



Holy Cross Catholic Church

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**Easter Sunday
 April 20, 2025**

Eucharistic Liturgy Schedule (Mass)

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m.
 Sundays: 7:30, 10:00 a.m.,
 12:00p.m. (Spanish)

Weekdays:
 Monday – Friday: 8:00 a.m.
 Thursday- 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Thursdays: 5:30-6:30 p.m.
 Other times: By appointment only

Marriages:
 Arrangements must be made six months in advance.

Baptisms:
 Required pre-baptismal classes for parents and godparents. Please call the office two months prior to anticipated baptism date.
 Sponsors (Godparents) must be practicing Catholics.

Matrimonios:
 Los arreglos deben hacerse con seis meses de antelación.

Bautismos:
 Se requiere clases pre-bautismales para padres y padrinos. Por favor llame a la oficina dos meses antes de la fecha prevista para el bautismo.
 Los padrinos (padrinos) deben ser católicos practicantes.

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SUNDAY READINGS**First Reading:**

He went about doing good
and healing all those oppressed by the devil,
for God was with him. (Acts 10:38)

Psalm:

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and
be glad. (Ps 118)

Or: Alleluia.

Second Reading:

If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is
above,
where Christ is seated at the right hand of God.
(Col 3:1)

Gospel:

So she ran and went to Simon Peter
and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved,
and told them,
“They have taken the Lord from the tomb,
and we don’t know where they put him.” (Jn 20:2)

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Readings for the week of April 20, 2025

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17,
22-23 (24)/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/
Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12

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

Next Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-
24 (1)/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/Jn
20:19-31

**Knights of Columbus Council
9969 for the weekend of 4/19-4/20**

Vivat Jesus!

All are invited to join the Holy
Cross Knights of Columbus
Council 9969 as we recite our
Scriptural Rosary on Wednesday,
April 30th at 7:30PM at the Chapel.
If you wish to attend the Scriptural

Rosary via Zoom, please contact Leonard Cruz at
(805) 889-1620 or E-mail
leonardcruz386@yahoo.com.

Why not join your Brother Knights for the May
General Business Meeting on Thursday, May 8th at
the Chapel? We will recite the Rosary @ 6:45PM
and our Worthy Warden will make sure there is a
tempting pre-meeting meal before the 7:30PM start
time. Please consider volunteering your time and
effort on one (or more!) of the many charitable
efforts your council supports. We need your help!

Sunday, August 10th and the 2025 9969 Foundation
Golf Tournament at beautiful Moorpark Country
Club will be here before you know it. This is our
Council’s biggest fund-raising effort and a great
opportunity for all Brother Knights to step up and
help. Watch your email for the date and time of the
next planning meeting. With your help we can make
the 2025 Tournament the best ever!

St. Joseph’s Assembly #3453 is having a fund raiser
on Wednesday, May 21st at all area Yolanda’s
restaurants. Flyers will be available in early May in
the Holy Cross Parish bulletin – all you have to do to
support our Veterans in this worthy cause is have
lunch or dinner or both at Yolanda’s and hand the
flyer to your server when you order. Please support
St. Joseph’s Assembly #3453 as they support our
veterans!

Please consider joining the 9969 Foundation (a 501
(c)3 organization) GEM program. Signing up
through your bank’s auto bill-pay service is simple
and easy and offers a host of benefits to both you
and the Foundation. You can choose a monthly
amount that’s comfortable, and every dollar donated
above your annual dues amount is tax deductible and
benefits local Moorpark charities. And since the
9969 Foundation is a 501(c)3 organization, your
donations may be eligible for matching funds if your
employer offers that benefit.

Pray for ...

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Breanna Pflaumer	Erika Miller	Kelly Turner
Mark Scharler	Peggy Eastham	Ramona Perez
Ata Bohaei	Judy Buckley	The Grant Family
Karen Withers	Vanda Glaspey	Harold Casten
Pilar Ramirez	Noel Lisenbery	Brandon Castille
Ramon Godinez	Crystal Gomez	Maria Margolis
David Bowden	Silvia Coccozza	John Argote
Maria Hinojosa	Joni Vasquez	Alvaro Barrera Sr.
Shannon Ferraez	Nina Betancourt	Maria F. Barrera
Patrick Withers	Bill Little	Joseph Frank Capitelli
Michael Cosenza	Mary Ann Valerio	Steve Ryder
Juan Luna	Cedric Carlin	Ed & Kathleen Brown
Orlando Delnero	Victor Fazio	Margaret Fisher
Perez Family	Gail Flatt	Kathleen Lane
Boxley Family	HarTrevor Perez	
Steve Schuesler	Jerry Ault	
Richard Abbott	Patty Perez	



