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**May 04<sup>th</sup> 2025 -**  
**Third Sunday of Easter**

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**HOLY MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday Catechumenal Eucharist 8:00 PM**

**Sunday Mass**

8:45 AM (Español) | 10:00 AM English | 11:30 PM Español | 1:00 PM Español

**Daily Mass Schedule: Monday—Friday 9:00 AM Bilingual | Chapel**

**Tuesday: 7:30 PM Español**

**Thursday: 7:30 PM Español**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**Saturday: 4:00 PM**

### **Sacrament of Baptism, Bautismo,**

Congratulations! God has blessed you with a child! Along with the joy that you have this moment, there is also a great responsibility for this new life.

As Catholic Christian parents, it is your primary duty to be the first teachers of the faith to your children.

### **Sacrament of Matrimony, Matrimonio**

Congratulations to all engaged couples!!! Please contact a parish priest one year before the desired date for the marriage to ensure proper preparation for the Sacrament.

Felicitaciones a todos los novios!!! Comuníquese con un párroco un año antes de la fecha deseada para el matrimonio para garantizar la preparación adecuada para el Sacramento.

### **RCIA (RICA)**

Interested in becoming a Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) and children of catechetical age is a formational process of conversion and living faith within the community. Contact the Parish Center office for more information.

¿Interesado en convertirse en católico? El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos (RICA) y niños en edad catequética es un proceso formativo de conversión y fe viva dentro de la comunidad. Comuníquese con la oficina del Centro Parroquial para obtener más información.

### **Our Parish Family**

New parishioners may register at the Parish Center. Please help us keep our records up to date. Current members should notify the office of any changes in their status such as births, deaths, marriages, change of address, etc.

Los nuevos feligreses pueden registrarse en el Centro Parroquial. Por favor ayúdenos a mantener nuestros registros actualizados. Los miembros actuales deben notificar a la oficina cualquier cambio en su estado, como nacimientos, defunciones, matrimonios, cambios de dirección, etc.

## **PARISH CENTER CONTACT**

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### **OFFICE HOURS**

#### **HORARIO DE OFICINA**

**Monday—Friday:**

9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

3:00 PM to 6:00 PM

**Saturday & Sunday closed**

## **Parish served by**

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Parish Administrator

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**Rev. Yunior Almonte**

In Residence

## **Parish Staff**

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Bulletins

**Jorge Segura**

Local Safe Environment Coordinator

## Mass Intentions

## Third Sunday of Easter

### SUNDAY

May 04

- 8:45 AM** † Felipa Ruiz Diaz  
\* en acción de gracias por el cumpleaños de Irma Tauriello-90 años
- 10:00 AM** † Ruddy Thumann  
† Marie Philemene Dieme
- 11:30 AM** † Pedro Flores  
† Zosimo Sanchez  
† Concepcion Lazo  
† Steven & Carlos Flores
- 1 PM** † Por todos los fieles difuntos,  
† Concepcion Lazo  
† Rafael Adelico Rivera

### MONDAY

May 05

- 9:00 AM Religious vocations /Vocaciones Religiosas

### TUESDAY

May 06

- 9:00 AM** Calvin Sy (cumpleaños/birthday blessings)  
**7:30 PM** Animas del Purgatorio

### WEDNESDAY

May 07

- 9:00 AM** † Ignacio Sanchez

### THURSDAY

May 08

- 9:00 AM** Lilane Verderosa  
(cumpleaños/birthday blessings)

- 7:30 PM** Por Paz Mundial

### FRIDAY

May 09

- 9:00 AM** † Por los enfermos de la parroquia

### SATURDAY

May 10

- 4:00 PM Confessions/ Confesiones  
8:00 PM Santa Eucaristia

## Collection

April 27, 2025 \$ 2,843.00

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support & generosity

### **Primera Lectura: Hechos 5:27-32, 40b-41**

El gran sacerdote castigó a Pedro y a los otros apóstoles por continuar predicando cuando ya se les había ordenado no hacerlo. Pedro replicó que él prefería obedecer a Dios que a los hombres, considerando que el poder de Dios es mayor que la muerte. Se les advierte que dejen de hablar de Jesús, y luego se les deja libres.

### **Segunda Lectura: Apocalipsis 5:11-14**

Juan tuvo una visión con muchos ángeles y todas las criaturas vivientes del mundo reunidas alrededor de un trono. Los ángeles decían que el Cordero sacrificado era digno de recibir el poder, la gloria y alabanza. Entonces todas las criaturas vivientes de la tierra alababan a Dios y al Cordero, y los ancianos se arrodillaron y adoraron.

