Alleluia! He is Risen!
Who by dying has destroyed our death: and by rising again has restored us to life

Easter Sunday
April 16, 2017

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Liturgical schedule for the week

Saturday, April 15, 2017
8:30 p.m. ........EF (Sung)........Great Paschal Vigil & First Mass of Easter
The Easter Blessing of Food will take place in our first-floor classroom following the 8:30 Vigil Mass

Sunday, April 16, 2017
8 a.m. ..........AU (Sung)........Easter Sunday \( ^S \) ................................................................. Celebrant’s intention
9:30 a.m. ......OF (Sung)........Easter Sunday \( ^S \) ................................................................. Pro populo
11:30 a.m. ......EF (Sung)........Easter Sunday \( ^I \) ................................................................. Celebrant’s intention

Monday, April 17, 2017
6:30 a.m. ......AU ..............Easter Monday \( ^S \) ................................................................. The unborn
7:30 a.m. ......OF ..............Easter Monday \( ^S \) .................................................................  Poor Souls
9 a.m. ..........EF ..............Easter Monday \( ^I \) ................................................................. Gary & Katie Willen (35th wedding anniversary)
9:30 a.m. — St. Monica Guild rosary and prayer for the return of fallen-away Catholics

Tuesday, April 18, 2017
6:30 a.m. ......AU ..............Easter Tuesday \( ^S \) .................................................................  Holy Souls in Purgatory
7:30 a.m. ......OF ..............Easter Tuesday \( ^S \) ................................................................. The unborn
5:45 p.m. ......EF ..............Easter Tuesday \( ^I \) .................................................................  Eugene D. O’Mahony

Wednesday, April 19, 2017
7:30 a.m. ......OF ..............Easter Wednesday \( ^S \) ................................................................. Conversion of sinners
Noon ..........AU ..............Easter Wednesday \( ^S \) .................................................................  Claire Kriese
12:30 p.m. — Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, followed by Adoration, then Benediction at 5:30 p.m.
5:45 p.m. ......EF ..............Easter Wednesday \( ^I \) ................................................................. Intentions of Michael Schott

Thursday, April 20, 2017
6:30 a.m. ......AU ..............Easter Thursday \( ^S \) .................................................................  Maurice Kriese
7:30 a.m. ......OF ..............Easter Thursday \( ^S \) .................................................................  Margie Bunte
9:30 a.m. — Mother’s Holy Hour
5:45 p.m. ......EF ..............Easter Thursday \( ^I \) ................................................................. Intentions of Neil O’Mahony

Friday, April 21, 2017
7:30 a.m. ......OF ..............Easter Friday \( ^S \) .................................................................  John Bunte
5:45 p.m. ......EF ..............Easter Friday \( ^I \) .................................................................  James Joseph Flynn

Saturday, April 22, 2017
10 a.m. ......OF ..............Easter Saturday \( ^S \) .................................................................  Marsha Kuntz
4:30 p.m. ......OF (Sung) ..............Octave Day of Easter \( ^S \) .................................................................  John Maio

Sunday, April 23, 2017 — Divine Mercy Sunday
8 a.m. ..........AU (Sung)........Octave Day of Easter \( ^S \) ................................................................. Pro populo
9:30 a.m. ......OF (Sung)........Octave Day of Easter \( ^S \) .................................................................  John Thomas Spahn
11:30 a.m. ......EF (Sung)........Octave Day of Easter \( ^I \) ................................................................. Intentions of Frances Catio-Navarra & Family
3 p.m. — Divine Mercy Holy Hour

OF: Ordinary Form  EF: Extraordinary Form  AU: Anglican Use (Ordinariate Form)
1: 1st-class feast  2: 2nd-class feast  3: 3rd-class feast  Opt: Optional memorial  M: Memorial  F: Feast  S: Solemnity

In fact, everything that exists and moves in the Church — the sacraments, doctrine, institutions — draws its strength from Christ’s Resurrection.

