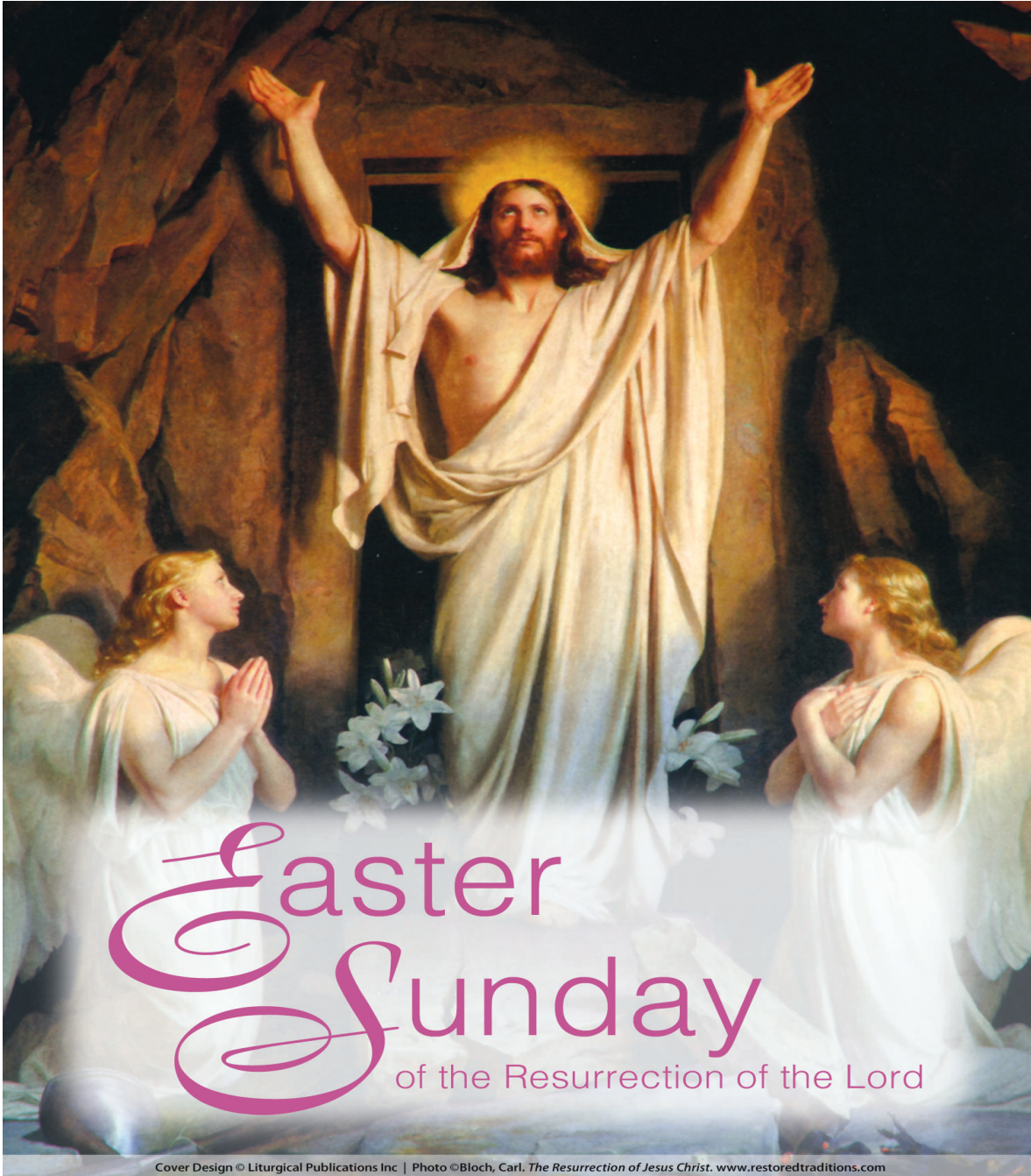


# Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church

## Iglesia Católica San Juan el Evangelista

APRIL 16, 2017 — EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD  
 16 DE ABRIL DE 2017 — DOMINGO DE PASCUA DE LA RESURRECCIÓN DEL SEÑOR



