

EASTER SUNDAY



Alleluia, Christ is Risen, Alleluia, we are Risen.

Every year we come to Easter and tell the same old story. We've been repeating ourselves for two thousand years. We've heard it all before.

"He is not here; for he has been raised." I want to be reminded that Easter is still true and still happening. I want to hear the same old story one more time. And it's not because I think the story has changed since last year. It's because my world and life have changed over the last year. It's because I have changed over the last year. So, with every intention of repeating myself let me tell you the Easter story.

It happened "as the first day of the week was dawning." Light was pushing back the darkness. Warmth was returning. A new day was beginning. If you've ever needed light and warmth to return to your life, if you've ever needed a second chance and the possibilities a new day offers, this story is for you. Alleluia. Christ is risen.

"Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb." They were there when Jesus died and was laid in the tomb. If you've ever had your heart broken by loss and laid someone or something you loved in the tomb, this story is for you. Alleluia. Christ is risen.

"Suddenly there was a great earthquake" and "an angel of the Lord rolled back the stone" from the tomb and said, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised." If you've ever needed some earthshaking good news, if you've ever needed hope, if you've ever lived as if death had the final word, this story is for you. Alleluia. Christ is risen.

This is not *the* day of resurrection. It is another day of resurrection. Alleluia. Christ is risen. That's our story. And it's worth repeating. So let me tell it to you one or a few more times again.

Alleluia. Christ is risen. Alleluia. You and I are risen. Alleluia. We are risen.

May you and your Family have a most Blessed Easter.

Fr. Felix Antony, Fr. Shyju Jose and Deacon Miguel

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Adoration Chapel will be on Monday, April 6th inclusive. Regular hours resume on

Tuesday, April 7th from

9:00 am - 12:00 noon and 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm.

JOIN US!!!

The Prayer Group invites you to join them for Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction on Wednesday, April 8th

Praise and worship begins at 7:30pm followed by Exposition / Benediction.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Mighty Big Thanks!

Thank you to all the ministries who made our Holy Week so meaningful and memorable. Especially to our leaders and members of the Altar Guild, Extra-Ordinary Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Ushers, Choirs, Altar servers, the Prayer Group, and RCIA team. Special thanks to all who contributed to the altar flowers; to Luie D'Guerra for the beautiful and meaningful bulletins and thanks to Luis Gomes for looking after our website.

Thank you so much!



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults 2026

It is with many prayers and obvious joy that the community of St. Martin of Tours welcomes those members fully initiated into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil.

CONGRATULATIONS!!

Special thanks to Deacon Miguel Da Silva and the RCIA team for the great work they do for God.



Divine Mercy Feast Day – Sunday, April 12th
Holy Mass celebrated at 2:00pm followed by Benediction and Adoration



Confirmations

MONDAY, APRIL 13, 2026 @7:00 PM

Students and Sponsors are required to check in at 6:15pm

St. Jerome CES
St. John XXIII CES
St. Gerard CES

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2026 @7:00 PM

Students and Sponsors are required to check in at 6:15pm

St. Bernadette CES
St. David of Wales CES
Private & Public School Students



SAVE THE DATE
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MOTHERS DAY
DINNER & DANCE

Saturday, May 9, 2026

Please Pray For All The Sick

Eda Bartolome, Rose Fernandes, Lenny Naluz, Annie Hurley, Miyanna Figueroa, Mariana Weglinski, and Aissa Aro. And we pray for those whose death anniversaries occur about this time that they may live in glory forever with God and all the Saints.



Masses For The Week

9:00 am Monday, April 6

For the repose of the soul of Catherine Pagan;
Requested by the Family

For the repose of the soul of Francis Affonso;
Requested by Affonso & Fernandes Family

For the repose of the soul of Wiktonia Czarnik.;
Requested by the Family

8:30 am Tuesday, April 7

For the repose of the souls of Anthony & Rose D'Souza;
Requested by the Family

For the repose of the soul of Francisco Serpa;
Requested by Maria Serpa

Special Intentions and Blessings for Magda, Mike, Ben and Oliver;
Requested by Elzbieta

8:30 am Wednesday, April 8

For the repose of the soul of Crescencia Sylianco;
Requested by the Family

For the repose of the soul of Soledad Mendoza;
Requested by the Family

For the repose of the soul of Joseph Thomas;
Requested by the Francis Family

8:30 am Thursday, April 9

For the repose of the soul of Guilhermina D'Mello;
Requested by the Family

For the repose of the soul of Agnes Gomes;
Requested by the Family

For the repose of the soul of Menino Rapozo;
Requested by the Family

8:30 am Friday, April 10

For the repose of the souls of Wiesia, Barbara & Josef Piecarczyk;
Requested by Wanda & Family

Special Intentions and Anniversary Blessings for Davyd & Paule Koffi;
Requested by the Family

Special Intentions and Birthday Blessings for Ann Wilson;
Requested by Anita Fernandes

9:00 am Saturday, April 11

For the repose of the soul of Jaime Payumo;
Requested by the Family

Special Intentions and Birthday Blessings for Mamivic Malabanan;
Requested by the Family

5:00 pm

For the repose of the soul of Fred Weber;
Requested by Mary, Joseph and Family

For the repose of the soul of Basil Thomas;
Requested by the Thomas Family

For the repose of the soul of Leela Poranganel;
Requested by the Family

8:00 am Sunday, April 12

For the repose of the souls of Diana Pereira and Kazmierz Kokosza;
Requested by the Family

For the repose of the souls of Victor Machado and all deceased family members;
Requested by Monica

10:00 am

For the Intentions of the Parishioners.

12:00 pm - Multiple Intentions

- + Antonio & Imaculada Machado
- + Ceasaria Narciso
- + Viktor Sluban
- + Orlando Sr. & Divina Nailog

Special Intentions and Healing for Gregory Guinto
Thanksgiving and Special Intentions for Saldanha Family

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Monday, April 6

9:00 am Holy Mass
Adoration Chapel and Parish Office closed.

Tuesday, April 7

7:00 pm RCIA – Padua Room
7:00 pm Knights of Columbus General Meeting – Assisi

Wednesday, April 8

7:30 pm Prayer Group Adoration & Benediction - Church

Thursday, April 9

6:30 pm Catholic Women's League Executive Meeting – Lisieux
7:30 pm Choir Practice - Church

Friday, April 10

6:00 pm God's Family Choir – Assisi Room
7:00 pm Advanced Line Dancing – Carmel Hall

Saturday, April 11

1:00 pm CFC ME2 – Carmel Hall & Lisieux
1:00 pm CFC – Christian Life Program – Assisi
6:00 pm CFC – Christian Life Program - Assisi

Sunday, April 12

1:30 am Handmaids of the Lord – Lisieux Room
2:00 pm Divine Mercy Mass & Reception



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