

# St Joseph Catholic Church



## Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

April 17, 2022

To him all the prophets bear witness, that  
everyone who believes in him will receive  
forgiveness of sins through his name.

— Acts 10:43

# Easter Sunday

*This is the day  
the Lord has made;  
let us rejoice  
and be glad.*

Psalm 118:24



## Welcome to Visitors & New Members

You are welcome to worship with us at any time.  
If you are new to the Randolph County area, may  
we invite you to register as a member of the parish.  
Registration forms are available in parking lot  
vestibule or by calling the office.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation Sacramento de la Reconciliación

Saturday/Sabado

1:00pm-3:00pm

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION/ ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA**  
**FIRST FRIDAY/ PRIMER VIERNES 9AM- 5AM**

### Mass Schedule/ Misas

Saturday/Sabado: 4:00 PM English

6:00 PM Spanish

Sunday/ Domingo: 7:00 AM Español

9:00 AM English

12:00 PM Español

4:00 PM Español

Weekly Masses/ Monday and Friday 8:15 AM

Misas entre semana Wednesday 6:00 PM

Thursday 7:00 AM

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**Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30AM-5:00PM**

## From the Pastor's Desk / Del Escritorio del Padre

We have been through the annual rituals of our Holy Week. Several reflections help us to feel with Jesus on His journey to accomplish our salvation through His total submission to the Will of the Heavenly Father.

Firstly through His life and ministry Jesus reminds us that we are sojourners here and our home is in Heaven where the Father is waiting for us from whom we received life and blessings especially His forgiving love that Jesus revealed to us.

Following the example of Jesus we have to focus on doing the Will of the Father, establish His Kingdom in our lives and glorify His Name every day of our lives. The challenges and obstacles we encounter on this journey should not be allowed to sway us away from this main task of our lives.

We have to follow Jesus.

Jesus requires and modeled for us how to follow Him. “deny yourself, take up your cross and follow me”. During the events in the Holy Week Jesus shows how it is possible. His perfect communion with the Father, His total submission and absolute loyalty to do the Will of the Father gave Him the courage to deny His very self and focus on doing the Will of the Father.

Personal intimacy with Jesus is essential for us to follow His perfect example. We see in His journey that self denial is painful, shameful, and personally humbling. This is possible only with the power of love. Powerful love enables us to forgive, reconcile, and pray for those who hurt us. Like Jesus if we are able to focus on this love there will be more joy in our lives and homes. Then only we can experience the happiness of Easter.

God bless you all with a Happy Easter celebration.

Hemos pasado por los rituales anuales de nuestra Semana Santa. Varias reflexiones nos ayudan a entinos con Jesús en Su camino para lograr nuestra salvación a través de Su total sumisión a la Voluntad del Padre Celestial.

En primer lugar, a través de Su vida y ministerio, Jesús nos recuerda que somos peregrinos aquí y que nuestro hogar está en el Cielo, donde el Padre nos espera de quien recibimos vida y bendiciones, especialmente Su amor perdonador que Jesús nos reveló.

Siguiendo el ejemplo de Jesús tenemos que enfocarnos en hacer la Voluntad del Padre, establecer Su Reino en nuestras vidas y glorificar Su Nombre cada día de nuestras vidas. No se debe permitir que los desafíos y obstáculos que encontramos en este viaje nos desvíen de esta tarea principal de nuestras vidas. Tenemos que seguir a Jesús.

Jesús requiere y modeló para nosotros cómo seguirlo. “niégate a ti mismo, toma tu cruz y sígueme”. Durante los acontecimientos de la Semana Santa Jesús muestra cómo es posible.

Su perfecta comunión con el Padre, Su total sumisión y absoluta lealtad para hacer la Voluntad del Padre le dieron el valor de negarse a sí mismo y enfocarse en hacer la Voluntad del Padre.

La intimidad personal con Jesús es esencial para que sigamos su ejemplo perfecto. Vemos en Su viaje que la abnegación es dolorosa, vergonzosa y personalmente humillante. Esto es posible sólo con el poder del amor. El amor poderoso nos permite perdonar, reconciliarnos y orar por quienes nos lastiman. Como Jesús, si somos capaces de concentrarnos en este amor, habrá más alegría en nuestras vidas y hogares. Sólo entonces podremos experimentar la alegría de la Pascua.

Dios los bendiga a todos con una feliz celebración de Pascua.

