



# SAINT CLARE OF ASSISI ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### Parish Office Hours:

Sunday 7:30am-1:30pm

Monday—Thursday 9:00am-5:00pm

*Closed for lunch from 12:00pm-1:00pm on weekdays*

Friday-Saturday Closed

### Religious Education

Youth Group Mondays, 6:30pm-8pm

OCIA Mondays, 6pm-7:30pm

K-6 Catechesis Wednesdays, 4pm or 6pm

St. Clare of Assisi is an official Baby Safe Haven location. Parents or agents of parents can drop off an unharmed newborn baby to a staff member during regular office hours. For more information, please visit [azsafebabyhaven.org](http://azsafebabyhaven.org)

### Pro-Life Resources:

Are you struggling with a crisis pregnancy and need help? These resources are recognized by the Diocese of Phoenix and can help you, regardless of income.

**Life Choices Women's Clinic:** [www.pro-lifearizona.com](http://www.pro-lifearizona.com) | (602) 305-5100

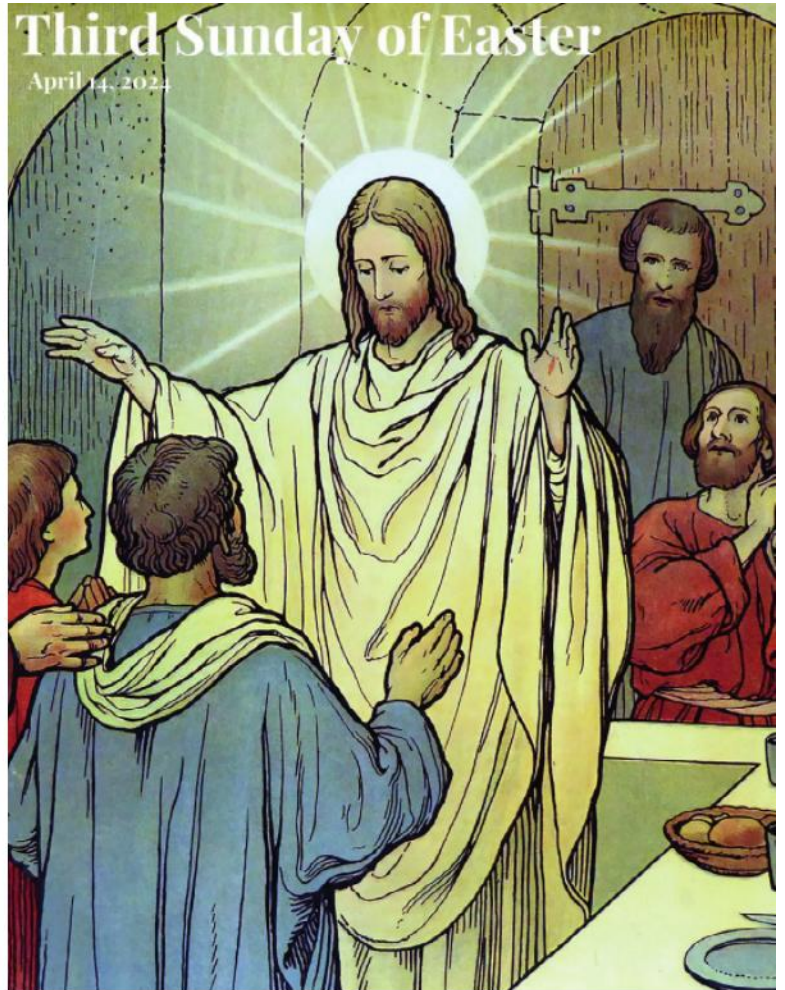
**Choices Pregnancy Center:** [www.choicesaz.com](http://www.choicesaz.com) | (623) 486-5232

**First Way Pregnancy Center:** [www.1stway.net](http://www.1stway.net) | (602) 261-7522

For a comprehensive list of ministries and ways to get involved, please see the parish website and go to "Parish Life" at the top of the page.

