



HE IS RISEN

CELEBRATE THE RESURRECTION

He has delivered us from the power of darkness.

COLOSSIANS 1:13 (NKJV)



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APRIL 4th, 2021
EASTER SUNDAY

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A Sister Parish with St. Joseph, Crestline
Member of St. Juan Diego Deanery

Mass Intentions

Tuesday

6:30 pm - Mass at Sacred Heart
Mass Intention: For All New Members

Wednesday

1:00pm - Mass at Sacred Heart
Mass Intention: For All Religious

Thursday

5:30pm- Confession at St. Joseph
6:30pm - Mass at St. Joseph
Mass Intention: Deacon Joseph Burkhart

Friday

8:30am - Mass at St. Joseph
Mass Intention: For Those Suffering With
Addiction

Saturday

3:30-Confession at Sacred Heart
4:30pm - Mass at Sacred Heart
Mass Intention: Rodney Cole;
Lucy Rietschlin
6:30 pm - Mass at St. Joseph
Mass Intention: New Members of the Ro-
man Catholic Church

Sunday

7:00am - Mass at St. Joseph
Mass Intention: Deacon Joseph & Sandy
Burkhart; Don Schill
8:30am - First Communion Mass
at Sacred Heart
Mass Intention: Madonna Chancellor;
Bob Sutter
10:30am - Mass at St. Joseph
Mass Intention: Denny Flaherty; Becky
Garrett
3:00pm-Divine Mercy Service at
St. Joseph

Greetings Parishioners,

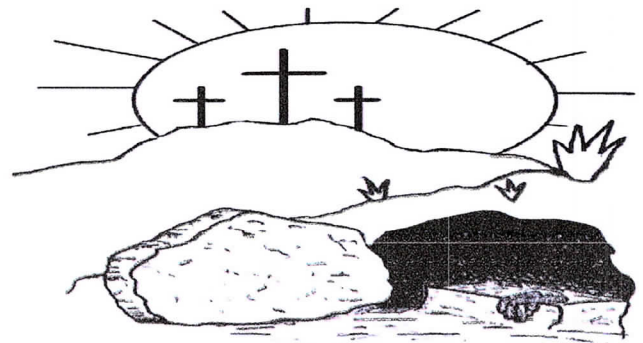
The Lord has risen Alleluia! I hope that we too can continue to come out of our tombs and share the life of Christ with all around us.

Speaking of coming out of our tombs... Next weekend I will once again process out the back at the end of Mass and greet people after Mass! Yes it has been two weeks since I received by second CoVid vaccine and I believe it is safe for me to once again greet you after Mass with out getting you sick.

With this in mind I will still stand at a distance and will only shake your hand and talk with you if you make the first move. Also, don't feel obliged to acknowledge me or feel bad if you still wish to go straight to your car after Mass. I know some still wish to avoid crowds and social distancing is nothing to be ashamed of! Concerning the new 6:30pm Mass at St. Joseph: I will still process through the side route and I will NOT greet people after that Mass since it is our Mass with extra precautions.

That last paragraph was certainly a weird Easter announcement but this was just a really weird year... wasn't it? Here's a more regular announcement. This year at St. Joe's we will be having a Divine Mercy service at 3pm next weekend. As we know last year our community lost a great man in Deacon Joe Burkhart. Deacon Joe's family donated our new benches in memory of him and other family members. Deacon Joe loved the chaplet of Divine Mercy and I will certainly be thinking about him as we chant this wonderfully prayer together at this short prayer service!

In Christ,
Fr. Jeff



Total Collection:**March 28, 2021****\$ 4,318.00**

Offertory
\$ 3,333.00

Good Friday
\$ 50.00

Easter
\$ 700.00

Easter Flowers

\$ 185.00

General Maintenance

\$ 50.00

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\$ 510.00



**Thank
You !**

LITURGICAL MINISTERS**Wednesday, April 7th. Lauren Vogt****Saturday, April 10th.**

MUSIC MINISTER
TBD

SERVERS
Matthew Gosser

OFFERTORY
None

EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS
Brenda Gosser & Marti Keller

USHERS
Paul Gosser

LECTOR
Karen Keiser

GREETERS
None

Sunday April 11th.

