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C E L E B R A T E T H E S A V I O R

FELICES PASCUAS — HAPPY EASTER!

The Priests, Deacons, and Staff of St. Mary's Parish wish you and your family a Happy Easter, as you join us to celebrate Our Father's greatest Sacrifice through His Son, Jesus Christ.

HAVE A BLESSED EASTER!

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EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD : MARCH 31, 2024

MASS SCHEDULE: April 1 – April 7, 2024

MONDAY 9:00 AM 7:00 PM	April 1, 2024 Special Intention for Christopher Francis; For Praise & Glory to God For His Majesty & Faithfulness No Holy Hour
TUESDAY 7:00 AM 7:00 PM	April 2, 2024 +Violeta Pangasnan; +Marie Higgins Special Intention for Richard Anthony; Salud de Magdelin Hernandez
WEDNESDAY 7:00 AM	April 3, 2024 Special Intention for Mary Joseph; +Violeta Pangasnan; +James McCabe Rosary, Adoration, Divine Mercy
7:00 PM THURSDAY 7:00 AM 7:00 PM	April 4, 2024 +Violeta Pangasnan; +Irene Higgins Honor AL Divino Niño Salud de Magdelin Hernandez
FRIDAY 7:00 AM	April 5, 2024 — First Friday Elba Soberal & Family; +Harold Blake
7:00 PM SATURDAY 9:00 AM 5:30 PM	April 6, 2024 — First Saturday Memorial Mass People of the Parish
SUNDAY 8:00 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:00 PM	April 7, 2024 — Divine Mercy Thanksgiving for Thelma Sendin; +Josefa Ramos No Tagalog Mass +Andrea Gonzalez; +Jose Antonio Benitez; +Mireya Daumy Thanksgiving for the Obedoza Family; +Enrico Calvento

Sacramental Preparation & Parish Registration

Sacrament of Matrimony: For those who plan to get married, arrangement must be made with a priest at least one year before the wedding; to ensure adequate preparation please contact the Parish office.

Infant Baptisms: Please contact Deacon Cesar Sarmiento for the family preparation program and to set a date. Please call 201-434-8500 or email deaconsarmiento@aol.com.

Adult Education (RCIA): For Adult Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation please contact Rene Tolentino 201-434-8500.

Religious Education: For Religious Education of Children from Grades 1 to High School; please call Freddy Burke: 201-434-8500.

Holy Orders: Young men and women who have a calling to the priesthood or religious life call Archdiocesan office: 973-497-4365

Sick / Homebound: If you or your beloved ones are seriously ill, anticipating surgery; or homebound and in need of the sacraments of Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick, please call our Parish Office (201) 434-8500.

Parish Registration: New Parishioners and those not registered, please fill the registration form at the back of the church or online. Please email the Parish Office (stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com) when you move from the area or if you have questions about the contribution envelopes.

POPE'S INTENTION FOR APRIL 2024:

For the role of women

We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

Peace Prayer – St Francis of Assisi

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, Light,
and where there is sadness, joy.

TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

Collection Sunday, March 24 : \$7,459.00

Easter Flowers : \$ 265.00

We thank our parishioners for your continued support and use of your weekly envelopes.

Agradecemos a nuestros feligreses por su continuo apoyo y uso de sus sobres semanales.

Thank you for your Generosity! Gracias por su generosidad!

Remember to Pray: For all those in our Parish Community who are physically or spiritually ill, may the Lord in His kindness heal their illness, and encourage them in their adversities; and may He receive with joy the prayers we offer for them in all our Masses.

MEMORIAL SANCTUARY CANDLES

Sanctuary Candles are available for \$5.00 each. These candles burn in front of the Blessed Sacrament at the church or in the chapel. Please call the office with your request.

VELAS PARA EL SANTISIMO EN MEMORIA DE UN SER QUERIDO

Las velas están disponibles a \$5.00 c/u las cuales serán encendidas al frente del Santísimo Sacramento en la capilla o en la Iglesia. Favor llame a la oficina si desea ofrecer una de ellas.