## Third Sunday of Easter

April 14, 2024



### Liturgy Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00pm

Sunday Masses 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:00pm

Daily Masses

Monday-Saturday, 8:00am

### Adoration & Reconciliation

Eucharistic Adoration 1:00pm-4:00pm

Reconciliation

Wednesdays 12:00pm-1:00pm

Fridays 5:00pm-6:00pm

Saturdays 2:30pm-3:30pm

### Sacraments

For more information on the Sacraments of Baptism or Marriage, and what is needed to complete your sacraments, please contact Pastoral Care Coordinator Joe Lukaszewski. For all other Sacraments, please contact Director of Religious Education, Sarah Camplese.

### Ministry of Care

If you are homebound, hospitalized or in a care facility, or know of someone who is and would like Holy Communion on a weekly basis, please contact Joe to make arrangements.

### Mission Statement

St. Clare of Assisi parishioners strive to be faithful disciples of Christ's Catholic Church, drawing strength from the Sacraments, living the Gospel of Jesus without compromise, doing works of charity and justice.

### St. Vincent de Paul 24 Hour Assistance Helpline

Please call (623) 975-5617. This is not a manned phone line. Leave a message and someone WILL call you back.





# Mass Intentions

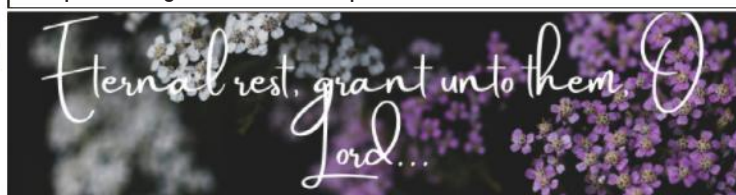
# Week at a Glance

Saturday, April 13, 2024		
8:00am	Don Midkiff†	by Denise Midkiff
4:00pm	Sam Chancey†	by Pat Chancey
Sunday, April 14, 2024		
7:00am	Jeanne Gaffney Mooney†	by Susan & William Clark
9:00am	Don & Gayle Lukaszewski†	by Joe Lukaszewski
11:00am	Pro Populo	for St. Clare of Assisi Parishioners
5:00pm	Julia Dennison†	by Ewa Denysenko
Monday, April 15, 2024		
8:00am	Betty Joseph†	by Francis Wrage
Tuesday, April 16, 2024		
8:00am	Vera Rascon Gregory†	by Rolando & Dolores Grijalva
Wednesday, April 17, 2024		
8:00am	James Nori†	by Rolando & Dolores Grijalva
Thursday, April 18, 2024		
8:00am	Celeste Grovenor†	by Barbara Boyle
Friday, April 19, 2024		
8:00am	Jessica Backman	by Kaitlynn Eaton
Saturday, April 20, 2024		
8:00am	Happy Birthday: Kevin Ortega & Anna Reyes	by Ana Reyes
4:00pm	Rich Fager	by Donna Schier
Sunday, April 21, 2024		
7:00am	Jeanne Gaffney Mooney†	by Susan & William Clark
9:00am	Deceased Members of the Gaudio, Giallanza, Morbillo & Nocera Families	by Connie & Eugene Gaudio
11:00am	Susan Salata†	by Joe & Anne Pipitone
5:00pm	Pro Populo	for St. Clare of Assisi Parishioners

