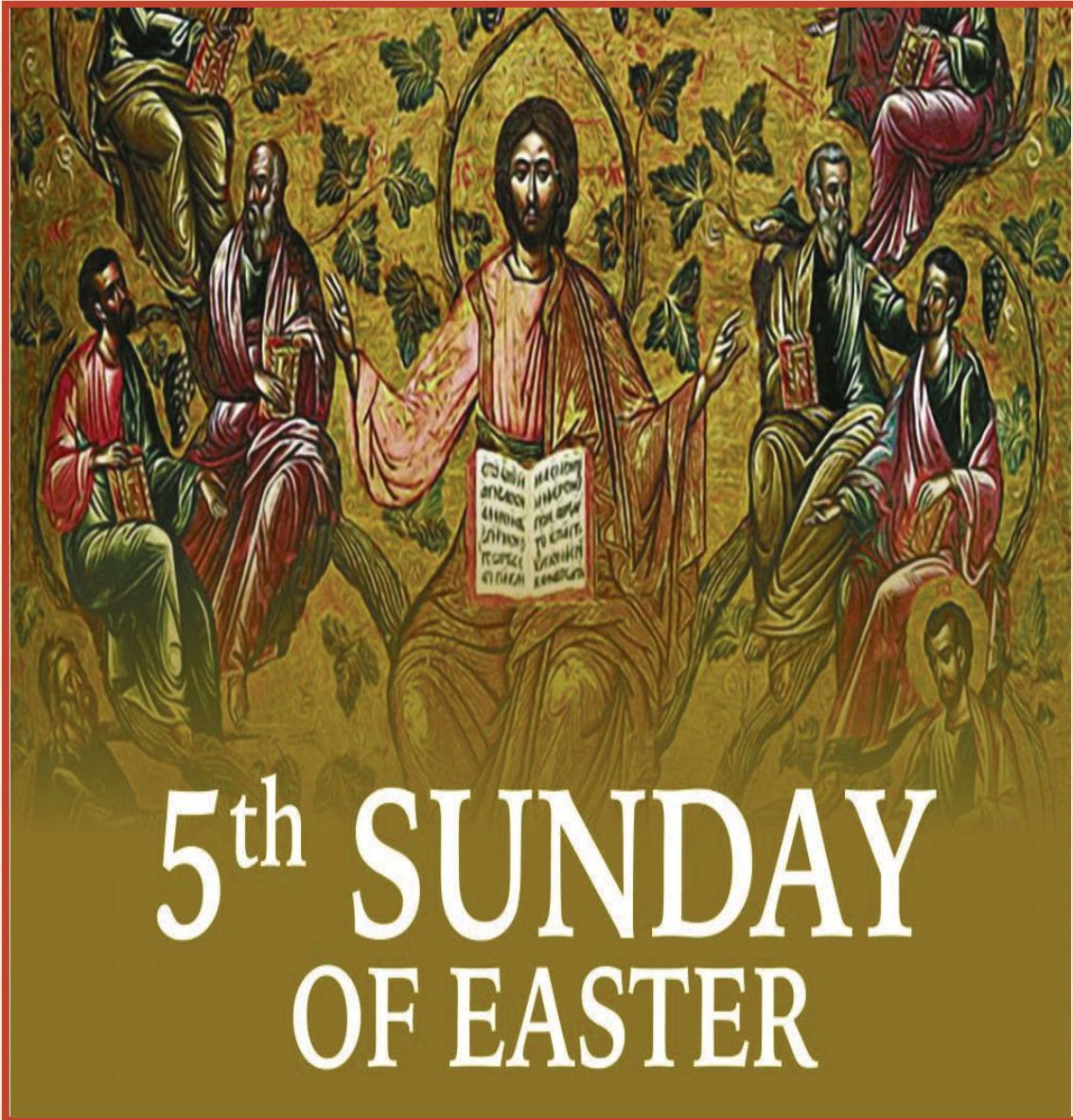


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Or you may Register on-line at our website: sfdsparish.com

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If you use the envelopes in the pews, please make sure that you **write your envelope number (if known), your first and last name.**

Thank you.