Moorpark Pantry Plus Priority Items

We will accept and appreciate all food donations

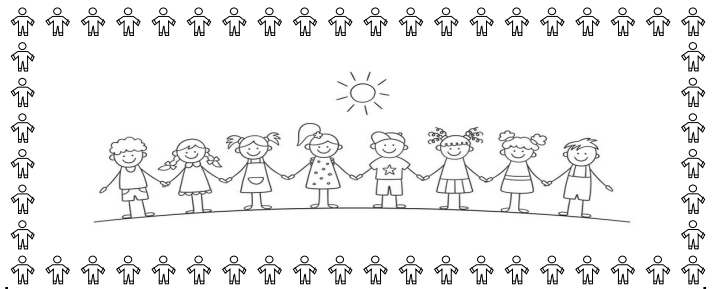
Small jar of peanut butter	Pasta Sauce
Jelly / jam	Bagged beans 16oz.
Canned mixed vegetables	Jell-O
Canned fruit	Mac n Cheese
Pasta	

A Message from Catholic Charities

We are currently preparing for our Mother's Day event on Saturday, May 10th and could use your help to spread the word..... We are looking for new (or barley used) donations for us to provide to our moms to make them feel special. Any items that mothers would enjoy are great. A few examples are jewelry, purses, clothing, cosmetics, any toiletries, brushes, hair accessories, self-care items, nail polish, samples of items are also okay. If there are new items your org. group/congregation can gather & provide, we would really appreciate it.

We have tables set up outside for "gifts" the mothers can choose from with cake, coffee & drawings for small home appliances.

Attached is a flyer with details but we are collecting now until Wed. May 7th @ 1:30 pm. Any time during our normal business hours the items can be dropped off, simply say "these are for Mother's Day"



Did You Know?

April 19-20

The Archdiocese continues helping survivors of sexual abuse and their families

During National Child Abuse Prevention Month, and on behalf of Archbishop José H. Gomez, we affirm our continued commitment to report allegations of sexual misconduct to law enforcement, support survivor-victims in their healing journey, and protect children and the vulnerable.

The Archdiocese created a website, lacatholics.org/protect that serves as a comprehensive tool containing resources, programs and services for protecting children and reporting abuse. If you, or someone you know, is a victim of sexual misconduct by someone affiliated with our Church, please contact law enforcement and the Archdiocese's Victims Assistance Coordinator at (213) 637-7650 or visit lacatholics.org/reporting-child-abuse for help and support.

La Arquidiócesis sigue ayudando a sobrevivientes de abuso sexual y a sus familias

Durante el Mes Nacional de Prevención del Abuso Infantil, y en nombre del Arzobispo José H. Gomez, afirmamos nuestro compromiso continuo de denunciar acusaciones de conducta sexual inapropiada a las autoridades policiales, apoyar a las sobrevivientes-víctimas en su camino de sanación y proteger a los niños y a los vulnerables. La Arquidiócesis creó un sitio web, lacatholics.org/protect, que sirve como una herramienta integral que contiene recursos, programas y servicios para proteger a los niños y denunciar abusos. Si usted, o alguien que conoce, es víctima de conducta sexual inapropiada por parte de alguien afiliado a nuestra Iglesia, comuníquese con las autoridades policiales y con la Coordinación de Asistencia a las Víctimas de la Arquidiócesis al (213) 637-7650 o visite lacatholics.org/reporting-child-abuse para ayuda y apoyo.

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GOSPEL MEDITATION

April 20, 2025
Easter Sunday
John 20: 1-9

When I was a young boy, my parents told me about their wedding. Then a few years later, they showed me my mother's wedding dress and my dad's suit. It was astonishing to see and touch garments that connected me to the event that led to my existence. Of course, I already believed they were married based on their word. But these holy garments made the event real and tangible for me.

Something like this is at play when St. John reports encountering in Jesus' tomb, "the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place" (John 20:7). Those two separate cloths, for his head and for his body respectively, meant a great deal to St. John and to the early Christians. Some years after the resurrection, there surfaced reports of two cloths with unusual characteristics, one bearing the image of a crucified man's body, another smaller one with the image of a wounded man's face. Some call them the Shroud of Turin and the Veil of Manoppello; they both can be seen today.