Monday, April 15, 2024	
6:00pm	Contemporary Choir Practice—CHURCH
6:00pm	OCIA—NARTHEX
6:30pm	Middle & High School Youth Group—HALL, OLD OFFICE
Tuesday, April 16, 2024	
9:00am	Adult Bible Study—HALL
11:30am	Legion of Mary—HALL
11:30am	Nomad AA—HALL
5:00pm	Children's Choir Practice—CHURCH
5:00pm	Christ Renews His Parish: Men's Group—CLASSROOM 3
5:00pm	Christ Renews His Parish: Women's Group—OLD OFFICE
6:00pm	St. Vincent de Paul Meeting—HALL
6:30pm	Traditional Choir Practice—CHURCH
Wednesday, April 17, 2024	
9:00am	Men's Scripture Study—HALL
10:30am	Legion of Mary Jrs—HALL
4:00pm	Religious Education—HALL, OLD OFFICE, CLASSROOMS
6:00pm	Religious Education—HALL, OLD OFFICE, CLASSROOMS
6:30pm	Guadalupanos Rosary—CHURCH
Thursday, April 18, 2024	
9:00am	Adult Bible Study—HALL
11:30am	Nomad AA—HALL
6:00pm	Scouts Meeting—RAMADA
6:30pm	Anima Christi Charismatics—CHURCH
7:00pm	Knights of Columbus Meeting—HALL
7:00pm	Metanoia Bible Classes—CLASSROOM 3
Friday, April 19, 2024	
8:45am	Holy Family Homeschool Coop—HALL
8:45am	Divine Mercy Cenacle Diary Study—VESTRY
1:00pm	Rosary Makers—OLD OFFICE
1:00pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry—HALL
7:00pm	El Buen Pastor Carismatica—CHURCH
Saturday, April 20, 2024	
7:00am	Catholic Men's Fellowship—CLASSROOM 3
9:00am	Cursillo—CLASSROOM 3
9:00am	First Communion & Confirmation Retreat—HALL
3:30pm	Our Lady of Antipolo Box Lunch Tix Sales—WALKWAY
Sunday, April 21, 2024	
12:30pm	Priest Appreciation Luncheon—HALL
6:30pm	Young Adult Fellowship—HALL



Barbara Mauer, Bob Murphy, Fr. Hans Ruygt, Marie Frasca, Karen Opsahl, Christina Hoffman, Brian Vergara, Wade Chio, Dean Hoffman, Tim Lukaszewski, Rolanda Grijalva, Aurealia Formoso, Alfred Tony Muñoz, Darlene Piazza, Glenn Sutton, Bryan Sutton, Jerianne Bender, Benjamin Catalan



Please pray for the peaceful repose of the soul of

Art Spiehs



## Weekly Reflection

Imagine if Jesus appeared to you. What if He showed you the wounds in His hands and feet and invited you to touch Him so as to believe. Would you believe? It would be the beginning of an experience that could be life-changing, just as it was for these disciples. Our Lord's appearance to the disciples led to their transformation from men who were confused and doubtful to men who were filled with joy and zeal. Eventually, they would go forth preaching about Jesus as witnesses to His death and Resurrection with courage and with a desire that all who heard them would turn to Jesus as their Savior. In the first reading of today's Mass, Saint Peter is recorded as doing this very thing. After healing a crippled man at the gate of the Temple, a crowd gathered in amazement and Peter preached to them about Jesus. He concluded His sermon by saying, "God has thus brought to fulfillment what he had announced beforehand through the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ would suffer. Repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away." Today, we are entrusted with the same mission given to our Lord's disciples, and we must preach with the same zeal, courage and conviction with which they preached. First, we must become as certain as they were about Jesus' triumph over sin and death. We must turn from all sin and believe that the fullness of life is found only in Christ Jesus. But then we must commit ourselves to the proclamation of this faith with every fiber of our being. Begin by considering how deeply you believe in Jesus as the Savior of the World. Though it might be tempting to think that having Jesus appear to you in person would help deepen your faith in Him, the truth is that the first disciples were not primarily convinced because of the physical appearances of Jesus. Rather, this gift came primarily through the spiritual touching of their minds. After appearing to the disciples physically, we read that Jesus "opened their minds to understand the Scriptures." This was what convinced them more than anything—the spiritual gift of understanding. And that gift is offered to you today, just as it was to the first followers of Jesus. Thus, simply seeing something with our eyes, touching it or hearing it is not nearly as convincing as the knowledge obtained through the spiritual gift of understanding. The gift of understanding enables us to "read inwardly" and to penetrate the very essence of something. For that reason, the physical appearance of Jesus might have been the first step toward believing, but it wasn't until these same disciples encountered our Lord within their souls, perceiving the very essence of His Resurrection inwardly, that they were forever changed. Only this form of knowledge could then convince them to go forth and proclaim the message of salvation.