The Gospel for Easter this year reminds me of little children. Mary of Magdala runs from the tomb when she sees it has been opened. Then Peter and the other disciple race each other to the tomb. The other one wins the race but Peter goes in first (John 20:1-5). Besides running like excited kids, there is another way they are like children.

Remember the Gospel about St. Thomas, who would not believe Jesus' resurrection until he could see him? Compare that to the disciple in today's reading, who "saw [the empty tomb] and believed" (John 20:9). That is the kind of faith we find in a little child.

Children will believe in things they cannot see, especially if there is a good reason. We "bribe" them into believing in Santa Claus or the tooth fairy by giving them Christmas presents or money under the pillow. If we teach them that God made them and loves them, if we love them ourselves and teach them to love others, they will have good reasons to believe in a real and loving God. As they get older, we can teach them how to pray, save money for the poor, visit the sick, or volunteer to help the homeless.

Jesus didn't say that only children could enter the Kingdom. He said we must become like children if we want to enter the kingdom of heaven (Matthew 18:3). Becoming like children does not mean being selfish or stubborn, throwing tantrums when we don't get our way. Those are childish behaviors that we put aside. Instead, we can keep a child-like faith and trust in God. Teaching them about God is a great way to help our own faith to grow. By giving them real examples of God's love for them, they will continue to believe long after they have given up the fairy tales of childhood.

When Christ your life appears,  
then you too will appear  
with him in glory.

— Colossians 3:4

### WEEKLY OFFERINGS: 4/3/2022

Offertory:

\$4,780.00

### MASS SCHEDULE: Week of 4/17/2022

Mon 4/18 8:15am

Wed 4/20 6:00pm

Thurs 4/21 7:00am

Fri 4/22 8:15am

Sat 4/23 4:00pm

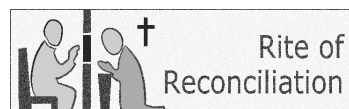
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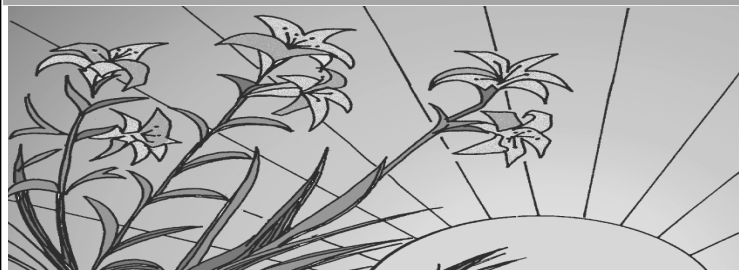
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Rite of  
Reconciliation

*Saturday 1:00PM-3:00PM*



### BIRTHDAY LIST

- 4/18** Clarys Canuto, Miranda Juarez, Nasario Macedo Jr., Georgia McCollom
- 4/19** Rosa Linda Aguilar, Myriam Mejia, Manuel Pasillas, Arisbeth Perez Hernandez, Ana Rebollar, Mayde Ruiz,
- 4/20** Rebecca Anderson, Ryan Anderson, Ofilia Kindley, Valeria Madrigal Cruz
- 4/21** Esveida Casas, John Bass Rosario, Edwin de Leon, John Dombrowski, Elma Gomez, Martin Hornyak, Trinity
- 4/22** Lorenzo Amaro, Lorenzo Castillo, Adrian Ceja, Lorenzo Castillo, Natalie Garcia Macias, Chelsea Garcia, Caitlynn Hill, Alonso Jimenez relleno, Juan Ortiz,
- 4/23** Maria Teresa Aguilar, Itai Garcia, Maria E Inzunza, Liana Kinney, Rosalinda Martinez, Stephanie Romero
- 4/24** Alejandra Aguilar Moreno, Savannah Allen, Daniel Eduardo Batz Ajpacaja, Gavin Cercega, Alejandrina Cosme, Miguel Dominguez Torres,

**Have a Very Blessed Birthday**



## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Peter is an eyewitness: The Lord is risen (Acts 10:34a, 37-43).

**Psalm** — This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad (Psalm 118).

**(1) Second Reading** — All who are baptized, set your hearts in heaven (Colossians 3:1-4) or

**(2) Second Reading** — Christ our Passover is sacrificed; therefore let us celebrate (1 Corinthians 5:6b-8).

**Gospel** — Three witnesses, Mary, Peter, and John; each responds to the empty tomb (John 20:1-9) or Luke 24:1-12 (or, at an afternoon or evening Mass, Luke 24:13-35).

