

MAY 1, 2022 | THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS TIMES

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 4:30 pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 8:30 am, 11:00 am

DAILY MASSES

Monday-Friday 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
or by appointment

ROSARY

Saturday: No Rosary at this time
Sunday: No Rosary at this time

ADORATION

Temporarily suspended

FIRST FRIDAY

Temporarily suspended

OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Fri: 8:00 am - 2:00 pm
Saturday & Sunday: Closed

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3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER

[[Jesus] said to him, "Follow me." - Jn 21:19b

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OUR MISSION

We, the Parishioners of St. Joseph Catholic Church, centered on God and the Eucharist, commit to renew our hearts that we might grow in faith. We welcome all with open arms and hearts so that we may become one Family of God in Christ. We grow in faith through love.

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PRAYER & WORSHIP

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY 5/2

† Jim Wells

TUESDAY 5/3

8:00 am † Ruben Martinez, Jr.

WEDNESDAY 5/4

8:00 am † Tom Harrington

THURSDAY 5/5

8:00 am † Mary Harsh

FRIDAY 5/6

8:00 am † Deceased Altar Society

SATURDAY 5/7

4:30 pm † Rosa Lozano

† Phyllis Lozano

SUNDAY 5/8

8:30 am † Enrique Paiz

† Patricia McCarthy

† Isabel Wolff

11:00 am † All the Faithful



Please pray for those who are in the process of celebrating their Holy Matrimony.

**Maritza Jimenez
&
Jessie Torres
APRIL 30, 2022**

CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Parents who wish to present their child for Baptism may contact the church office at 281-420-3588 to enroll for a Baptism class.

MARRIAGE

Couples wishing to solemnize their marriage in this parish are invited to contact the pastor or one of the deacons not less than six months prior to the anticipated wedding date.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you, a family member, or a friend wishes to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the church office at 281-420-3588.



PLEASE PRAY FOR

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Peggy Ball
Theresa Blanchard
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Matthew Connealy
Governor Crawford
Mervin Elmore
Brandon Galvan
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LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE

SANCTUARY CANDLE

This week the Sanctuary Candle will burn in memory of Mayola Racca. Requested by Clara Davis.

BLESSED MOTHER ALTAR

This week the candle on the Blessed Mother Altar will burn in honor of the Saturday Morning Ladies of the Blessed Mother of St. Joseph Church.

If you would like to recognize a special person or group by having the flame of the Sanctuary Lamp burn for one week in the person's memory of honor, please contact Peggy Koenig, coordinator at 281-427-1834. You may want to pay tribute to the memory of a loved one or colleague. The \$10.00 stipend goes directly to special ministries.

SUNDAY MASS SACRISTAN SCHEDULE



Saturday, May 7, 2022 4:30 pm

Sacristan:

Sunday, May 8, 2022 8:30 am

Sacristan:

Sunday, May 8, 2022 at 11:00 am

Sacristan:

AROUND THE CHURCH

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TAKE FIVE FOR FAITH

Sunday, May 01, 2022

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Crown thy good with brotherhood

Some of us are born into an abundance of siblings in our families, and some not. But all of us are gifted with sisters and brothers in the church. Today on Religious Brothers Day, we're reminded how "The vocation of the brother is part of the answer that God gives to the absence of brotherhood which is wounding the world today" (Identity and Mission of the Religious Brother in the Church). If you feel stirred to be a special kind of brother to those in need, consider casting your net in the direction of this unique vocation.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Revelation 5:11-14; John 21:1-19 (48). "Cast the net over the right side of the boat and you will find something."*

Monday, May 02, 2022

MEMORIAL OF ATHANASIUS, BISHOP, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Stand and be counted

Called "Father of Orthodoxy," "Pillar of the Church," and "Champion of Christ's Divinity," Saint Athanasius the Great was an extraordinary early Christian leader. He was the bishop of Alexandria and best known for fighting the heresy of Arianism, which argued that Jesus was begotten by, but not co-eternal with, God the Father. He suffered for his efforts though, making lots of enemies and spending 17 years in exile. Historian Cornelius Clifford said of him: "His career almost personifies a crisis in the history of Christianity." You may not earn the honorific the "Great," but can you stand up for the truth even if it costs you something?