Reflect, today, upon your own knowledge of Jesus and the transforming power of His Resurrection in your life. Has God spoken to you within the depths of your soul? Have you perceived this inward knowledge and had your mind opened? Listen attentively to our Lord—not just with your ears but primarily with your spirit. It is there, within you, that you will come to know and believe in the life, death and resurrection of Christ so that you can then go forth empowered to proclaim these truths to others.



## WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

### April 14: Third Sunday of Easter

**First Reading:** [Acts 3: 13-15, 17-19](#)

**Responsorial Psalm:** [Psalms 4: 2, 4, 7-8, 9](#)

**Second Reading:** [First John 2: 1-5a](#)

**Alleluia:** [Luke 24: 32](#)

**Gospel:** [Luke 24: 35-48](#)

### April 15

**First Reading:** [Acts 6: 8-15](#)

**Responsorial Psalm:** [Psalms 119: 23-24, 26-27, 29-30](#)

**Alleluia:** [Matthew 4: 4b](#)

**Gospel:** [John 6: 22-29](#)

### April 16

**First Reading:** [Acts 7: 51-60](#)

**Responsorial Psalm:** [Psalms 31: 3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab](#)

**Alleluia:** [John 6: 35ab](#)

**Gospel:** [John 6: 30-35](#)

### April 17

**First Reading:** [Acts 8: 1b-8](#)

**Responsorial Psalm:** [Psalms 66: 1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a](#)

**Alleluia:** [John 6: 40](#)

**Gospel:** [John 6: 35-40](#)

### April 18

**First Reading:** [Acts 8: 26-40](#)

**Responsorial Psalm:** [Psalms 66: 8-9, 16-17, 20](#)

**Alleluia:** [John 6: 51](#)

**Gospel:** [John 6: 44-51](#)

### April 19

**First Reading:** [Acts 9: 1-20](#)

**Responsorial Psalm:** [Psalms 117: 1, 2](#)

**Alleluia:** [John 6: 56](#)

**Gospel:** [John 6: 52-59](#)

### April 20

**First Reading:** [Acts 9: 31-42](#)

**Responsorial Psalm:** [Psalms 116: 12-13, 14-15, 16-17](#)

**Alleluia:** [John 6: 63c, 68c](#)

**Gospel:** [John 6: 60-69](#)

### April 21: Fourth Sunday of Easter

**First Reading:** [Acts 4: 8-12](#)

**Responsorial Psalm:** [Psalms 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29](#)

**Second Reading:** [First John 3: 1-2](#)

**Alleluia:** [John 10: 14](#)

**Gospel:** [John 10: 11-18](#)



# Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast

April 14 | Hall  
After morning Masses



\$6 per adult \$4 per child, 9-12 Free: 8 & under  
\$20 per Family Maximum



Enjoy this sneak peak picture from our Divine Mercy Eucharistic Procession on April 7th! More photos to come! Thanks to Connie Gaudio for this photo.

## Altar Flowers



Flowers on April 6-7 were offered in honor of Gigi De La Paz's Birthday

Flowers on April 13-14 are offered in honor of Fred & Cathy Semper's 55th Wedding Anniversary

# PEACE BE WITH YOU

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

# April 14

El Buen Pastor Carismatica

# TACO & BURRITO

## FUNDRAISER



Ramada & Hall  
after 9am & 11am Masses



Edition #5 SUMMER KICK-OFF, 2024

OASIS IMMACULATA & CRM MINISTRIES PRESENT

# FUEL THE FLAME

-A GOOD NEWS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT RETREAT-

ALL 6-12 GRADERS ARE INVITED

**KICK-OFF SUMMER**  
WITH A WHOLE DAY OF GOOD NEWS  
**SATURDAY, MAY 25TH**  
9AM-9PM

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH  
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GOOD NEWS  
**RETREAT**  
SUMMER KICK-OFF

