

Mass Intentions for the Week of April 15, 2007

Saturday, April 14

5:30 PM



Vigil: 2nd Sunday of Easter

+McKenzie Conn
by Ryan & Rae
Richmond

Sunday, April 15

8:00 AM

2nd Sunday of Easter

+Victor & Ottilia
Mongesku
by Wallace & Lillian Renc

10:00 AM

People of St. Rita

12:00 PM

+Fr. Steve O'Connor

Monday, April 16

Easter Weekday

8:00 AM

Curt Clauson

by Dave & Terry Casey

Tuesday, April 17

Easter Weekday

8:00 AM

Holy Communion Service

Wednesday, April 18

Easter Weekday

5:15 PM

Dick Ryan

by Dave & Terry Casey

Thursday, April 19

Easter Weekday

8:00 AM

+Ed & Jean Colello

by Joe & Lyn Colello

Friday, April 20

Easter Weekday

8:00 AM

+Mary Dorsey Fox

by John & Edith Fox

Saturday, April 21

3rd Sunday of Easter

5:30 PM

Ed & Ursula Mazzolini

by Dave & Terry Casey

God's Word This Week

Monday: Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Ps 30; Rev 5:11-14; Jn 21:1-19 [1-14]

JOINING THE COMPANY OF BELIEVERS

What will help you to believe? Today's scripture readings tell of faith and doubt. They offer stories "recorded to help you believe," as the passage from John's Gospel (20:31) remarks today. There is an urgency about this. On this second Sunday of Easter we are challenged to join the company of believers—countless men and women who witnessed the power of the Apostles' faith.

There is no doubt that this power comes from Jesus Christ. The second reading, from the book of Revelation, reports John's mystical vision of the Son of Man, who proclaims, "Once I was dead, but now I live" (Revelation 1:18). The Gospel gathers everyone but Thomas to see the Risen Jesus and receive the Holy Spirit from him. Like Thomas, we who have come along later must have faith so that we can have life.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

If you need assistance or know of anyone in need, call St. Vincent de Paul at 888-229-6582. The Society is open to everyone. Meetings are on the 3rd Thursday of the month.

Caring & Sharing needs boxed cereal, ramen noodles, tuna, spaghetti sauce, beef stew, and large size diapers. Donations may be dropped off in the box in the Mary Star of the Sea Room.

Brigid Iannuzzi is on the Altar Linen Schedule for April 15th. **Ursula Mazzolini** is on the Altar Linen Schedule for April 22th.

CONNECTED

When the Church baptizes a child, that action concerns me, for the child is thereby connected to that which is my head, too, and ingrafted into that body whereof I am a member.

—John Donne

In your prayers, please remember those whose names are in our prayer intention book in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Pray for those who are sick and recovering, especially **Stella Sullivan, Marie Johnston, John LeBleu, Ethel Needham, Chris McGhee, Dan Richardson, Andrew Long, Kay West, Thomas Delahoussaye, Rosalie Sumrall, Jeanne Biscone, Barbara Larney, Darolee Waddell, Sherwin Stacey, Catherine Sisson, Chase Marshall, Susan Killian, Marge Crawford, Ellen O'Connell, Jerry Holzhall, Rita Lang, Brennan Johnston, Joe Colello, Ed Colello, Isabelle O'Brian, Curt Clauson, Pat Barnard, & Johnnie Franck**. If there is someone who needs special prayers at Mass, please call the office so we can include them.

WEEKLY DONATIONS

	St. Rita	Christ the King
Offertory Easter	\$ 26,937.32	\$ 784.00
2nd Collection	\$ 16,607.50	\$ 188.00
Holy Thursday	\$ 1,472.09	\$ 27.00
Good Friday	\$ 1,284.66	\$ 73.00

This Week at Saint Rita and Christ the King Mission

Sunday, April 15

- 8:45 am Elementary R.E.
- 9:00 am Pro-Life General Meeting (MSS)
- 10:00 am Mass with Children's Liturgy

Monday, April 16

- 7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)
- 8:00 am Daily Mass
- 8:30 am Rosary (Church)
- 6:00 pm Boy Scouts Grades 5-12 (MSS)
- 7:00 pm Prayer Group. All are welcome.

Tuesday, April 17

- 7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)
- 8:00 am Holy Communion Service
- 8:30 am Rosary (Church)

Wednesday, April 18

- 9:00 am Sewing Group (MSS) Help is always needed. Sewing skills are not required. Contact: Pat Barnard, 267-1512
- 11:30 am Mass @ Sacred Heart Hospital
- 5:15 pm Daily Mass
- 5:45 pm Potluck Dinner (Mary Star of the Sea) Bring a dish to share.
- 6:00 pm Hispanic Ministry (Church)
- 6:15 pm Middle & High School Classes
- 6:30 pm Spirit Nite (MSS) Faith enhancement Series for all ages. **Topic:** Living as Disciples of the Lord. Children's program Provided.

Thursday, April 19

- 7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)
- 8:00 am Daily Mass
- 8:30 am Rosary
- 9:00 am St. Vincent de Paul General Meeting (Portable)
- 11:30 am Mass @ Sacred Heart Hospital
- 3:00 pm Cub Scouts (Portable) Contact: Mike Klein, 622-1121
- 6:30 pm Cub Scouts (Portable)
- 7:00 pm CCW & Men's Club (MSS)

Friday, April 20

- 7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)
- 8:00 am Daily Mass
- 8:30 am Rosary
- 9:30 am Pre-School Board Meeting (Admin Center)
- 6:00 pm 1st Communion Rehearsal & Potluck Dinner

Saturday, April 21

- 9:00 am Centering Prayer (MSS)
- 4:30 pm Confessions
- 5:30 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday, April 22

- 8:00 am Mass
- 8:45 am Elementary R. E.
- 10:00 am 1st Holy Communion at 10 am
- 10:00 am Mass with Children's Liturgy
- 12:00 pm Mass at CTK

*Join us for "Spirit Nite" on Wednesdays. Mass at 5:15 pm
Potluck Dinner at 5:45 pm
Adult Faith Formation at 6:30 pm
Come for all or just a part! There is a children's program available, so parents you may be free to participate in the Adult Faith Formation part of the evening.*

Father Tom



Even at an early age, Catholics have a problem with the concept of tithing.