These two cloths have a long and complicated history, and scholars debate aspects of them. If you're curious, I encourage you to read about them. To be clear, I believe in the resurrection of Jesus because of the testimony of eyewitnesses and the gift of faith in the Church. Nevertheless, seeing these two mysterious cloths have made the life-giving event of Jesus' resurrection more real and tangible for me. Maybe they will for you, too.

— Father John Muir

Easter 2025

Dear members of Holy Cross Parish:

With sadness caused by the cruel death of Jesus, the disciple Mary returned to the tomb. It was profound grief that brought her to the tomb. Puzzlement accompanied this sadness when she saw the stone moved from the entrance and the tomb empty.

When she heard the Lord call her name, peace and joy replaced any discomfort. Our Lord Jesus instructed her to bring the good news of the Resurrection to the Apostles. Each of us is to be this messenger of hope.

Heaven is our destiny. With God's grace and our cooperation, any disappointment we experience will not interfere with God's plan.

May the joy, hope and peace given by our Lord's Resurrection fill our days. On behalf of the priests, deacons, staff and ministers of Holy Cross, may our Risen Lord bless you.

Estimados feligreses,

Con la tristeza causada por la cruel muerte de Jesús, la discípula María regresó a la tumba. Fue un profundo dolor lo que la trajo a la tumba. El desconcierto acompañó esa tristeza cuando vio la piedra removida de la entrada y la tumba vacía.

Cuando ella escuchó al Señor llamar su nombre, paz y alegría reemplazaron cualquier sufrimiento. Nuestro Señor Jesús le dio instrucciones de traer la buena de Su Resurrección a los Apóstoles. Cada uno de nosotros también somos llamados a ser mensajeros de la esperanza.

El cielo es nuestro destino. Con la gracia de Dios y nuestra cooperación, cualquier decepción que experimentemos no interferirá con el plan de Dios.

Que la alegría, esperanza y paz dadas por la Resurrección de nuestro Señor llenen sus días. A nombre de los sacerdotes, diáconos, personal y ministros de Holy Cross, que nuestro Señor Resucitado los bendiga.

Monsignor Joseph Hernandez, Deacons Trino Andrade, Kevin Mauch, Eduardo Castillo, Pat Coulter, and Parish Staff.



MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

20 de abril de 2025
Domingo de Pascua

El Señor Jesús vive y de ello damos testimonio porque hemos sido testigos de su Resurrección. La presencia del resucitado llena de alegría todas las cosas y al mundo entero. ¡Ha cumplido su palabra; está vivo! “Entonces entró también el otro discípulo, el que había llegado primero, vio y creyó. Pues no habían entendido todavía la Escritura: él debía resucitar de entre los muertos” (Juan 20:8-10). Jesús ya nunca volverá a morir, ¡Cristo Resucitó! ¡Verdaderamente Resucitó! ¿Crees esto? Es el saludo de este gozo pascual de este Domingo de Pascua.

Todos los bautizados debemos de estar alegres porque, por el hecho de ser bautizados, somos hijos e hijas de Dios, herederos del cielo, miembros de la Iglesia y por lo tanto estamos llamados a resucitar con él. Sin embargo, debemos estar conscientes que esto no ocurrirá de modo rápido y como apretar un botón mágico. Hay que trabajar en ello; debemos de poner nuestro esfuerzo en mejorar cada día. Hay que acercarnos a la intimidad de Dios por medio de una relación personal con él y a través de la oración y los sacramentos. La salvación ya está realizada; solo nos toca a nosotros aceptarla y seguir caminando con fe y gozo. Este es el gran regalo que Jesús nos da: salvación, gracia y amor. ¡Aleluya! ¡Felices Pascuas de Resurrección! Dejemos que Jesús nos acompañe en el camino y que su presencia en la Eucaristía nos consuele cada vez que lo recibimos.

**LECTURAS DOMINICALES****Primera Lectura:**

Pasó haciendo el bien
y sanando a todos los oprimidos por el diablo,
porque Dios estaba con él. (Hechos 10:38)

Salmo:

Este es el día que hizo el Señor; ¡regocijémonos y
alegrémonos! (Salmo 118)

O: Aleluya.

