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**THIRD
SUNDAY
of
EASTER**

**APRIL 23,
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Daily Mass: 8:45am Mon.—Sat.
Sunday Masses: Sat. Vigil at 5pm,
Sundays at 8am, 10am, and Noon (*Chinese*)
All Masses Livestreamed except Sunday 8am

**Confessions: Saturday @ 4:30—4:55pm
and 20 minutes before each Sunday Mass**

Office Hours: Mon.—Fri., 9a—4:30p

Baptisms: 2nd Sat. of month, 12:30pm
(*Registered Parishioners only*)

Baptismal Prep: 3rd Sat. of month, 10:00am
(*Registered Parishioners only*)

Third Sunday of Easter

April 23, 2023



.... He was made known to them
in the breaking of the bread.

—Luke 24:35

The Easter Vigil Reflecting on the meaning of the sacraments that they celebrated at the Easter Vigil, the candidates who were received as full members of the Catholic Church on April 8th should be an inspiration to the rest of us, a sign that a life centered in Christ really makes a difference. Here follows some of what they shared: Joy Williams was baptized Catholic as a child but never received First Communion or Confirmation until the Easter Vigil. In preparation for these sacraments, she made her first confession. She shares that “Going to confession for the first time . . . was intimidating at first, but afterwards I felt an immense sense of gratitude and peace within me. I feel much closer to God, and my faith has been stronger ever since.” Her husband, Ron, was confirmed at the Easter Vigil and says that receiving that sacrament “strengthened my bond with the Catholic Faith.” Both are now planning to have their first-born child, an 8-month-old boy, baptized. And George Hu states that he was “honored and blessed to receive my baptism on this holy day. It was an amazing experience. I look forward to developing my faith and following His teachings.” Much credit goes to their sponsors, who supported and encouraged them on their walk of faith: Lucy Fong, Simon Szeto, Renzhang Chou, Miao-Li Wu, Catherine Ko, and Matt Ong .



Congratulations to the newest full members of the Catholic Church who received the **Sacraments of Initiation** at the **Easter Vigil Mass** on April 8.

Baptism, 1st Communion, and Confirmation: Kelly Chen, George Hu, Jack Lo, and Ruby Qiao
1st Communion and Confirmation: James Tyhurst and Joy Williams **Confirmation: Ron Williams**
Please continue to pray for them!



Saint Anne Parish
MASS INTENTIONS
WEEK of April 23, 2023

Sunday, April 23

8:00am Mrs. Richard Stabile (D)

10:00am Lynn Lee (D)
Gerardo Chavez (D)

Noon People of the Parish

Monday, April 24

8:45am Fr. David M. Pettingill (D)

Tuesday, April 25

8:45am Fr. Michael B. Brillantes (D)
June McCoolle (D)

Wednesday, April 26

8:45am Terrence Collins (D)

Thursday, April 27

8:45am Lynn Lee (D)

Friday, April 28

8:45am Mary Anne Kelly (D)

Saturday, April 29

8:45am Confraternity of Saint Anne

5:00pm People of the Parish

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Sunday, April 30

Holy Hours at Various Parishes 3:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Good Shepherd Sunday, the World Day of Prayer for Vocations, is on April 30. There is a special, albeit regrettable, inspiration to pray this year in particular for priestly vocations as we will unfortunately have no men who will be ordained to the priesthood for the Archdiocese of San Francisco this year. In order to pray in a concrete and intentional way for vocations, the Office of Vocations has arranged for special Holy Hours on this day at the following locations from 3:00 – 4:00 pm. Parishioners and clergy are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

- * Marin Catholic High School Chapel, Kentfield;
- * Star of the Sea, San Francisco;
- * Church of the Visitacion, San Francisco;
- * Mater Dolorosa, South San Francisco;
- * St. Mark, Belmont; * St. Matthew Parish, San Mateo

For more information, contact: Rev. Cameron Faller
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“The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; pray therefore the Lord of the Harvest to send out laborers into His harvest.” —Matthew 9:37-38

Emmaus and the Mass

Emmaus might as well be Brigadoon. We hear of it in this one story—and it’s only in Luke—and then it disappears. The journey to Emmaus is one of the most beloved stories about Jesus, and yet the town is probably “mythical” in the truest sense. Like so much of life, this story is about the journey, not the destination. Running away from Jerusalem and their fears, probably going home in disillusionment, two of Jesus’ disciples encounter a stranger on the road who, like a rabbi, is able to help them understand their experiences using his deep knowledge of scripture. Later, sharing a meal with him, they recognize the stranger as Jesus, and they return to Jerusalem to tell the others. How like our Mass—we hear the scriptures and an explanation of them, we share a meal, and then we go out to tell the good news.

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Afternoon Retreat for Those Who Have Lost a Loved One

St. Dominic Parish May 7, 2023 – 2:00–4:00 p.m.

2390 Bush Street, San Francisco (Aquinas Room)

The Road to Emmaus - The Journey to Hope. Turning Doubt, Grief, Disappointment, and Fear into New Life. An afternoon time of prayer and sharing for those who have lost a loved one. Contact: Deacon Chuck McNeil | 415-567-7824 | deaconchuck@stdominics.org

FREE COMMUNITY SHREDDING EVENT

**in the St. Anne
Schoolyard**

**April 29
9am—12pm**

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Time Slot*



Previous Week’s Collections

First Collection, April 15, 16— \$4,690.00

Late Easter Donations-- \$1,015.00

Property and Insurance Fund— \$1,063.00

No Second Collection This Week

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