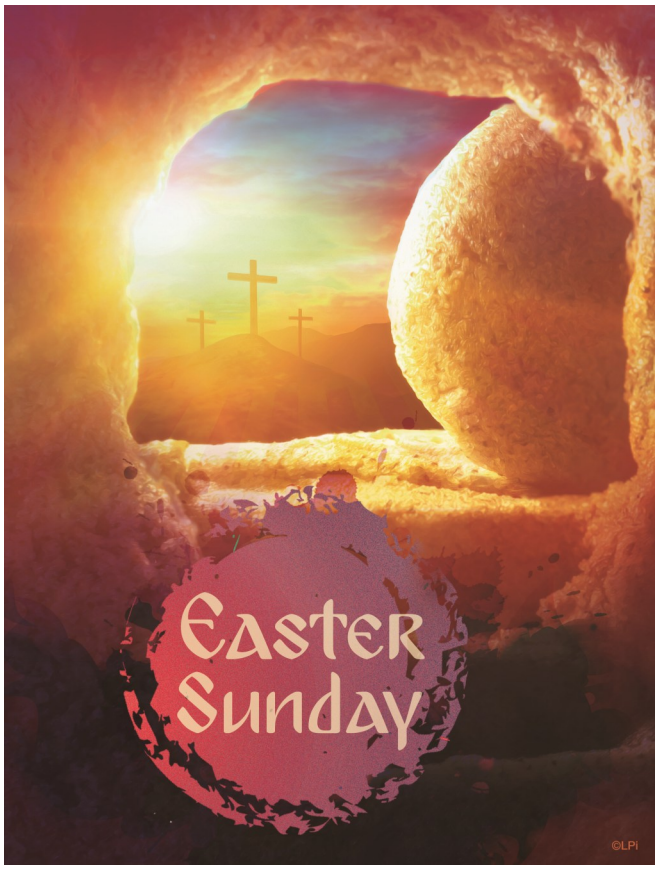
Guardian Angels Catholic Church and Our Lady of Hope School



LITURGY SCHEDULE:
Saturday.....4:00 pm
Sunday .....8:30 am and 10:30 am
Tue/Wed/Thurs.....5:30 pm
Thurs*.....8:15 am (during school year)

*This Thursday Mass is OLH School Mass

RECONCILIATION:
Tue/Wed/Thur .....4:45 pm
Saturday.....3:00 pm
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UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Monday, April 6—Easter Monday
Office will be closed,
Tuesday, April 14 at 6:15 pm
Pastoral Council Meeting in the Paish Office
Thursday, April 16 at 6:00 pm
BUNKO in the Parish Hall
Tuesday, April 28 at 6:15 pm
Finance Council Meeting in the Parish Office

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Readings for the week of April 5, 2026

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Col 3:1 -4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mt 28:1-10 Or Lk 24:13-35
Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/ Mt 28:8-15
Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35
Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48
Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14
Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/ Mk 16:9-15

ROSARY SCHEDULE

Given the Easter holiday, there will be no rosary recitation this weekend. The rosary schedule will resume next weekend, April 11.

COLLECTION FOR MARCH 29, 2026

Envelopes/Mail in Donations... ……....	$1,997.00
Plate Offering..... …….	$609.10
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Weekly Collection Total	**$2,606.10**

FR. CARLITO'S CORNER

Easter Sunday of the Lord's Resurrection
John 20:1-9
April 5, 2026

Today we begin the Easter Season. This is a fifty-day celebration of the resurrection of Jesus. Each of the four Gospels tells us about the discovery of Jesus' empty tomb by the disciples (predominately women disciples), early on Sunday morning following the crucifixion. The details provided in the Gospels, particularly in John's Gospel, are not necessarily meant to offer proof of the resurrection of Jesus. Upon seeing the tomb that had been sealed and the stone blocking the tomb was moved, the disciples thought the body of Jesus was removed, or perhaps stolen. What they discovered was an empty tomb with the burial cloths and that the cloth covering Jesus' face, left within the tomb. The Gospel reading leaves us inside the empty tomb with Mary Magdalene, Peter, and another disciple, filled with wonder just before they encountered the risen Christ.