**FEATURING:**

**PRAISE & WORSHIP**  
WITH THE OASIS COLLECTIVE  
**GOOD NEWS PROCLAIMED & ACTIVATED**  
WITH ALISON OERTLE & MIKE GUIZAR

**FOOD & GAMES**  
WITH FRIENDS

**VIGIL MASS**  
**WORSHIP & ADORATION NIGHT**

ONLY \$15 - SPACE IS LIMITED - SCAN TO REGISTER 

QUESTIONS? EMAIL [alisonoertle@gmail.com](mailto:alisonoertle@gmail.com)

## Day of Renewal

for grieving mothers and grandmothers

## Dia de Renovación

para mamás y abuelas

Join us on April 27, 2024



All grieving mothers and grandmothers - no matter how long - or how recent - it has been since your loss, are invited to this full day bilingual retreat. The program has been designed to bring gentle comfort and rest to your soul. The day will end with a Memorial Mass in honor of our loved ones.

Para todas las mamás y abuelas que viven la pérdida de un hijo(a) o nieto(a). No importa cuánto tiempo a pasado - o que tan reciente - ha sido la pérdida. Este programa bilingüe ha sido creado para traer consuelo y descanso al alma. Una misa conmemorativa concluirá el retiro. Para más información contactar a Liliana at [lili@sacredsorrows.org](mailto:lili@sacredsorrows.org)

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Monastery**  
8502 W Pinchot Avenue, Phoenix  
9:15 am - 4:00 pm  
\$45 - breakfast and lunch included  
Register at [sacredsorrows.org](http://sacredsorrows.org)

Presented by Fr. Stephan Bauer, OSC, of the Crosier Fathers and Brothers of Phoenix, Ms. Rita Morton, Founder of Sacred Sorrows and grieving mother, and Mrs. Liliana Tavera, grieving mother and Hispanic Program Coordinator for Sacred Sorrows.



## Join the GUADALUPANOS



for the **MONTHLY ROSARY**

April 17, 6:30pm in the Church

## Save the Date

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2024  
JUNE 17-21, 9AM-12PM

CAMPER REGISTRATION BEGINS APRIL 22



## Seekers in Sneakers



### FLOWER DONATION

- ✦ The parishioners of St. Clare of Assisi are invited to participate in supplying flowers for weekend Masses & Holy Days of Obligation.
- ✦ Monetary donations are requested for fresh flowers to be placed on the altar for weekend Masses.
- ✦ You may request a particular weekend to honor a loved one or a special occasion, or you can indicate it may be used as needed.
- ✦ Arrangements for week end Masses are \$100.00; however, all donations are very much appreciated!

Please fill out this form, place it in an envelope with your check and mail it to the church office or put in offertory basket.

*Please print clearly.*

Name & Phone No.:

Occasion/Person to be honored:

Date requested: \_\_\_\_\_

Donation amount: \_\_\_\_\_

*For questions, please contact Kaitlynn Eaton at: (623) 975-5602 or keaton@stcpaz.org*

### Support St. Clare when you shop at Fry's!

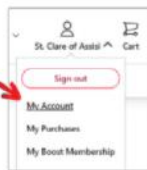
Using your rewards card, you can give back to your parish community with a few simple steps!

1. Go to [www.frysfood.com](http://www.frysfood.com)



2. Click "Sign In" if you have an account already or "Create Account" if you have never had a Fry's online account

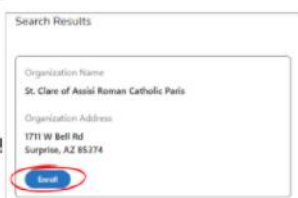
3. Click on "My Account" under the Sign In tab



4. Once signed in, on the left side, scroll down to "Community Rewards"



5. You will see "Community Rewards" at the top of the page. Scroll down to Find an Organization. Enter our ID Number: BM278 or search St. Clare of Assisi Roman Catholic Parish (no h!)



