Strangeness of Truth: Vibrant Faith in a Dark World](#), pray together, and build our friendships. We'd love to have you join us on March 22nd. No need to have read the book. Email Missy at [msullivan989@gmail.com](mailto:msullivan989@gmail.com) for link to join us.

# FORMED

PICK OF THE WEEK

March 21, 2021

WATCH

### THE SANCTUARY COURSE FOR CATHOLICS

Today, misconceptions surrounding mental illness can prevent us from responding well to those suffering. This eight-session course explores the realities of mental illness, as well as the need for faith-based conversations about this topic. The sessions feature the stories of Catholics living with mental health challenges, along with the insights of archbishops, theologians, and psychologists.



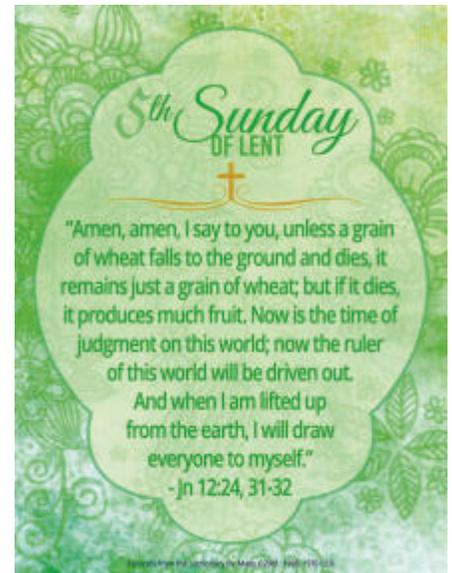
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March 21, 2021      Fifth Sunday in Lent  
Hymns, Prayers, and Readings for Mass

### Opening Hymn: Unless a Grain of Wheat

- Refrain: Unless a grain of wheat shall fall upon the ground and die,  
It remains but a single grain with no life.
- Verse 1: If we have died with him, then we shall live with him;  
If we hold firm, we shall reign with him.
- Verse 2: If anyone serves me, then they must follow me;  
Where ever I am, my servants will be.
- Verse 3: Make your home in me, as I make mine in you;  
Those who remain in me bear much fruit.



### Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God  
and to you, my brothers and sisters,  
that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words,  
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,  
through my fault, through my fault,  
through my most grievous fault;  
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,  
all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters,  
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

### First Reading: Jeremiah 31: 31-34

The days are coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant I made with their fathers the day I took them by the hand to lead them forth from the land of Egypt; for they broke my covenant, and I had to show myself their master, says the LORD. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD. I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts; I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer will they have need to teach their friends and relatives how to know the LORD. All, from least to greatest, shall know me, says the LORD, for I will forgive their evildoing and remember their sin no more.

March 21, 2021                      Fifth Sunday in Lent  
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### **Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 51**

**Response:** Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned;  
                  be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

### **Second Reading:                      Hebrews 5: 7-9**

In the days when Christ Jesus was in the flesh, he offered prayers and supplications with loud cries and tears to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverence. Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered; and when he was made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him.

**Gospel Acclamation:**    Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

### **Gospel:                      John 12: 20-33**

Some Greeks who had come to worship at the Passover Feast came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, "Sir, we would like to see Jesus." Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Amen, amen, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit. Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will preserve it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me.

"I am troubled now. Yet what should I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? But it was for this purpose that I came to this hour. Father, glorify your name." Then a voice came from heaven, "I have glorified it and will glorify it again." The crowd there heard it and said it was thunder; but others said, "An angel has spoken to him." Jesus answered and said, "This voice did not come for my sake but for yours. Now is the time of judgment on this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw everyone to myself." He said this indicating the kind of death he would die.

### **The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

March 21, 2021      Fifth Sunday in Lent  
Hymns, Prayers, and Readings for Mass

**Prayers of the Faithful Response:      Lord, hear our prayer.**

**Preparation Hymn:      Only This I Want**

Refrain:      Only this I want: but to know the Lord,  
                    And to bear his cross so to wear the crown he wore.

Verse 1:      All but this is loss, worthless refuse to me,  
                    For to gain the Lord is to gain all I need.

Verse 2:      I will run the race; I will fight the good fight,  
                    So to win the prize of the Kingdom of my Lord.

**Communion Hymn:      Let Us Be Bread**

Refrain:      Let us be bread, blessed by the Lord, broken and shared, life for the world.  
                    Let us be wine, love freely poured. Let us be one in the Lord.

Verse 1:      I am the bread of life, broken for all. Eat now and hunger no more.

Verse 2:      You are my friends if you keep my commands, no longer servants by friends.

**Closing Hymn:      May God Bless and Keep You**

Verse 1:      May God bless and keep you, may God smile on you.  
                    May God show you kindness, fill you with peace.  
                    And my God bless you, Father, Son, and Spirit;  
                    May we always love and serve, filled with God's peace.

**Please take your bulletin home with you when you leave**

**A Prayer for Civility** (from the USCCB website)

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace. Where uncivil words prevail, show me how to model love. Help me remember the God-given dignity of all and invite others to do the same. Show me how to build bridges and not walls and see first what unites us rather than how we diverge. Let me seek to understand before asking to be understood. Give me a listening heart filled with empathy and compassion. May I be clear in sharing my own position and respectful and civil in describing those of others. Let me never tolerate hateful ideas. May I invite all to charity and love. Lord, help me to imitate your compassion and mercy. Make me an instrument of your peace. Amen.