The empty tomb serves as the ultimate evidence of Jesus' resurrection, transforming fear into faith and demonstrating that death is conquered. There is a tangible shift on the part of the disciples from confusion to the realization of what has transpired. Our faith is based on the witness of the disciples to both the empty tomb and their encounter with the risen Christ, in His appearances after the discovery of the empty tomb. Our faith in the resurrection furthermore tells us the great reversal that God has accomplished in Jesus. Jesus has been taken from death to life, from a tomb blocked by a heavy stone to an empty grave.

Jesus Christ invites all of us to new life. We begin by opening our hearts to Him in the mystery of the Resurrection. The truth of the resurrection is something that can only be seen with trust, a trust in a God whose love is greater than death and conquers everything. As St. Paul puts it, "nothing can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus, our Lord." The Resurrection is not an event that can be misconstrued. The realization of what it means is life altering. When we fully accept the implications of the Resurrection, it has the power to change your life forever.

Happy Easter!

SPECIAL PRAYERS & INTENTIONS

Please pray for:

Louis Aguilar, Jr., Janet & John Altman, Josephine Alvarado, George Armendariz, Michael Batton, Bella Blevins, Mary Ann Boring, Jeanne Boucek, Pat Bowman, Linda Briones, Brenda Buchanan, Ginger Camerillo, Rose Casey, Lila Casperson, Kathy Cavanaugh, Diana Cervantes, Connie Chaffin, Kelly and Joseph Chambers, Livia Ciplea, Larry Clark, Aurora Davis, Elizabeth Dierks, Nancy Dixon, Ricky Foster, Lucy Garcia, Rudy Garcia, Tony Garcia, Shawn Gaupp, Jeff Griffith, Charles Guerera, Mark Guhl, Richard Hayde, Helen Henderson, Brenda Henley, Chris Hernandez, Frankie Hernandez, Linda Hernandez, Lizzie Hernandez, Susan Hoffman, Steven Hoffman, Jeff Huermann, Mary Hitchcock, Jenifer Cervantes Johnson, Kenny Jones, Adri Jordison, Freddie Juarez, Mary Ann Juarez, Kevin Koch, Jake Konzak, Isaac Kwasniak, Diane Layes, Genevieve Sumstine Lewis, Delores Lopez, Ruben Lopez, Michael Lucas, Juanita Leyva, Jack McBratney, Rita McBratney, Andy McEachron, Wendy McKellar, Harper McLean, Angie Medellin, Margaret Medellin, Jimmy Miller, Carmen Murillo, Stephanie Tejada Murillo, Cathy & James Norbury, Stella Ojeda, John Orozco, Christine Osborne, Ashley Parton, Angela Pecina, Annette Perez, Jesus Perez, Pete Pierron, Sylvia Raya, Theo Stephen Ridenour, Teresa Rivera, Laura Rocha, Pete Jon Rouse, Carolyn Ruiz, Mary Beth Ryan, Rebecca Saballo, Kelli Seiler, Diane Stahl, Kathleen Stanton, Mary Stanton, Jennifer Starcher, Barb Storey, Henry Stuerke, Andrew Taylor, Christine Vaca, Louie Vaca, Augustine Valdivia, Rosina Valdivia, Melissa Vasquez, Joyce Veach, Socorro Velo, Carl Walston, Michael Weaver, Mark Wilborn, Jacob Wilstse, Jim Wood, Katrina Worth, Ashley Wright, Millie Wyatt. *To add a name to our prayer list, contact the parish office.*

FAITH FORMATION
SUNDAY, APRIL 19

Our next Faith Formation group will be Sunday, April 19th from 9:30 am—10:20 am. Continuing with our themes of Catholic Social Teaching, the next topic is **Rights and Responsibilities.** All are invited to come to the Parish Hall between Masses for this video and discussion!

Homebound Communion

The Pastoral Council would like to begin distributing communion to our homebound parishoners who would like to receive Holy Communion after weekend masses. If you know of anyone, please call the parish office with their name and location.

MASS INTENTIONS

Holy Saturday/Easter Vigil, April 4
8:00 pm.....Parishioners of G.A.
Easter Sunday, April 5
8:30 am.....Delores Hernandez†
10:30 am.....Jessie Loya Ruiz†
Tuesday, April 7
5:30 pm.....Francisco Alava†
Wednesday, April 8
5:30 pm.....Parishioners of G.A.
Thursday, April 9
8:15 am.....OLH School Mass
5:30 pm.....Yoli Barbosa†
Saturday, April 11
4:00 pm.....Katy and Robert Mendoza†
Sunday, April 12
8:30 am.....Adolf Bernal†
10:30 am.....Paul Wiltz Family

SACRAMENTS & OTHER INFORMATION

New Parishioners
Welcome! Please register by downloading a registration form from our website, or contact the parish office. We are glad you are here!

