



APRIL 23, 2017

<p>Saturday, April 22, 2017 5:00 PM Mary Black (D) By Kevin/Debbie Gallaher & Fa.</p>	<p>Saturday, April 29, 2017 8:00 PM Louis & Gary Borba (D) By Tom/Nancy Deubert</p>
<p>Sunday, April 23, 2017 8:00 AM John Rocha (D) By Wife</p>	<p>Sunday, April 30, 2017 8:00 AM Cecil Sanchez (D) By Anna Villalobos</p>
<p>9:30 AM Daniel Cunha (D) By Al/Ruth Cunha</p>	<p>9:30 AM Dolores Machado (D) By Manuel/Joanne Caetano</p>
<p>PRO POPOLO</p>	<p>PRO POPOLO</p>
<p>11:00 AM Manning Garden Residents (L) Por Parish Family</p>	<p>11:00 AM San Judas Por Majra Melgoza</p>
<p>WEEKDAY MASSES 7:30 AM</p>	<p>WEEKDAY MASSES 7:30 AM</p>
<p>Monday, April 24, 2017 Mary Lou Torres (D) By Departed Family</p>	<p>Monday, May 1, 2017 Jack Ventura (D) By Tom/Nancy Deubert</p>
<p>Tuesday, April 25, 2017 Fred Amaral (D) By Amaral Family</p>	<p>Tuesday, May 2, 2017 Larry Lima (D) By David/Marlene Phillips</p>
<p>No Mass Wednesday, April 26, 2017</p>	<p>No Mass Wednesday, May 3, 2017</p>
<p>Thursday, April 27, 2017 Mary C. Silveira (D) By Clara & Roberto</p>	<p>Thursday, May 4, 2017 Dena Sepeda (D) By Hope Sepeda</p>
<p>Friday, April 28, 2017 John Rete (D) By Lucy Silverio</p>	<p>Friday, May 5, 2017 Clarence Cardoza (D) By Tom/Nancy Deubert</p>



2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, 'Peace be with you.'" This greeting from the resurrected Christ must have been a profound one for the disciples. They were living behind locked doors "for fear of the Jews," which really meant for fear of their own lives. They had seen what happened to Jesus and didn't want to face the same fate. Imagine the paralysis of this fear, keeping them locked inside a prison of their own making.

But even the walls and the locks could not keep Jesus out! He came "although the doors were locked" and brought them a message of peace. And then their fear turned to gladness for they "rejoiced when they saw the Lord."

This transformation from sadness to joy, from fear to peace was not just a gift for these first disciples. It is a gift for all of the followers of the Lord, ourselves included! When we are afraid of what might happen in our lives, where we are trapped or paralyzed by the burdens of our own habitual sins, Jesus wants to step in and offer us peace. This is what we celebrate today on this feast of the mercy of Christ. His love and peace---the gift of his mercy---is meant for all of us, weak, sinful, and scared though we may be.

And we who receive this great gift of mercy from the Lord are also called to be merciful to others. We are called to be peacemakers and to forgive others as we have been forgiven. Our celebration of Divine Mercy need not stop at the doors of our own hearts. We can seek ways to be ministers of God's mercy to others, reaching out with the love of God, bringing comfort and consolation to those who need it most.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 23, 2017

Sunday:	Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24/1 Pt 1:3-9/ Jn 20:19-31
Monday:	Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-9/Jn 3:1-8
Tuesday:	1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20
Wednesday:	Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-9/Jn 3:16-21
Thursday:	Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20/Jn 3:31-36
Friday:	Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15
Saturday:	Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21
Next Sunday:	Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11/1 Pt 1:17-21/ Lk 24:13-35



LAS LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA DEL 23 DE ABRIL DE 2017

