# Cathedral of St. Michael the Archangel

# EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD



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- Rev. Sinh Trinh, Parochial Vicar
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- Deacon José Rivera
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- Paul E. Evans, Jr., Altar Server
- Mary Jeanne Tash, Safety & Security Coordinator
- · Wanda Castellano, Administrative Assistant

# All Masses are celebrated in the Cathedral



Weekdays, M-F:12:10 p.m.Saturday, Vigil Mass:4:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASSES:
8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 4:00 p.m.

Misa en Español: domingo, 11:45 a.m.

Holy Day of Obligation:
Please see the Holy Week Schedule.

# Sacrament of Reconciliation / Confession

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 p.m. or by appointment



Cornerstone laid on the Feast of St. Michael the Archangel, September 29, 1860 / First Mass celebrated on Christmas morning, 1861.

# APR 19-27, 2025

# Mass Intention / Mass or Service

Saturday Vigil	April 19	8:00 p.m.	THE GREAT EASTER VIGIL MASS
EASTER	SUND	AY / DO	MINGO DE PASCUA
Sunday	April 20	8:30 a.m.	†Virginia Carrillo
Sunday	April 20	10:00 a.m.	Easter Sunday Mass with Bishop Byrne
			(live broadcast on 22News WWLP)
			†Talarico Family
Domingo	20 de Abril	11:45 a.m.	La Legión de María, Vivos y Difuntos
Sunday	April 20	4:00 p.m.	†Maria Tran
Monday	April 21	12:10 p.m.	†Luis Daniel Rodríguez
Tuesday	April 22	12:10 p.m.	†Ken Balise
Wednesday	April 23	12:10 p.m.	Birthday Blessings for Agnes Chartier
Thursday	April 24	12:10 p.m.	Birthday Blessings for Rachel Ficarra
Friday	April 25	12:10 p.m.	†Felix Xavier Santos
Saturday Vigil	April 26	4:00 p.m.	Blessings for Annie Vasseur
Sunday	April 27	8:30 a.m.	†Maria Tran
Sunday	April 27	10:00 a.m.	†Selborne Graham
Domingo	27 de Abril	11:45 a.m.	
Sunday	April 27	4:00 p.m.	A Special Intention



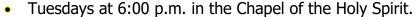
Please pray for our dearly departed brothers and sisters in Christ, marked with the sign of faith.





# **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the Cathedral**

2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month following the Pro-Life Vigil, before the 12:10 p.m. Mass.





# This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

Readings for **Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord**, The Gospel According to John, **Jn 20:1-9**, <a href="https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/042025.cfm">https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/042025.cfm</a>

#### **WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

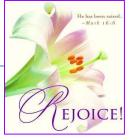
APRIL 12-13, 2025, Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord All Masses: (\$4,432.00); Fuel (\$237.00)

#### MISSION STATEMENT / MISIÓN

Guided and protected by our patron Saint Michael the Archangel, the Cathedral parish is a welcoming, diverse community which embodies the mission of Christ who strengthens us by the sacraments.

Guiada y protegida por nuestro patrón San Miguel Arcángel, la parroquia Catedral es una comunidad acogedora y diversa que encarna la misión de Cristo quién nos fortalece a través de los sacramentos.

# Easter Sunday



# FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK:

We have concluded our Lenten journey and the Sacred Triduum and now we celebrate Easter Resurrection. This is indeed the day the Lord has made, so let us rejoice and be glad in it. Now we begin 50 days of Eastertide. But first, we enter into the Octave of Easter. These 8 days of Easter Octave we celebrate it as if it were Easter day. The reason is that we cannot begin to understand, contemplate or comprehend what has happened for us in just one day (Easter). The Church gives us 8 days to celebrate and understand the immense glory of Jesus Risen and what he has gained for us by his Passion, Death and Resurrection. All the readings of these 8 days will focus on various aspects of the Resurrection. Thank you Jesus for all you have done for us and especially for opening the gates of heaven for all the righteous who seek to do Your will.

### A HUGE EASTER THANK YOU!

Thank you to all who made the Holy Week services so beautiful this year. From our very talented Cathedral choir, to Michael Broer from the Worship Office, to our youth Altar Servers as well as our young adult Knights of the Cathedral Altar, Lectors and those who donated to and decorated the Cathedral so beautifully under the guidance of Fr. Yerick. We should be very proud as the Cathedral parish for all we have accomplished in making people from our diocese welcome and witness the beauty of the church's ceremonies. May God bless you all!

**ADORATION SIGN UPS** - At the side door leading out to the parking lot there is a sign up sheet for our 24 Hours of Mercy. In conjunction with the confessions that will be heard for 24 hours from 1pm Friday, April 25 to 1pm Saturday, April 26 we will be having Eucharistic Adoration. Please sign up to spend an Holy Hour with our Eucharistic Lord. **PLEASE NOTE**: There is no fear of coming to the Cathedral in the night hours - we will have a police presence and young men will be guarding the cathedral church and hallways to the bathrooms and Marshall Center.

