

WEEKLY
SCHEDULE

Monday April 21

Office is closed

12:00 noon

CDA Meeting

Tuesday April 22

4:30 pm

Rosary

5:00 pm

Mass

Wednesday April 23

9:00 am

Rosary

9:30 am

Mass

6:00 pm

FAITH FORMATION

Thursday April 24

9:00 am

Rosary

9:30 am

Mass

Friday April 25

9:00 am

Rosary

9:30 am

Mass

Saturday April 26

3:30 pm

Confessions

4:30 pm

Rosary

5:00 pm

Vigil Mass

Sunday April 27

Divine Mercy Sunday

8:00 am

Rosary

8:30 am


Mass (English)

12:00 pm


Rosary (Spanish)

12:30 pm

Mass (Spanish)



MASS SCHEDULE
ST. JOSEPH



Thursday, April 24

11:00 am

Mass

- Health of Mayra Robles

Friday, April 25

11:00 am

Mass

† - Gabina Ocampo & Jesus Flores

Sunday, April 27


10:00 am

Rosary

10:30 am

Mass

Healing of Lorenzo Ybarra Jr.



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This is Sacred Heart Church QR code for online giving. You may start using it now to make it more convenient for everyone. Thank you for your generosity.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 22

Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, April 23

Health of Mayra Robles

Thursday, April 24

Souls in Purgatory

Friday, April 25

† - Gabina Ocampo & Jesus Flores

Saturday, April 26

People of the Parish


Sunday, April 27

8:30 am


† - Kimberly Lara Ramirez

12:30 pm

† - Filimon Marquez & Esperanza Huerta



Loyola Press
Sunday Family
Connections



As parents, we occasionally hear stories that can seem like nonsense from our children. When we take the time to listen more carefully, however, we can sometimes find the interpretive key that makes sense of the story. This is similar to the experience of the disciples after Jesus' Resurrection. The apostles did not understand the meaning of the women's report of Jesus' empty tomb until they discovered the interpretive key: Jesus' words to them. Jesus had told them that he would die and rise again on the third day. When the apostles remembered these words, they were able to believe the women's story and to proclaim the Good News of salvation to all.

Show a red plastic viewer and the card that it “interprets” (found in some board games). Discuss how the red plastic viewer allows one to read the writing that is on the card (It will reveal the words hidden behind the red screen of dots).

Say: *Without the red viewer, the printing on this card looks like nonsense. To make sense of the nonsense, we need this special lens. As followers of Jesus, we also have a special lens that helps us make sense of Jesus' Resurrection, which we celebrate on Easter. Let's listen carefully to today's Gospel to see what this is.*

Read aloud today's Gospel Luke 24:1-12. Ask: *What did the men at the tomb remind the women about?* (Jesus' words to them) *These words of Jesus helped the women and the disciples believe that Jesus was truly raised from the dead. Where do we find Jesus' words?* (in the Bible, in the Gospels) *The words of Scripture help us believe that Jesus is truly risen.*

Conclude in prayer together, that our faith in Jesus' Resurrection will grow strong and that we will recognize the amazing things that God does for us in our world. Pray together the [Act of Faith](https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/).

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Liturgical
Ministries

Saturday, April 26

5:00 pm

Lector;

Joan Yost

EM;

Judy Gollon

Sacristan;

Joan Yost

Altar Servers

Sunday, April 27

8:30 am

Lector;

Cynthia Miller

EM;

Shawn & Sally Sutton

Sacristan;

Stephanie Rangel

Altar Servers

Sunday, April 27

12:30 pm

Lector;

Herminia Benito

EM;

Alejandro Garcia & Maria H.

Rosary;

Dolores Sanchez

Sacristan;

Nati Mendoza

Altar Servers:

Ushers:

Edelmiro, Armando, Francisca, Estrella

Pope Francis Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,
may the *faith* you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of *charity* enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed *hope*
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the
Gospel.

May those seeds transform from within
both humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever.

Amen

PRAYER
REQUEST

H - Jeanette Werner

H= Health S= Soul

H - Jackie Kotre

S - Tom Leith

H - Frances Madachy

S - Fib Johnston

H - D J Maher

S - Jo Wehinger

H - Andrea Jenck

S - Linda Rodriguez

H - Estrella Te

S - Trinidad Martinez

H - Kerma Lamkin

S - Jim Hurliman

H - John Bender

S - Bob Willhite

H - Dotty Geller

S - Sue Hurliman

H - Donna Molendyke

S - Heidi Rutar

H - Luis Silveira

S - Bill Benedict

H - Lina Silveira

H - Westin Bennett

H - Ed Rieger

H - Hank Gollon

Please also pray for all members of our Parish, Poor Souls in Purgatory and All Sinners of the World.
This list of names will be offered during our daily and weekend Masses.

