

Alleluia! He Is Risen!



We have died with Christ.
We carry about in our bodies
the sign of his death,
so that the living Christ
may also be revealed in us.
The life we live is not now
our ordinary life
but the life of Christ:
a life of sinlessness,
of chastity, of simplicity
and every other virtue.
We have risen with Christ.

St. Ambrose

Masses For The Week

Saturday, April 15 (Easter Vigil)

7:30 PM Pro Populo

Sunday, April 16 (Easter)

8:00 AM For all the Parishioners

10:30 AM For all the Parishioners

12:15 PM Para todos los Miembros de San Juan

Monday, April 17

7:00 PM †Ruth McCowen by Lucy Krouskop

Tuesday, April 18

7:00 PM Guy & Judy Sims by Melody & James Zimmer

Thursday, April 20

7:00 PM Nettie by Theresa Lyon

Friday, April 21

7:00 PM †Norman Krouskop by Lucy Krouskop

Saturday, April 22

4:00 PM †T.J. Blankenship by Terry Kretler

Sunday, April 23

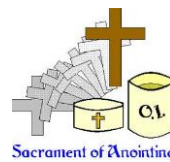
8:00 AM Pro Populo

10:30 AM †Ana Beverly Gonzales by Gonzales & Jennings Families

12:15 PM †Antonia Santana Ricon Int. de Yesica Rivera

Sound Catholic practice encourages us to offer the Mass for the departed and for those in any need. To request a Mass to be offered, please visit the parish office or return to the office a completed Mass intention card. Available cards are located in the foyer of the church.

Anointing of the Sick



Because of the Privacy Act, hospitals and nursing homes are no longer able to provide a list of the Catholic patients/residents for the Churches use in order to visit and administer the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick. Therefore, I need your assistance when you have a family member who is hospitalized or in a nursing home. Please call Fr. Orosco at the Church Office at (972) 563-3643 so that I may be of assistance.

Happy Easter

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – ANNUAL RAFFLE

The KC will have their 12th annual raffle on **Saturday, June 17th** starting at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets are \$100 each (only 300 will be sold) and will admit two (2) for dinner. There will be four (4) prizes: **1st prize: \$15,000** cash; **2nd prize: \$1,000** cash; **3rd prize: \$500** cash and **4th prize: \$100** cash (Need not be present to win). You can purchase your tickets from any Knight or call Frank Kasper at 972-563-9664.



ST. JOHN'S SR. CITIZENS



The St. John's Senior Citizens will meet on **Tuesday, April 18th** at 10:00am in the Parish Hall. The program portion of the meeting will begin at 11:00am. This month's guest

speaker will be given by Sandy DeLaMater. She will be demonstrating the making of lap blankets using special crocheting stitches. This will be a good opportunity to practice a new skill! Our programs are always open to all parishioners. Lunch will be covered dish. Please plan to attend!

Prayer Requests



Richard Collier	Nick Morales, Sr.
Richard Lozano Sr.	Lee Wilde
Mike Gonzales	James Dean
Blake Tucker	Brenda Newburn
Curtis Rushing	Henry Taft
Deacon Leo Renner	Jesus Arteaga
Jennifer Whitehouse	Archie Palmore
Paul Gumler	Mason Gumler
Olivia Nicole Yates	Felipa Garcia
Stanley Quist	Joe Wages
Sonia Rodriguez Cadena	Erica Vargas
Brenda Larsen	Margaret Wages
Carol Dossey	Sheila Wages
Cindy Kinkaid	Myrna Lawson
Rosann Kinkaid	Johnnie B. Malouf
Yamileth Martinez	Pascual Meza
Patti Sikors Garrett	Robert Repka, Sr.
Angel Gabriel Godinez	Michelle Elliott
Tomas Samuel Garcia	Crystal Sanchez
Barbara Sikors Hendricks	Enrique Gutierrez
Maria Mercedes Gaytan	Warren Terry
Ma. del Refugio Mendoza	Elmer Marsden
Marianne Marsden	Odin Kizer
Connie Schroeder	Elaine Kasper
Daniel Gonzales	Jackie Petricka
Luisa Regina Ramirez Perez	Ann Glynn
Jovita De la Garza	Joe Campise
Leslie Erickson	Odilia Vargas



Ministry Schedule for the Weekend of April 22/23

Lectors:

Sat. 7:30pm Debbie Patterson/Melody Zimmer
 Sun. 8:00am Linda Faulkner-Johnston
 Sun. 10:30am Bud McClure/Karie Hammond

Ushers:

Sat. 7:30pm Sherry Goelden*/Debbie P./Paul M./Volunteer
 Sun. 8:00am Conrado Aramil*/Robert B./Cindy K./Abby H.
 Sun. 10:30am Richard Jr.*/Steven H./Bruce B./Erik A.