MUSIC MINISTER
TBD

SERVERS
Titus Beeson

OFFERTORY
None

EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS
Lisa Myers & Laura Nold

USHERS
Gary Biglin

LECTOR
Chuck Keller

GREETERS
None

COUNTERS
Miriam Schroeder & Laura Nold

Bible Readings for the Week April 4th, 2021

Monday	Acts 2:14, 22-23, Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11, Mt 28:8-15
Tuesday	Acts 2:36-41, Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22, Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday	Acts 3:1-10, Ps 105:1-4, 6-9, Lk 24:13-35
Thursday	Acts 3:11-26, Ps 8:2ab, 5-9, Lk 24:35-48
Friday	Acts 4:1-12, Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27a, Jn 21:1-14
Saturday	Acts 4:13-21, Ps 118:1, 14-15ab, 16-21, Mk 16:9-15
Sunday	Acts 4:32-35, Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24, 1 Jn 5:1-6, Jn 20:19-31

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Dispensation From Attending Mass and Holy Days of Obligation

The faithful are reminded that the dispensation to attend Sunday Mass, and Holy Days of Obligation, remains in place for the foreseeable future until you are notified otherwise. Those who are at high risk, especially the elderly and those with pre-existing health conditions are to be strongly advised to refrain from Mass attendance out of concern for their own well-being and out of Christian charity for others.



Where Charity and Love Prevail Annual Catholic Appeal 2021

Bishop Thomas would like to extend his thank you to all who have taken the time to return their pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal. Your generosity is a blessing!

To make a gift online, visit <https://www.acatoledo.org/>
Our parish has currently pledged \$10,845.00 toward our goal of \$15,082.00 Thank you!



HAPPY APRIL BIRTHDAY !

Steve Keller	April 2nd.
Maxine Niese	April 15th.
Tom Metzger	April 17th.
Lawrence Biglin (101!)	April 20th.
Bill Rieman	April 21st.
Joe Niese	April 28th.
Paul Schroeder	April 29th.

St. Joseph Catholic School in Crestline Seeking Full-time Catholic Elementary School Principal

This individual will administer the school and all facets of its instructional program, including co-curricular activities; supervises all certified and non-certified staff assigned to the building facility; provides leadership in establishing expectations for student attendance, conduct and learning performance.

For more information, contact:
Joann Palm, Business Manager, 331 N. Thoman St.,
Crestline, OH 44827, 419-683-2015 or: via email at:
jpalm@stjosephcrestline.org



Welcome RCIA candidates and catechumens into
Sacred Heart of Jesus and St. Joseph Parishes !

St. Joseph: Jessica Bohach and Daniel Potter

Sacred Heart: Taylor Gosser, Nathan Mateo and
Monica Vilorio



Please keep our second grade students in your prayers. They will be making their First Communion on Sunday, **April 11th at 8:30 a.m. Mass.** Eight pews will be reserved for our First Communications and their families. Please pray for these students as they prepare to receive the Body of Christ:

**Felix Beeson, Samantha Hamilton, Alivia Hicks,
Audrey Hoffman, Jude Kemerer, Makenna Mur-
phy, Lily Stine and Deacon Wyer.**

Spiritual Retreat Luminous Ministries "The Secret Ingredient"

Have you heard about the secret ingredient to a joyful life? Come spend an evening with Carol and Kristen as they unpack this important secret via exceptional recipes, surprising reflections, unusual strategies, twists on tried-and-true prayer experiences and so much more. Does all of this sound a little cryptic and leave you learning to know the secret? Good, then all you have to do is attend this event and prepare your soul to receive this life changing secret ingredient!