### **Evangelio: San Juan 21:1-19**

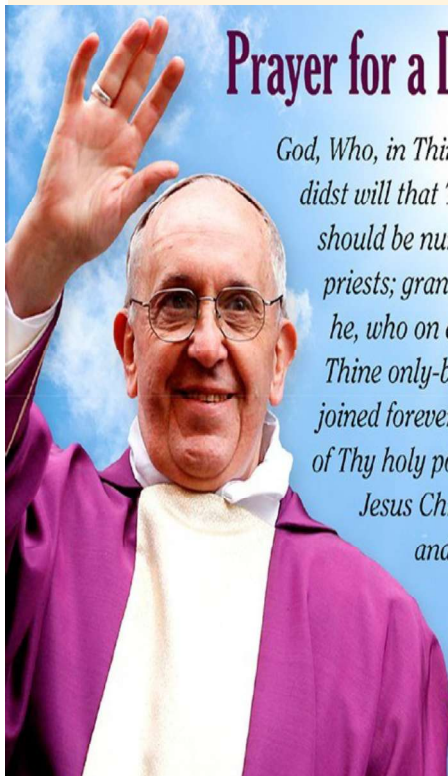
Jesús se apareció a los discípulos por tercera vez desde su resurrección. Estos pescaban y no habían agarrado nada. Entonces Jesús les aconsejó que tiraran las redes del otro lado del bote. Cuando así lo hicieron, agarraron una gran cantidad de peces. Jesús entonces preguntó a Pedro tres veces "¿Me amas?" Cuando Pedro dijo que sí, Jesús le pidió cuidar y alimentar a sus ovejas.

## Palabra del Evangelio por Rev. William J. Reilly

"When they climbed out on shore, they saw a charcoal fire with fish on it and bread, Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish you just caught.' So Simon Peter went over and dragged the net ashore, full of one hundred fifty-three large fish. Even though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them: 'Come, have breakfast.' And not one of the disciples dared to ask him, 'who are you', because they realized it was the Lord. Jesus came over and took the bread and gave it to them, and in like manner the fish... This was the third time..." As He fed the multitude, as He invited the disciples today, so we too are invited to the meal He has prepared for us. The descriptive chapter of John's gospel can help us meditate and live the gospel scene. We are at the seashore, perhaps with a gentle breeze and lapping waves. The aroma of frying fish on the barbecue, charcoal fire fills the air. Jesus asks Simon Peter to share some of his catch. Using familiar words, like those at the Eucharist He took the bread and fish, said a blessing and gave it to them. What a breakfast Jesus continues to invite us to His meal, the Eucharist. He knows our hunger and need. He provides what will allow us to grow in our spiritual lives, yet we unfortunately rush or don't consider what a great gift and privilege to meet Him, not on the lake shore, but in our parish church. Like the disciples we do not ask who you are, for we know who both our host and guest is.



## PARISH NEWS / NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES

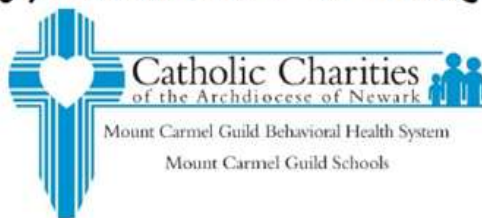


### Prayer for a Deceased Pope

*God, Who, in Thine ineffable providence, didst will that Thy servant Francis... should be numbered among the high priests; grant, we beseech Thee, that he, who on earth held the place of Thine only-begotten Son, may be joined forevermore to the fellowship of Thy holy pontiffs. Through the same Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. Amen.*

Source: The Roman Missal

### Mary, the mother of Compassion



Mary has a special love and sensitivity for all God's children. This was manifested on many occasions but was most pronounced at the wedding feast of Cana in which she interceded for the bride and groom when the supply of wine was depleted at their celebration. We can imitate a sensitivity to the needs of others by donating to the Catholic Charities Donation Bin(s) any unwanted clothing, small appliances, shoes, linens, sheets, towels, tools, stuffed animals, novels, and children's books.

Thank you.



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# MAYO 17<sup>th</sup>

Sábado 8AM -3PM



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(Costa Rica)



**Lucy Hilario**  
(New York)



**Marangely González**  
(Texas)



**Betsabe**  
(New Jersey)



**Nathanael Reyes**  
(New York)



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(Colombia)



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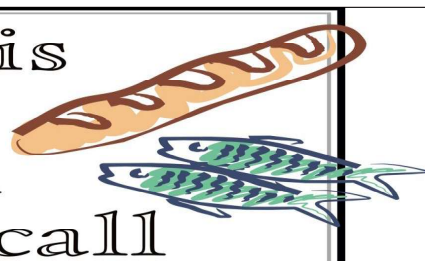
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**FORMING FUTURE PRIESTS AND SUPPORTING RETIRED CLERGY.** Through your prayer and generosity, you participate in the formation of the next generation of priests and leaders of our local Church.

THE 2024 ANNUAL APPEAL RAISED A HISTORIC \$ PLEASE HELP US REACH THIS AGAIN IN 2025.