**Parish Office Hours**  
 Monday-Thursday  
 8:00 am-4:00 pm  
 Friday 8:00 am-noon

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**Mass Schedule**

Saturday 4:00 pm  
 Sunday 9:00 am  
 11:00 am  
 Wednesday 8:30 am  
 Rosary 9:00 am  
 Friday 8:30 am  
 Healing & Anointing of Sick  
 1st Friday of month 8:30 am  
 Communion Service -  
 10:20 am on Sunday in  
 Parking Lot

**Reconciliation**

Saturday 2:45-3:30 pm  
 or by appointment.

**Baptism**

Please call the parish office.

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**Welcome To  
 Resurrection Parish**

We extend our hand and hearts in Christian friendship to you, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. If you are not registered, have moved, or have other needs, please fill out this form and place in the collection basket or mail to the Parish Office.

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◇ New Parishioner \_\_\_\_\_  
 ◇ New Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 ◇ New Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 ◇ Moving, please remove from list.  
 ◇ I am going to be in the hospital, please call me. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Sonrise Bulletin**

- Email sonrise@resurrectionparish.net to submit items.
- Early submission deadlines for Easter:  
 3/16 for 3/28 bulletin and 3/22 for 4/4 bulletin
- Subscribe to the *Sonrise*, at <https://www.resurrectionparish.net/publications/subscribe> for delivery right to your email each week.

**Offering at Resurrection**

Weekly Budget  
**\$ 5,050.00**  
 =====  
 Weekly Total Received\*  
  
**3/7/21 - \$8,017.50**  
**3/14/21 - \$4,707.83**

*\*Includes contributions in envelopes, loose, and those made electronically.*

*Give online or set up recurring donations at our parish website [www.resurrectionparish.net](http://www.resurrectionparish.net)*

**Mass Intentions****Saturday, Mar 20**

4:00 pm People of the Parish

**Sunday, Mar 21**

9:00 am Mary Kodidek

11:00 am James Mulcahy  
(Patti Petri)**Wednesday, Mar 24**

8:30 am Natalie Salazar

**Friday, Mar 26**

8:30 am Frank and Eva Knotek

(Karen Lijek)

**Saturday, Mar 27**4:00 pm Mary Jo Workman  
(Joan and Keith DiMaria)**Sunday, Mar 28**

9:00 am People of the Parish

11:00 am Jackie Stack  
(The Stack Family)  
Paul and Marion Tavana  
(Mary Tavana)**Mass Readings****Fifth Sunday of Lent****March 21, 2021**

Jer 31:31-34

Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15 [12a]

Heb 5:7-9

Jn 12:20-33

Next week's readings:

Mk 11:1-10

Is 50:4-7

Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 [2a]

Phil 2:6-11

Mk 14:1-15:47



Read and listen to daily and Sunday readings online at <http://uscceb.org/bible/readings>

In today's Gospel, St. John tells the story of Lazarus dying and Jesus raising him from the dead. This miracle prefigures Jesus' own death and Resurrection. Our Lord demonstrates His glory and power by returning the gift of life to Lazarus. The Scripture readings from both the prophet Ezekiel and St. Paul's Letter to the Roman community proclaim that the Spirit of God lives in us and raises us to a life void of the death of sin. The Church has consistently embraced the sanctity and preservation of all human life, from her earliest days when Christians saved abandoned Roman children left to perish in the elements. As faithful stewards, we recognize the teaching of the Church that life in all its forms is a God-created gift, in contrast to secular society's "culture of death." This culture promotes the destruction of life at all stages, beginning with embryonic stem cell research, then abortion, and finally euthanasia. This Lent, participate in a prayer vigil for life outside an abortion mill.

**Parish Events Calendar**Sunday, March 21

6:30 PM Confirmation Class

Monday, March 22

7:00 PM Women's Faith Sharing Meeting

Tuesday, March 23

6:30 PM Elementary Faith Formation Classes

7:30 PM Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Wednesday, March 24

7:00 PM Communal Reconciliation Service

7:00 PM ASCS Mom's Fellowship Meeting

*Please pray for:***Jerry Novak****Keith Craffey****John Plona****Kimberly Broad****Sonia Culver****Beth Gryniewicz**

**For all those currently serving in the United States Military, especially:**

United States Air Force**Adam DiMaria****Levi DiMaria****Christen Tabeling**United States Navy**Jason Stahl**United States Army**Kay (Gunawan) Kerstens****Martin F. Smith****Kirk M. Tooley, III****Amy Trombley****SFC Leonard Paul Adams**

Please pray for the following serving God, the Church, and the World in your name: **Sister Madonna Marie, OSF**

*To add someone to this prayer list, our prayers at Mass, and/or Prayer Chain, please contact the Parish office.*

**Spiritual Communion Prayer**

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there. And unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

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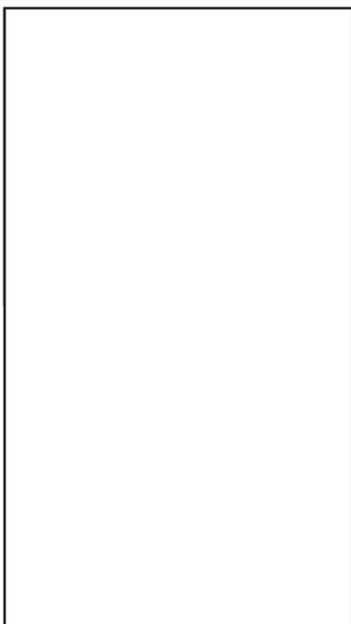
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