

Saint Barbara Catholic church



04/30/2023



Sunday, April 30, 2023

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



"Whoever enters through the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. The gatekeeper opens it for him, and the sheep hear his voice, as the shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them out." - Jn 10:2-3

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4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



April 29– May 05, 2023

Saturday

8:15 AM John VanNguyen & BachNguyen † RIP
 4:00 PM For Parishioners LI
 5:30 PM Maria Cao Thi Huyen † RIP
 7:00 PM Dao Thi Minh Chau † RIP
 8:30 PM All Souls † RIP

Sunday

6:30 AM Maria Nguyen Thi Huyen † RIP
 8:00 AM Dominico Vu Loc † RIP
 9:30 AM M/M Rossini Fio & Eloisse † RIP
 11:00 AM Giuse Pham Xuan Thu † RIP
 12:45 PM Florentino & Paula Martinez † RIP
 4:00 PM Phero Ta Gia Phong † RIP
 5:30 PM Javier Mendez † RIP
 7:00 PM Souls in Purgatory † RIP

Monday

8:15 AM Giuse Tran Duc Cu † RIP
 5:30 PM Howard Carmichael † RIP

Tuesday

8:15 AM Maria & Genaro Rivera † RIP
 5:30 PM Tran Thi Ngoc Lieng † RIP
 7:00 PM Christian Perez SI

Wednesday

6:30 AM All Souls † RIP
 8:15 AM All Priests LI
 5:30 PM Phero Le Buoi † RIP

Thursday

6:30 AM All Souls † RIP
 8:15 AM Anna & Phero † RIP
 5:30 PM Anna Cao Thi Quy † RIP

Friday

8:15 AM Nita Abrau LI
 5:30 PM Maria Nguyen Thi Huyen † RIP
 7:00 PM Jose Martin Jr. SI

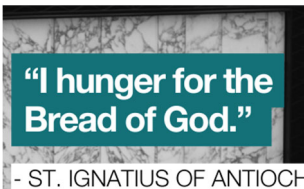
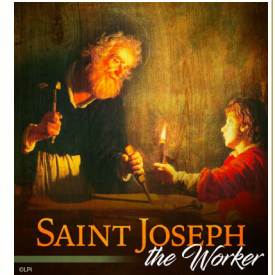


TODAY'S READING

.First Reading: "Let the whole house of Israel know for certain that God has made both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified." (Acts 2:36)
.Psalm: The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. (Ps 23)
.Second Reading: For you had gone astray like sheep, but you have now returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls. (1 Pt 2:25)
.Gospel: I am the gate. Whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture." (Jn 10:9)

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

.Sunday: 4th Sunday of Easter
.Monday: St. Joseph the Worker
.Tuesday: St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
.Wednesday: Sts. Philip and James, Apostles
.Thursday: National Day of Prayer
.Friday: Cinco de Mayo



LECTURAS DE HOY

.Primera Lectura: Después de su discurso en Jerusalén, la multitud preguntó a Pedro: "¿Qué tenemos que hacer?" Él respondió: "Arrepiéntanse y bautícense en el nombre de Jesucristo...y recibirán el Espíritu Santo." ¿Qué tan abierto estás a recibir el Espíritu Santo?
.Segunda Lectura: Pedro nos enseña que, como seguidores de Jesús, estamos llamados a ser pacientes cuando sufrimos. ¿Qué valor le ves a esta práctica?
.Evangelio: Jesús habla de sí mismo como el que cuida la puerta de las "ovejas" (sus seguidores) que se mantienen a salvo de los extraños. ¿Cuándo te has vuelto a Jesús en tu vida en tiempos de problemas?

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

.Domingo: 4º Domingo de Pascua
.Lunes: San José Obrero
.Martes: San Atanasio, obispo y doctor de la Iglesia
.Miércoles: Santos Felipe y Santiago, apóstoles
.Jueves: Día Nacional de la Oración
.Viernes: Cinco de mayo



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FATHER ANTHONY'S FAITH FORMATION CORNER

The Fourth Sunday of Easter: "Good Shepherd" Sunday



The Fourth Sunday of Easter has been known as "Good Shepherd" Sunday for the last few decades: as the Gospel readings on this Sunday are always taken from the tenth chapter of St. John's Gospel, with the image of Jesus as the Good Shepherd. The Church has also dedicated this Sunday to pray for priestly and religious vocations worldwide... As I reflect on the concept of the "Good Shepherd," I remember a line from Pope Francis a few years ago: namely, that priests, or shepherds, have to go out of themselves and be able to "smell like the sheep." I believe that is a very good description of what it means to be a good shepherd—although I must confess that I have not always completely gone out of myself in my own ministry!

