

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, April 17, 2023

- 7:30 AM Margaret Gabriel
- 12:30 PM Georgina Traina
- 7:30 PM Spanish Intentions

Tuesday, April 18, 2023

- 7:30 AM Isabelle & Philip Marino
- 12:30 PM Manuel Ferreira

Wednesday, April 19, 2023

- 7:30 AM John Almeida
- 12:30 PM John & Anne Berning

Thursday, April 20, 2023

- 7:30 AM Irene Krause
- 12:30 PM Christine Flinn

Friday, April 21, 2023

- 7:30 AM Gerald Campbell
- 12:30 PM Rita Lettieri (15th Anniversary)

Saturday, April 22, 2023

- 5:00 PM Olinda & Ernesto Marques
Vicencio Viegas
Diamantino Garrido
Manuel Caetano & Family
Antonio da Silva & Family
Antonio Caetano & Family
Souls who died in Turkey

Sunday, April 23, 2023

- 7:00 AM Carlos & Filomena Crecco & Family
- 8:30 AM Portuguese Intentions
- 10:00 AM Antonio Oliveira Lopes
- 11:30 AM People of the Parish
- 5:00 PM Julio Toledo
- 7:00 PM Avelino Henriques Pereira

PRIEST CELEBRANTS' SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 22, 2023

5:00 PM Fr. Ngozi

Sunday, April 23, 2023

7:00 AM Fr. Malcolm

8:30 AM Fr. Tomaz

10:00 AM Fr. Malcolm

11:30 AM Fr. Ngozi

5:00 PM Fr. Carlos

7:00 PM Fr. Ngozi

(Schedule is subject to change)

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Sharing Time, Talent and Treasure

Jesus meets the need of each disciple. To the fearful in the upper room, He speaks words of peace. To doubting Thomas, He provides the tangible proof of His resurrection. What do I have to share that might meet someone else's need? (Our Sunday Visitor, ibid., page 9).

Easter Sunday Actual Collection = \$42,687

Easter Sunday Mail-In Donations = \$2,570

Easter Sunday Electronic Donations = \$714

Early Easter Contributions = \$4,502

Attendance = 1,847

Easter Total to date = \$50,473

Easter Flowers to date = \$3,010

Good Friday/Holy Land = \$3,504



*Please Pray For
The Deceased*



Manuel de Brito



*One Family - Journeying together in
Communion, Participation, and Mission*



CMA Numbers for 2023

Goal = \$95,900

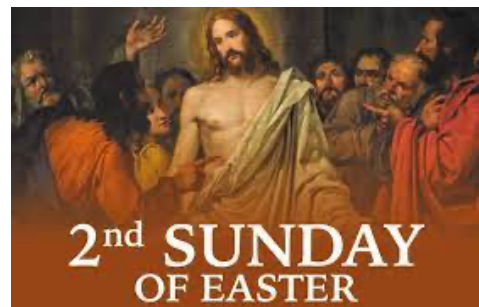
Pledges = \$28,195

Payments = \$23,158

Donors = 109

Average = \$259

Thank you to all the families who already have made a sacrificial gift. Please consider a yearly offering.



Pastor's Notes

“See what love the Father has bestowed upon us in letting us be called children of God! Yet that indeed is what we are” (1 John 3:1). Easter Sunday and spring time at Corpus Christi bring out the best of our parish family, as we realize the joy of being adopted sons and daughters of the one true Father, through the Paschal Mystery of His only begotten Son Jesus. Christ living, dying and rising opens all the darkened tombs of our lives, to pour out upon us the light and love of His Spirit in glory. The profound mystery of the Resurrection is so great, that it cannot be contained to simply one Sunday. But the Easter season goes on for the great fifty days; right up to Pentecost celebrating the birth of the Church.

The eight day Octave of Easter celebrates Divine Mercy Sunday, as established by Saint-Pope John Paul II in April 2000. The inspired words of St. Maria Faustina give meaning to this Solemnity: “My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and a shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy”. God’s abounding mercy is infinitely deeper than any sin we commit; as long as we freely turn to the Lord’s loving embrace.