St. Mary's Sanctuary

Benditas ánimas del Purgatorio

St. Boniface Chapel

In loving memory of
+Deceased Parishioners of St. Mary's

The Bread and Wine is offered this week:

+Feligreses Difuntos de Santa María

OUR PARISH DEVOTIONS

SILENT ADORATION MONDAYS: 7:00pm St. Boniface Chapel

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ADORATION: 7PM-9PM Main Church

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION: 9:00am-10:30am, Main Church

ROSARY/DIVINE MERCY/ ADORATION WEDNESDAYS: 7pm Chapel

GRUPO DE ORACION: Tuesdays after 7pm Mass, St Boniface Chapel

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP: Wed. after 7am Mass, St. Boniface

COFRADES DEL SAGRADO CORAZON DE JESUS: 2nd. Sunday 12:00pm

OL OF ALTAGRACIA GROUP: 3rd Sunday of the Month, 12:00pm

2000 HAIL MARY'S: Last Saturday of the Month, 7:30am – 7pm

HAPPY EASTER!

Lent is over. Whatever direction your family's Lenten journey has taken, I hope you arrived at this weekend's celebration a little lighter in spirit, stronger in hope, and full of peace and joy of the Risen Lord. So, on behalf of the Priests, Deacons and Staff of St Mary's, I say to you all: HAPPY EASTER!

But we need to remember that Easter is not one Day. Our season of celebration of Easter lasts fifty Days, usually until Pentecost. Therefore, we need to stay in touch with Jesus and His Church, stay in touch with one another still, and live in the celebration of the New Life we have received after our 40 days journey.

Enjoy Easter Spring, enjoy your family while you have them, laugh more and complain less. Jesus is risen. Relax and keep on allowing God's peace to carry you. I too will take a spring break, so you will be hearing from me, God willing, after two weeks or so.

Happy and Blessed Easter to you! May the Lord continue to Bless you and your beautiful families for all the good things you do for Him here at St Mary's. Muchas Gracias! May God bless you all!

¡FELICES PASCUAS!

La Cuaresma ha terminado. Cualquiera que sea la dirección que haya tomado su familia durante la Cuaresma, espero que haya llegado a la celebración de este fin de semana un poco más ligero de espíritu, más fuerte de esperanza y lleno de paz y alegría del Señor Resucitado. Así que, en nombre de los sacerdotes, diáconos y personal de Santa María, les digo a todos: ¡FELIZ PASCUA!

Pero debemos recordar que la Pascua no es un día. Nuestro tiempo de celebración de la Pascua dura cincuenta días, generalmente hasta Pentecostés. Por lo tanto, necesitamos mantenernos en contacto con Jesús y Su Iglesia, mantenernos en contacto unos con otros y vivir en la celebración de la Nueva Vida que hemos recibido después de nuestro viaje de 40 días.

Disfruta de la primavera de Pascua, disfruta de tu familia mientras la tengas, ríe más y quéjate menos. Jesús ha resucitado. Relájate y sigue permitiendo que la paz de Dios te lleve. Yo también me tomaré unas vacaciones de primavera, así que tendrán noticias mías, si Dios quiere, después de dos semanas más o menos.

¡Feliz y bendecida Pascua para ti! Que el Señor continúe bendiciéndolos a ustedes y a sus hermosas familias por todas las cosas buenas que hacen por Él, aquí en Santa María.

Muchas Gracias! Dios los bendiga a todos!

Very Rev Eustace Edomobi D.Min., Pasor.

Stewardship

"Think of what is above, not of what is on earth."
- COLOSSIANS 3:2

On this day we thank God for His Son, Jesus, who died, rose and opened the gates of heaven for us. We celebrate and sing "Alleluia." Let's try to keep the joy of this Easter season in our hearts throughout the year! Pray daily and listen for how God is calling each of us to joyfully use our gifts to fulfill His salvation plan.

