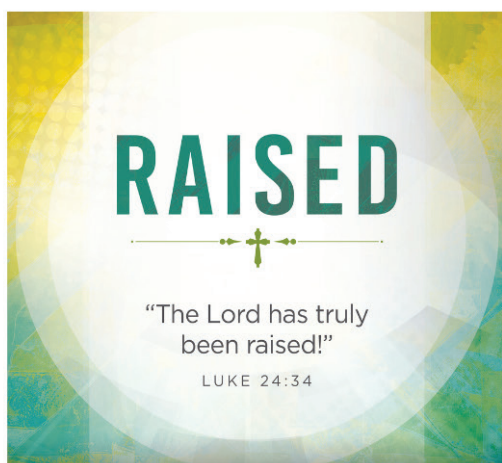




April 23, 2023
Third Sunday of Easter



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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

- Sunday Vigil Mass- 5:00pm
- Sunday Masses
8am, 9:30am, 11am, & 5:00pm
- Children's Liturgy : 9:30am Mass
- Spanish Mass - First and Last
Sunday of the Month 6:30pm

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday- Friday 8:00am
First Fridays Evening 6:00pm

ADORATION SCHEDULE

Wednesdays 8:30am - 9:00pm
(in Chapel)

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 3:30pm - 4:30 pm
Confessions are held inside the chapel.

WAYS TO GIVE

WEEKLY GIVING

stjulieschurch.org/give

Contact parish office for giving envelopes.
parish@stjulieschurch.org
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THE LEGACY PROJECT

Legacy Envelopes are available in the pews or visit
stjulieschurch.org/legacy

We are grateful for your continued support in the Legacy Project.

We are still working toward our goal! Thank you for prayers and thank you for any additional donations you are able to give to complete this project.

POP FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTION THIS MONTH

For a culture of peace and non-violence.
We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.



WE ARE CALLED

to mission of *Jesus*, to know, love, serve and share the Gospel.



THE EASTER SEASON with

Vinni the Semi

As stores like Target, Walmart, and yes, even Judy's doughnuts have moved on from the Easter season, us Catholics continue to celebrate until pentecost, Sunday, May 28th. Why? This is a concept called "Eastertide", essentially a fifty day period.

The fifty days are broken down like this. After the resurrection, Jesus spent forty days on earth before the Ascension, and then ten days later is pentecost. The meaning of Pentecost can be found in Acts 2.

The first Pentecost is very beautiful because it is the day the Church, fully endowed with the Holy Spirit, began its evangelization journey that was mandated by Christ. One interesting point here is the phrase in verse 3, "Tongues of fire". Fire, much like water, is symbolic in our faith. It represents the burning transforming energy of the Holy Spirit. This is why (shout out to you Confirmation kids), there is the laying on hands during the Confirmation Mass, to represent the Holy Spirit being given to you, through the imagery of a dove and a flame.

May we continue to pray for God's grace, wisdom, and especially pray for all the Confirmandi (SO PROUD OF YOU JULIA, I am her sponsor!!!!), who will be confirmed on May 19th.

Vinni Devetis

2nd Year Seminarian

Queen of Angels for Priestly Formation

A PRAYER FOR THOSE WHO ARE PREPARING CHILDREN FOR THEIR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION.

St. Julie's youth will be receiving their First Communion for the next few weekends. Offer this pray for their catechists and families.

O Jesus, who hast loved us with such exceeding great love as to give us the ineffable gift of the Holy Eucharist, inflame us with a burning zeal to promote Thy glory by preparing worthily the little children who are to approach Thy holy table for the first time.

Protect, O Sacred Heart of Jesus, these young souls from the assaults of evil strengthen their faith, increase their love and endow them with all the virtues that will make them worthy to receive Thee.

Amen.

Saint John the Baptist,
forerunner of the Messias,
prepare the way for Jesus in the
hearts of these children.

Saint Tarcisius,
keep safe the children who are mak-
ing their first Communion.