As Pastor of this blessed parish for nearly seven years now, I thank all of you for making Holy Week and Easter such a powerful experience of profound faith in the Risen Christ. The church office staff members, volunteers, musicians, choirs, lectors, Communion ministers, altar servers, ushers, sacristans, money counters, decorators, boy scouts, fire fighters, florists, linen ladies and all of you as people of prayer in the pews, give so much of yourselves to God through Corpus Christi. On behalf of Bishop Anjay, Father Ngozi, Father Jerome, Deacon Brian, our gratitude goes up to God in heaven, for all your sacrificial giving on earth, to build up the Kingdom of God here in magnificent Mineola.

Yours in Christ!
Father Malcolm



SOLEMNITY OF DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY SOLEMNIDAD DEL DOMINGO DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA

Join us for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and prayer of the chaplet of the Divine Mercy on Sunday April 16th 2023, starting at 3:00 pm

Únete a nosotros para la Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento y el rezo de la coronilla a la Divina Misericordia el Domingo 16 de abril 2023, empezando a las 3:00 pm

*(Jesús says) "I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of Mercy"
(Diary, 1109)*

*(Jesús dice) "Deseo conceder el perdón total a las almas que se acerquen a la Confesión y reciban la Santa Comunión el día de la Fiesta de Mi Misericordia"
(Diario 1109)*



2023

He is Risen! Alleluia! I pray you and your loved ones know the peace of our Risen Lord in these weeks of Easter!

Last Easter, Pope Francis has said, "*The Risen Lord is also the Crucified One ... In his glorious body He bears indelible wounds: wounds that have become windows of hope.*" During these difficult times and global unrest, peace and hope must be in the forefront of our being.

This year's Catholic Ministries Appeal theme – *Journeying Together in Communion, Participation and Mission*, answers our Holy Father's invitation to journey with one another and show love to those in need. Your commitment to the support of the Catholic Ministries Appeal helps us to serve more than 600,000 people each year by supporting formation programs that prepare our priests, deacons and lay leaders; training our religious education catechists and adult faith formation leaders who educate our youth and parish families; providing food and housing programs that serve our seniors, disadvantaged families, and people with special needs, those struggling with substance abuse; and promoting the sanctity of life at all stages. Working together, we are all enriching the lives of all of Long Island.

Please remember that 100% of every dollar raised is restricted to fund the objectives, programs, and mission supported by the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

Thank you for prayerfully considering a gift to the 2023 Catholic Ministries Appeal and reaching out to those need. Please pray for the success of this year's Appeal and for those who are supported by the Appeal.

You and your loved ones will be remembered in my prayers and Masses. May you and they know the love of our Risen Lord!

Sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend John O. Barres
Bishop of Rockville Centre

Catholic Daughters of the Americas , Court Immaculata #444
SPRING PLANT SALE



All orders must be received by Monday, May 1, 2023

Pick up Saturday, May 20th from 12 noon-2pm

At Corpus Christi Rectory parking lot 155 Garfield Avenue, Mineola

Please mail: Order form and check, made out to:

Court Immaculata #444 to

Claire Boland, 28 Juniper Avenue, Mineola, NY 11

Any questions, please call Claire 516-780-4180 or Jackie 516-978-6445

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____



10” Hanging baskets \$25.00

- _____ New Guinea Impatiens Shades of Pink
- _____ Million Bells Pink Purple Combos (Circle choice of color)

Full Flats \$24.00 Circle choice of color (Flat: 32 plants – 8 packs of 4)

- _____ Green Leaf Begonias Red Pink White
- _____ Impatiens Red Pink White
- _____ Petunias Red Pink Mixed colors
- _____ Marigolds Yellow Orange

4 ½” Potted Plants \$8.00

- _____ New Guinea Impatiens Shades of Pink
- _____ Green Leaf Begonias Red Pink (Circle choice of color)



The proceeds from the sale will help fund the scholarships we award to students from our Religious Education Program who will be attending a Catholic High School.





Sunday, April 16, 2023

Divine Mercy Sunday

9:30 AM Gr. 7, 8, IC-4, IC-6

10:00 AM Class Mass

Tuesday, April 18, 2023

Last class for 2A and 2B

Final Exam and last class:

4:00 PM 1A (*Mrs. Garcia*), 6A (*Mrs. Fernandes*)

5:30 PM 1B (*Mrs. Kopp*)

3A (*Mrs. L.Baker/Mr. A. Baker*)

4A (*Mrs. Gandarela/Mrs. Picarello*)

5A (*Mr. and Mrs. Boland*)

7A (*Mr. Crennan*)

Wednesday, April 19, 2023

Last class for 2C and 2D

Final Exam and last class:

7:00 PM 6B

(*Mrs.J.Ludwig/Mr. B. Ludwig*)

7B *Mr. Perone*

7C *Mr. Donnelly*

Thursday, April 20, 2023

No class for 2D.