5th Sunday of Easter

April 28, 2024

Acts 9:26-31

Psalms 22:26-27, 28, 20, 31-32

1 John 3:18-24

John 15:1-8

MASS Times

Daily: 8:15 AM, Monday thru Friday

Saturday: 8:15 AM and 5:00 PM → Vigil

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM and 12-Noon

Confessions: 4:00 PM on Saturday's

Baptisms and Weddings:

Please make arrangements by calling the Parish Office.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY	April 27
8:15 AM	<i>In Memory of William Barnes</i>
5:00 PM	<i>For the Intentions of the Parish</i>
SUNDAY	April 28
8:00 AM	<i>For the Intentions of Avelina Delos Santos Rodil</i>
10:00 AM	<i>In Memory of Maria Casale Hanulik</i>
12:00 PM	<i>In Memory of Linda Boutross Zine</i>
MONDAY	April 29
8:15 AM	<i>In Memory of Sandra Hibbard</i>
TUESDAY	April 30
8:15 AM	<i>For the Intentions Gabriel Julio Chion Wong</i>
WEDNESDAY	May 01
8:15 AM	<i>In Memory of Catalina Cinco</i>
THURSDAY	May 02
8:15 AM	<i>In Memory of Martha Masdeo</i>
FRIDAY	May 03
8:15 AM	<i>For the Intentions of Jay De Castro</i>
SATURDAY	May 04
8:15 AM	<i>In Memory of Gabrielle Morrow</i>
5:00 PM	<i>In Memory of Shawn & Patt Shea</i>

Pray For
The Dead



Martha Masdeo

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially:

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THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday, 04/28	<i>5th Sunday of Easter</i>
Monday, 04/29	<i>St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church</i>
Tuesday, 04/30	<i>St. Pius V, Pope</i>
Wednesday, 05/01	<i>St. Joseph the Worker</i>
Thursday, 05/02	<i>St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church; National Day of Prayer</i>
Friday, 05/03	<i>St. Philip and St. James, Apostles</i>

CONTRIBUTIONS to the CHURCH

Week of 04/19 - 04/22/2024 Collections

Collections: \$ 9,052.00
Faith Direct: \$ 3,625.00
Total: \$12,677.00

Thank you for your generous contributions.

Did You Know?

Healing Gardens for Victims-Survivors in the Archdiocese's Five Pastoral Regions

The Archdiocese of Los Angeles has created gardens of healing in each of the Archdiocese's pastoral regions, dedicated to those harmed by sexual abuse, in their family, church or community. Located at St. Camillus Pastoral Center in Los Angeles (Our Lady of Los Angeles Pastoral Region), Our Lady of the Assumption Parish in Ventura (Santa Barbara Pastoral Region), St. Francis de Sales Parish, Sherman Oaks (San Fernando Pastoral Region), and St. Bernadette Parish, Los Angeles (San Gabriel Pastoral Region), these gardens offer a sacred space for all those impacted by abuse to seek comfort and solace. A fifth garden is being built at St. Pancratius Parish in Lakewood (San Pedro Pastoral Region). In each garden, there is a weeping wall and a plaque with a reflection by Archbishop Gomez, which starts with this paragraph: "Dedicated to all those impacted by sexual abuse in the Church, their communities, their families – may all who visit find some measure of renewal, peace and comfort in doing so."

For more information, visit:

<https://lacatholics.org/healing-gardens/>

Cardinal McIntyre Fund for Charity

Second Collection

April 27th – 28th

In 1948, shortly after he was appointed Archbishop of Los Angeles, Cardinal James Francis McIntyre recognized that certain institutions and agencies were facing hardships because of inadequate financing.

These organizations were ineligible for funding through public sources such as the Community Chests (predecessor to the United Way) and included: family welfare, institutions for the aged, health and youth services, adoption agencies, care for the blind, hard of hearing, mentally challenged and handicapped. Also needed were funds for maternity care, emergency relief and expanded social services in distressed neighborhoods.