Domingo:	Hch 2, 42-47/Sal 118, 2-4. 13-15. 22-24/1 Pe 1, 3-9/ Jn 20, 19-31
Lunes:	Hch 4, 23-31/Sal 2, 1-9/Jn 3, 1-8
Martes:	1 Pe 5, 5-14/Sal 89, 2-3. 6-7. 16-17/Mc 16, 15-20
Miércoles:	Hch 5, 17-26/Sal 34, 2-9/Jn 3, 16-21
Jueves:	Hch 5, 27-33/Sal 34, 2. 9. 17-20/Jn 3, 31-36
Viernes:	Hch 5, 34-42/Sal 27, 1. 4. 13-14/Jn 6, 1-15
Sábado:	Hch 6, 1-7/Sal 33, 1-2. 4-5. 18-19/Jn 6, 16-21
Domingo siguiente:	Hch 2, 14. 22-33/Sal 16, 1-2. 5. 7-11/ 1 Pe 1, 17-21/Lc 24, 13-35

In Our Thoughts & Prayers
 We pray for our parishioners who are sick and home-bound in convalescent homes, in hospitals. Please pray that God gives them strength, courage, and patience.
Oremos por todo aquellas que estan enfermos, en asilos y hospitales. Oremos para que Dios les de fuerza, confianza y paciencia.

Second Collection/Segunda Colecta
 Special Collection/Colecta Especial

Last week's collection/ Colecta de la semana pasada: \$8,275.00
 Maintenance & Repair/Mantenimiento y Reparacion \$1,179.50
 Holy Land/Tierra Santa \$578.75

Next week's collection:
 Home Missions/Misiones de casa catholicas

Thank you for your continued generosity.
Mil gracias que Dios bendiga por su generosidad.



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Divine Mercy Sunday is an observance in the Roman Catholic Church in which followers are encouraged to offer forgiveness and reconciliation to all. It is based on visions

recorded from St. Faustina Kowalski. In 2000, it was decreed a solemnity, a high feast day, by Pope John Paul II. Roman Catholics are required to attend worship, go to confession, and take Holy Communion.

FAUSTINA

The Messenger of Divine Mercy, a live multimedia drama will be performed on Saturday, April 29, 2017 at 7:00 pm. Knights of Columbus #6092 are sponsors of this event at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic School Hall, 5680 N. Maroa, Fresno. Admission: \$15/\$10. Contact Danny 495-5322.

BLOOD DRIVE

Be sure to stop by and donate blood! This Sunday, April 23, 2017, the mobile unit will be on the west corner of Lincoln and Elm from 9 am until noon. Every time someone donates, it helps three different people.



2^o DOMINGO DE PASCUA

Durante este tiempo de Pascua, escucharemos en las lecturas lo que los primeros discípulos y seguidores de Jesús vivieron en las primeras comunidades cristianas. Tiempos muy importantes llenos de experiencias personales vividas entre ellos. Pedro, hoy, nos recuerda la gran misericordia de Dios al resucitar a Cristo Jesús, para que tengamos vida y sea en abundancia. Como cristianos esa debe ser nuestra esperanza la vida nueva que se nos ha dado en nuestro bautismo y eso debe ser motivo de alegría en este Domingo de la Misericordia. San Pedro lo describe de la siguiente manera. "Por esta razón, alégrese, aun cuando ahora tengan que sufrir un poco por adversidades de todas clases" (1 Pe 1, 6).

El Evangelio nos lo dice de otra manera, describe al Resucitado animando a sus asustados discípulos que permanecían encerrados a causa del miedo que aún tenían después del escándalo de la cruz y del abandono a su maestro. ¿Qué hacer? ¿Hacia dónde ir ahora? Sin embargo, Dios tenía otros planes para ellos. ¡El encuentro con Cristo resucitado era inminente! Qué alegría tan grande verlo vivo, pero distinto. Hasta Tomás, pasa de incrédulo a creer. Y lo llama por primera vez, "Señor mio y Dios mio" (Jn 20, 29). Esta profunda convicción pasa cuando pasamos por un verdadero encuentro personal con Jesús. ¿Cómo es mi encuentro con el Señor resucitado, cuando aún no lo he visto? Oremos para que estemos abiertos a la presencia del Señor entre nosotros. ¡Vivamos el Misterio Pascual con un corazón nuevo y con una esperanza resucitada!

