

April 4, 2021 Bulletin

From the Pastor:

My Dear Parish Family,

Happy Easter!

On behalf of Fr. Christian, Deacon Michael and his wife Maria, Deacon John Scott and his wife Patricia, and myself, we wish you and all the members of our parish family a blessed and Happy Easter. It remains a strange and challenging time in the life of the world with the COVID-19 virus still in our midst but, Jesus is risen. No matter what happens in this world we have a Savior who is Christ the Lord and He has been raised from the dead to give us hope. Jesus died on the cross on Good Friday and then rose again on Easter Sunday to give us the hope that this world, with all its joys and struggles is not everything. In fact, we look forward to the everlasting life of heaven where we will live with Jesus, our Blessed Mother, St. Joseph and all who have gone before us. We are saved by the power of the cross and look forward to our own day of resurrection because our lives are bound for glory!

I am sorry that many of the members of the parish could not attend Easter Mass but, hopefully, you were able to celebrate with us virtually. As the Easter season continues from now until Pentecost Sunday there will be more and more opportunities to come back to Church. I pray that you will come back to Church soon because we need to be together to celebrate our faith. We need to be in Church every Sunday because Sunday Mass is essential to our souls. Therefore, please return to the Mass inside the church over the next few weeks and months, especially if you have been vaccinated. Please seriously consider being vaccinated as soon as possible so that we may all safely and joyfully celebrate our Catholic Faith inside our beautiful parish church.

Until next week, blessed Easter! St. Benedict, pray for us. Terence Cardinal Cooke, Servant of God, pray for us.

Fr. Stephen Norton