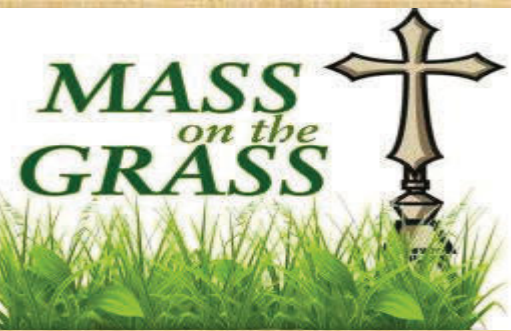
"The Fund" provides emergency help to persons who have nowhere else to go. *The Fund* is not a replacement or supplement for welfare or other forms of public assistance. It does not support the person's living needs on a continuing basis. Rather, *The Fund* acts to solve immediate, pressing problems: food and milk for three days, lodging for the night, emergency medical care, rent to tide over a financial crisis or a utility bill to keep the water or heat turned on for the week.

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For questions or to volunteer, please contact: **Kathy Poyer**, Email: poybard@gmail.com
or **Bill Madden** (818) 422-4673, Email: wjm1130@gmail.com

L.A. ARCHDIOCESE COMMEMORATES APRIL **CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH**

As the Archdiocese of Los Angeles' Safeguard the Children Office marks its 20th Anniversary, the office looks forward to the future with renewed determination and commitment to ensure that our children and young people have the opportunity to grow up in a safe, nurturing and supportive environment.

"The Victims Assistance Ministry continues its ministry of accompaniment of victim-survivors with the intention of making manifest and tangible the church's commitment to those harmed by the sexual misconduct of someone in our church," said Dr. Heather Banis, the office's coordinator. "We are here, and have been here for over 20 years to respond to survivors and their loved ones with compassion, while ensuring that the appropriate civil authorities are notified of the misconduct, coordinating healing resources, and continuously striving to deepen the Church's understanding of the needs and hopes of victim-survivors. I am humbled and honored to serve in this ministry."

Gardens of Healing

St. Camillus Pastoral Center in Los Angeles, in the San Gabriel Pastoral Region

Our Lady of the Assumption Parish in Ventura, in the Santa Barbara Pastoral Region

St. Francis de Sales Parish in Sherman Oaks, in the San Fernando Pastoral Region

St. Bernadette Parish in Los Angeles, in Our Lady of the Angels Pastoral Region

Soon there will be the 5th Garden of Healing in the San Pedro Pastoral Region.

Additionally, the Archdiocese of Los Angeles has been committed to the implementation of the United States Council of Catholic Bishops Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, since its inception. In June, the Charter will mark its 22nd Anniversary.

The Archdiocese has also created a website, which serves as a comprehensive tool containing resources, programs, and services for protecting children and reporting abuse: <https://lacatholics.org/protect/>

For more information about Child Abuse Prevention Month and the Archdiocese's Office of Safeguard the Children, visit: <https://lacatholics.org/child-abuse-prevention-month/>

For information on the Victims Assistance Ministry Office, visit:

<https://lacatholics.org/departments-ministries/protecting-children/>

Separated & Divorced Conference

Christ Cathedral Campus, Diocese of Orange

Saturday, May 4th from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

The Diocese of Orange Office for Family Life and Archdiocese of Los Angeles Separated & Divorced Ministry invites separated & divorced Catholics to a conference of spiritual healing, encouragement, and fellowship:

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ON ZOOM – Wednesday, May 1, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Request Zoom link at Info@Robert-Hanley.com

IN PERSON – Tuesday, May 14, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

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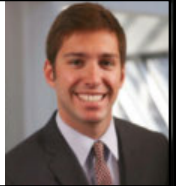
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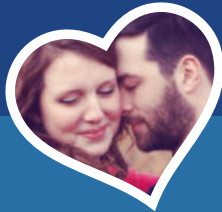
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