Extraordinary Ministers

Sat. 7:30pm Joyce Salisbury/Rick Salisbury/Michael Gumler
 Sun. 8:00am Chris Probst/Dan Probst/Paul Willy/Robin Truett
 Sun. 10:30am Argie Benavidez/Shelilah Dean
 Tammy Guerra/Bud McClure

Last Week's Collection

Last Week's Collection:	6,979.77
FY'16-17 Budgeted Average:	6,500.00
FY'16-17 Average Sunday Coll. thru 03/31/17:	6,697.82
Attendance:	1,280



April Class Schedule:

- Sunday: 23, 30 (Last day)
- Tuesday: 18, 25
- Wednesday: 19, 26

May Class Schedule:

- Tuesday: 2 (Last day)
- Wednesday: 3 (Last day)

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, April 16

9:15 AM NO R.E. classes

Monday, April 17

7:00 PM Daily Mass
 7:00 PM Grupo de Oración – Casa St. John

Tuesday, April 18

10:00 AM Sr. Citizens meeting in Parish Hall
 6:30 PM R.E. evening classes
 6:30 PM Clases Bíblicas en el Salón Parroquial
 7:00 PM Daily Mass

Wednesday, April 19

6:30 PM R.E. evening classes
 6:45 PM Hora Santa

Thursday, April 20

7:00 PM Daily Mass

Friday, April 21

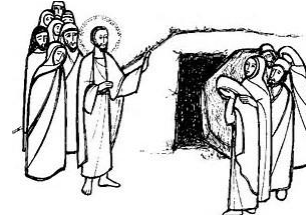
7:00 PM Daily Mass

Saturday, April 22

11:00 AM Wedding: Forest Hick & Gabriela Rosales



Easter Week



For (returning) students currently enrolled in RE classes and their siblings registering for Kingergarten:

Monday, April 24th:	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Tuesday, April 25th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Wednesday, April 26th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Thursday, April 27th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Friday, April 28th:	10am – 1:30pm	Parish Center
Monday, May 1st:	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Tuesday, May 2nd:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Wednesday, May 3rd:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Thursday, May 4th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Sunday, May 7th:	After all Masses	Parish Hall
Sunday, May 21st:	After all Masses	Parish Hall

For new students and those not currently registered in RE classes:

Tuesday, May 9th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 4pm	Parish Center
Wednesday, May 10th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
Thursday, May 11th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Friday, May 12th:	9am – 1pm	Parish Center
Monday, May 22nd:	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Tuesday, May 23rd:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Wednesday, May 24th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Thursday, May 25th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
	1pm – 6pm	Parish Center
Friday, May 26th:	9am – 11am	Parish Center
Sunday, May 28th:	After all Masses	Parish Hall
Sunday, June 4th:	After all Masses	Parish Hall



St. John's VBS program will be from Monday, June 5th to Friday, June 9th from 9:00am – 12 Noon. More information forthcoming...

Easter Sunday, we read from the **Acts of the Apostles** to hear Peter's preaching about the Resurrection. The **Letter to the Colossians** reminds us "You have died and your lives are hidden with Christ in God." The Gospel is from **John's Gospel** and gives us the first story of that Easter morning - Mary Magdalene discovers the empty tomb and runs to Peter and the "disciple Jesus loved" to tell them. They run to the tomb and discover for themselves that it is empty.

The first reading for Easter Week is from the **Acts of the Apostles**. We hear Peter's preaching the Good News and experience the first deeds of the Apostles, which parallel the acts of Jesus, including the conflicts he experienced and his power to heal.