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### LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday .....5:30 p.m.  
 Sunday..... 9:00 a.m.  
 Daily Masses: ..Thursday ..... 8:30 a.m.  
 ..Wednesday and Friday ..... 12 noon  
 CONFESSIONS (Saturday)..... 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

### HORARIO LITURGICO

Domingo.....12:15 p.m (Español)  
 Misa Diaria: ...Jueves ..... 8:30 a.m (Ingles)  
 ..Miércoles y Viernes ..... 12:00 del medio día  
 CONFESSIONES (Sábado)..... 4:30 p.m. o por cita

### HORARIO DE OFICINAS

LUNES—JUEVES: 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.  
 VIERNES: 9:00 a.m. - 12 del medio día

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday: 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.  
 Friday: 9:00 a.m.—12 NOON

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### St John Parish Calendar

**SATURDAY APRIL 15, 2017**  
8:00 PM Vigil Mass for soul of Fr. Alistair McKay

**SUNDAY APRIL 16, 2017**  
9:00 AM Mass soul of Fr. Alistair McKay  
10:00 AM Rosary  
12:15 PM Misa—Pardre Alistair McKay

**WEDNESDAY APRIL 19, 2017**  
12:00 Noon **NO MASS**

**THURSDAY APRIL 20, 2017**  
8:30 AM **NO MASS**

**FRIDAY APRIL 21, 2017**  
2:00 Noon **NO MASS**

**SATURDAY APRIL 22, 2017**  
4:30 PM Reconciliation  
5:30 PM Mass for soul of Ann Wallick

**SUNDAY APRIL 23, 2017**  
9:00 AM Mass for soul of Elliot Hinton  
10:00 AM Rosary  
12:15 PM Misa

**ST. PETER OFFERS MASS DAILY AT NOON**



When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place.

Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. - Jn 20:6-8

#### Readings for the Week of April 16, 2017

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, 5, 7-11/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22/Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-4, 6-9/Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab, 5-9/Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27a/Jn 21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1, 14-15ab, 16-21/  
Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24/  
1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31

**The office will be closed Monday April 17.** There will be no daily Masses. Masses are offered at St. Peter at Noon daily.



**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS/  
RECUERDE EN SUS ORACIONES:**  
*Pray for*

Keith Pinney, Doug and Edna Stanley, Rudy Calo'oy, John Kolakoski, Ron Price, Jr., Red and Nancy Goodman,

Pat & Jerry Nolte, Richard Painter, Martha Livingston, Deborah Shorter, Elena Chavez, Virginia Saunders, Maxine DiMarino, Isaias Fuentes, Melanie Patterson, Lillan Arthur, Carole Trent, Shirley Griffey, Mary Helen Sohaski, Shirley Hughes, Thomas Whitehead, Leslie Gray, Esperanza Godinez and Barbara Greene.

**Prayers for members of the Armed Forces;** Daniel Gaudette, David Licciardello, Josh Drumheller, Lee Balderson, and Daniel Johnson.

#### April 8 & 9, 2017

##### Weekly

Actual  
Budgeted  
Difference

##### Year to Date

Actual  
Budgeted  
Difference

Monthly Debt Expense  
Monthly Debt Collection  
Difference

**THIS INFORMATION  
NOT AVAILABLE AT  
TIME OF PRINTING**

**Remaining Debt Balance \$59,963.87**

#### MASS ATTENDANCE

5:30                      9:00                      12:15

The item being collected for **FISH** for **April**  
**SPAGHETTI SAUCE AND NOODLES**  
En el mes de **abril**  
**PASTAS Y SALSA PARA PASTA**



Hello brothers and sisters in the Lord!!!  
Our God has risen! Our God has defeated death! Our God opened for us eternal life!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

I do not know how I would be in the face of death had not God done the amazing deed He did today for the salvation of believers.

