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## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday OF EASTER



They returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of bread. - Lk 24:33-35



• 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER •

### WERE NOT OUR HEARTS BURNING?

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APRIL 19, 2026

APRIL IS  
CHILD ABUSE  
PREVENTION  
MONTH



# WORSHIP

*We are a PRIESTLY people.... we WORSHIP and PRAY.*

*From the  
Pastor's  
Desk*



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The “**Road to Emmaus**” (Luke 24:13-35) is a journey to discipleship in the path of faith.

The story begins on the Sunday of the Resurrection where two disciples did not recognize the risen Christ who met them and walked alongside them in the direction of Emmaus. Jesus elicited from the two disciples the reason for their sorrow, and masterfully presented through Old Testament prophecies exactly how God’s plan was unfolded.

As they drew near the village, they entreated Jesus to “Stay with us, for it is near evening and the day is now far spent.” And in the grace and cognizance of fellowship at table, and in the breaking of bread, Jesus reveals Himself fully and truly.

The eyes of the two disciples were opened wide to God’s holy Word. Their hearts burning within, their hearts transformed, in haste they go back to Jerusalem to share and give witness to their intimate encounter and experience of the risen Christ as Missionary Disciples of the Risen Lord!

-Fr. Tony

## The personal question/action for today:

How do I sense the presence of the Risen Lord in my daily life? Does my heart burn when I hear the Word of GOD proclaimed to me, especially the Word about Jesus’ death and resurrection? What helps me remember, celebrate, and believe that Jesus is alive and with me? How do I “eucharistize” (give thanks) for all that Jesus has done and continues to do for me?



**Saint Joseph, Minor Seminary** of the Diocese of Bangued Philippines was founded in the year 1960. It is a home of formation for young boys who heard at an early age the gentle call of God to priesthood.

For now, we have 80 seminarians and we are expecting to have more seminarians entering next formation year. It is with great joy and gratitude to share priests beyond our shores. One of the pioneering priests is very own Pastor Father Tony, whose priesthood is a testimony to the Mission and fruitfulness of Saint Joseph Seminary. May the kindness of the Lord we share become part of a greater story of forming faithful servants for the church. May the Lord, who sees the goodness of your heart, bless you abundantly.

**Saint Joseph, St Lorenzo Ruiz,  
and all holy men and women – pray for us.**





April 12  
@ 12:30pm  
Mass

## MASS SCHEDULE

Monday to Friday: 7:00am & 7:00pm  
Saturday: 8:00am & 5:00pm (Vigil Mass)  
Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:00am, \*10:30am,  
12:00pm, \*1:30pm (Spanish), & 6:30pm  
*\*livestreamed ON FACEBOOK and YouTube*

### Confessions:

Monday to Friday: 6:45am & 6:45pm  
First Friday: 7:30-8:30pm  
Saturday: 3:30pm to 4:30pm

*Schedule is subject to change.  
Call the Parish Office for special masses.  
909-595-9545*



Offering ourselves to  
the God, who is so  
loving & merciful!

Each One, Teach  
One,  
Each One,  
Take Two

The joy of being  
assured...of the mercy  
of the Lord!



THANK  
YOU!



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# Upcoming Celebrations

## First Communion Sunday

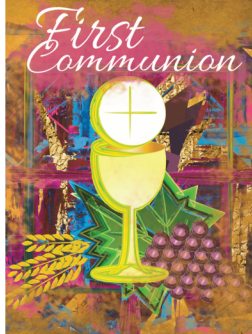
May 17

09:00

and

12:00

Noon



## Pentecost Sunday - May 24

Pentecost  
SUNDAY



11:00

AM


## Confirmation May 26

7:00pm



Happy  
**MOTHER'S  
DAY**



 *Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquet*

Dear Father: \_\_\_\_\_  Living  Deceased

Please remember \_\_\_\_\_  
so that she may share in the Spiritual Benefits offered in this Church in  
observance of Mother's Day.

Mother  Grandmother  Godmother  Aunt  Friend  
 Wife  Mother-In-Law  Sister  Daughter  Other \_\_\_\_\_

My Name \_\_\_\_\_

My Address \_\_\_\_\_

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BOUQUET FOR  
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**“Let us hang out  
with Jesus”**

**Come ‘hang out’ with Jesus  
and with one another.**



**Friday**

**Adoration**

# TEMPORALITIES

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## LITURGICAL SPONSORS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

### Sponsors of Light

Caná Marriage Ministry

*in celebration and thanksgiving for*

*Fr. Tony's 53<sup>rd</sup> priestly anniversary*

### Sponsor of Bread

Jessie & Lydia Alfonso & Family

*in thanksgiving for the birthdays of Jennifer & Lydia Alfonso and in loving memory of Jorel Anthony Alfonso*

## STEWARDSHIP

### Week Ending April 12

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**TOTAL \$ 15,223**



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"It was a bad habit."

**FUN FACT!**  
Monks and other vowed religious wear "habits," the distinct uniform of their order or branch of lifestyle.

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Safeguarding Children



APRIL IS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH


SEE SOMETHING SAY SOMETHING



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Pretend Jesus is at your home. He sits at the dinner table with your whole family. He breaks bread with you. He fills each cup with a drink. He plays with you and helps you with your homework. He tells you that he loves you. You thank him for the food and ask him to bless your family. Jesus says, "I've got to go, but I'll remain in your heart forever."

**PRAYER**

Lord, help me show others that I am a Christian by my words and actions.

**COLOR**

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



3rd Sunday of Easter • Luke 24:13-35

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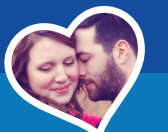
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