Baptism
Contact the parish office to schedule the baptismal class and the date of the baptism.

Weddings & Quinceañera
Contact the parish office to schedule a date (preferably nine months before your proposed date).

Sick or Hospitalized
Contact the parish office when your loved one is sick or admitted to the hospital.

Funeral
For funeral arrangements, contact the church office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Confessions regularly before 5:30pm Mass, Saturday at 3:00pm and also by appointment. Please call the church office for appointment if you can't make it on scheduled days.

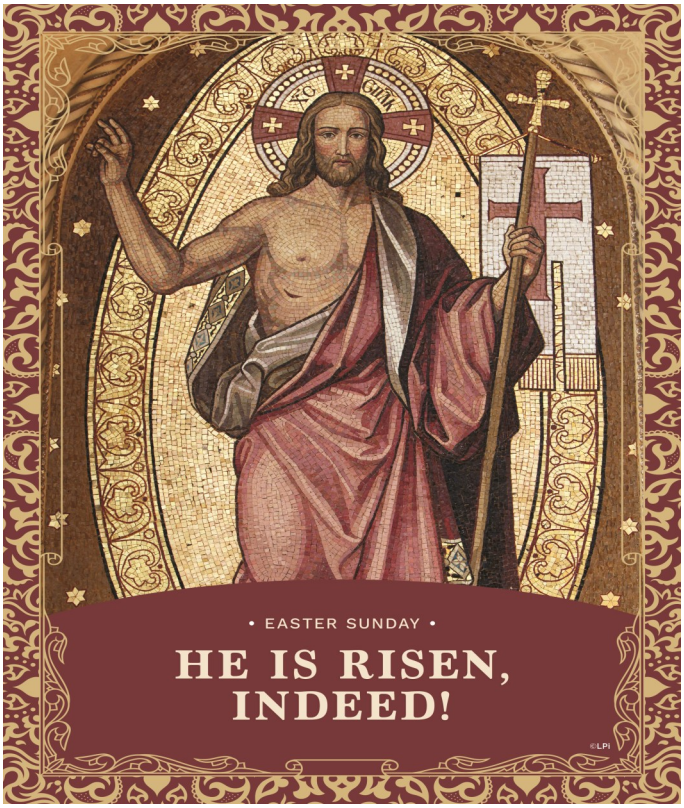
Religious Education, Confirmation & RCIA
Contact the church office or send an email at office@guardianangelskc.org.

SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK

<u>April 4</u>—Holy Saturday
8:00 PM Easter Vigil of the Holy Night

(There will not be a 4 PM Vigil Mass this day)

<u>April 5</u>—Easter Sunday
8:30 AM and 10:30 AM Masses
Mass of the Lord's Resurrection



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

Ryan Asbury (Air National Guard), Ryan Edenburn (Marines), Sam Fair (Air Force), Carlos Garcia III (Navy), Mason Grado (Marines), Daniel Hitchcock (Army), Jonathan Hitchcock (Army), Stephen Hitchcock (Army), Nate Hitchcock (Army), Nick Malott (Army), Sarah Martinez (Army), Joshua May (Army), Dylan Palmer (Marines), Joe Penniston, (Marines), Thomas Reyes (Marines), Geoff Schultz (Air Force), Michael Sparks (Navy). James Sutherland (Army), Garrett Trowbridge (Army), Connor Wiltse (Air Force), Brian D. Zahner (Army).

Prayer for Easter

Blessed be God who has triumphed over the grave!
Our Lord is victorious!
Alleluia, alleluia!
May the joy of Easter fill every part of our lives!

Amen.

Sexual Abuse

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph report the suspected abuse to the Diocesan Ombudsman, ombudsman@ombudsmankcsj.org at 816-213-6024.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Advocate, at 816-714-2357 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Thank You!!

A big thank you to all who donated, contributed and volunteered to help make this year's St Joseph Table a success! Each one of you played an important part and we could not have done it without each and everyone of you!

STEWARDSHIP OF GUARDIAN ANGELS CHURCH

We are doing repairs of all our facilities a little at a time. Thank you for caring about our church!!

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