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*Señor Jesús, haz que comprendamos la Sagrada Escritura.
Enciende nuestro corazón mientras nos hablas.*

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Y estando a la mesa, tomó el pan y pronunció la bendición; luego lo partió y se lo dio. Entonces los ojos de los discípulos se abrieron y lo reconocieron, pero él había desaparecido de su vista.

Lucas 24,30-31



Quando nos enfocamos en la Eucaristía – el “partir del pan,” nuestros corazones se encienden con amor por el Señor y por nuestra fe. A través de las Escrituras y la Eucaristía, recibimos la gracia necesaria que nos impulsa en nuestro caminar hacia el cielo.

Luke 24: 30-31

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Birthdays / Cumpleaños: April/Abril 16, Ryan Dabney, Josefina Pineda; 18, Rosa Banch; 19, Yesenia Arellano; 20, Clelia Pacheco; 21, Consuelo Bahena; 25, Nancy Scott, Anabella Cisneros; 30, Wyatt Bohle.

Anniversaries/Aniversarios... April/Abril 22, Daniel & Margaret Hatcher, 45 years;

Weekly Readings

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April 23, Sunday-Domingo
Third Sunday of Easter
Tercer Domingo de Pascua
Acts/Hch 2:14, 22-33

1 Pt/Ped 1:17-21
Lk/Lc 24:13-35

April 24, Monday-Lunes
Acts/Hch 6:8-15
Jn 6:22-29

April 25, Tuesday-Martes
Saint Mark / San Marcos
1 Pt/Ped 5:5b-14
Mk/Mc 16:15-20

April 26, Wednesday-Miércoles
Acts/Hch 8:1b-8
Jn 6:35-40

April 27, Thursday-Jueves
Acts/Hch 8:26-40
Jn 6:44-51

April 28, Friday-Viernes
Acts/Hch 9:1-20
Jn 6:52-59

April 29, Saturday-Sábado
Saint Catherine / Santa Catalina
Acts/Hch 9:31-42
Jn 6:60-69

April 30, Sunday-Domingo
Fourth Sunday of Easter
Cuarto Domingo de Pascua
Acts/Hch 2:14a, 36-41

1 Pt/Ped 2:20b-25
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Third Sunday of Easter, Year A Tercer Domingo de Pascua, Año A Gospel of St. Matthew/El Evangelio de San Mateo April/Abril 23, 2023

From Deacon John...

The Emmaus disciples are despondent after the loss of their leader. They heard the empty tomb testimony of the women and the disciples who validated those reports. Obviously, Good News, yet their reaction can describe our own stewardship journey. We have the fullness of the Catholic faith, the sacraments, and the support of our parish family. Yet, we often lose our way, lacking trust in the perfect goodness and almighty power of God. But notice what happens in the “breaking of the bread.” The disciples are transformed with “burning” hearts. When we lose our way, we too, have the Scriptures and the Eucharist to sustain us.

Los discípulos de Emaús están abatidos tras la pérdida de su líder. Escucharon el testimonio de la tumba vacía de las mujeres y los discípulos que validaron esos informes. Obviamente, buenas noticias, pero su reacción puede describir nuestro propio viaje de mayordomía. Contamos con la plenitud de la fe católica, los sacramentos y el apoyo de nuestra familia parroquial. Sin embargo, a menudo perdemos nuestro camino, sin confiar en la bondad perfecta y el poder todopoderoso de Dios. Pero observe lo que sucede en la “fracción del pan”. Los discípulos se transforman con corazones “ardientes”. Cuando perdemos nuestro camino, nosotros también tenemos las Escrituras y la Eucaristía para sostenernos.

Winter Weekly Schedule of Services

Saturday in English / Sábado en Inglés, Unionville 4:30 p.m.

Sunday in English / Domingo en Inglés Milan 8:30 a.m.

Sunday in Spanish / Domingo en Español, Milan 11:00 a.m.

Evening Vespers with Communion: Wed, 6:00 p.m.

Reconciliation, 30 minutes before mass & by appointment

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Background on the Gospel

On most Sundays during the Easter season in Cycle A, our Gospel is taken from the Gospel of John. This week’s Gospel, however, is taken from the Gospel of Luke. As in last week’s Gospel, today’s Gospel shows us how the first community of disciples came to believe that Jesus had risen from the dead. In these stories we gain insight into how the community of the Church came to be formed.

When we read today’s Gospel, we may be surprised to learn that these friends of Jesus could walk and converse with him at some length yet not recognize him. Again we discover that the risen Jesus is not always easily recognized. Cleopas and the other disciple walk with a person whom they believe to be a stranger; only later do they discover that the stranger is Jesus. We learn that the first community met and recognized Jesus in the breaking of the bread, just as

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An offering from the  AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE and  IGNATIAN PRESS

Bishop McKnight’s April prayer intention for our Local Church

For all those celebrating the initiation sacraments of baptism, confirmation, and first holy communion this Easter Season; may their discipleship be strengthened by their participation in the life and mission of the Church.



