



Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

April 1, 2018

THE EASTER PRAISE OF CHRIST

The Lord, though He was God, became man. He suffered for the sake of those who suffer, He was bound for those in bonds, condemned for the guilty, buried for those who lie in the grave; but He rose from the dead, and cried aloud: "Who will contend with me? Let him confront me. I have freed the condemned, brought the dead back to life, raised men from their graves. Who has anything to say against me? I, He said, am the Christ; I have destroyed death, triumphed over the enemy, trampled hell underfoot, bound the strong one, and taken men up to the heights of heaven: I am the Christ.

Come, then, all you nations of men, receive forgiveness for the sins that defile you. I am your forgiveness. I am the Passover that brings salvation. I am the lamb who was immolated for you. I am your ransom, your life, your resurrection, your light, I am your salvation and your king. I will bring you to the heights of heaven. With my own right hand I will raise you up, and I will show you the eternal Father.

—St. Melito of Sardis, Bishop



We welcome our newest members of the Catholic Faith



Billy Carter

Amber Macknally

Anna Myers



A NIGHT TO REMEMBER SPRINGTIME SOIREE

Thank you to all our fabulous volunteers for making our live and silent auction a success! Special thanks to Kristy Harper for serving as our chair, and all the others who stepped up to help make this a fantastic night! Teachers, faculty, parents, students and parishioners ~ thank you for supporting our wonderful school.

Special thanks to our sponsors: Mr. & Mrs. Randy Adams, Dr. & Mrs. Steven Alsip, Mrs. Lauren Alvarez, Betbeze Realty Co., Inc., Mr. & Mrs. Russell Brandau, Cain Electric, Inc., Mr. & Mrs. David Cox, Mr. & Mrs. Victor Giattina, Mr. & Mrs. Jason Grigg, Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Harper, Mr. & Mrs. Ben Heintz, Hydro-Technologies, Mr. & Mrs. Danny Jones, Mr. & Mrs. Ben Jordan, Mr. & Mrs. Peter Keegan, Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Keller, Lukas Construction, Mr. William Marsh, Mr. & Mrs. Mac McLeod, Mobile Area Chimney Sweeps, Moe's Southwestern Grill, Mr. & Mrs. George Naman, Mr. & Mrs. David Nelson, Dr. & Mrs. Pat Nolan, Mrs. Dean Owens, Palmer's Toyota Superstore, Mr. & Mrs. Cam Pearl, Mr. Benjamin Pelham, Mr. & Mrs. Woodie Perkins, Mr. & Mrs. Murray Pridgeon, Mr. & Mrs. Royce Ray, Mr. & Mrs. Sammy Smith, Ms. Karen Stuardi, Mr. & Mrs. David Vial.

Congratulations to our Raffle Winners: 1st Prize—Bridgette Taylor; 2nd Prize— Michael Hopper; and 3rd Prize— Juddy Addiss.

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

Today	April 1	No Meeting
Sunday	April 8	No Meeting

EASTER EGG HUNT



Join us for our Easter Egg Hunt! It begins after the 10:30am Mass today in front of the Church ages 1- 12. There are 1,000 eggs with candy and prizes.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday	The Resurrection of the Lord
Monday	Saint Francis of Paola
Tuesday	Saint Richard
Wednesday	Saint Isidore of Seville
Thursday	Saint Vincent Ferrer
Friday	Saint Marcellinus of Carthage
Saturday	Saint John Baptist de La Salle

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

03/31 SAT	7:30 PM	Holy Saturday
04/01 SUN	8:00 AM	Parishioners
	10:30 AM	Parishioners
04/02 MON	6:30 AM	Communion Service
	8:00 AM	Deacon John Cretaro
04/03 TUES	6:30 AM	Communion Service
	8:00 AM	Communion Service
04/04 WED	6:30 AM	Communion Service
	8:00 AM	Communion Service
04/05 THU	6:30 AM	Sandy Grant (L)
	8:00 AM	Leo Jacob
04/06 FRI	6:30 AM	Mary Boudreaux LaBove
	8:00 AM	Fr. Russell Biven
04/07 SAT	8:00 AM	Viola Baker
	4:00 PM	John Busby
04/08 SUN	8:00 AM	Parishioners
	10:30 AM	Office of Catholic Schools (L)



POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR APRIL

For Those who have Responsibility in Economic Matters—That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open paths.

PATRIOTIC ROSARY

Saint Pius X hosts a rosary/prayer service for our government leaders each month. Please join us on the this Monday from 6:00-7:00pm in the Chapel.

RIESE CLUB

The Riese Club is for seniors 55+. Our next meeting will be this Tuesday at 10:30am in the Sarto Center. Please call Pat Busby at 479-9149 for more information. **Activities this month**—Lunch on April 10, at 11:30am at China Doll Restaurant located at Airport and McGregor. Reservations needed by next Sunday. Call Pat at 479-9149. **Casino trip** on Tuesday 24th, to the Palace Casino. Bus leaves Walmart at 9am and returns by 4pm. Call Mary Jane at 445-2670.

BIBLE STUDY

On April 26, we begin a Bible study course *The Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation*, by Jeff Cavins. This course began our current year-round Bible study in 2008. Classes are from 9-10:30am on Thursdays in the Sarto Center.

The Week Ahead

TUES	7:00 AM	Men of St. Joseph / Sarto
	10:30 AM	Riese Club / Sarto
WED	9:00 AM	Legion of Mary / FLC
SAT	9:30 AM	Belle Canto / Room 20
SUN	11:30 AM	Donut Social

CONSIDERED JOINING THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS?
CALL 471-2449 FOR INFORMATION

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PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND AND PRAGUE

Warsaw - Krakow - Auschwitz - Czech Republic - and Beyond
Father Savoie will be sponsoring a pilgrimage to Poland and Prague in October 2018. He will visit the various beautiful cities of the richly Catholic country of Poland as well as a tour of the Holocaust Concentration Camp of Auschwitz. A post tour of the picturesque city of Prague, Czech Republic is also an option. Brochures are located at the main exits of the church or call 471-2449 to have a brochure mailed to you. For an online brochure visit: www.pilgrimages.com/frsavoie



SAINT PIUS X MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Save the date for Sunday, June 3 for our 15th Annual Parish Memorial Golf Tournament. If you or your business would like to participate in or sponsor the tournament, please call the parish office at 471-2449.

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Please pray for those serving in the military



Jason Ackley, Kathy Ackley, Reeves Adams, Mayra Barton, Paul Beagle, Kyle Castleberry, Steven Chason, James, Joel, Joseph and Jeremy Crunk, Bowen Cummings, Rick Damell, Stephen Darring, Tristan Deaton, Joshua Douglas, Michael Duval, Patrick Gaudet, Michael Guidry, Joseph Hartman, Father Paul Halladay, Eric Jaet, Ollie Jaet, Christopher Jennings, Bradley Kramer, Richard Kramer, Robert Kurts, Reade Loper, Josh Mason, Christopher McDonald, Richard McElhaney, Matthew McGraw, Lyles Mosley, Sr., Liz Naman, Mark Neno, Jr., Stephen O'Donnell, Michael Papa, Kyle Reeves, Erich Schnee, Dominick Stokley, Mark Strong, Oliver & Annie Stuardi, Tyler Uteg, Rico Velacruz, Jr., Eric Williams, Jason Wilson

Please call the church office to add someone to the military prayer list. Names are kept on the list until they come home.



Regular Collection Last Week.....\$10,583.34
Roof Fund Donations to Date.....\$148,525.46
Special Collection Next Week....School Scholarship Fund