TODAY'S READINGS: *Acts 6:8-15; John 6:22-29 (273). "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent."*

Tuesday, May 03, 2022

FEAST OF PHILIP AND JAMES, APOSTLES

Team up

Saint James the Lesser gets paired with various religious figures. He shares today's feast with Philip because their

martyred bodies arrived together for burial. He shares his first name with Saint James the Greater, one of the first disciples to follow Jesus and the first apostle martyred. But James the Lesser—named for being younger than the elder James—is best known for being partnered with Jesus. Called the "brother of the Lord" though actually a cousin, legend says James looked so much like Jesus that even the Virgin Mary had trouble telling them apart. It is good to have a partner in faith to rely on.

TODAY'S READINGS: *1 Corinthians 15:1-8; John 14:6-14 (561). "He appeared to James, then to all the Apostles."*

Wednesday, May 04, 2022

EASTER WEEKDAY

Spread the good word

On this day in 1493, Pope Alexander VI issued his monumental papal bull *Inter caetera*, meant to resolve a dispute between the kings of Spain and Portugal concerning exploration and colonization of the Americas. The document helped spread the Catholic faith across the Americas but also led to brutal colonialism and slavery in the same lands. As the church continues to live in the long shadow of this watershed document, its core wish still rings true: that "the Catholic faith and the Christian religion be exalted and be everywhere increased and spread."

TODAY'S READINGS: *Acts 8:1b-8; John 6:35-40 (275). "Let all the earth cry out to God with joy."*

Thursday, May 05, 2022

EASTER WEEKDAY

Viva our vibrant church

Today is Cinco de Mayo, a commemoration of a key Mexican military victory that, in the United States, has evolved into a general celebration of Mexican culture. Mexican Americans have made enormous contributions to the U.S. church, which is rapidly becoming majority-Hispanic. Take a moment today to learn about the V Encuentro, a broad-based effort to listen and respond to the wisdom and the needs of Latinos in the U.S. church.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Acts 8:26-40; John 6:44-51 (276). "I am the bread of*

life."

Friday, May 06, 2022

EASTER WEEKDAY

Follow the way of healing

"Healing is an essential dimension of the apostolic mission and of Christian faith," says Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI in his book *Jesus of Nazareth* (2007). "It can even be said that Christianity is a 'therapeutic religion, a religion of healing.'" Much of healing is beyond our control, whether it comes from divine grace or medical resources available to us. However, as disciples of Christ, we can be a healing presence to those who are sick and suffering by listening more than speaking and avoiding the temptation to have all the answers in situations that remain a mystery.

TODAY'S READINGS: *Acts 9:1-20; John 6:52-59 (277). "Lay his hands on him, that he may regain his sight."*

Saturday, May 07, 2022

EASTER WEEKDAY

Welcome back

It was hard to be a Christian during the early persecutions of the church. Many neophytes quit the faith to avoid imprisonment, torture, and even death. But when the persecutions ended with the Edict of Milan in 313, the question arose of whether they should be allowed back into the church. From that controversy it became apparent that the church was not an elite body of the sanctified, but a mix of saints and sinners, like the field of wheat and weeds. For the church to truly embody Christ, it must be dedicated to forgiveness and an open-door policy. Who can you forgive today?

TODAY'S READINGS: *Acts 9:31-42; John 6:60-69 (278). "Jesus then said to the Twelve, 'Do you also want to leave?'"*

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In Lectionary Cycle C, our Sunday Gospels are usually taken from the Gospel of Luke. The Gospels for the Easter Season, however, are taken from the Gospel of John. Today's Gospel is one of the post-Resurrection appearances reported by John. Recall that in John's Gospel, Jesus appears first to Mary of Magdala, second to all of the disciples except Thomas, and finally to Thomas and the disciples (which we heard last Sunday). After those appearances, John's Gospel seems to conclude with a reference to other signs that Jesus gave after his Resurrection, which have not been recorded.