### THE GRACES OF THE DIVINE MERCY:

Next weekend we celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Pope St. John Paul II announcing the Second Sunday of Easter as The Divine Mercy Sunday. This great feast comes with it abundant graces to those who confess their sins. In the Diary of St. Faustina, Our Lord Jesus promises to grant complete forgiveness of sins and punishment on the Feast of Mercy. Jesus said: "I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My mercy" (1109). "Whoever approaches the Fountain of Life on this day will be granted complete forgiveness of sins and punishment" (300). "The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion will obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment" (699).

For this reason it is so important to confess your sins this coming weekend and so afford that opportunity to yourself by coming to the Cathedral for the 24 Hours of Mercy. No excuses to find a time to come in a 24 hour period.



# **Easter Flowers 2025**



# (Memorials & Tributes)

#### IN MEMORIAM

Acevedo, Crucita
Alfonzo, Barbara
Alicea, Maria Luisa
Aponte, Justino
Ayala, Rosa
Ayala, Vicente
Ball, Carole
Ball, Joyce
Ball, Peter
Barbour, Marie
Bartot, Mr. & Mrs. Peter

Bartot, Nancy
Belen, Carmen
Benoit, Lyle
Benoit, Robert
Blackburn, Maureen
Brandoli, Mr. & Mrs.
Laurence
Brown, Dorothy

Carrasquillo, Bernardita

Cassidy, Colleen

Dise, John

Castellano, Ramon Clark, Irene Saulnier Cormier, Yola Cruz, Angel D. Curran, Mr. & Mrs. John W. Curran-Fitzgerald, Eleanor Daley, Winston

Dise, Meghan
Dise, Melissa
Dise, Patsy
Dise-Victorian, Melanie
Dorsey, Mrs. Alma R.
Dubreuil, John P.
Dubreuil, Leo & Marie
Dunn, Caroline
Easton, Amber

Finn, William & Catherine

Gagnon, Victor N.
González, Anastacia
González, Rosa
González, Segundo
Grant, Elbert & Sarah
Guzman, Amilcar
Harris, Anderson
Harris, Justin
Harris, Otis
Hernández, Agueda

Holt, George Johnson, Sylvester Jones, Emma Jones, Jerry

Jones, Jerry Jones, Joseph

Jones, Theodore & Gloria

Kirby, Alma T.
Kirby, Colin P. (Jr.)
Kirby, Colin P. (Sr.)
Kirby, Mrs. Eunice E.
Korona, John & Mary
Korona, Joseph & Ann

Lavoie, Susan Loza, Adella

Loza, Adella Lugo, Flor & Margarita Martinez, Carmen Martinez, Efrain Martinez, Ramona Martinez, Teodoro

Matos, Pedro (Jr.) Matos, Pedro (Sr.) Meek, Scott

Michalek, Anne Nata, Maria

Noret, Anthony & Vera Oliver, Norma W.

Pardo, Antonio

Pellerin, Raymond E. (Sr.) Penalbert, Francisco

Penalbert, Jorge

Penalbert, Julio Penalbert, Lucy Penalbert, Rosalia Piacentini, Donna & Lynne

Radon, Colin James Ranson, Gloria Richard, Leona Rimondi, Karen Ring, Morrill Stone Rivera, Lucia

Robinson, Sandra Rodrigues, Flora Rodríguez, Herminia Ryan, Philip & Josephine Santana, Fundadora Saulnier, Wilfred & Mary

Serrano, Aida

Serrano, German & Ana

Serrano, William Sister Margaret McNaughton Skelly, Mary Slusars, Gloria Stanley, Charles (Sr.)

Stebbins, Wilfred

Torre, Aurora

Torres Benitez, Lydia Vélez, Tomas & Brunilda

Walker, Pearl Walters, Mavis

Wasileski, Chester & Norma Yu, Mr. & Mrs. Ming Wan Brathwaite-Garay

Colón

Colón-Pérez

Curran-Veideman

Daley
Durkin
Finn-Frye
Fitzgerald
Garcia
González
Grant

Jones / Trahan Krzystofik

López

López-Rodríguez Marte-Rodríguez

McBride Oakley Oliver Pérez

Polanco-Pérez

Reyes
Ring
Rivas
Rodríguez
Rosado-Santiago
Rosario

Rosario Skrok Smith Welch Williamson

# <u>IN MEMORIAM</u> <u>Deceased Members of</u>

# <u>Families</u>

Arnold Barrows Barrows & Oliver

Brandoli

# <u>IN HONOR OF</u>

Allen Family Barbour Family Gamble Family James Family Springfield Police Stanley, Anne T. Welch Family