Final Exam and last class:

4:00 PM 3B, 4B, 5B, 6C, 6D, 7D

5:30 PM 1D (*Ms. Henriques*)

3C (*Ms. Araujo*)

4C (*Ms. I. DeSousa*)

5C (*Mrs. D.DaSilva/*

Ms. J. DaSilva)

**Make up exams will take place during the week of April 25th.*

Sunday, April 23, 2023

9:30 AM Gr. 1, 2, IC-2 (*Fitz. Hall*)

10:00 AM Class Mass

Twenty Minutes with the Director

Sunday, April 23

Grades 1, 2, IC-2

Sunday, April 30

Grades 3, 4

Sunday, May 7

Grades 5, 6, IC-3

Junior Lectors

10:00 AM Mass

Sunday, April 23

Kylie Cunha

Sunday, April 30

Marc Machado/Matthew Hargrove



Please remember the sick in your daily prayers, including the following who have asked to be included in our list:

Connie Altvater, Aurora Antunes, Armandina Araujo, Vinnie Benedetto, Violeta Bernal. Anne Boland, Erin Burke, Marie Byrnes, Jeanne Carroll, Michael Castalino, Frank de Carolis, Sue Citro, Christine Englund, Emmanuel Colon, Joann Cornacchioli, James Cunney, Jerry Daraio, Kate Donovan, Virginia Fallon, Laurie Fefta, Lilly Fuentes, Kenneth Gallagher, Vanessa Gomes, Robert Hartlett, Frank Iaquinto, Sue Krebs, Pat Kober, Diane LaBianca, Joseph LaBianca, Lorraine Liqury, Vincent Lodato, Christine Lucivero, Augustus & Camella Lodato, Jason Lopes, Thomas Mitchell, Susan O'Brien, Gabriel Palhete, Linda Pires, Dennis Radovic, Elizabeth Rose, JoAnn Russo, Mary Santucci, Robert Santucci, Ann Schwarz, Lisa Simeone, Lucy Elena Sivirichi, Beatriz Silva Pontes, Paul Tubito, Lorraine Verdade, and any other members of our parish who are sick at this time.




Distressed financially or need food or clothing? Please call 516-746-1223.

Mary of Magdala was first to discover the tomb empty. Who would she follow now? "They've taken my Lord from the grave and we don't know where they have put him". Her lament could express the experience that many Catholics are living through today: What have they done with the Risen Jesus? Is it a Christ full of the promise of life or a Jesus whose memory keeps fading little by little in our hearts? To experience the joy of Easter it's not enough to turn to the magisterium of the Church, or to study theological books. In order to meet the Risen One we need above all to journey within. If we don't meet him inside ourselves, we won't meet him anywhere. Later, when Mary does see Jesus, she's so blinded by grief and tears that she does not recognize him, Jesus just asks her a question: Woman, why are you weeping? Who are you looking for? Maybe we too need to ask ourselves something similar: Why is our faith so sad and low-key? What are Catholics today looking for? Only when Jesus calls her by name does she recognize Him.

Mary meets the Risen One when she feels herself personally called by him. That's the core of resurrection faith. Jesus shows himself full of life to us when we feel ourselves called by our own name and we hear the invitation that he makes to each one of us. That's when our faith grows. Our faith in the living Christ won't be revived only by the Easter accounts alone. We won't properly meet him if we don't seek a living, personal contact with him. A combination of the love of Jesus known through the Gospel and sought personally in the depths of our hearts, can best lead us to meet the Risen One.

HAPPY and BLESSED EASTER!

Altar Server Schedule



Sat., April 22	5:00 PM	M.Machado/L.DaCosta
Sun., April 23	10:00 AM	J.Donatelli/J.Ferreira
	11:30 AM	L.Wasserman/G.Wasserman



A Day of Enrichment for Married Couples
Presented by Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Spend a day free from pressures, commitments and worries. Take "time out" to focus on your marriage, build stronger communication and deepen your love. This day is geared for couples of all ages and years married.