What does it mean to have the smell of the sheep? I think it means that a shepherd must be able to enter into the "messy reality" of the flock; for we live a very complex world, morally and otherwise. While this statement by Pope Francis may seem radically new to some, it presents nothing really new. In his first letter to the Corinthians (9:16-23), St. Paul similarly says that he has become "all to all" in order to gain all back to the Lord. In his task of becoming all to all, Paul himself must have smelled like members of his flock at times. Like St. Paul, a good Catholic minister/shepherd should possess some type of flexibility in order to adapt accordingly to the different needs of the community. A very challenging task for any minister, indeed!

In addition to St. Paul, I believe that Vietnamese Catholics have a similar statement to the Pope's: namely that a priest is like a bride married to a hundred families. This saying means that a bride, once married, loses her identity as she takes on her husband's family's identity. A priest is like that bride: but married to a hundred families; and therefore, losing his identity one hundred times! Well, I am not saying that I have no identity/life of my own. Quite the contrary, I live my own life and am my own man. However, as a public person, and being married to many families, a shepherd must take into account the particular circumstances of all those families. While it is impossible to "please" everybody, as a Church, we have to try our best to become all things to all people, so as to win them over to the Lord. Being married to so many families, again, I am sure that any good shepherd must smell like members of his flock at times.

However, all that I have presented so far is only superficial. There is something greater, and at the heart of our Christian faith: the doctrine of the Incarnation. What distinguishes Christianity from other major world religions is precisely the belief that in Jesus Christ, God has become human and taken on human flesh; thus, entering into the "messiness" of our condition. This idea can be utterly incomprehensible for other believers. For example, for the Hindus and the Buddhists, to achieve perfection is to be as far away as possible from the human condition. Buddhist monks usually stay in their monasteries, and Hindu monks on the mountains where they are far from the world. Jesus is different. He did indeed go to silent places for prayer and reflection. But he also went out to encounter the lives of ordinary people. In his days, Jesus ate with sinners and tax collectors—as well as with the righteous people. He associated with prostitutes and the marginalized of society. In other words, instead of staying away from our conditions, Jesus would touch our life conditions in an intimate way. He definitely did, and still does, smell like the sheep. In the last analysis, I would say that not only St. Paul became all things to all people, but more properly it is God himself, in the person of Jesus Christ, who ultimately becomes all to all so that he may win them all over to himself... The Lord himself is the ultimate Good Shepherd: and it is the vocation of the Church to follow her Master in her endeavor to shepherd his people.

Davis Vu, Maria Charlene Nguyen,
Jade Martinez, Denise Miran-
montes, Evelyn Villalpando, Mar-
tha Salazar, Jose Guadalupe
Luevano



Lord Jesus Christ,
Redeemer of the world,
you have shouldered the burden of our weakness and
borne our sufferings in your own passion and death
Hear this prayer for our sick brothers and sister whom
you have redeemed Strengthen their hope of salvation
and sustain them in body and soul, for you live and
reign for ever and ever.

Amen

- ◆ *Dominico Vu Loc*
- ◆ *Maria Cao Thi Huyen*
- ◆ *Catarina Pham Thi Hong*
- ◆ *Guadalupe Goba Granados*
- ◆ *Giuse Alan Van Bui*
- ◆ *Gioan Baotixita John Chau Vu*
- ◆ *Luca Vu Van Thanh*
- ◆ *Maria Nguyen Thi Kim Phuong*

*God, our shelter and our strength, you listen in love to the cry of
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and sisters Cleanse them of their sins and grant them the fullness
of redemption. We ask this through Christ our Lord,
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Chúa Nhật 30 tháng 4 năm 2023

Trước Thánh Lễ, sẽ có rước kiệu Thánh Giuse Và Mẹ Maria lúc 3 giờ 15. Sau Thánh Lễ sẽ có phần ăn nhẹ cho mọi người. Trân trọng kính mời!



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toàn thể quý vị.

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Thành kính tri ân cảm tạ,
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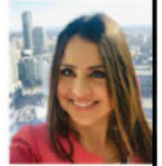
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Saturday Vigil

4:00 PM Vietnamese
 5:30 PM English
 7:00 PM Vietnamese

Sunday

6:30 AM Vietnamese
 8:00 AM Vietnamese
 9:30 AM English
 11:00 AM Vietnamese
 12:45 PM Spanish
 4:00 PM Vietnamese
 5:30 PM English
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Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri

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Wed, Thu

6:30 AM Vietnamese

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 7:00 PM—Fr Danh Trinh

Sunday May 08, 2023

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