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Boise

Holy Mass

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

Sunday 5:30 pm

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm

or upon request

St. Joseph's Idaho City

First Sunday **Mass** at 12 noon

Other Sundays **Communion** at 10:30 am

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This week at Our Lady of the Rosary

Mon	7:30	am	Liturgy of the Hours
Apr 5	8:00	am	Morning Mass
	7:00	pm	Holy Hour for Vocations
Tue	7:30	am	Liturgy of the Hours
Apr 6	8:00	am	Morning Mass
	7:00	pm	RCIA
Wed	6:30	am	Reel Men on Zoom
Apr 7	7:30	am	Liturgy of the Hours
	4:00	pm	No-Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
	6:30	pm	Family Faith Formation
	7:00	pm	Family Rosary on Zoom
Thu	7:30	am	Liturgy of the Hours
Apr 8	8:00	am	Communion Service
	8:30	am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 9:00PM
	7:00	pm	Knights of Columbus
Fri	7:30	am	Liturgy of the Hours
Apr 9	8:00	am	Communion Service
	10:00	am	Playgroup
Sat	3:30	pm	Reconciliation
Apr 10	5:00	pm	Mass
Sun	9:00	am	Mass
Apr 11	10:15	am	Children's Faith Formation
	10:15	am	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
	3:00	pm	Divine Mercy Service
	3:00	pm	iGnite - online
	5:30	pm	Mass
	6:30	pm	iGnite



***Easter Sunday
April 4, 2021***



PASCHAL LAMB

This is the new day the Lord has made! Let us rejoice and be glad in it. All those who have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Alleluia! Praise God! All those who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name. The Christ, our paschal lamb, has been sacrificed; let us celebrate this feast in the Lord. When the Christ is revealed at the end of time, we will also be revealed in all our glory with him. Alleluia! Praise God! Here is the gave to salvation!

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Readings: Acts 10:34-43, Psalm 118:1-2, 16-7, 22-23, Colossians 3:1-4, Gospel John 20:1-9
Next week's Readings Acts 4*32-35, Psalm 118:2-4,13-15,22-24, 1 John 5:1-6, John 20:27

Happy Birthday

- Apr 5 Luke Barbera, Megan Gomez, Sam Haener, Gibson Kuntz, Theresa May, Emily Shepherd, Burell Wolter
- Apr 6 Nicholas Brokaw, Cara Gorsuch, Darrell Holloway, Lily Noa, Leonardo Russo, Tom Star
- Apr 7 Laura Hudson, Bianca Powell, Kevin Rodriguez
- Apr 8 Own Ennis, Abigail Starr
- Apr 9 Madeline Huttash, Irma Linskey, Addison McCaughery, Jennifer Mondada, Kazuko White
- Apr 10 Leda Christian, Christian Laity, Hailey Le, Abraham Schwarthoff, Noah Schwarthoff, Cole Shepherd, Tom Voshell
- Apr 11 Sam Bianca, Bryan Boson, Annalise Carlson, Jordan Harter, Caloub Huttash, Lisa Nelson, Katherine Rosenzweig, Lee Svoboda, Criox Watkins, Rita Wicher

Thank you for your Continuing Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure

Your gift of treasure this week \$ 8,746.00

	Servers	Lectors	Ministers
April 10 Sat 5:00 pm		John Connolly Sarah Connolly	Melanie Nash Kris Doucette
	Servers and Eucharistic Ministers will be scheduled as needed.		
April 11 Sun 9:00 am		Mary Poell Katy Rice	Shane Bengoechea Melinda Runkle
	Servers and Eucharistic Ministers will be scheduled as needed.		
	Home Visiting will be put on hold until further notice. Please pray for our homebound		
April 11 Sun 5:30 pm	Bella Starr Maura Walters Sydney Walters	Bridget Bedke Gabe Clement	
	Servers and Eucharistic Ministers will be scheduled as needed.		

Items for bulletin or Announcements need to be in the office by Monday, 11:30 am for the following Sunday

Happy



Easter

Children's Faith Formation

- † **He is Risen! Alleluia! Sunday CFF classes resume on April 11th.**
- † **Next Family Faith Formation Gathering is April 7th at 6:30 PM.**
- † **Please remember to bring your alms filled CRS Rice Bowls to church!** Thank you for contributing to this worthy cause.
- † **First Sacrament Prayer Partners, thank you for your continued prayers and notes of encouragement. First Communion Sunday is April 25, 2021.**
- † **Prayer for Vocations:** God, in Baptism you called me by name and made me a member of your people, the Church. Help all your people to know their vocation in life, and to respond by living a life of holiness. For your greater glory and for the service of your people, raise up dedicated and generous leaders who will serve as sisters, priests, brothers, deacons, and lay ministers. Send your Spirit to guide and strengthen me that I may serve your people following the example of your Son, Jesus Christ, in whose name I offer this prayer. Amen
- † **Online Family Resource Spotlight:** What to look for this month on FORMED.org:
 - † **Programs** – Divine Mercy: In the Second Greatest Story Ever Told.
 - † **Movies** – *Mary of Nazareth; Brother Francis: He is Risen; and Saint Peter.*
 - † **Books** - *Peter: Keys To Following Jesus* by Tim Gray.
 - † **Sign-up** for free at www.formed.org Look for Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Boise.