— Fr. Raniero Cantalamessa, Life in Christ: A Spiritual Commentary on the Letter to the Romans
Announcements

- Café Rosario will be closed today.
- The parish office will be closed Easter Monday.
- The Extraordinary Form on Easter Monday will be at 9 a.m. See Page 2 for the full schedule.
- With Lent behind us, the Wednesday Mass schedule is returning to normal — 7:30 a.m. Ordinary Form; Noon Anglican Use; 5:45 p.m. Extraordinary Form.
- We need help watering flowers in church during the Easter Season. Please sign up on the clipboard hanging in the vestibule.
- The Flame of Love Prayer Cenacle and Study Group will resume its meetings Wednesday, April 19, from 7 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. in our first-floor classroom. This group will continue to meet on the first and third Wednesdays of every month.
- We will host a Divine Mercy Holy Hour at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 23. The faithful are encouraged to adhere to the core of the celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday by receiving Holy Communion at Mass earlier in the day, then by venerating the Divine Mercy image, listening to a homily on Mercy, and performing an act of Mercy. Mercy should become our way of life.
- Spirituality for Children classes will meet Sunday, April 23, after the 11:30 Mass. However, the adult apologetics class will not meet this month.
- All are invited to the Holy Rosary Pro-Life Ministry meeting Sunday, April 23, from 10:30 a.m. to 11:20 a.m. in our first-floor classroom. We are seeking participation from youths and adults; we need ideas and individuals eager to serve. For more information contact Eric Slaughter at 317-408-0528 or holyrosary.prolife@gmail.com.
- Have you lost your personal missal? One was found outside the church on Palm Sunday. Please call the parish office if you think it might be yours.
- All parishioners are welcome to join a new book study to honor the 100th anniversary of Our Lady’s apparition at Fatima, Portugal. Beginning Wednesday, April 26, at 7 p.m. in our first-floor classroom, Our Lady of Guadalupe Prayer Group will study William Thomas Walsh’s work, Our Lady of Fatima. Books will be available for purchase at the meeting. For more information, call Katie Willen at 317-815-4928.
- Dr. Ray Guarendi will present “Laughter, the

Sanity of the Family” on Friday, April 28, at the Willows in Broad Ripple. To learn more, visit www.lumenchristischool.org.

- Vacation Bible School is around the corner — June 26-29. We are looking for volunteers to help make this the best one ever! We need adults, young and old, and teens to be on the team. We especially need a music leader (playing an instrument would be great) and a games leader. If interested in helping, please contact Caren LeMark at lemark-fam@gmail.com.

- Our annual Blood Drive will be earlier than usual this year: Sunday, May 7, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Watch future bulletins for more details.

- Please pray for our sick and shut-in friends: Debbie Barry, Elizabeth and Baby Brown, Archbishop-emeritus Daniel Buechlein, Steve Bussell, John Caito, Verna Carr, Katie Cecil, Son Hui
Easter is the high point of the year for us as Christians. We celebrate that Christ is indeed arisen. The old, traditional greeting for Easter among Christians was an affirmation of this holy Mystery, “Christ is Risen.” The response is, “Indeed, He is Risen.”

Christians greet each other with the joyful news of our living God and Savior’s Resurrection. After having left it behind for the 40 days of Lent, we, during this great Easter Season, bring back the ancient word of praise, “ALLELUIA.” This Hebrew word meaning, “all praise He Who Is,” is almost never translated because we, and Christians of all ages, can feel in it the very sense of prayer and rejoicing that it brings.

May we all find great Hope during this Easter Season in the knowledge that our God and Savior is alive and that He has made eternal life a real possibility for us. Let us turn to God in love and thanksgiving as we sing in our hearts and lives the eternal “ALLELUIA.”