God is  
near  
to all  
who call





## Third Sunday of Easter

### PARISH GROUPS

**Altar Servers:** The first Saturdays of the month at 1:00 p.m.

**Charismatic Prayer Group:** Thursday 8:pm in the Chapel

**OCIA** (Adult. Prep. For Sacraments) by Appointment

**(Youth Group):** Wednesday at 6:30 pm in the school

#### Neo-Catechumenal Communities

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays at 8:00 p.m.

#### Religious Education

Saturdays (some Sundays) 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

**Praying Mothers and Fathers:** Every second Tuesday of the month at 7pm at the Chapel

**RCIA** (Adult Prep. For Sacraments) by Appointment

**Legion of Mary:** Tuesday at 6:00 pm in the old chapel

### GRUPOS PARROQUIALES

**Monaguillos:** Los primeros Sábados del mes a la 1:00 p.m. en la Escuela

**Grupo Carismático De Oración:** jueves 8:00pm en la Capilla.

**RICA** (Prep. Adultos a los Sacramentos) Por Cita  
**Grupo de Jóvenes :** Miércoles, 6:30pm en la escuela

#### Comunidades NeoCatecumenales:

Martes, Miércoles y Sábados a las 8:00 p.m.

#### Educación Religiosa

Sábados 10 am a 11:30 am  
(algunos Domingos)

**Madres Y Padres Orantes:** Cada Segundo Martes del mes, a las 7 pm en la Capilla

**Legión De María:** Los Martes, a las 6:00 pm en la Antigua Capilla

**Sociedad De Nuestra Señora De La Altagracia**  
Cada Segundo Domingo del mes, después de

#### Bible Study with Brother David Russo

Who: All are welcome to attend (Bring your own bible)

Theme: Spiritual enrichment and enlighten through the study of bible readings and discussion

When: Every Monday starting April 28 through June 2 at 7:00 p.m.

Where: Basement Rectory

St. Anthony of Padua Rectory  
625 8<sup>th</sup> St (behind the church)

#### MASS INTENTIONS 2025 IS OPEN

#### LIBRO DE INTENCIONES 2025 ESTA ABIERTO

COME TO THE PARISH OFFICE AND WRITE DOWN THE MASSES FOR YOUR BELOVED DEPARTED.

YA PUEDES PASAR POR LA OFICINA A REGISTRAR LAS MISAS EN MEMORIA DE SUS FAMILIARES DIFUNTOS

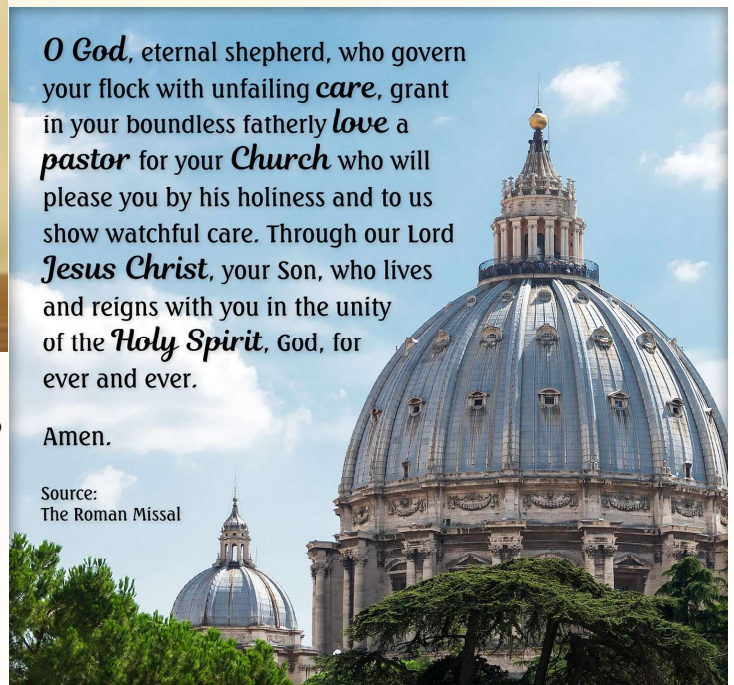
*O God, eternal shepherd, who govern your flock with unfailing **care**, grant in your boundless fatherly **love** a **pastor** for your **Church** who will please you by his holiness and to us show watchful care. Through our Lord **Jesus Christ**, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the **Holy Spirit**, God, for ever and ever.*

Amen.

Source:  
The Roman Missal

#### SHINING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

*"Now this I say, he who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must do just as he has purposed in his heart, not grudgingly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Cor 9: 6-7)*





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*Our Father who art in Heaven,  
Hallowed be thy name;  
Thy kingdom come  
Thy will be done  
On earth as it is in heaven.  
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And forgive us our trespasses  
As we forgive those who  
trespass against us;  
And lead us not into temptation  
But deliver us from evil.*



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