Children's Liturgy of the Word at home: Next Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday. In the Gospel, we hear Jesus giving his peace to his disciples and telling them "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." Pray together as a family as you read and discuss the Bible passages below:

Sunday of Divine Mercy

Reading I: Acts of the Apostles: 4:32-35
Psalm: Psalm 118 ; 2-4,13-15.22-24
Reading II: 1 John 5:1-6
Gospel: John 20:19-31



Adults: In this busy and hectic world, with whom can you share Jesus' Peace this Easter Season?
Child: How would you share Jesus's love with your family and friends this Easter season ?

Youth Ministry

Spring Break - We will not have any classes March 21st through April 4th. Classes will resume on April 11th with a special iGnite session open to all families! We pray that you have a blessed Easter!!

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ATTENTION all those that work with Children & Youth and MINISTRY LEADERS: It is time to make sure all our safe environment training is complete.

Please go to <https://cmgconnect.org> to log in and update your training. If you have **NEVER** done training before please contact Cindy Anderson in the office. If you are renewing, that can be done by reviewing one of the many videos available for renewal. Please contact the parish office after you completed the training so we can update our records. Thanks for providing a safe environment for our parish family!



Easter Egg Hunt

The Easter Egg Hunt sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Taking place Easter Sunday after 9:00am Mass



Thank you for your support.



Feast of Divine Mercy will be celebrated Sunday **April 11th**. The **Divine Mercy Chaplet**, is a Catholic devotion. The Hour of Great Mercy (time of prayer traditionally celebrated at 3pm), and the plenary indulgence granted to those who receive the Eucharist and celebrate reconciliation on Divine Mercy Sunday. Did you know that in the 1930's Our Lord Jesus Himself requested through St. Faustina that a very special Feast of Divine Mercy be established in His Church and solemnly celebrated each year on the First Sunday after Easter? St. Pope John Paul II fulfilled the Will of Christ by establishing the special Feast of Divine Mercy. Please join us in Benediction, prayer and song at 3:00 pm on Sunday April 11th here at Our Lady of the Rosary.

2021 IDAHO CATHOLIC APPEAL

Open Our Doors to Witness Christ!

"Open Our Doors to Witness Christ," "While at times, the physical doors of your church were closed, the door to Christ is always open to the world as you, through your witness and loving actions, invite all into the life of Christ," writes Bishop Peter Christensen in a letter to all parishioners regarding the Idaho Catholic Appeal.

The goal is to raise \$3 million to support more than 20 services and ministries of the Diocese including Catholic schools as well as education for seminarians, priests and deacons. The Idaho Catholic Appeal also supports diocesan departments such as the Office of Marriage and Family Life, the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry, the Office of Religious Education and Catechetical Leadership, the Office of Communications, the Office of Worship and Formation, Hispanic Ministries, the Marriage Tribunal and Canonical Affairs Department, the Finance Department, Catholic Charities of Idaho, and pastoral outreach to retired priests, hospitals, prisons and refugee and migrant populations.

Visit CatholicIdaho.org/ICA to pledge online today



Each Lent, Catholic families across the country unite to put their faith into action through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Through CRS Rice Bowl, families learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all.

Please take a rice bowl and bring it back before Easter!
Thank you and many Blessings

The Popes Monthly Prayer Intentions April 2021

www.apostleshipofprayer.org



Fundamental rights

We pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorships, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies in crisis



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April 2021

Our Lady of the Rosary

One Minute Meditations

For His love

Each day, offering our very best to God raises all of our efforts to the level of a prayer. He rewards our dedication with peace, joy, and awareness of His presence in all that we do.

Choose companions well

Delilah had to know the secret of Samson's strength but God had forbidden him to reveal it. *"And when she pressed him hard with her words day after day, and urged him, his soul was vexed to death"* (Judges 16:16). He gave in and it was his undoing. Don't let anyone - friend or family - pressure you into violating God's commandments.



Hold hope

"When a man has died, were he to live again, all the days of my drudgery I would wait, until my relief should come" Job 14:14. Despite all his misery, Job clung to the one truth that also gives us hope - salvation. God offers the hope of being with Him forever.



Open the gifts of Easter throughout the year

Easter is the highest Sunday throughout the year, but each Sunday is a chance to celebrate a "little Easter." We can live the gifts of the Resurrection each Sunday of the year:

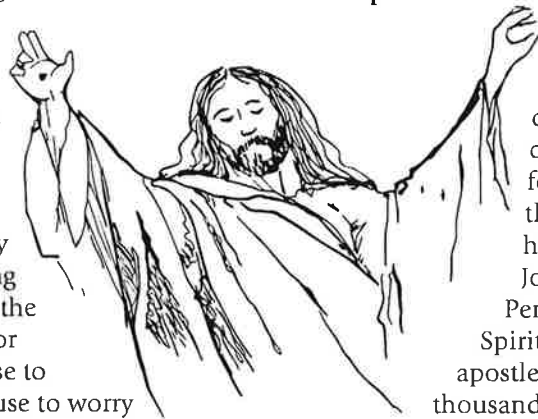
Death doesn't have the last word. Easter means that we can face each day with joy, knowing that Jesus paved the way to Heaven for those who choose to follow Him. Refuse to worry about earthly matters and share your joy with friends, family, colleagues.