For each of us, it should be a time in which we personally embrace the Resurrection. Whether it be from past sins, neglect or just a general apathy in regards to things spiritual, we should reflect during this Easter Season on ways in which we can open up our lives more fully to the Good News. Whether we have been slumbering in a nightmare of sin or dragged down into a general malaise of indifference, we should awaken with the confidence that Christ has Arisen and that all things are possible with Him.

WITH GREAT JOY we welcome those who have ENTERED the Church:
  - Sabrina Allee
  - Abbie Brooks
  - Alex Clark
  - Karly Kladden
  - Baba Omosegbon
  - Blake Powers
  - Karen Schmedake
  - JD West

We celebrate with those who were CONFIRMED:
  - Brandon Ebeyer
  - Jennifer Thilges

We WELCOME BACK to the Faith:
  - Walter Marschner

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This week’s offerings of interest from the Internet:

Christ, the Bridegroom
https://www.thecatholicthing.org/2017/04/14/the-bridegroom/

The pope made 10 days ‘disappear’ from the calendar
http://aleteia.org/2017/04/12/the-pope-who-disappeared-10-calendar-days

Telling a lie during confession
http://wdtprs.com/blog/2017/03/ask-father-telling-a-lie-during-confession/

Sainthood cause opened for priest killed by ISIS

A Catholic reflection on the United Airlines overbooking debacle
http://www.ncregister.com/blog/msgr-pope/a-catholic-reflection-on-the-united-airlines-overbooking-debacle

If Dad takes Faith seriously, so will his children
https://www.romancatholicman.com/dad-takes-faith-god-seriously-will-children/

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Easter Wings*

Lord, who createdst man in wealth and store,
Though foolishly he lost the same,
Decaying more and more,
Till he became
Most poore:
With thee
O let me rise
As larks, harmoniously,
And sing this day thy victories:
Then shall the fall further the flight in me.

My tender age in sorrow did beginne
And still with sicknesses and shame.
Thou didst so punish sinne,
That I became
Most thinne.
With thee
Let me combine,
And feel thy victorie:
For, if I imp my wing on thine,
Affliction shall advance the flight in me.

These amazingly fresh words were written by a man that was 400 years old in 1993 — or at least he would have been had not death intervened. Though 400 years old, his poem’s shape and resonance still pleases our more sophisticated and modern ears. Yes, ears. Read the poem out loud to yourself and be mindful of the contour’s ebb and flow.

Without Our Lord Jesus Christ’s triumphant Resurrection, the rapturous beauty of George Herbert’s verse would be impossible to make or hear.

My heartfelt thanks to all of you who pray for my ministry, both those known and unknown to me. May God abundantly bless you this joyful Eastertide!

* The shape of this poem and all words (there are some apparent misspellings) are printed as the poet originally wrote them.

Laughter testifies to our freedom

In the Baroque period the liturgy used to include the *risus paschalis*, the Easter laughter. The Easter homily had to contain a story that made people laugh, so that the church resounded with a joyful laughter. That may be a somewhat superficial form of Christian joy. But is there not something very beautiful and appropriate about laughter becoming a liturgical symbol? And is it not a tonic when we still hear, in the play of cherub and ornament in baroque churches, that laughter which testified to the freedom of the redeemed? And is it not a sign of an Easter faith when Haydn remarked, concerning his church compositions, that he felt a particular joy when thinking of God: “As I came to utter the words of supplication, I could not suppress my joy but loosed the reins of my elated spirits and wrote ‘allegro’ over the *Miserere*, and so on”?

The Book of Revelation’s vision of heaven expresses what we see by faith at Easter: the Lamb who was slain lives. Since He lives, our weeping comes to an end and is transformed into laughter (cf. Rev 5:4f.). When we look at the Lamb, we see heaven opened. God sees us, and God acts, albeit differently from the way we think and would like him to act. Only since Easter can we really utter the first article of faith; only on the basis of Easter is this profession rich and full of consolation: I believe in God, the Father Almighty. For it is only from the Lamb that we know that God is really Father, really Almighty. No one who has grasped that can ever be utterly despondent and despairing again. No one who has grasped that will ever succumb to the temptation to side with those who kill the Lamb. No one who has understood this will know ultimate fear, even if he gets into the situation of the Lamb. For there he is in the safest possible place.