Segunda Lectura:

Si, pues, resucitaron con Cristo, busquen las cosas de
arriba,
donde Cristo está sentado a la diestra de Dios. (Col
3:1)

Evangelio:

Echó a correr y fue a Simón Pedro
y al otro discípulo, a quien Jesús amaba,
y les dijo:
«Se han llevado al Señor del sepulcro,
y no sabemos dónde lo han puesto» (Jn 20:2)

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Las lecturas de la semana del 20 de abril de 2025

Domingo: Hch 10, 34. 37-43/Sal 117, 1-2. 16-
17. 22-23 (24)/Col 3, 1-4 o 1 Co 5, 6-
8/Jn 20, 1-9 o Lc 24, 1-12

Lunes: Hch 2, 14. 22-33/Sal 15, 1-2 y 5. 7-8.
9-10. 11/Mt 28, 8-15

Martes: Hch 2, 36-41/Sal 32, 4-5. 18-19. 20 y
22/Jn 20, 11-18

Miércoles: Hch 3, 1-10/Sal 104, 1-2. 3-4. 6-7. 8-
9/Lc 24, 13-35

Jueves: Hch 3, 11-26/Sal 8, 2 y 5. 6-7. 8-9/Lc
24, 35-48

Viernes: Hch 4, 1-12/Sal 117, 1-2 y 4. 22-24.
25-27/Jn 21, 1-14

Sábado: Hch 4, 13-21/Sal 117, 1 y 14-15. 16-
18. 19-21/Mc 16, 9-15

Domingo siguiente: Hch 5, 12-16/Sal 117, 2-4. 13-
15. 22-24 (1)/Ap 1, 9-11. 12-
13. 17-19/Jn 20, 19-31

Faith Formation

Confirmation

There is NO Confirmation this Sunday. Have a Blessed Easter.

DEVOTIONS, EXPLAINED! – CONNECT WITH TRADITION AND GROW YOUR FAITH

Seven Sorrows of Mary – April 20, 2025

The Seven Sorrows of Mary helps us to unite our own sufferings with those of Jesus, following Mary’s perfect example, as we meditate upon the great sufferings endured by Our Lord and his Blessed Mother.

¡DEVOCIONES, EXPLICADAS! — CONÉCTATE CON LA TRADICIÓN Y CRECE EN TU FE

Los siete dolores de María – 20 de abril de 2025

Los siete dolores de María nos ayudan a unir nuestros propios sufrimientos a los de Jesús, imitando el ejemplo perfecto de María, al meditar los sufrimientos terribles que padeció nuestro Señor y su Santísima Madre.

Prayer for Easter 2

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.

Holy Cross Parishioners!

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is offered the First Friday of every month. Adoration begins after the 8:00 am mass & continues until 6:00pm.
From 6:00pm -7:00pm , there is a Holy Hour in Spanish with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
We are currently in need of volunteers to commit to an hour of time with Our Lord. If you are available please contact: Kathy Johnston at 805-402-7856

Thank you !

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Oración por la Pascua 2

¡Bendito sea Dios que ha triunfado sobre el sepulcro!
¡Nuestro Señor es victorioso!
¡Aleluya, aleluya!
¡Que la alegría de la Pascua llene cada parte de nuestra vida!
Amén.

Feligreses de la Santa Cruz!

La Exposición de El Santísimo Sacramento es ofrecida el primer viernes de cada mes. La Adoración comienza después de la misa de las 8:00am y continúa asta las 6:00pm.
De las 6:00pm - 7:00pm, hay una Hora Santa en español con La Exposición de El Santísimo Sacramento.
Estamos necesitando voluntarios que se comprometan y enlisten para acompañar por una hora a Nuestro Señor. Si tú estás disponible y deseas hacerlo por favor contacta a:
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We always welcome new members to our Ministries

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Mass Intentions for the week 4/20

Sunday 7:30 am Arthur Armado (RIP)
10:00 am Anna Hanley (RIP)
12:00 pm For Parishioners

Monday 8:00 am Emmie Arnold (RIP)

Tuesday 8:00 am Daniel Parra

Wednesday 8:00 am John Kraves (RIP)

Thursday 8:00 am Franco Carbone (RIP)
7:00 pm Andres Martinez Luis (RIP)

Friday 8:00 am Debbie Reik (RIP)

Saturday 4:00 pm For Parishioners

Prayer Request