Saint Julie Billiart
patron saint to our parish and to
educators/teachers pray for our
first communicants and their
families.

LOVE

To *love* is learning to follow *Christ* with others.

CALENDAR THIS WEEK

April 23

Coffee and Donuts 8:00am - 11:00am @ Parish Hall
Anointing of the Sick Following 11:00am Mass
Confirmation Sponsor Meeting 1:30pm
Seasons of Hope 3:00pm
Confirmation Parent Session 6:00pm

April 24

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry 10:00am
Women in Conversation 7:00pm

April 25

Women in Conversation 1:00pm
Rosary 1:30pm
Baptismal Preparation Class 6:00pm - Library
Men's Tuesday Night Bible Study 6:30pm
RCIA 6:30pm
Santa Julia Rosary 7:00pm

April 26

Adoration 9:00am - 9:00pm @ Church
St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry 10:00am

April 27

Women's Thursday Morning Bible Study 9:30am
Religious Education 4:15pm,
Liturgy Study 6:30pm - Zoom
Choir Practice 7:00pm
Santa Julia Faith Formation 7:00pm

April 28

Prayer Shawl Ministry 10:30am
Santa Julia 7:00pm
Young Adult Hispanic Group 7:00pm

April 29

Men's Liturgy Study 7:00am Zoom

Confessions 3:30pm - 4:30pm @ Church
Spanish Choir Practice 7:00pm -

UPCOMING

First Friday Mass: May 5, 2023 -6:00pm

Divine Mercy : 3:00pm

Pancake Breakfast Knights of Columbus:
May 14, 2023 - Mother's Day

Confirmation: May 19, 2023 6:30pm

May Crowning: May 21, 2023 9:30am Mass

WOMEN IN CONVERSATION

We are excited about our upcoming session. This will be our last gathering this season. Feel free to invite a friend to join us. ALL WOMEN are WELCOME!

April 24th Monday 7:00 p.m. OR. April 25th Tuesday 1:00 p.m.

As always, please feel free to bring your own container of tea, coffee, etc. Water will be provided.

This week's session introduces a prayer form called Lectio Divina. God speaks to us through his Word in a personal way, and we give to God what we find in our heart. We will be presenting a guided Lectio Divina. You will be able to use Lectio Divina privately in your prayer time or in a small group if you so desire.

The latter part of our session we invite you to snack and freely converse, chatter, discuss, giggle, laugh, and enjoy this wonderful community of women we are graced to be a part of. If you signed up to bring finger foods, either cookies or fruit for six people, please bring them on a paper plate. If you didn't sign up but want to bring cookies or fruit for six people please do. We do not need or want everyone to bring food...so no guilt needed.

Last year Women in Conversation contributed to SVDP. We are ready to pitch in again! Many in our community rely on the generosity of others to make their lives a little easier. Monday or Tuesday please bring one or more of the following needed items for our St. Julie's St. Vincent de Paul Society food pantry:

(No expired goods accepted.)

1. Cereal
2. Premium soup
3. Pork and beans
4. Refried Beans
5. Rice A Roni
6. Diapers - Size 5 and 6
7. Baby Wipes

We look forward to seeing everyone this coming week.

Many blessings,

Women in Conversation Team

PRAYER LIFE

God invites us into a *relationship* with Him.



Prayer is an essential part of Catholic life, and it is through prayer that we communicate with God and grow in our relationship with Him. Acknowledge God's presence, thank him for all your blessings, and respond lovingly to God in prayer. Below are examples to boost your prayer life including ways to gather as community in prayer at St. Julie's!

1. Set Aside Time for Daily Prayer

Making time for daily prayer is one of the most important things you can do to build your Catholic prayer life. Whether it's in the morning, at lunchtime, or before bed, set aside a few minutes each day to talk with God.