Saturday April 22, 2023
In Person Event
Time: 9:00 AM-4:00PM
St Barnabas Church
2320 Bedford Ave
Bellmore, NY 11710
Price \$30.00 per couple *
To Register:
Call the Rectory
9:00 AM- 7:00PM
Monday -Friday
(516) 785-0054
* includes Lunch and Materials




Español

II DOMINGO DE PASCUA



EVANGELIO DE SAN JUAN 20, 19-31

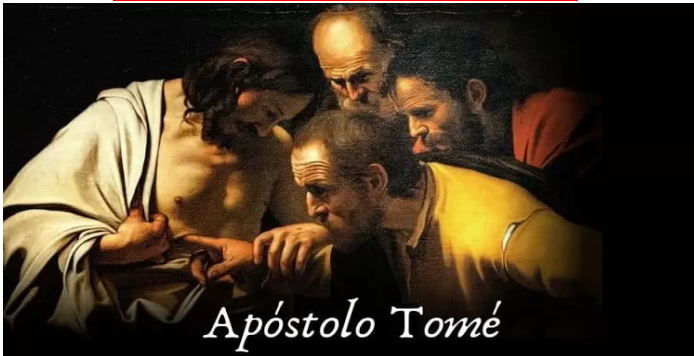
Al anoecer del día de la resurrección, estando cerradas las puertas de la casa donde se hallaban los discípulos, por miedo a los judíos, se presentó Jesús en medio de ellos y les dijo: *“La paz esté con ustedes”*. Dicho esto, les mostró las manos y el costado. Cuando los discípulos vieron al Señor, se llenaron de alegría. De nuevo les dijo Jesús: *“La paz esté con ustedes. Como el Padre me ha enviado, así también los envío yo”*. Después de decir esto, sopló sobre ellos y les dijo: *“Reciban el Espíritu Santo. A los que les perdonen los pecados, les quedarán perdonados; y a los que no se los perdonen, les quedarán sin perdonar”*. Tomás, uno de los Doce, a quien llamaban el Gemelo, no estaba con ellos cuando vino Jesús, y los otros discípulos le decían: *“Hemos visto al Señor”*. Pero él les contestó: *“Si no veo en sus manos la señal de los clavos y si no meto mi dedo en los agujeros de los clavos y si no meto mi mano en su costado, no creeré”*. Ocho días después, estaban reunidos los discípulos a puerta cerrada y Tomás estaba con ellos. Jesús se presentó de nuevo en medio de ellos y les dijo: *“La paz esté con ustedes”*. Luego le dijo a Tomás: *“Aquí están mis manos; acerca tu dedo. Trae acá tu mano, métela en mi costado y no sigas dudando, sino cree”*. Tomás le respondió: *“Señor mío y Dios mío”*. Jesús añadió: *“Tú crees porque me has visto; dichosos los que creen si haber visto”*. Otras muchas señales milagrosas hizo Jesús en presencia de sus discípulos, pero no están escritas en este libro. Se escribieron éstas para que ustedes crean que Jesús es el Mesías, el Hijo de Dios, y para que, creyendo, tengan vida en su nombre.

Desde el año 2000 la Congregación del Culto Divino y de los Sacramentos ha añadido, a la denominación de II Domingo de Pascua, la expresión o de la Divina Misericordia, por expreso deseo del Papa Juan Pablo II. No obstante, el segundo domingo de Pascua se le conoce popularmente en la liturgia por el domingo de Santo Tomás. En el Evangelio sobresale la idea de que Jesús vive y, que resucitado, es el centro de la comunidad cristiana. El tema de fondo de este segundo domingo de Pascua es el de la fe firme e inquebrantable que sabe superar la incredulidad y las adversidades de la vida. En efecto, un clima de temor y desconfianza reinaba en el grupo de los discípulos después de los eventos de la pasión: se encuentran encerrados en una habitación y con miedo a los judíos. Aquí, en este lugar de desesperanza, se verifica un encuentro entre Cristo y los suyos que los hace salir de su tristeza y confusión: se encuentran nuevamente con Jesús, el Maestro que había cautivado sus vidas. El encuentro, nos dice el Evangelio, los deja gozosos y en paz.