FOOD DISTRIBUTION DAY

Next Monday, May 1, 2017, food will be distributed in front of the Presbyterian Church in Easton at 1:00 pm to those in need of food.

CONGRATULATIONS!

The whole church celebrated the great Easter feast of the Eucharist, and gave thanks for the waters of baptism, for the table prepared for us, for the sacramental oils, and above all for the care of the Shepherd on our journey from the death of sin to new life. We pray that the Lord constantly renew the life of his people in the sacraments of baptism, confirmation, and Eucharist: **Joshua Isaac Castillo, Mavi Alcantara Cruz, Stephanie Nicole Armenta, Mayra Yareli Canales Vidrio, Norma Yaremi Canales Vidrio, Veronica Cisneros, Jenna Mikayla Futrell, Darin William Guevara, Estefani Ibarra, Ramiro Edgar Lucero, Abraham Rubio Guerrero, Maria de Jesus Ruiz Jimenez, Cruz Henry Sanchez, Jessica Sanchez Casas, and Larry Lee Shepherd.**

BAKE SALE

CCD First Year Confirmation will have a fund raiser Bake Sale next Sunday, April 30, 2017, after each Mass.

CP & BC BREAKFAST

The Catholic Professional and Business Club is having their monthly breakfast at Pardini's. 2257 W. Shaw Avenue, Fresno on Friday, May 12, 2017 at 7:15 am. This month's speaker is Matthew Arnold. He has produced dozens of popular Catholic audio and video presentations. Questions or reservations, call 434-2722 or email reservations@cpbcfresno.org

SCANDINAVA & ST. PETERSBURGH
 Cruise Tour on board the NCL Norwegian Getaway from September 26 until October 8, 2017. Spiritual Director, Msgr. Patrick McCormick. For complete details, please contact Christy Villas, Holy Cross Ministries, at 559-824-0732. Starting at \$3,169 per person roundtrip from San Francisco.

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

Join Bishop Myron J. Cotta on this 10 day special pilgrimage from September 15-24, 2017 to Fatima for the 100th Anniversary. Cost \$3595. For info, phone 800-653-0017 reservations@canterburypilgrimages.com

Through the gift of the Holy Spirit we are sent to share the peace of Christ. Do you believe in Jesus' call to you? Act on it!
John 20:19-31



EL DOMINGO DE LA MISERICORDIA DIVINA

El Domingo de la Misericordia Divina es una observancia en la Iglesia Católica Romana en la que se alienta a los seguidores a ofrecer perdón y reconciliación a todos. Se basa en las visiones registradas de St. Faustina Kowalski. En el año 2000, el Papa Juan Pablo II celebró una solemnidad, un día festivo alto, los catolicos romanos estan obligados a asistir a adoracion, confesarse y tomar la Santa Comunión.

COMIDA

Comida sera distribuido el lunes, 1 de mayo, 2017. Venga el lunes a las 1:00 pm en la esquina de Elm, en frente de la Iglesia Presbyterian en Easton.

"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 mio y Dios mio!"
Jesús añadió: "Tú crees porque me has visto, dichosos los que creen sin haber visto".



DISCIPULOS MISIONEROS EN EL BARRIO

Cualquier persona haciendo cualquier cosa relacionada con la iglesia es visto como un discípulo. Estamos buscando tu historia. Comparte tu historia con nosotros! Presenta una o dos hojas de testimonio sobre como vives tu fe. Nos encantaría presentar historias a lo largo del año en el boletín informativo de nuestra oficina, en Facebook o a través de nuestro periódico diocesano. Para obtener un formulario de envío, por favor visita la pagina del Formación y Evangelización en el sitio web diocesano. www.diocesoffresno.org

Bienaventurados los que creen sin ver. ¿Qué necesito para responder al llamado de Dios al sacerdocio o vida religiosa?
Juan 20:19-31