The chapel is open M-F for quiet prayer from 8:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

2. ATTEND MASS REGULARLY

Attending Mass is an essential part of Catholic life, and it is a great way to build your prayer life. During Mass, we participate in the Eucharist, which is the source and summit of our faith. It is through the Eucharist that we receive the grace we need to live our Catholic faith. Attending Mass regularly provides an opportunity to pray with other Catholics and to learn more about our faith. Consider attending Mass during the week in addition to Sunday obligation. Daily Mass M-F at 8:00 a.m. and additionally the First Friday of each month an evening Mass at 6:00 p.m.

3. PRACTICE LECTIO DIVINA

Lectio Divina is a form of prayer that involves reading and reflecting on scripture. It is a great way to deepen your relationship with God and to grow in your understanding of the Bible. To practice Lectio Divina, choose a passage of scripture, read it slowly and reflectively, and meditate on the words and phrases that speak to you. Then, pray about what you have read and ask God to reveal His will for you through the scripture. Consider getting together with a few others and use this prayer form with the Sunday Gospel reading.

Women In Conversation's next session is on Lectio Divina. The session will be held on April 24th, Monday evening at 7:00 p.m. or April 25th, Tuesday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

All women are welcome!

Questions

email: womeninconversation@stjulieschurch.org

4. MAKE TIME FOR ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration is a form of prayer that involves spending time in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. During Adoration, we sit or kneel before the Blessed Sacrament, which is displayed in a monstrance. This is a time to simply be with Jesus, to offer Him our thoughts, feelings, and concerns, and to listen for His voice in our hearts. Adoration is a powerful way to deepen our relationship with God and to grow in our love for Him.

Saint Julie's holds adoration on Wednesday following the 8:00am Mass.

Another opportunity - Divine Mercy Ministry hosts an Adoration hour at 3:00pm on the First Sunday of every month. Contact Deacon Barry Harper for more information at jbarryharper@stjulieschurch.org

5. PRAY THE ROSARY

USCCB shares: "The repetition in the Rosary leads one into restful and contemplative prayer related to each Mystery. The gentle repetition of the words helps us to enter the silence of our hearts, where Christ's spirit dwells. The Rosary can be said privately or with a group.

Pray the rosary in community with our Rosary Prayer Group on Tuesdays at 1:30pm in the Parish Library. In addition we offer the Rosary For Peace following Wednesday morning Masses at the start of Adoration.



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Did you know? April 22-23 |
Together we prevent abuse and
protect children & young people.

National Child Abuse Prevention Month (April) is a good time to review the ways in which we work together as a community of faith to prevent abuse and protect children and young people. The Archdiocese of Los Angeles stands resolute in its commitment to report allegations of sexual misconduct to law enforcement, support victim-survivors and protect minors and the vulnerable. An updated flyer which summarizes the efforts of the Archdiocese to ensure that our parishes, schools and ministries are safe places for children and young people is available at <https://lacatholics.org/protect/protect-resources/>.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Saturday	5:00pm	Sonya Gracey (+)
Sunday	8:00am	Myrla Lagarde Lenon (+)
	9:30am	People of the Parish (int)
	11:00am	Mary Agnes Cerny (anniversary int)
	5:00pm	Theodore Erlandson (+)
Monday	8:00am	Regan Kuhn (int)
Tuesday	8:00am	Nathan Kuhn (int)
Wednesday	8:00am	Lourdes Joves (+)
Thursday	8:00am	Edward Harnist (+)
Friday	8:00am	Gambos and Gillmore Families (+)

PRAYER INTENTIONS

FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Michael and Sarah, Bill Bradford, Joan White, John Parker, Richard Schell Bob and Pat Hinck Bernadette Ryerson, Judy Conroy Mary Erlandson, Mary Seemann John Martersteck, Kevin Kelly, , Olivia Myers Behm, Kelly Miroballi Gilbert, Rita Yure, Terry Wonders, Floyd

FOR OUR TROOPS:

Daniel C. Mikovits, David Bartlett, Daniel Black, Sean Dudley, Josh Galant, Robbie Lei, Chase McKenzie, Zach Morrow, Ryan Sellner, Ian Taylor, Dylan & Trevo Templeton, Brian Walters