6. Click "Enroll" under our parish name!

Any time you use your Fry's rewards card at checkout, we will receive a donation!

View this bulletin online at [www.DiscoverMass.com](http://www.DiscoverMass.com)

# Want to contribute right from your phone? Try **FAITH DIRECT!**

You can quickly and easily contribute to the Parish Center and Pews appeal, pay Religious Education annual fees, and more right from your phone. You can also set up regular tithing!

**It's easy to get started:**

1. Visit [faith.direct/AZ1084](http://faith.direct/AZ1084)

OR

2. Text "Enroll" to (623) 323-4424

OR

3. Scan the QR code

OR

4. Call Faith Direct at (866) 507-8757



## GOD RAISED HIM from the dead

Acts 3:15

**volunteers needed**  
**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2024**  
**JUNE 17-21**  
**VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION OPENS:**  
**APRIL 8 FOR AGES 13+**  
[STCPAZ.ORG/VACATION-BIBLE-SCHOOL](http://STCPAZ.ORG/VACATION-BIBLE-SCHOOL)



**Seekers in Sneakers**

BLESSED IS SHE | PRAYER + COMMUNITY

JOIN US FOR OUR  
2024 RETREAT:

**DRAWN**  
BIS RETREAT 2024

2 DATES  
REGISTRATION OPEN

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for details + registration



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## RESTAURANT & CATERING

Enjoy breakfast, lunch, and dinner in our family owned and operated restaurant. We also invite you to try some of Chef Peter's famous BBQ dishes! Be sure to check our website for our Daily Specials that are sure to please!

### What We Offer

Experience the quality and thrill of our catering service. We offer a wide range of flavorful options that will definitely satisfy your palate. Let Chef Peter create a delicious personalized menu perfect for your special event!

### Visit Us

17200 W BELL ROAD  
SURPRISE, AZ 85374  
(at Happy Trails Resort)

Take Bell Road to 17200 Bell Road (Happy Trails Resort), turn right onto Happy Trails Blvd., follow road to Guest Entrance. Continue on around HT Blvd., past the pond, turn right into the parking lot to the PAC Performing Arts Center. Follow signs around to The Chuckwagon entrance.

### BEST KEPT SECRET IS OUR LOCATION



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## Please Consider Joining Us In Ministry!

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|------------------------------------|--|
| Adult Bible Study                  | Michelle Templeton <a href="mailto:mmtemp@cox.net">mmtemp@cox.net</a>                              |
| Altar Linen Society                | Chris Haak (262) 215-1839  |
| Anima Christi Charismatic Prayer   | Jerianne Bender <a href="mailto:jeribender@aol.com">jeribender@aol.com</a>                         |
| Arts and Environment               | Kaitlynn Eaton <a href="mailto:keaton@stcpaz.org">keaton@stcpaz.org</a>                            |
| Blood Drive                        | Connie Gaudio (623) 703-9303   |
| Catholic Daughters of the Americas | Adults: Teddi Murray (623) 523-7233<br>Juniors: Lorrie Holland (623) 512-1042                      |
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| Cursillo Group                     | David Buettner <a href="mailto:dpbuettner@hotmail.com">dpbuettner@hotmail.com</a>                  |
| Divine Mercy Cenacle               | Laura Alcantar (623) 512-8585  |
| El Buen Pastor Oracion Carismatica | Sandra Lopez (623) 293-2848<br>Jose Arellano (602) 919-2698  |
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| Nomad AA Group                     | Wes & Barb Ritchie (858) 220-4916  |
| Our Lady of Antipolo Ministry      | Marylou Gonzalez (571) 437-8461  |
| Our Lady of Guadalupe Association  | Leonor Ward (623) 986-9992   |
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| St. Maximilian Kolbe Fraternity    | Cathy Roszhart (309) 825-2900  |
| St. Vincent de Paul Society        | Pat Conlan (623) 975-5617  |
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| Walking With Moms In Need          | Charlie & Kathy Buckley <a href="mailto:www.minstclareaz@gmail.com">www.minstclareaz@gmail.com</a> |
| Women's Guild                      | Carol Lee <a href="mailto:2bobcrLee@prodigy.net">2bobcrLee@prodigy.net</a>                         |



