

Saint Boniface Catholic Church

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Our Motto: "To strengthen the spiritual growth of the community and to nurture personal relationship with Jesus Christ"

Church Office Hours

Monday: Day off
Tuesday Through Friday: 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Weekends: Saturday Vigil Mass: 5.00 p.m.
Sunday: English Mass: 9.30 a.m.
Spanish Mass: 12.00 a.m.
Weekdays: Tuesday & Wednesday: 6.00 p.m.
Thursday & Friday: 8.00 a.m.
First Friday: One hour adoration after the Mass

Special Celebrations

Baptism: Saturday 11.00 a.m.
Quinceañera and Wedding: Saturday 12.00 or 2.00 p.m.

Faith Formation

Children: Wednesday 6.30 p.m.
Adults: Tuesday 6.30 p.m.

Confession

Weekends: Half an hour before all masses
Weekdays: By appointment

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism, First communion, Confirmation, Matrimony
Please call the church office

Sick Calls

If you or a member of your family is sick or in the hospital, please call the parish office. You will be included in our prayers, and the priest will be able to visit you.

For more information

Please contact the church office during the office hours

Pastoral Contacts

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Holy Father's Intention for April 2015

Universal: That people may learn to respect creation and care for it as a gift of God.

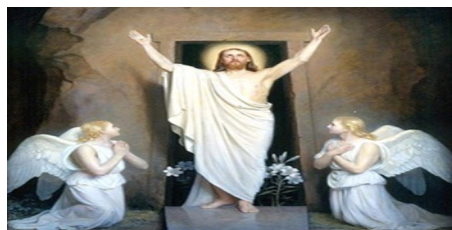
Evangelization: That persecuted Christians may feel the consoling presence of the Risen Lord and the solidarity of all the Church.

From the Pastors Desk



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HAPPY EASTER TO ALL FAMILIES OF ST. BONIFACE PARISH



What is the significance of the resurrection for the Christians?

1. The resurrection of Jesus is the source of our Christian faith: this is the greatest the miracle and the proof that Jesus is God. That's why St. Paul writes, "If Christ has not been raised from death, our preaching is in vain, and your faith is in vain (1Cor 15:14). In fact, all the basic doctrines of Christianity are based on the truth of the resurrection. The mystery of our faith we proclaim in every mass is that "Christ has died Christ has risen, Christ will come again."

2. Easter guarantees our own resurrection: Jesus assured Martha in the tomb of Lazarus, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in me, even though he dies, will live" (Jn 11:25). By virtue of the Holy Spirit, our Christian life is already a participation in the death and resurrection of Christ beginning with our baptism and also we believe that Jesus will raise us up on the last day. Therefore, we must live a meaningful life and an exemplary Christian life in order to be able to experience his reward of resurrection in heaven.

3. Easter is the feast of hope and encouragement: the celebration of Easter reminds us that all our sufferings, sorrows, pain, and tears, are not permanent but temporary. It reminds us the fact that our life is worth living. It teaches us a great lesson of hope that all those fight and defend just causes and values, undoubtedly will be justified and be rewarded by God. That's why, St. Paul asks a question, "O death, where is your victory?" (1 Cor15:55). We believe that the risen Jesus gives us strength to fight our personal temptations and social injustices. Just as Jesus overcame all his sufferings, death, and rose as the winner of eternal life, so also, definitively will help us to overcome our own sufferings and to share his glorious victory of his resurrection.

We must be a "resurrection people": This means that, we are not supposed to lie buried in the tomb of our sins, bad habits, dangerous addictions, despair, discouragement, doubt, and death. Instead, we are expected to live a joyful and peaceful life in risen Jesus as the apostles constantly experiencing the risen Lord in all the events of their life.

We must be the instruments of the peace of risen Christ: in all his apparitions after the resurrection Jesus made an unforgettable greeting to his disciples, "Peace be with you." We, the Disciples of Christ, are expected to share his peace with one another in order to be able to overcome our daily sufferings and tensions and to enjoy every day the blessings of the risen Jesus. May the risen Jesus bless you all!