Because it follows this apparent conclusion, most scholars believe today's Gospel passage (and all of John 21) to have been an addition to John's original text. Because there are significant differences between this report and the other appearances described in John's Gospel, it is quite likely that this story is from a different source. There are details in the story that recall Jesus' call to Simon Peter and the other fishermen as well as the miraculous catch of fish (found in the Gospel of Luke, with parallels in the other Synoptic Gospels). The end of the chapter, where Jesus asks Peter three times whether he loves him, most likely is meant to represent the reconciliation that occurred between the community represented by John's Gospel with the larger Christian community represented by Peter. This Gospel reading is a rich and textured story that speaks of Jesus' presence in the Eucharist and our commission to serve others as Jesus did.

Last week we heard that Jesus appeared to the gathered disciples in a locked room, probably in Jerusalem. In today's Gospel, the disciples are no longer in Jerusalem; they are in Galilee, returning to their work of fishing. Simon Peter is still presented in the role of leader: when he announces that he is going fishing, the other disciples follow. They spend the night fishing but are unsuccessful.

Jesus calls to them from the shore, but just as when Jesus first appeared to Mary of Magdala, the disciples do not recognize him immediately. Still, they follow the stranger's instructions and bring in a large haul of fish. It is at this point that one of the disciples (the "disciple whom Jesus loved") realizes that Jesus is appearing to them. Upon hearing this news, Simon

Peter leads the way again, jumping from the boat and swimming to shore. The other disciples follow in the boat, dragging the fish.

The disciples have brought to shore a tremendous catch of fish that Jesus has directed them to find. But once on the shore, they see that Jesus has already prepared fish and bread on a charcoal fire. Jesus directs the disciples to bring their catch of fish as well. Jesus is host at the meal that follows, feeding the disciples the bread and fish. In this detail we see allusions to the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and the fishes told in John 6.

There are also allusions in the Gospel to our gathering for the celebration of the Mass. In the Eucharist, we too are fed by Jesus in the bread and wine that have become his very Body and Blood. We also find in this story insight about the Presentation of the Gifts at Mass. The gifts we bring to the altar, bread and wine, are made from gifts that God gave first to us: grain and grapes, the fruit of the earth. God has no need of anything further. Yet God accepts the offering we bring—bread and wine, "the work of human hands"—and transforms our offering into the gift of his very presence.

After the meal, Jesus directs himself to Simon Peter. The community of John's Gospel probably looked down on Peter because of his denial of Jesus. This dialogue with Simon Peter is a reversal of Peter's three denials. Peter is forgiven. Having been restored to friendship with Jesus, Simon Peter is sent on a mission. "Feed my lambs . . . Tend my sheep . . . Feed my sheep." These commands indicate that Peter is to be as Jesus, even unto sacrificing for the flock. As Jesus has fed Peter in this meal and as Jesus feeds us in the Eucharist, so he also sends us to follow him, asking that we offer our lives in service and sacrifice.

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone that came out to support the Good Friday Fish Fry and to all those that participated in the raffle.

Congratulations to the following raffle winners:

\$1,000 Visa Gift Card - Tony Sanchez

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\$200 Visa Gift Card - Jesus Castillo

WEEKLY DONATIONS

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WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

DSF SUMMARY REPORT

Parish Goal-\$25,200
Total Paid-\$ 9,009
Total Participants- 43
Total Households-324