The Gospels this week are all resurrection appearances. These wonderful stories contain some common elements. They appear designed to make it clear that this was not a group of disciples who dreamed up the resurrection, because they were hoping for it so much. In fact, they found it difficult to believe. The Jesus they saw and experienced was not a "ghost." Instead, he had a body.

Monday, is the story of Jesus appearing to Mary Magdalene and the other Mary, as well as the "cover-up story" and pay off of the guards. Tuesday, we read of Jesus' appearance to Mary Magdalene, through the eyes of **John's Gospel**. Jesus missions her to announce the Good News to his brothers. On Wednesday we are treated to **Luke's** marvelous story of Jesus' appearance to the two disciples on the road to Emmaus. They were sad, because they had hoped the story would have turned out differently. Jesus tells them why he had to first suffer and die in order to enter into his glory. As they stopped to eat, "he was made known to them in the breaking of the bread." Thursday Jesus appears in the room where the disciples are gathered. "Peace be with you" he says and then eats with them and shows them his wounds. On Friday, we have the powerful appearance in **John's Gospel** at the Sea of Tiberias. Peter decided to return to fishing. Jesus appears and re-missions him. On Saturday, the week concludes with the summary of appearances in what appears to be an addition to the end of **Mark's Gospel**.



Noticias de la Doctrina

Calendario de Abril

Clases de domingos: 23, 30 (el último día de clases)
 Clases de martes: 18, 25
 Clases de miércoles: 19, 26

Calendario de Mayo

Clases de martes: 2 (el último día de clases)
 Clases de los miércoles: 3 (el último día de clases)

FECHAS PARA INSCRIPCIONES PARA LA DOCTRINA

Para los estudiantes que van a regresar y que están asistiendo Doctrina este año:

Lunes, 24 de abril:	1pm – 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Martes, 25 de abril:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Miércoles, 26 de abril:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Jueves, 27 de abril:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Viernes, 28 de abril:	10am - 1:30pm	Centro Parroquial
Lunes, 1 de mayo:	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Martes, 2 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm-6pm	Centro Parroquial
Miércoles, 3 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Jueves, 4 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Domingo, 7 de mayo:	después de todas las Misas en el Salón Parroquial	
Domingo, 21 de mayo:	después de todas las Misas en el Salón Parroquial	

LOS CABALLEROS DE COLON

Los Caballeros de Colon van a tener su duodécimo (12) rifa anual el sábado, 17 de junio comenzando a las 6:30pm en el Salón Parroquial. El costo de los boletos para la rifa son de \$100 cada uno (solamente se venderan 300 boletos) y admita dos (2) personas a la cena. Habrán 4 premios de dinero en efectivo: 1° premio: \$15,000; 2° premio: \$1,000; 3° premio: \$500 y 4° premio: \$100 (no necesita estar presente). Podrá comprar su boleto(s) con cualquier miembro de los Caballeros de Colon o llamar al Sr. Frank Kasper al 972-563-9664.



Grupo de Oración

El Grupo de Oración se reúnen los lunes a las 7:00pm en la Casa San Juan.



Pláticas Bíblicas para Adultos

Tenemos Pláticas Bíblicas para Adultos cada martes a las 6:30pm en el Salón Parroquial con el Diacono Mario Sánchez.



Unción de los Enfermos

Si usted o alguien que usted conozca está necesitado en recibir comunión o el Sacramento de la Unción de los Enfermos favor de llamar al Padre Orosco en la oficina de la Iglesia al número 972-563-3643.



ANOTEN:

Favor de notificar la oficina de la Iglesia (972-563-3643) si tiene un cambio de domicilio o cambio de número de teléfono.



Para los estudiantes nuevos y que no están asistiendo Doctrina:

Martes, 9 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 4pm	Centro Parroquial
Miércoles, 10 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
Jueves, 11 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Viernes, 12 de mayo:	9am – 1pm	Centro Parroquial
Lunes, 22 de mayo:	1pm – 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Martes, 23 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Miércoles, 24 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Jueves, 25 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
	1pm - 6pm	Centro Parroquial
Viernes, 26 de mayo:	9am – 11am	Centro Parroquial
Domingo, 28 de mayo:	después de todas las Misas en el Salón Parroquial	
Domingo, 4 de junio:	después de todas las Misas en el Salón Parroquial	