Prayers and Blessings,

Rev. Dr. Lawrence Rasaian, JCD

Weekly Readings

Mon April 6 Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2: 14, 22-33 Gospel: Matthew 28: 8-15

Tues April 7 Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2: 36-41 Gospel: John 20: 11-18

Wed Apr 8 Reading: Acts of the Apostles 3: 1-10 Gospel: Luke 24: 13-35

Thurs Apr 9 Reading: Acts of the Apostles 3: 11-26 Gospel Luke 24: 35-48

Fri Apr 10 Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4: 1-12 Gospel: John 21: 12-13

Fri- Feb 6 Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4: 13-21 Gospel: Mark 16: 9-15

April 2015

Sunday Offerring: \$ 999.00

Second Collection: \$ 353.00

2ND COLLECTION THIS MONTH

3/3—Holy Land

3/5—Seminarian Special Collection

3/12—Building Fund

3/19—Altar Society

Easter Sunday The Resurrection of the Lord

Happy Easter to Everyone !!!!

1. The Second Collection is for the Seminarians Special Collection
2. Everyone is invited to join us for the Adult Faith Formation class, on Tuesday evenings @ 6:30
In the community room. We are studying the "Eucharist".
3. There will be a Fundraising Committee meeting on Wed. April 8 @ 6:30 pm in the church office. If you are interested in being on this committee please let Fr. Lawrence know, and you must not be on any other committee.
4. There will be a Building Committee meeting on Wed. April 15 @ 6:30 pm in the church office.
5. The Winner of the Easter Hat Competition is Hat # 13 with \$21.02. There was a total of \$ 52.87 raised with the Easter Hat Competition. Thank you to all who participated.
5. Thank you to those of you who donated for the Easter Lilies:

Easter Lilies Donated In Memory of Honor Of:

Nathan Mamo, Graciela Delgado, Gabriel Aguilar, Jaci Dotson, The Beams Family, Richard Wangler, Lorena Cagle, The Bloodworth Family, Dottie Thompson, Ledesma Family, Juana Aguilar, Teresa Duran, Maria Ledesma, Mr. and Mrs. Calistro Peralez, James Richard Hodges, Konny Dziema, Michael Dziema, Ernest De La Garza, Patsy Kidd, Joe Hoffman, George Wood.

Felices Pascuas a todos

1. La segunda colecta es para la colección especial de seminaristas
2. Todos están invitados a acompañarnos para la clase de formación de fe adulta el martes por la noche a las 6:30, nos encontramos en la sala de la comunidad. Estamos estudiando la "Eucaristía".
3. Habrá una reunión del Comité de recaudación de fondos el miércoles 8 de abril a las 6:30 de la tarde en la oficina de la iglesia. Si usted está interesado en estar en este Comité por favor infórmale al Father Lawrence, y también no debe estar en ningún otro comité.
4. Habrá una reunión del Comité de construcción el miércoles 15 de abril a las 6:30 de la tarde, en la oficina de la iglesia.
5. Gracias a los que donaron para los lirios de Pascua:

Lirios de Pascua donaron en memoria de honor de:

Nathan Mamo, Graciela Delgado, Gabriel Aguilar, Jaci Dotson, la familia de las vigas, Richard Wangler, Lorena Cagle, la familia Bloodworth, Dottie Thompson, familia Ledesma, Juana Aguilar, Teresa Duran, Maria Ledesma, Sr. y Sra. Calistro Peralez, James Richard Hodges, Konny Dziema, Michael Dziema, Ernesto De La Garza, Patsy Kidd, Joe Hoffman, George Wood.

LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Esmeralda Chavez, Susan Weaver, Peggy Marks, Joyce Dye, Betsy Mamo, Sandra Reynolds, Rhonda Brown, Lisa Kephart, LeRoy Clary, Maya Harper, Beverly Camp, Ellen Wallace, Michael Sharum, Talon Dyess, Kay Chavez, Helen Littler, Eric Duran, Beverly Flores, Christina Grochowski, Iris Mamo, MaryAnn Hubl, Jim Bloodworth, James Neely, Buddy Snyder, and Adrian Gutierrez, Billy Wheat, Esperanza Gutierrez, Dutch Schorr, Conradita Sanchez, Donna Wallace, Phyllis Wood, Bill Hall, and Mary Lou Marino, Sam Fisher

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN OUR ARMED FORCES



April

4/1—Mary Hoffman
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 4/4—Juana Aguilar
 4/4— Domingo Garcia
 4/4—Yolanda Garcia
 4/6— Jerrie Cronin
 4/9—Bruce Mashburn
 4/10 Deange Ponce
 4/12—Oscar Alexander Silva
 4/14—Kathy Snyder
 4/20—Hector Duran
 4/20—Gabriela Altamirano
 4/28—Esperanza Gutierrez

If you have a birthday in April and your name is not on the list please let Tracy know or email her.

Baking List

April

4/5– Phyllis Wood, & Angie Tran
 4/12– Glenda Dziema, & Hannelore George
 4/19—Carolyn Saunders, & Maureen Mashburn
 4/26—Kay Chavez, & Fran Trevathan

ALTAR SERVER:

The server assists the priest at Mass, Altar Servers prepare the sanctuary before Mass and place everything away after the Liturgy. The altar server participates at Mass by praying and singing with all in the assembly. Adult Men can also serve as Acolytes.

Sat 5:00 pm - Victoria Barnes, Maria Adams, Amber Barrios

Sun 9:30 am – Sara Mashburn, Amber Barrios, Gabby Haywood, Victoria Barnes, Maria Adams

Sun 12:00 pm - Juan Gonzales, Mariana Lozano, Adrian Ponce, Diane Ponce, Vicky Anaya, Kevin Hernandez, Lisabeth Rojas, Brianna Vasquez, Amy Anaya, Ruby Gutierrez, Daisy Gutierrez, Andrea Gomez, Jorge Jaimes, Marisol Suarez, Luis Suarez

Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers/ Ushers:

The Lector proclaims the Sacred Scripture to those assembled at Mass. The Lector prepares for the proclamation of the reading throughout the week by reviewing and praying about the readings. The Lector possesses a deep love of scripture. Eucharistic Ministers offer the Body and Blood of Christ to those who present themselves for Holy Communion. They may also be deputed to bring Holy Communion to the sick. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion possesses a deep love of the Eucharist. Usher/Greeter- The Usher/Greeter is observant and ready to serve when any need arises. They greet people and help seat those who arrive for Mass, take up the collection, aid the orderly reception of Holy Communion and pass out the weekly bulletin at the door. The minister possesses a wealth of kindness for all that gather at Mass.

Sat April 4, 2015

L: Patrecia Bloodworth (1)
 Kay Chavez (2)
 Tracy Delagarza (7)
 Laurie Guerra (Epistle)

EM: Joe Guerra, Wanda Taylor

U: Pat Adams / RonBoyda

Sunday April 5, (E)

L: Sue Beams
 EM: Wanda Taylor
 Patrecia Bloodworth

U: Mark Saunders

Sam McCullough

Sunday April 5, (S)

L: Karen Zuniga
 Lilia Rojas
 EM: Esperanza G.
 Elida Ramirez

U: Anyone Available

Sat Apr 11, 2015

L: Melodie Garrison

EM: Lecey Hall

U: Bill Hall

Rex Trevathan

Sunday April 12, (E)

L: Mary Fletcher

EM: Wanda Taylor

U: Mark Saunders

Sam McCullough

Sunday Apr 12, (S)

L: Luis Suarez

Vickii Anaya

EM: Estrella Rojas

Florina Rojas

U: Anyone Available