## READINGS OF THE WEEK

<b>Monday:</b>	Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11; Mt 28:8-15
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Jn 20:11-18
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Lk 24:13-35
<b>Thursday:</b>	Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2, 5-9; Lk 24:35-48
<b>Friday:</b>	Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27; Jn 21:1-14
<b>Saturday:</b>	Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-21; Mk 16:9-15
<b>Sunday:</b>	Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

<b>Sunday:</b>	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord; Julian Calendar Palm Sunday
<b>Monday:</b>	Monday within the Octave of Easter
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Tuesday within the Octave of Easter
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Wednesday within the Octave of Easter
<b>Thursday:</b>	Thursday within the Octave of Easter
<b>Friday:</b>	Friday within the Octave of Easter; Julian Calendar Good Friday; Earth Day
<b>Saturday:</b>	Saturday within the Octave of Easter

## LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera lectura** — Pedro es un testigo: el Señor ha resucitado (Hechos 10:34a, 37-43).

**Salmo** — Este es el día en que actuó el Señor: sea nuestra alegría y nuestro gozo (Salmo 118 [117]).

**(1) Segunda lectura** — Todos los bautizados, eleven su corazón al cielo (Colosenses 3:1-4) o

**(2) Segunda lectura** — Cristo nuestra Pascua fue sacrificado; por tanto celebremos (1 Corintios 5:6b-8).

**Evangelio** — Tres testigos, María, Pedro y Juan; cada uno responde a la tumba vacía (Juan 20:1-9) o Lc 24:1-12 (o en Misas de la tarde o la noche, Lc 24:13-35).

## LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

<b>Lunes:</b>	Hch 2:14, 22-33; Sal 16 (15):1-2, 5, 7-11; Mt 28:8-15
<b>Martes:</b>	Hch 2:36-41; Sal 33 (32):4-5, 18-20, 22; Jn 20:11-18
<b>Miércoles:</b>	Hch 3:1-10; Sal 105 (104):1-4, 6-9; Lc 24:13-35
<b>Jueves:</b>	Hch 3:11-26; Sal 8:2, 5-9; Lc 24:35-48
<b>Viernes:</b>	Hch 4:1-12; Sal 118 (117):1-2, 4, 22-27; Jn 21:1-14
<b>Sábado:</b>	Hch 4:13-21; Sal 118 (117):1, 14-21; Mc 16:9-15
<b>Domingo:</b>	Hch 5:12-16; Sal 118 (117):2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Ap 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

## LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACION

<b>Domingo:</b>	Domingo de Pascua de la Resurrección del Señor; Domingo de Ramos en el calendario juliano
<b>Lunes:</b>	Lunes de la Octava de Pascua
<b>Martes:</b>	Martes de la Octava de Pascua
<b>Miércoles:</b>	Miércoles de la Octava de Pascua
<b>Jueves:</b>	Jueves de la Octava de Pascua
<b>Viernes:</b>	Viernes de la Octava de Pascua; Viernes Santo en el calendario juliano; Día de la Tierra
<b>Sábado:</b>	Sábado de la Octava de Pascua

**ORACIÓN DE LA SEMANA****Domingo de Pascua de la  
Resurrección del Señor***Misa del día*

Señor Dios, que por medio de tu  
Unigénito, vencedor de la muerte,  
nos has abierto hoy las puertas de la  
vida eterna, concede a quienes  
Celebramos la solemnidad de la  
resurrección del Señor, resucitar  
también en la luz de la vida eterna,  
por la acción renovadora de tu Espíritu.  
Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo,  
tu Hijo, que vive y reina contigo  
en la unidad del Espíritu Santo  
y es Dios por los siglos de los siglos.

**Reflexión:**

¿Cómo puedo guardar la solemnidad de la  
Resurrección del Señor en mi vida diaria?

**CAMBIA TODO**

La Pascua lo cambia todo. Al haber resucitado de la muerte, Jesús destroza las imágenes espantosas que persiguen a la humanidad. La traición, la tortura, la crucifixión, la muerte, el entierro, estos terrores palidecen ante la gloria brillante de Jesús resucitado. El salmo de hoy guía nuestra respuesta al poder de Dios: “es maravilloso a nuestros ojos”. Hoy es, en efecto un día para maravillarse, para agitarse de asombro ante la resurrección de Jesús. Durante toda la historia de la humanidad, la muerte había sido el final. Sin embargo, en los Hechos de los Apóstoles, Pedro atestigua que Jesús, quien había sido ejecutado públicamente, fue resucitado por Dios. El Evangelio de Juan admite que los discípulos “aún no entendían la Escritura de que tenía que resucitar de la muerte”. Incluso los amigos más cercanos no esperaban esta novedad, la vida después de la muerte. En respuesta al milagro de la Pascua, Pablo nos dice que seamos “un poco de levadura” para hacer “fermentar toda la masa”. Todo, incluso nuestro propio ser, debe convertirse en algo nuevo. La Pascua lo cambia todo.

