

CALENDAR:

Women's Bible Study

April 4th & 18th @ 7p,m

Men's Bible Study

April 6th & 20th @ 7pm

Saturday, April 16th

Ministry to the Homeless
Austin St. Shelter @ 11am

APRIL 2022

“He Is Alive—In Us”

Resurrection is upon us! What does that mean? Easter is not the day for egg hunts, or family get togethers, or even to put on your finest attire. Easter is the celebration of New Life! Jesus' new life beyond the grave and our new life because He lives.

How many times do we miss the destination because we were not happy with the journey? I would suggest all too often. This happens in our physical lives, and it happens in our spiritual lives. Easter comes but once a year and sadly many will hurry into the church on Easter Sunday morning only to return to their normal lives by afternoon. Easter is meant to change us. It is meant to take what was dead and bring it to life. It is the culmination of the story of the Prodigal Son, “for my son was dead, but now he lives”. Will it bring you to life this year?

So often we speak of the resurrection of Jesus as something that happened a long time ago to someone, we kind of, sort of know. NO! It happened the author of our life and it is happening in a perpetual fashion. God is the author of life, and He desires for His creation to live!

Do not let the joy of the Easter celebration dissipate in your life, because He is alive in each and every one of us, if we will allow Him to be. Come and join with us as we celebrate the salvific joy of Easter, not only on Easter Sunday, but through the Easter Season. Let the life of Jesus Christ restore you and empower you so that we all may become the light of Christ to the world.

Peace and Blessings,



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NEWS & UPDATES

**Helping Hands
Items of the
Month
Canned Meat**

Helping Hands



**Volunteer this
Month
Marguerite
Brindock**

This has been an ongoing ministry of our congregation for many years. Please consider being a part of our giving to Helping Hands.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Holy Week Schedule

Reconciliation, Tuesday, April 12th from 3:00pm to 7:00pm

Holy Thursday Mass of the Last Supper, Thursday, April 14th at 7:00pm

Good Friday, Noon Meditation, 12:00 pm

Easter Vigil, Saturday at 8:00pm

Easter Sunday Resurrection Mass at 8:00am & 10:00am

**WOMEN'S
BIBLE STUDY**
April 4th and 18th at 7pm

**MEN'S
BIBLE STUDY**
April 6th and 20th at 7pm

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April 20th at 7pm

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April 30th at Harry Myers Park

Server's List

8:00 am Worship Service

Date	4/3/2022	4/10/2022	4/17/2022	4/24/2022
Lay Reader	Jim Davis	Bonnie Penny	Gerry Coppler	Vicki Graska
Altar Guild	Karen Anderson	Karen Anderson	Marguerite Brindock	Margie Chung
Altar Server	Preston Landman	Preston Landman	Preston Landman	Preston Landman

10:00 am Worship Service

Date	4/3/2022	4/10/2022	4/17/2022	4/24/2022
Lay Reader	Jeff Gay	Juan Garza	Josh Zachary	Jeff Gay
Altar Guild	Yolanda Garza	Pam Slovak	Cristina Zachary	Yolanda Garza
Altar Server	Juan Garza	Juan Garza	Juan Garza	Juan Garza

Advertisements

"Thus says the Lord, who opens a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters. Remember not the events of the past, the things of long ago consider not. Wild beasts honor me, jackals and ostriches, for I put water in the wilderness and rivers in the wasteland for my chosen people to drink, the people whom I formed for myself, that they might recount my praise " (Isaiah 43:16,18, 20-21)

"And all this is from God, who has reconciled us to himself through Christ and given us the ministry of reconciliation, namely, God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting their trespasses against them and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation." (2 Corinthians 5:18-19)



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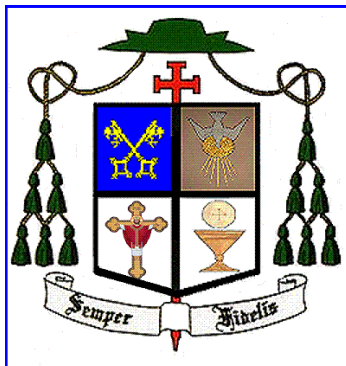
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Sunday English Mass.....8:00 am &
10:00 am

Confession.....Available by appointment

No childcare until further notice.



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Office Hours

Monday	9:00 am — 1:00 pm
Tuesday	9:00 am — 1:00 pm
Thursday	9:00am— 1:00pm
Friday	9:00 am — 1:00 pm

Please call to make an appointment..