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### SAINT JOHN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### Divine Mercy Sunday



### THOUGHT FOR THE YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST

The Eucharist as covenant: "To surrender to God is to realize that one's life is not one's own, that a higher and more compelling voice commands. In all of this, we sense that friendship with God (a covenant with him) would involve sacrifice, the abandonment of the self. And in a "world gone wrong, there is no communion without sacrifice."  
Said by Bishop Barren

Dear brothers and sisters, greetings of Easter!

I was ordained on April 24<sup>th</sup> 1983. All these years the Lord who called me made use of me for his ministry with His providential and guiding light. Your full support and encouragement makes me effective. I thank each and every one of you for your prayers and help. I ask you to continue your prayers and support for me.

From April 25-29<sup>th</sup> all our Diocesan priests are having our annual retreat. I will remember all our our parishioners in a special way. Please remember to pray for me too.

As you know, my Dad passed away last year on May 21<sup>st</sup>. I was not present at home at that time. So, I am going home this year to complete certain cultural formalities in the village. Hence I will be absent from the parish ministry here from the 1<sup>st</sup> week of May through 1<sup>st</sup> week of June this year. Kindly continue to pray for my Mum and Dad. My mum passed away on April 30<sup>th</sup> 2012 while I was at St, Joseph, Woodville, south of Natchez. If anybody has any sacramental requirements to be assisted, kindly contact me before 1<sup>st</sup> of May.

God bless  
Savio

### WEEKLY MASS CALENDAR

| <u>Days</u>      | <u>Mass Times</u> | <u>Mass</u>                 |
|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| Saturday, Apr 23 | 6:00pm - St Peter | Mass                        |
| Sunday, Apr 24   | 9:00am - St Peter | People of St Peter          |
| Sunday, Apr 24   | 11:30am - St John | People of St John           |
| Saturday, Apr 30 | 6:00pm - St Peter | Mass - Catherine Hass - RIP |
| Sunday, May 1    | 9:00am - St Peter | People of St Peter          |
| Sunday, May 1    | 11:30am - St John | People of St John           |

### Holy Week Thanks:

Sincere thanks to all who made our Lenten, Holy Week and Easter celebrations wonderful. Readers for Stations of the Cross, those who helped with Lenten suppers, those who helped prepare the Seder Supper, extra Lectors for the services, musicians and altar servers. A special thanks to Irene Stark for decorating the sanctuary AND to Christy Strong and Cecily Johnson for decorating for a very creative Easter Egg Hunt. It is the people of our Parish who help to make everything go so smoothly. Thanks again and blessings of Easter.



### Easter Flowers in Memory of:

Keith Geiger, Jim Huddleston, Jason Huddleston, Bernice Wood, Nancy Peacock, Kenneth Stark, James Bruno Jr., Brett Alderson, Woodrow Callis, Ora Callis, Louis Marascalco, Adelfia Marascalco, Mr & Mrs DL Perrin, Mrs Joey Daigre, Mr & Mrs Dean Logan, Mr Hershel Logan, Mrs Ray Harville, Julia McRae Criss, Jim McRae Criss, Theresa Hamilton, Tuminello family, Brooks Family, Mr & Mrs Joseph S. Messina, Sr, Speca Family, Stier Family.

### Collection 4-17-2021:

General Fund \$1617  
Building Fund \$25  
Ed of Priests \$40  
Holy Land \$355  
Easter Flowers \$35  
Catholic Home Missions \$15

**Special Collection:** Catholic Home Mission - April 24

### BIRTHDAYS

April 27 - Irene Tucker  
April 28 - Alexia Strong  
April 28 - Harlee Johnson  
April 30 - Dan Hogan

### PRAY FOR THEM

Sister Regina Barrett, John Bell, Joy Bell, Dan Brewster, Lirio Calera, Kevin Cook, Sarah Criss, Rod Crosby, Mary Daly, Frankie Fortier, Jim Hertel, Jack Hogan, Joan Hogan, Kylee Hogan, Debra Hornady, Al Latham, Daniel Leeton, Mary Liberto, Robert Logan, Robert Marascalco, Mary McCormick, Julie Morris, Lee Munstenteiger, Rudy Osing, Doug Pederson, Frank Serio, Jenny Seymour Coger, Cathy Tipton, Benjamin Welch, Carol Welch, Thomas Aguilar, Benny Aguilar, Bishop Moses.

**\*\*\*To add names to the prayer list, please call the office and leave a message for Krystal, or drop a note in the collection box.**

### REMEMBER!!!!

**Sacrament of Reconciliation :** Saturdays 5:15 - 5:45pm and by appointment.

**Christopher Harris Scholarship Trust** - Each January, proceeds from this trust are distributed to qualifying college students from St. Peter Parish from applications submitted the previous fall semester. If you would like to make a tax deductible donation to this trust, make checks payable to, "The Catholic Foundation". Write "Chris Harris Trust" in the memo section, and mail to: Catholic Foundation, PO Box 2248, Jackson, MS 39225-2248, or place in the collection plate. You may wish to place a note in with the check designating the donation is for the Chris Harris Trust.

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