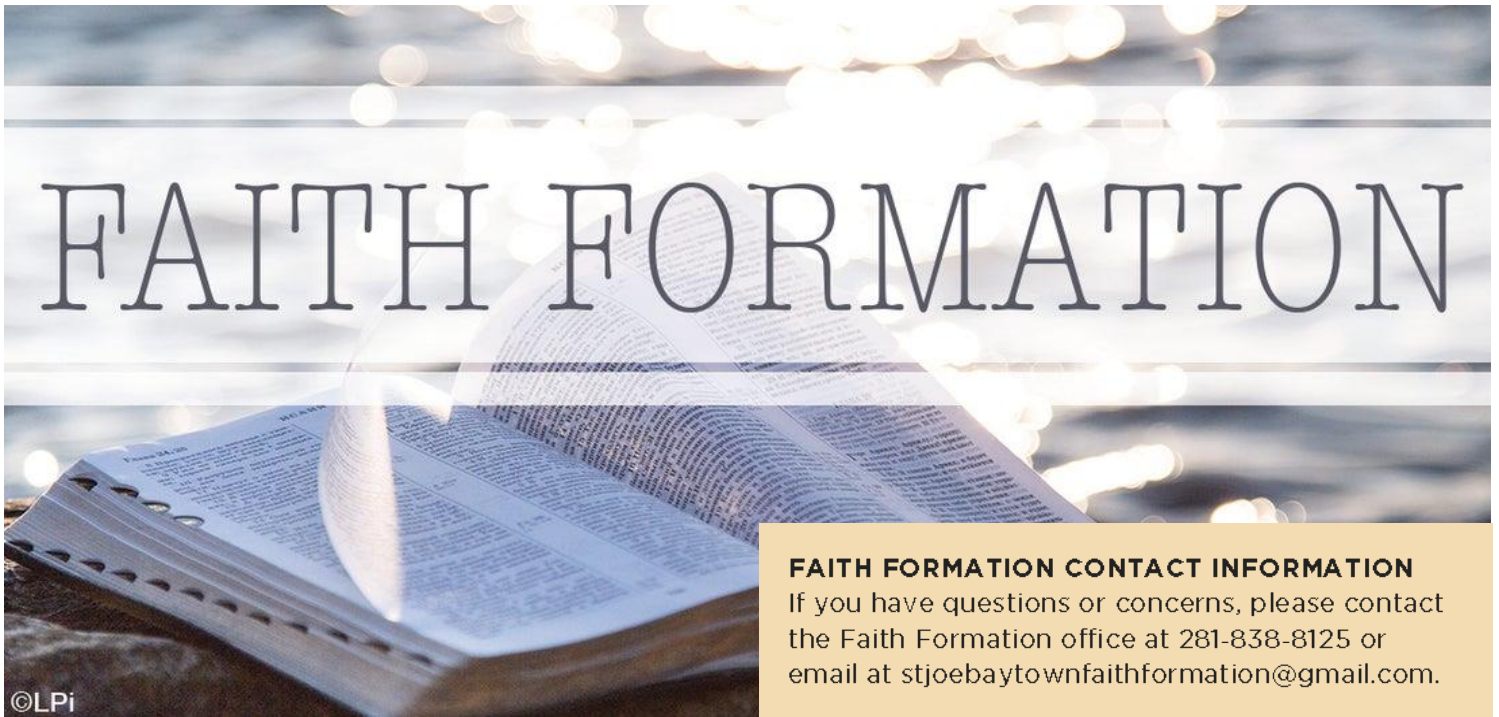


The totals received in the Office, Mail & Online for the week of
Sunday, April 24, 2022

Regular	\$ 5,556.00
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Holy Days	\$ 181.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$ 25.00
Holy Land	\$ 28.00
Mission Appeal	\$ 153.00
Flowers	\$ 28.00
Bazaar	\$ 50.00
Maintenance & Repair	\$ 195.00
Total	\$ 6,832.00

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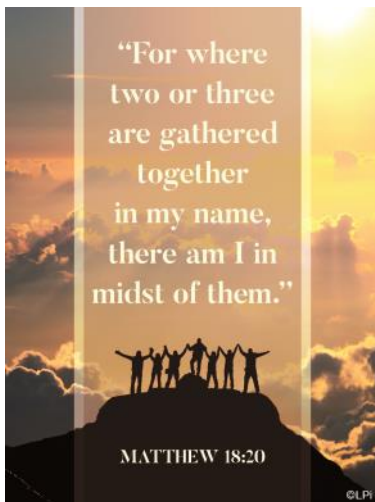
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CLASSES FOR ALL AGES



Adult Confirmation Classes

Do you receive Communion but were never Confirmed? Are you interested in learning more about this sacrament that unites us more fully to the Church? If so, our next set of Adult Confirmation classes will begin on January 24th at 7:00 p.m. We anticipate the Confirmation Ceremony being held the weekend of June 4-5, 2022.

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