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**PRAYER OF THE WEEK****Easter Sunday of the  
Resurrection of the Lord**

At the Mass during the Day

O God, who on this day,  
through your Only Begotten Son,  
have conquered death  
and unlocked for us the path to eternity,  
grant, we pray, that we who keep  
the solemnity of the Lord's Resurrection  
may, through the renewal brought by your Spirit,  
rise up in the light of life.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever.

**Reflection:**

How can I keep the solemnity of the Lord's Resurrection in my daily life?

**EASTER SUNDAY****EVERYTHING IS CHANGED**

Easter changes everything. Having been raised from the dead, Jesus shatters the frightful images that haunt humanity. Betrayal, torture, crucifixion, death, burial—these terrors pale in the brilliant glory of Jesus resurrected. Today's psalm guides our response to God's power: “it is wonderful in our eyes.” Today is indeed a day for wonder, for gasping in astonishment at Jesus' resurrection. For all of human history, death had been final. In the Acts of the Apostles, though, Peter testifies that Jesus, who was publicly executed, was raised to life by God. John's Gospel admits that the disciples “did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead.” Even Jesus' closest friends were not expecting this innovation: life after death. In response to the Easter miracle, Paul tells us to become “a fresh batch of dough.” Everything, even our very selves, must become new. Easter changes everything. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



## † Sacraments †

**\*\*Sacrament of Baptism**—Baptism is a highly sacred event and deserves careful and complete readiness. Please contact the church office (336-629-0221) to register for the Baptism Preparation Class, which is done on a regular basis. Parents must be registered and participating members of our parish community

**\*\*Sacrament of Marriage** - Couples should contact the Pastor (336-629-0221) at least 6 months prior to the wedding date for necessary preparation.

**\*\*Ministry of the Sick**— Please call the church office (336-629-0221) to inform us of an illness or hospitalization of a family member. Federal Privacy Law prohibits the hospital from giving room numbers, so we must have prior knowledge of a patient's room number before we visit the hospital. The Sacrament of Anointing is done upon request prior to surgery or a illness.



**\*\*Prayers for our Military**—please call the office (336-629-0221) to notify us of their Military Status

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**Out of respect for the Liturgy in which we partake, please turn off or mute all cell phones and pagers as you enter the Sanctuary of Our Lord. If your Children are acting up, please take them to the cry room in order not to disrupt the liturgy for others.**

*¡Cristo  
se  
levanta!*

Calling all young men ages 10-18. Are you looking to grow in your faith, learn to become a community leader, or help your community and church all while having fun with other Catholic young man? Well, the Columbian Squires are looking for new members. The Columbian Squires is part of the Knights of Columbus family. For more information please have a parent contact Grand Knight Jason Kroeger at 336-301-4418



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

\*The Knights are looking for new members to join their brotherhood. If interested please contact the church office and a Knight will return your call



## COLUMBIETTES:

The St. Joseph Columbiettes – Auxiliary 10891 would like to extend an invitation to all the ladies of the parish to join our organization. If you are interested in joining or would like more information, please contact the church office. A current Columbiette will return your call.



*Easter Sunday*  
April 17, 2022

WHY DO YOU SEEK  
THE LIVING ONE  
AMONG THE DEAD?

HE IS NOT HERE, BUT HE HAS BEEN RAISED.  
-John 1:9-11



## **PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISHIONERS & THEIR FAMILIES**

Please take a moment to pray for our parishioners needs, Illness, persona problems and our young men serving our country:

Christopher Gardner, Lillian Hazelwood, Colleen Greene, Flora Smith, Gary Hutchins, Jose Espiallet, Monica Smith, Patrick Guarion, Raphael Gurriel, Josefina Arellano, JR Newsome, Mary Matthews, Sara Dunmeyer's daughter, Donald Hills, Robert Barker, Mary Poremba, Sharon Derosi, Chester Devarney, Ernest Devarney, Albert Trapani, Luis Saavedra, Don Troup, Phyllis Morrison, Harry Chriscoe