## Organ Concert ADAM BRAKEL

April 28 | 3pm



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For more information or to RSVP for the complimentary concert & reception, please go to: [ololscw.org/organ](http://ololscw.org/organ) or scan the QR code



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**Welcome to St. Clare of Assisi Parish! We are glad you are here for the celebration of the Holy Mass. Please take note of the guidelines for the reception of Holy Communion:** Prior to receiving Communion, Catholics should have fasted for one hour; water and medicine excepting. Catholics aware of grave sin (e.g. intentionally missing Mass on Sunday/Holy Days, abortion, theft, sexual sin, use of contraceptives, etc.) should go to Confession prior to receiving Communion. Because of our belief in the Eucharist being the Body and Blood of Christ, reception of Communion is reserved to Catholics. There may exist circumstances in the lives of some individual Catholics, which may not facilitate immediate participation in receiving Communion (e.g., cohabitation, marriage outside the Church). A priest would be happy to assist you in rectifying these situations. We come together to worship God in spirit and in truth.

**Entrance Hymn: This Joyful Eastertide 502**

1. This joyful Eastertide away with sin and sorrow! My love, the Crucified, has sprung to life this morrow: *Had Christ, who once was slain, not burst His three-day prison, our faith had been in vain. But now has Christ arisen, arisen, arisen, arisen!*

2. My flesh in hope shall rest and for a season slumber till trump from east to west shall wake the dead in number: *Had Christ, who once was slain, not burst His three-day prison, our faith had been in vain. But now has Christ arisen, arisen, arisen, arisen!*

3. Death's flood has lost its chill since Jesus crossed the river; Lover of souls, from ill my passing soul deliver: *Had Christ, who once was slain, not burst His three-day prison, our faith had been in vain. But now has Christ arisen, arisen, arisen, arisen!*

**Sign of the Cross & Greeting**

**Penitential Act:**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,

*[striking their breast, they say:]*

through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;

*[then they continue:]*

therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

*Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Christe Eleison. Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.*

*Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.*

**Gloria 297:** Gloria in excelsis Deo. Et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis. Laudamus te. Benedicimus te. Adoramus te. Glorificamus te. Gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam. Domine Deus, Rex caelestis, Deus Pater omnipotens. Domine Fili unigenite Iesu Christe. Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris, Qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostram. Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, miserere nobis. Quoniam tu solus sanctus. Tu solus Dominus. Tu solus Altissimus, Iesu Christe. Cum Sancto Spiritu, in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

*Glory to God in the highest. And on earth peace to people of good will. We praise You, we bless You, we adore You, we glorify You, we give You thanks for Your great glory,*

*Lord God, heavenly King, O God, Father almighty. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. You alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord. You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.*

**Liturgy of the Word: Worship Hymnal 1083**

**Responsorial Psalm:**

**R/. Lord, let your face shine on us.**

1. When I call, answer me, O my just God, you who relieve me when I am in distress; have pity on me, and hear my prayer!

2. Know that the LORD does wonders for his faithful one; the LORD will hear me when I call upon him.

3. O LORD, let the light of your countenance shine upon us! You put gladness into my heart.

4. As soon as I lie down, I fall peacefully asleep, for you alone, O LORD, bring security to my dwelling.

**Gospel Acclamation: R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Lord Jesus, open the Scriptures to us / make our hearts burn while you speak to us.