Easter, therefore, invites us not only to listen to Jesus but also, as we do so, to develop our interior sight. This greatest festival of the Church’s year encourages us, by looking at Him who was slain and is risen, to discover the place where heaven is opened. If we comprehend the message of the Resurrection, we recognize that heaven is not completely sealed off above the earth. Then — gently and yet with immense power — something of the light of God penetrates our life. Then we shall feel the surge of joy for which, otherwise, we wait in vain. Everyone who is penetrated by something of this joy can be, in his own way, a window through which heaven can look upon earth and visit it.
Easter Flowers

The beautiful Easter flowers decorating our church have been made possible through the generosity of our parishioners. Some of those donations were made in memory of or honor of the following:

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In honor of
Alice LaNeve
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Florence Wannemuehler
Kay Waterloo
Patricia Winiger

O Death, where is your sting? O Hell, where is your victory? Christ is risen, and you are overthrown. Christ is risen, and the demons are fallen. Christ is risen, and the angels rejoice. Christ is risen, and life reigns. Christ is risen, and not one dead remains in the grave. For Christ, being risen from the dead, is become the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep. To Him be glory and dominion unto ages of ages.

— St. John Chrysostom

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Baptisms:
Please contact Teresa Gorsage at the parish office or teresa@holyroaryindy.org to schedule baptisms and required baptismal instruction.

Joining the parish:
Parish Registration Forms can be found in the rotating rack in the vestibule. Completed forms can be placed in the collection basket or mailed to the office.

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580 Stevens St., Indianapolis, IN 46203

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717 S. East St., Indianapolis, IN 46203

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317-787-8277
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ALTAR MEMORIAL CANDLES
This week, the candles on either side of our high altar burn for:

+George & Theresa Diehl
+Michael A. Navarra

To have the deceased remembered for a week, send $5 and his or her name to the parish office.

Announcements
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Christensen, Sharon Conrad, Carol Craig, Jody Gassert, Sam Gorsage, Robert Hanaway, Ralph Hartley, Alysha Jones and Twins, William Kuenzel, Josephine Lombardo, Brad Love, Lisa Marie, Georgia McAllister, Fernando Mora, Sidia Mora, Tony Navarra, Toni Nealy, John Paul Reinsch, Rachel Sevem, Jan Short, Theresa Siefker, Linda Sweatland, Mike Swogger, Lynn Trott, Sister Rita Vukovic, Dorothy Ward, Jon Weinschrott, Mitchell Weust, Fr. James Wilmoth and Jenifer Zehner.

• Randy Lewandowski, president and general manager of the Indianapolis Indians, will address the Catholic Business Exchange meeting Friday, April 21, at the North Side Knights of Columbus. He will speak on “Baseball and Faith: Serving Our Community through the National Pastime.” Mass begins at 7 a.m. and the program will conclude by 9 a.m. Cost, including breakfast, is $15 in advance for members and $21 for non-members. Registration is required. To register, pay and learn more, visit www.catholicbusinessexchange.org.

• The Spring Boutique benefitting St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry will be Saturday, April 22, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Riviera Club, 5640 N. Illinois St. Admission is free, but patrons are requested to bring nonperishable food items or personal hygiene products for entrance. More than 30 artisans/vendors will be on hand, and there will be a cash bar. For more details, search for the event on Facebook.

• The Ave Maria Guild of St. Paul Hermitage, 501 N. 17th Ave., Beech Grove, will host a Spring Card Party and Quilt Raffle on Thursday, April 27 from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Cost to attend is $10, which includes lunch. For more information call Vicki Goss at 317-888-7625.

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