La liturgia de este Domingo nos presenta a la comunidad de los cristianos que nace de la cruz y de la resurrección de Jesús: la Iglesia. Su misión consiste en revelar a los hombres la vida nueva que brota de la resurrección. En la primera lectura tenemos una descripción de las primeras comunidades cristianas: es una comunidad fraterna, preocupada por conocer a Jesús y su propuesta de salvación, que se reúne para alabar a su Señor en la oración y en la Eucaristía, que vive el compartir, la entrega y el servicio y que testimonia, con gestos concretos la salvación que Jesús vino a traer al hombre y al mundo. La segunda lectura recuerda a los miembros de la comunidad cristiana que la identificación con Cristo, sobretodo con su entrega por amor al Padre y a los hombres, conducirá a la resurrección.



DOMINGO II DA PÁSCOA*Apóstolo Tomé***EVANGELHO DE SÃO JOÃO 20, 19-31**

Na tarde daquele dia, o primeiro da semana, estando fechadas as portas da casa onde os discípulos se encontravam com medo dos judeus, veio Jesus, apresentou-se no meio deles e disse-lhes: *“A paz esteja convosco”*. Dito isto mostrou-lhes as mãos e o lado. Os discípulos ficaram cheios de alegria ao verem o Senhor. Jesus disse-lhes de novo: *“A paz esteja convosco. Assim como o Pai me enviou, também eu vos envio a vós”*. Dito isto, soprou sobre eles e disse-lhes: *“Recebei o Espírito Santo: àqueles a quem perdoardes os pecados ser-lhes-ão perdoados; e àqueles a quem os retiverdes ser-lhes-ão retidos”*. Tomé, um dos Doze, chamado Dídimo, não estava com eles quando veio Jesus. Disseram-lhe os outros discípulos: *“Vimos o Senhor”*. Mas ele respondeu-lhes: *“Se não vir nas suas mãos o sinal dos cravos, se não meter o dedo no lugar dos cravos e a mão no seu lado, não acreditarei”*. Oito dias depois, estavam os discípulos outra vez em casa e Tomé com eles. Veio Jesus, estando as portas fechadas, apresentou-se no meio deles e disse: *“A paz esteja convosco”*. Depois disse a Tomé: *“Põe aqui o teu dedo e vê as minhas mãos; aproxima a tua mão e mete-a no meu lado; e não seja incrédulo, mas crente”*. Tomé respondeu-lhe: *“Meu Senhor e meu Deus”*! Disse-lhe Jesus: *“Porque me viste acreditaste; felizes os que acreditam sem terem visto”*. Muitos outros milagres fez Jesus na presença dos seus discípulos que não estão escritos neste livro. Estes, porém, foram escritos para acreditardes que Jesus é o Messias, o Filho de Deus, e para que, acreditando, tenhais a vida em seu nome.



A passagem do Evangelho de hoje está claramente dividida em duas partes que correspondem às aparições de Jesus Ressuscitado. Na primeira Jesus comunica aos discípulos o seu Espírito e com ele lhes dá o poder de vencer as forças do mal. Na segunda é relatado o famoso episódio de Tomé. Os apóstolos foram as testemunhas da ressurreição de Jesus. Eles puderam ver o ressuscitado e por isso acreditaram. Nós não temos esse privilégio. Nós seremos felizes se cremos sem ter visto. Mas, para que isso seja possível, os apóstolos nos deixaram os evangelhos. A fé dos apóstolos exige de nós que creiamos em seu testemunho sobre Jesus morto e ressuscitado. Os apóstolos selaram a sua fé com a sua própria vida. Foram martirizados por professarem a sua fé em Jesus Cristo.



Na primeira leitura de hoje o livro dos Actos dos Apóstolos narra como viviam os primeiros cristãos. É uma comunidade fraterna, preocupada em conhecer Jesus e a sua proposta de salvação, que se reúne para louvar o seu Senhor na oração e na Eucaristia, que vive na partilha, na doação e no serviço e que testemunha, com gestos concretos, a salvação que Jesus veio propor aos homens e ao mundo.

INTENÇÕES PARA O DIA 23 DE ABRIL

+António Pires e Pais + Joaquim Lopes Pinheiro
 +José Maria Batista e Irmão + Maria de Lurdes Lima + Julia e António Martins + Alice Dora e Maria Adão + Julian Barreto Albuquerque
 +Américo Pereira Mendes + António Pereira Martins e Esposa + Joaquim Lopes Pereira e Irmãos falecidos

Bendito seja o Deus e Pai de nosso Senhor Jesus Cristo, que, segundo a sua grande misericórdia, nos regenerou para uma viva esperança, pela ressurreição de Jesus Cristo (...)