

April 5, 2026



EASTER

We have completed the forty days of Lenten prayer and observances. We reflected on Jesus wounded; meditated on His sufferings; commemorated His death and today we proclaim His Resurrection as we arrive to the great Alleluia of the solemnity of Easter.

We "come to see and believe" we meet Jesus risen from the dead.

It is an experience of victory over sin and death, giving us a new lease of life: life everlasting. It is the one place we want to end up, reconciled with God and one another with joy and peace of the eternal home.

With the celebration of Easter we begin the fifty days of prayer, rejoicing and recounting of the amazing Easter stories mentioned in the Sacred Scriptures of men and women who came to believe, grow in faith, and mature in their Christian life. The next big solemnity will be the Pentecost.

The memory of what happened during the Holy week must remain ingrained in our hearts, minds and souls. We are invited to reflect and see if we experienced joy, increased faith and hope, and felt peace and wonder.

Perhaps these are the true measure of our growth in Faith, Hope and love.

The liturgy designed for the rest of the year reminds us that we need to associate and remain connected with the events of the Easter Vigil.

As a believing community we welcome new life into our family, we renew our commitment, our zeal, innocence, openness and joy.



**DOMINGO DE PASCUA
DE LA RESURRECIÓN DEL SEÑOR**

Es una experiencia de victoria sobre el pecado y la muerte, que nos da una nueva oportunidad de vida: la vida eterna. Es el lugar en que queremos a llegar, reconciliados con Dios y el uno con el otro con alegría y paz del hogar eterno.

Con la celebración de la Pascua comenzamos los cincuenta días de oración, regocijando y recontando las increíbles ocurrencias y experiencias de la Pascua mencionadas en las Sagradas Escrituras de hombres y mujeres que llegaron a creer, crecer en la fe y madurar en su vida Cristiana.

La próxima gran solemnidad será la de Pentecostés. La memoria de lo ocurrido durante la semana Santa debe mantenerse gravada en nuestros corazones, mentes y almas. Se nos invita a reflexionar y ver si hemos experimentado la verdadera alegría, aumento de fe y esperanza y sentido paz y asombro.

Quizás estas son las verdaderas medidas de nuestro crecimiento en la Fe, Esperanza y Amor. La liturgia diseñada para el resto del año nos recuerda que necesitamos asociar y permanecer conectados con los acontecimientos de la Vigilia Pascual.

Como una comunidad creyente le damos la bienvenida a una nueva vida en nuestra familia, renovamos nuestro compromiso, celo, inocencia, apertura y alegría.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS

COLECTA DE LA SEMANA PASADA

March 28 — March 29, 2026

Weekday Masses Offerings.....\$ 230.00

Palm Sunday Weekend\$3,287.50

UPCOMING 2nd COLLECTIONS

April 5: Reserve Fund

April 12: Archdiocesan Annual Appeal

April 26: Catholic Home Missions



**A A A 2026
Archdiocesan Annual Appeal**

We urge you to help us meet our goal:

Parish Assessment:	\$32,295.00
YTD we paid:	\$ 2,643.65
Balance we owe:	\$29,651.35
Pledges Balance:	\$ 2,555.00

Thank you for your generosity!

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 4 TO APRIL 11

HOLY SATURDAY	EASTER SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
April 4, 2026	April 5, 2026	April 6, 2026	April 7, 2026	April 8, 2026
<p>7:00pm</p> <p>Easter Vigil Service & Mass</p> <p>Vigilia Pascual</p> <p><i>(Bilingual in English & Spanish)</i></p> 	<p>8:00am</p> <p>Parish of St. John</p> <p>10:00am</p> <p>✠ Benjamin Caceres</p> <p>✠ Alejo & Gregoria Udan</p> <p>✠ Mel Ventura</p> <p>✠ Danilo Dela Cruz</p> <p>✠ Fe Echeverri</p> <p>✠ Feliza Fallejo</p> <p>12:00pm</p> <p>✠ Joaquina Guzmán</p>	<p>9:00am</p> <p>Living members of the Young Mens' Institute</p>	<p>9:00am</p> <p>Parish of St. John</p>	<p>9:00am</p> <p>✠ Eduardo S. Genoves</p> <p>Zenji Recio Santiago 🙏</p>
		THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		April 9, 2026	April 10, 2026	April 11, 2026
		<p>9:00am</p> <p>Deceased members of Young Mens' Institute</p> 	<p>9:00am</p> <p>✠ Lourdes de Guzman</p> <p>✠ Henry & Teresa Thran</p> <p>Richie Garcia Lim 🙏</p>	<p>9:00am</p> <p>✠ Leonora Mendoza</p> <p>✠ Manuel & Tessie Simpliciano</p> <p>4:30pm</p> <p>Parish of St. John</p>