Intención del mes de abril del Obispo McKnight por nuestra Iglesia Local

Para todos aquellos que celebran los sacramentos de iniciación del Bautismo, la Confirmación y la Primera Comunión en esta temporada de Pascua; que su discipulado se fortalezca con su participación en la vida y misión de la Iglesia.

we meet Jesus in the Eucharist.

We can imagine the feelings of the two disciples in today’s reading. They are leaving their community in Jerusalem. Their friend Jesus has been crucified. Their hope is gone. They are trying to make sense of what has occurred, so that they can put the experience behind them.

Jesus himself approaches the two men, but they take him for a stranger. Jesus asks them what they are discussing. He invites them to share their experience and interpretation of the events surrounding his crucifixion and death. When the two disciples have done so, Jesus offers his own interpretation of his crucifixion and resurrection, citing Jewish Scripture. In that encounter we find the model for our Liturgy of the Word—what we do each time we gather as a community for the Eucharist. We reflect upon our life experiences and interpret them in light of Scripture. We gather together to break open the Word of God.

In the next part of the story, we find a model for our Liturgy of the Eucharist. The disciples invite the stranger (Jesus) to stay with them. During the meal in which they share in the breaking of the bread, the disciples’ eyes are opened; they recognize the stranger as Jesus. In the Eucharist too we share in the breaking of the bread and discover Jesus in our midst. Just as the disciples returned to Jerusalem to recount their experience to the other disciples, we too are sent from our Eucharistic gathering. Our experience of Jesus in the Eucharist compels us to share the story with others.

Remember your personal commitment to return to God, the Father, of a minimum of one hour of worship, prayer, service and wage each week.

Calendar of Events		
Sun, Apr 23 8:30 am	3rd Sunday of Easter Mass & stream at stmary.church	
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Sun, Apr 23 9:45 am	PSR, Parish School of Religion Classes, Milan Parish Hall	
Sun, Apr 23 11:00 am	Tercer Domingo de Pascua Misa y en vivo en stmary.church	
Sun, Apr 23 3:00 pm	Confirmation with Bishop Shawn St Peter, Jefferson City	
Tue, Apr 25 9-10:00 am	Ladies Yoga, Milan Parish Hall	
Tue, Apr 25 6:00-8:00 pm	San Juan Grupo de Oración, Milan Iglesia	
Wed, Apr 26 6:00 pm	Liturgy of the Hours / Visperas, with Communion Milan Church	
Thu, Apr 27 9-10:00 am	Ladies Yoga, Milan Parish Hall	
Fri, Apr 28 9-10:00 am	Ladies Yoga, Milan Parish Hall	
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Fri, May 5	Rededication of the Diocesan Cathedral of Saint Joseph Jefferson City.	

Giving and Expenditures	Last 30 Days	Year To Date
Weekly Collections	\$8,906	\$71,197
Operating Expense	\$6,564	\$70,836
Balance	\$2,341	\$361

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*As we continue to celebrate the pascal mystery,
may the selfless life of Jesus Christ
guide us in every way.*

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Collections	\$3,774	\$30,765
Expenses	\$2,283	\$26,457
Balance	\$1,491	\$4,308



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**Third Sunday of Easter
Year A, Sunday, April 22-23, 2023**

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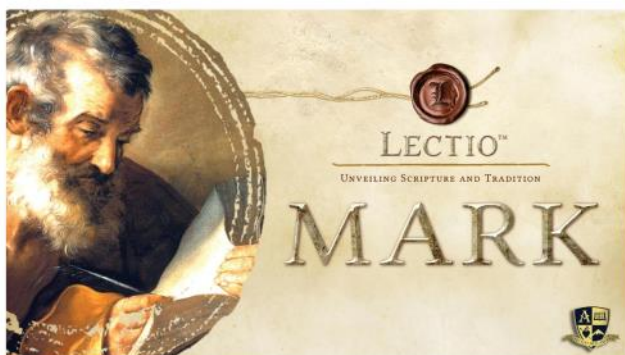
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Sun, Apr 30 8:30 am	Fourth Sunday of Easter Mass and Livestream Milan Church
Sun, Apr 30 11:00 am	4° Domingo de Pascua Spanish Mass and Live- stream, Milan Church
Wed May 3 5:00 pm	Evening Prayer with Communion Unionville Church
Sun, May 6 8:00 am	Fifth Sunday of Easter Unionville Church
Sun, May 6 9:00 am	Coffee & Doughnuts Unionville Parish Hall

Ministers

April

Coordinator	Ed Brockmeyer
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Acolyte	Ed Brockmeyer
Lead Rosary	Kay Bonifazi
Greeters	Kent and Teresa
Lector	Ed Penca
Communion	Kay Bonifazi
Church Cleaning	Lynn and Kim
Plants	Margaret Szucs
Supplies	Mary Greinert