**Liturgy of the Eucharist**

**Offertory Hymn: Be Joyful, Mary 501**

1. Be joyful, Mary, heav'nly Queen, be joyful, Mary! Your grief is changed to joy serene, Alleluia! Rejoice, rejoice, O Mary!

2. The Son you bore by heaven's grace, be joyful, Mary! Did by His death our guilt erase, Alleluia! Rejoice, rejoice O Mary!

3. The Lord has risen from the dead, be joyful, Mary! He rose in glory as He said, Alleluia! Rejoice, rejoice, O Mary!

4. Now pray to God, O Virgin fair, be joyful, Mary! That He our souls to heaven bear, Alleluia! Rejoice, rejoice, O Mary!



**Prayer Over the Offerings & Invitation to Prayer**

**Preface Dialogue & Preface**

**Sanctus:**

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis. Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis.

*Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.*

**Eucharistic Prayer**

**Mystery of Faith:**

We proclaim Your death, O Lord, and profess Your Resurrection, until You come again.

**The Communion Rite**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**The Sign of Peace**

**Agnus Dei:**

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. (2x)  
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona nobis pacem.

*Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. (2x) Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.*

**Communion Antiphon:**

**Sing unto the Lord, alleluia; sing to the Lord, bless His name. Proclaim His salvation day after day, alleluia, alleluia.**

**Communion Hymn: You Satisfy the Hungry Heart 939**

**You satisfy the hungry heart with gift of finest wheat; come give to us, O saving Lord, the Bread of life to eat.**

- 1.As when the shepherd calls his sheep, they know and heed his voice; so when You call your fam'ly, Lord, we follow and rejoice.
- 2.With joyful lips we sing to You our praise and gratitude, that you should count us worthy, Lord, to share this heav'nly food.
- 3.Is not the cup we bless and share the blood of Christ outpoured? Do not one cup, one loaf declare our oneness in the Lord?
- 4.The myst'ry of your presence, Lord, no mortal tongue can tell: whom all the world cannot contain comes in our hearts to dwell.
- 5.You give yourself to us, O Lord; then selfless let us be, to serve each other in your name in truth and charity.

**Communion Hymn: Adoro Te Devote 556**

- 1.Hidden here before me, Lord, I worship you. Hidden in these symbols, yet completely true. Lord, my soul surrenders, longing to obey, and in contemplation, wholly faints away.
- 2.Seeing, touching, tasting these are all deceived; only through the hearing can it be believed. Nothing is more certain: Christ has told me so; what the Truth has uttered, I believe and know.
- 3.Only God was hidden when you came to die: human nature also here escapes the eye. Both are my profession, both are my belief; bring me to Your kingdom, like the dying thief.
- 4.I am not like Thomas, who could see and touch; though Your wounds are hidden, I believe as much. Let me say so boldly, meaning what I say, loving You and trusting, now and ev'ry day.

**Regina Caeli/Mary, Heaven's Queen 519**

Regina caeli Laetare, alleluia. Quia quem meruisti, portare, alleluia. Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia. Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.  
*Mary, heaven's Queen, sing for joy, alleluia. The One You merited to bring to birth, alleluia. Rose from the dead, as He had said, alleluia. Intercede for us with God, alleluia.*

**The Concluding Rites**

**Blessing & Dismissal**

**Prayer to St. Michael:** St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the Divine Power of God, 9cast into hell, Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

**Recessional Hymn: I Know that My Redeemer Lives 527**

- 1.I know that my Redeemer lives! What joy this blest assurance gives! He lives, he lives who once was dead; He lives, my everlasting head.
- 2.He lives to bless me with His love; He lives to plead for me above. He lives my hungry soul to feed; He lives to help in time of need.
- 3.He lives and grants me daily breath; He lives and I shall conquer death. He lives my mansion to prepare; He lives to bring me safely there.
- 4.He lives, all glory to His name; He lives, my Savior, still the same. What joy this blest assurance gives: I know that my Redeemer lives!

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