YOUTH MINISTRY

If you are interested in our youth group please contact
Deacon Cesar Sarmiento : deaconsarmiento@aol.com

Viviendo Nuestra Fe

Una de las necesidades más urgentes de la relaciones interpersonales actuales es la de hacer silencio interior y exterior. Se trata aquí de un silencio profundamente comunicativo, en el que las personas se contemplan con sus propios rasgos para apreciar la singular riqueza de cada una de ellas, buscar juntos la verdad en el diálogo y cosechar los frutos del intercambio. Pero no puede olvidarse que también existe un silencio cómplice ante los errores y pecados que esconden conflictos sin resolver. El cristiano esta llamado a ser persona en diálogo con Dios, pero también con la realidad para transformarla con el amor a la justicia, de donde brota la vida nueva de Cristo resucitado (cf. *Fratelli tutti*, 224).

- ◆ ¿Cuáles son sus dudas sobre la resurrección?
- ◆ ¿Cómo alimenta usted el gozo de vivir en su seno familiar?

La Oficina Parroquial estará CERRADA el lunes 1 de abril de 2024 (Lunes dentro de la Octava de Pascua)

PEREGRINACIÓN DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA 2024

Todos están invitados a la Peregrinación anual de la Divina Misericordia 2024 el domingo 7 de abril de 2024. El horario de asamblea es a las 6:30 am en la esquina de 2nd St y Marin Blvd cerca de Shop Rite. El costo es de \$50 por persona. Por favor traiga su propio almuerzo.

El espacio es limitado. Confirme su asistencia a Freddy Burke (FreddyBurkeDRE@gmail.com).



Día de la Madre Cena y Baile



St. Mary te invita a la cena y baile del Día de la Madre en Marian Hall el sábado 11 de mayo de 2024 a las 6:00 p.m.

El costo es **\$35 por persona.**

Comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial para obtener boletos y más información.

**NO SE ACEPTARÁN RESERVAS DESPUÉS DEL
DOMINGO 5 DE MAYO DE 2024**

300 CLUB

¡Únase o RENOVADA HOY! Esto será de gran ayuda para tu Iglesia y para tu familia.

Felicidades al ganador de marzo de 2024:
Rosanna Pangasnan

Readings for the Week of Easter Sunday, Year B

APRIL 2024

- 1 Mon** Monday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15 Pss Prop
2 Tue Tuesday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18 Pss Prop
3 Wed Wednesday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35 Pss Prop
4 Thu Thursday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48 Pss Prop
5 Fri Friday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14 Pss Prop
6 Sat Saturday within the Octave of Easter white Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15 Pss Prop
7 SUN SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER white (OR SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY) Acts 4:32-35/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31
Pss Prop

Announcements

Parish Office

The Parish Office will be CLOSED on Monday, April 1, 2024
(Monday within the Octave of Easter)

No Tagalog Mass on Sunday, April 7, 2024

Divine Mercy Pilgrimage 2024

All are invited to the annual Divine Mercy Pilgrimage 2024 on Sunday April 7, 2024. Assembly time is 6:30am at the corner of 2nd Street and Marin Blvd, near ShopRite. Cost is \$50 per person. Please bring your own lunch.

First come, First Served. Space is limited.

Please RSVP to Freddy Burke (FreddyBurkeDRE@gmail.com).



Mother's Day Dinner Dance

St. Mary's is happy to announce the Mother's Day Dinner Dance in Marian Hall on Saturday, May 11, 2024 at 6:00 pm.

Cost is **\$35 per person**.

Please contact the Parish Office for tickets and more information.

NO RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024



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Join or **RENEW TODAY!** This will be a big help to your Church and to your family.

Congratulations to the March 2024 winner: **Rosanna Pangasnan!**



ANNUAL 2024 APPEAL
MAKE YOUR GIFT TODAY

2024 Annual Appeal

If you haven't done so, please consider participating in this year's Appeal to help make a significant difference in many lives within our Archdiocese.

Please make a gift online today by visiting
<https://rcan.org/sharing/>



Please help us reach our goal of only \$20,000.