Where: Sacred Heart Church
When: Tuesday, April 27th. At 7:15pm
Questions: Mrs. Myers at 419-342-2797

This retreat is sponsored by Sacred Heart and St. Joseph, Crestline Parishes.

Easter Sunday-The Resurrection of the Lord



What is Easter?

The Easter Vigil is the “Mother of All Vigils.” Easter Sunday, then, is the greatest of all Sundays, and Easter Time is the most important of all liturgical times. Easter is the celebration of the Lord’s Resurrection from the dead, culminating in his Ascension to the Father and sending of the Holy Spirit upon the Church. There are 50 days of Easter from the first Sunday of Easter to Pentecost. It is characterized, above all, by the joy of glorified life and the victory over death, expressed most fully in the great resounding cry of the Christian, Alleluia! All faith flows from faith in the Resurrection: “If Christ has not been raised, then empty [too] is our preaching; empty, too, is your faith” (1 Cor 15:14).

“What you sow is not brought to life unless it dies. And what you sow is not the body that is to be but a bare kernel of wheat, perhaps, or of some other kind; . . . So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown corruptible; it is raised incorruptible. It is sown dishonorable; it is raised glorious. It is sown weak; it is raised powerful. It is sown a natural body; it “Easter is the celebration of the Lord’s Resurrection from the dead, culminating his Ascension to the Father and sending of the Holy Spirit upon the Church.” is raised a spiritual body. If there is a natural body, there is also a spiritual one. So, too, it is written, ‘The first man, Adam, became a living being,’ the last Adam a life-giving spirit. But the spiritual was not first; rather the natural and then the spiritual. The first man was from the earth, earthly; the second man, from heaven. As was the earthly one, so also are the earthly, and as is the heavenly one, so also are the heavenly. Just as we have borne the image of the earthly one, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly one” (1 Cor 15:36-37, 42-49).

The Octave of Easter comprises the eight days, which stretch from the first Sunday of Easter to the Second Sunday of Easter. It is a way of prolonging the joy of the initial day. In a sense, every day of the Octave is like a little Sunday.

The word “Easter” comes from Old English, meaning simply the “east.” The sun that rises in the east, bringing light, warmth, and hope, is a symbol for the Christian of the rising Christ, who is the true Light of the world. The Paschal Candle is a central symbol of this divine light, which is Christ. It is kept near the ambo throughout Easter Time and is lit for all liturgical celebrations.



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BULLETIN



EASTER FLOWERS 2021:

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Barbara Finnegan

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Shirley Niese

Robert Biglin Family

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Given in Memory/Honor of:

Leroy Steiner; Bob, Eleanor & Dan Rietschlin

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Martha Reynolds; Charlie Studer; Shirley & Jim Cole; Rodney Cole

James & Keith Niese

Mary Alice Biglin; Mark Wolford

Carl & Bernice Burkhalter; Tom & Bettie Claytor; Paul Burkhalter; Arlie DeHart

Grandpa Ronnie

John Metzger; The Founding Fathers of Sacred Heart Parish; All the Souls in Purgatory

Waldo and Cecelia Niese; Charlie Niese

Deceased Members of the Zitko and Meyers Families

The Rieman and Gwirtz Families

Jill Roberts; The Miller Family

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish

Gary & Donna Biglin	Deceased Members of the Leon Miller Family; Marie & Joe Biglin
Dave & Becky Kromer	Deceased Members of the Kromer and Miller Families; Baby Mendenhall
Mary Studer	Charles Studer
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Patrick Gosser	Jeanne, Paul and Kathleen Gosser
Karen & John Bonen	Beverly Bonen Moser
Ronald & Penny Biglin	Mary Alice Biglin; Mark Wolford
Steve & Margaret Keller	The Keller & Williams Families
Lawrence Biglin	Mary Alice Biglin; Keith Krynock; Mark Wolford
Yogi, Linda Moore & Family	Mary Alice Biglin; Mark Wolford; Keith Krynock