DAILY MASS READINGS

Monday, April 21

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2:14,22-33

Responsorial Psalm: 16:1-2,5,7-11

Gospel: Matthew 28:8-15

Tuesday, April 22

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2:36-41

Responsorial Psalm: 33:4-5,18-20,22

Gospel: John 20:11-18

Wednesday, April 23

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 3:1-10

Responsorial Psalm: 105:1-4,6-9

Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

Thursday, April 24

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 3:11-26

Responsorial Psalm: 8:2,5-9

Gospel: Luke 24:35-48

Friday, April 25

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4:1-12

Responsorial Psalm : 118:1-2,4,22-27

Gospel: John 21:1-14

Saturday, April 26

1st Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4:13-21

Responsorial Psalm : 118:1,14-21

Gospel: Mark 16:9-15

Sunday, April 27

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 5:12-16

Responsorial Psalm: 118:2-4,13-15,22-24

Second Reading: Revelation 1:9-13,17-19

Gospel: John 20:19-31



COME, JOIN US AFTER 8:30 MASS EVERY SUNDAY:

We will not be serving coffee and donuts on Easter Sunday.

On Sunday April 27th, Ladies from Catholic Daughters, will be serving you coffee and donuts after Mass in the Parish Hall. Catholic Daughters will have a table in the Parish Hall where you can check out Sacred Heart library books, pick up a rosary and information on how to pray the rosary.



Homebound Ministry to the Sick

DO YOU HAVE A LOVED ONE AT HOME WHO WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION?

Our parish is blessed to have parishioners who serve as Extraordinary Ministers of Communion (EMC) to parishioners who are homebound. It is most fitting to bring Communion to the sick and/or the homebound from the Mass, but other times may be arranged depending on availability. This ministry, a corporal work of mercy-visiting the sick-reminds those who are homebound that they are an important part of our faith community. Do you know a Sacred Heart Church parishioner who is homebound? Share this bulletin announcement with fellow parishioners whom you know and please invite them to call us. Please call the Parish Office at (503) 842-6647 to make arrangements.



St. Joseph's Church, Cloverdale

St. Joseph's Altar Society is offering a \$1,000.00 scholarship to a graduating senior who is an active member of St. Joseph's parish. Please contact Mary Jo Marsh at 503-392-3332. Application deadline is April 30, 2025.

St. Joseph's Altar Society meets the second Monday of each month, September through May. All ladies of the parish are invited to join us. Meetings start at 10 a.m.

A big Thank You!!

Thank you to all who helped clean our church on Saturday getting it ready for Easter! Thanks to all the hard working Confirmation student who did a very good job. Thank you to their parents who also participated along with them. Thank you to those who power washed and cleaned our windows!

Thank you to everyone who participated! We really appreciated all the help!

Spirituality of the Readings -
EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD
APRIL 20, 2025
John Foley, SJ

Patience

That word, patience, haunts us at Easter.

The promise of all ages has now been fulfilled in the Resurrection, and we rejoice.

But we have to wait for our slow selves to take it in. Sometimes we have to be forced to have it. Patience.

Remember how Jesus was so unhurried when he learned that Lazarus, his friend, was dying not far away in Bethany? Jesus delayed four days going there. In other words, he waited “forever” in emotional time Those close friends of his, Mary and Martha, buried their brother and grieved—without Jesus, who finally got there. Each sister cried out words that tore into him:

You could have saved our brother!

And Jesus wept.

Yes.

Then he replied, “But I am the resurrection and the life.”

We rejoice because we can sense the truth of that statement. Today it is spread out before us in the Great Celebration of Easter.**

And, we followers of God and his Christ take a long, long time to get beneath the surface of this feast, to put ourselves into the hands of, after all, what is not a money-back guarantee, but a promise. “You will be my people and I will be your God.” It is so tough for us to drink the milk of trust in the same way a child does at its mother’s breast. Must we decide to entrust still another sluggish part of ourselves to God and to his promise?

For a “brief moment,” we are told, God lost patience and turned away! But then “with enduring love” he took his people back, offering water to the thirsty and grain to their poor.

You will be my people and I will be your God.

Can you trust this?

How much?

Finally the Gospel is proclaimed, announcing an empty tomb! The women in the story believe. The men don’t. At least not right away.

How about you, woman or man, do you believe? Is Jesus risen or is he not? Or is it after all just a child’s fable?

On this Easter weekend, after we have reacted just like the disciples during those seemingly never-ending post-crucifixion days, and even after we sing songs about resurrection, still we do it by faith and trust.

We hear it anew, maybe now more profoundly, with pandemic and Ukraine and Gaza!

So, we wait, even with joy!

Halleluiah!

We are asked which path we will follow. The skeptical, calculating path of doubters, or the trusting, patient route of those who keep learning to believe—above all and after all—in the tender mercy of God.

Halleluiah!