Jesus offers peace the world can't give. Jesus ascended to Heaven and left everything behind. We follow his example when we detach from worldly concerns and care more about God's

will than our own. If we seek God before everything else, we can join Him in His Heavenly kingdom.

We place our faith in the Holy Spirit. "Those who have come into genuine contact with Christ cannot keep him for themselves, they must proclaim him" (Pope St. John Paul II). At Pentecost, the Holy Spirit inspired the apostles to bring thousands to Baptism. Call upon the Holy Spirit to help you bring Jesus to others through words, actions, and compassion.

Forgiveness is ours for the asking. Jesus bore the punishment for our sins. That means no matter what we have done, Jesus is ready to forgive. All we have to do is ask.



Why Do Catholics Do That?

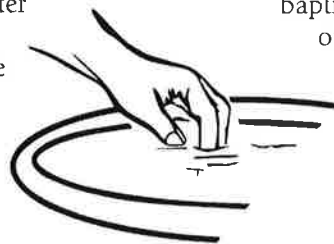
Why do Catholics bless themselves with holy water?

The practice of blessing oneself with holy water harkens back to the washing rituals of the Old Testament Jews, who had to bathe before entering the temple.

Today, when we bless ourselves with

holy water, it brings to mind our own baptism. It was at our baptism that our souls were washed clean of original sin and we were officially made members of the Church. We also received the gift of faith.

In blessing ourselves, we renew our baptismal promise.



Cast looks toward Heaven throughout the day

St. Therese of Lisieux confided that, "For me prayer is a surge of the heart, it is a simple look towards Heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy." Adding short, heartfelt prayers to our daily activities can help us glance toward Heaven throughout the day:

The Jesus Prayer – "Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a sinner." Try repeating it 100 times a day.

"Teach me, O Lord, to do your will, for you are my



God." Say this when beginning a chore, task, or project.

"May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace." A prayer for the souls in Purgatory.

"Jesus, meek and humble of heart, make my heart like yours." Pray this for humility and love.

"Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God, that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ." She is always willing to help.

"Thy will be done." It's what Jesus said.

from Scripture

John 10:11-18, Jesus Is the Good Shepherd

This Gospel tells of our relationship with God. Jesus is the Good Shepherd and we are His flock.

Today society tells us that it is good be independent and answer to no one. We are encouraged to please ourselves and follow our own desires. However, there is no one to turn to for guidance and comfort when circumstances go bad. There is no shepherd.

In Jesus' day, a shepherd lived with the sheep, cared for them, and even put himself at risk to keep them safe. He



tended them in a flock for safety, to protect them from predators. The shepherd was trusted and familiar, so that the sheep knew His voice and followed him but no other.

Jesus is the Good Shepherd for all of humanity. In this Gospel Jesus defined the role of a shepherd. He predicted how he would fill that role by giving His life for His sheep.

But he looked beyond the sheepfold of Israel. His hope is to have one flock and one shepherd for the whole world. That flock is the Church which he founded.

Q & A Why should I participate in Mass if it's not required?

In many dioceses around the country, the obligation to attend Mass in person remains lifted while the pandemic lasts. Still, finding ways to celebrate the Eucharist – in person, if it



can be done safely, or online – has spiritual benefits during difficult times.

"Do this in memory of me" is the only direct order Jesus gave to

His followers. That means

God is the one who initiates this encounter with us. And when God asks us to do something, it is smart to do it.

Sanctify the day. Participating in Mass on Sunday still helps to fulfill the Third Commandment obligation to keep holy the Sabbath day and sanctify the day.

You're a baptized person needed by your community. "For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them" (Matthew 18:20). We help worship God just by being there.

You get "take out." The homily gives the Gospel relevance to our lives. Then we have something to act on in the coming week.

Feasts & Celebrations

April 4 – Easter Sunday. The solemnity that marks Jesus' Resurrection. It is the most important feast in the Church year.

April 11 - St. Stanislaus (1079). As Bishop of Krakow in 1072, St. Stanislaus attempted to reform the violent and depraved king of Poland, Boleslas II. When his efforts failed, he excommunicated the king. In retaliation, Boleslas murdered the saint as he said Mass.

April 11 – Divine Mercy Sunday. In 1931, Jesus appeared to St. Faustina

and asked that the Sunday after Easter become the "Feast of Mercy." Jesus promised that anyone who honors him as the King of Mercy and prays The Chaplet of Divine Mercy – the prayer he gave to St. Faustina – will receive special graces and great mercy.

April 21 – St. Anselm (1109). A native of Italy, St. Anselm initially enjoyed a luxurious life at court. After his mother died, he became a monk in France and reluctantly became bishop of Canterbury, England. He was exiled for rebuffing the king's interference in Church matters.



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