Because of what God did today, Christ turned our death, our last breath, into our birth in eternity. Christ made the finiteness of our human nature the means to bring about the possibility of sharing with God infinity. We cannot wrap our heads around infinity. But that is what we experience and will experience as Christians because of what Christ has done for those who follow Him.

For the pastor message this week, I want to offer an invitation to any visitors we may have with us this weekend. I realize we usually get some visitors at Easter. This is a great thing and we are happy to have you.

But I want you to know that you are always welcome at our parishes (we are part of a cluster of three churches, St Peter, St John and St Patrick, served by three priests). Whether you attend other churches, are not Catholic or have just fallen away from the Catholic faith, please know God wants to be a bigger part of your life and this Church can help.

Each week at Mass here something amazing happens. All that power that raised Jesus from the dead, all that power that restored the blood flow in His veins, that resuscitated His heart, that got His nerves firing again, all that power is unleashed here each and every week.

Each week here at Mass, that powerful resurrected Savior is made manifest actually, in His Body and Blood, which we receive in Holy Communion. And the effects of consuming that power into our souls each week has a profound result. There is no medicine, food, vacation, promotion, or award that can satisfy our desire for wholeness and happiness as can intimacy with God. And it does not get more intimate that consuming God in Holy Communion.

If you have been away or are just tipping your toes into the water of Catholicism, please know we are here to help. We can help you have your children baptized, help you with a sicknesses or broken relationship, with a broken marriage, with a new marriage, in obtaining forgiveness or healing, or in any area where God is seeking to touch human life. He does this at church. He does this at our Church.

Please email any of the priests or the office or give us a call with anything you might need to put your relationship with God in its proper place. It's got to be number one. At the end of the day, we will never regret putting too much of ourselves into this most important of relationships. It's a relationship we will have forever.

God Bless you and Happy Easter!!!

Fr Rossi



**Father Rossi, father, Father Frank, Father Ernest-Paulita, David, Pauline, Angie, Maria and Mitch** wish all of you a happy and joyous Easter. May the Risen Lord bless you always!

**Padre Rossi, Padre Frank, Padre Ernest, Paulita, David, Pauline, Angie, Maria y Mitch** les desean a usted Felices Pascuas. Que el Señor Resucitado los bendiga siempre.

### CONDOLENCES

St. John's family extends deepest sympathy to family and friends of parishioner Robert Strutton who died this past week. Please keep Lucy and her family in your prayers.

The SJP drawing is the Thursday, April 20th after the 8:30 am Mass. You are welcome to join us. For information call Diana Young 647-5665.

**YARD SALE TIME IS COMING** The 10th Annual Council of Women Yard Sale is May 21 and we need all of your junk. We need kids clothes, and toys, decorative items, kitchen items, anything you no longer use. If you don't want it, we can sell it! If you are downsizing, someone else is upsizing!! Please call Dianne Cassady, 840-8642 to make arrangements. The only items we cannot sell are adult clothes and electronics.

### Kroger Community Rewards Program

Receiving a charitable donation from Kroger is so easy it only depends on each of us registering St. John the Evangelist to our Kroger Plus cards and then shopping with the Plus Card. Please visit [www.kroger.com/communityrewards](http://www.kroger.com/communityrewards) and follow the prompts. If you don't like using computers just call 800-576-4377, select option 3 to get your Kroger Plus enroll.

Explain you want to register St. John Catholic Church, **The organization number for St. John is #88098**. Thank you so much for taking your time and enrolling your card. Remember each one who signs up will make a difference.

**The Knights of Columbus** gives you a chance to win tickets to the Nascar Cup race on 4.30.17 at the Richmond International Raceway. Raffle tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10. All proceeds to benefit the good works and projects in our community of the K of C Father James Scanlon Council of St. John and St. Patrick parishes. Drawing to be held on 4.23.17. Tickets are available after mass each Sunday in the commons area