Military: Adolfo Angel Vasquez, Matthew Bryant, Angela Salinas Ruiz

Seminarians & Religious: Jose Palma, Kevin Martinez, & Jessica Palma

**MOTHER'S DAY BOOKLET**

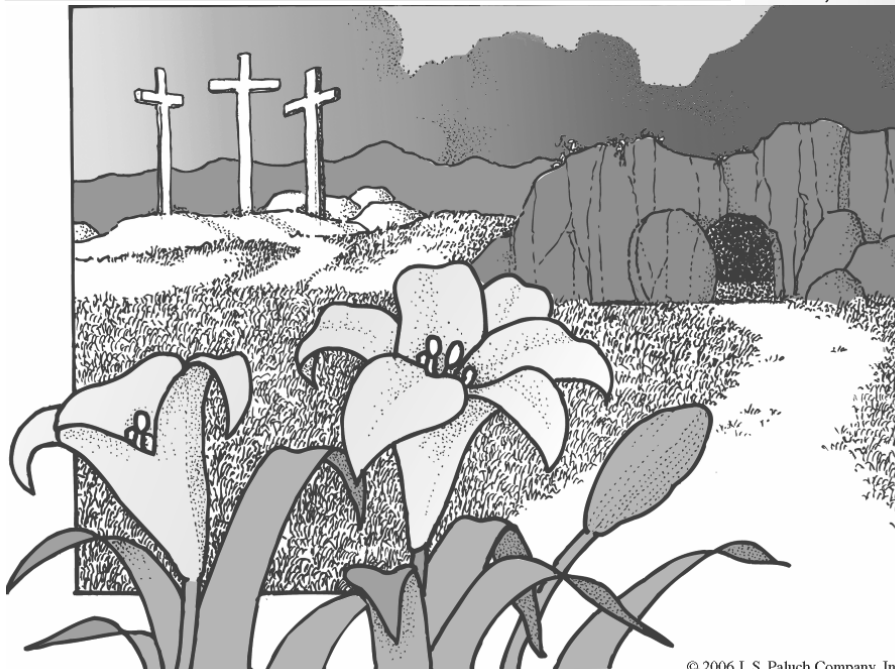
Please Support the Columbiettes to Honor all the special ladies in your lives, who strived to model Our Blessed Mother. The Columbiettes will display their names on the Mother's day Booklet that will be distributed on Mother's day.

The cost is \$3 per name or 2 for \$5

The money raised will be used on the gifts for Fathers Day, gifts for the Graduates and First Communion Treats

**KOC**

The Knights of Columbus will be having a Yard Sale on May 13th and 14th. Start gathering items to donate. All items for the Yard Sale can be dropped off in the Red Shed House



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**An Easter Prayer**

Good and gracious God,  
Our most glorious Creator,  
As we greet the signs in nature around us:  
Of Spring once again regaling us in bloom,  
In the songs of returning birds and fields soon to be planted,

We give you praise for an even greater sign of new life: the resurrection of your Son,  
Our Lord Jesus Christ, that we especially celebrate at this time.

The sadness and despair of his death has given way to the bright promise of immortality. For the Resurrection is our guarantee that justice will triumph over treason, Light will overcome darkness, and love will conquer death. As we celebrate, we also dare to ask for your grace that we may live the promise given to us,

By imitating the life of Jesus in reaching out to the poor, the marginalized, the least among us, As we strive to be neighbor to all those we meet,

We ask your special blessings each and every day on our President. Working with him may we strive to make this great country of ours a beacon of hope and justice in a world hungry for peace and so in need of your love.

We praise you in this Easter season. Change our lives, change our hearts to be messengers of Easter joy and hope.

We make our prayer through Jesus Christ, our risen Lord forever.  
Amen.

**RECYCLING**

The Youth Group is collecting aluminum cans, tin cans, and other metal items for recycling to support the Youth Group activities. Please leave your items by the shed in the corner of the parking lot. Thank you in advance for separating the cans into separate bags for aluminum and steel. Steel items like old fry pans, basketball hoops, poles, tools, shovels, tire rims etc. can be turned in for cash. Please donate. Thank you.

**RECICLANDO**

El Grupo de Jovenes es recogiendo latas de aluminio, latas de comida o cualquier otro metal para apoyar las actividades del Grupo Juvenil. Por favor deposite los articulos que usted tenga a la esquina de la casita.

Gracias a los que ponen en bolsa separadas el aluminio y el acero.

Articulos de acero como sartenes viejos, herramientas, palas etc.. Se convierten en efectivo. Porfavor Done. Muchas Gracias.



Please print and send 150 copies.

Than you for the help and assistance