

APRIL 2017

	APRIL 2 FIFTH SUNDAY of LENT	APRIL 9 PALM SUNDAY of the LORD'S PASSION	APRIL 16 THE RESURRECTION of the LORD	APRIL 23 SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER	APRIL 30 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
5:00 p.m. (Vigil)	Joy DeGuzman Letty Dvi-Vardhana	Madelyn Agoncillo Joyce Buendia	EASTER VIGIL AT SUNDOWN	Racquel Ormasa Glenda Rosales	Joyce Buendia Joy DeGuzman
7:00 p.m. (Vigil)	Tara Bali Jim Murphy	Susan Sugay Aireen Barruela		Maria Rendon-DeJesus Susan Sugay	Agnes Golingay Herman Golingay
6:30 a.m.	Connie Leoncio	Phlor Torrejos Connie Leoncio	Phlor Torrejos	Bobby Figaro	Bobby Figaro
8:00 a.m.	Marissa Mercado Peachy Dano	May Salle Arnold Acebes	Arnold Acebes May Salle	Peachy Dano Marissa Mercado	Lourdes Anderson Les Anderson
9:30 a.m.	Peter Meichtry Katherine Grayson	Juliet Reyes Paul Najoan	Paul Najoan Nenita Magtahas	Noel Omega Nenita Magtahas	Juliet Reyes Noel Omega
11:30 a.m.	Maxwell Sales Vicky Santiago	Jim Murphy Vicky Santiago	Ariel Lopez-Dee Juliet Reyes	MISANG PILIPNO	Maxwell Sales Stanley Murra
5:30 p.m.	Y O U T H M I N I S T R Y				



On Easter Sunday, the Church is recollected in contemplation of the risen Christ. Thus she relives the primordial experience that lies at the basis of her existence. She feels imbued with the same wonder as Mary Magdalene and the other women who went to Christ's tomb on Easter morning and found it empty. That tomb became the womb of life. Whoever had condemned Jesus, deceived himself that he had buried his cause under an ice-cold tombstone. The disciples themselves gave into the feeling of irreparable failure. We understand their surprise, then, and even their distrust in the news of the empty tomb. But the Risen One did not delay in making himself seen and they yielded to reality. They saw and believed! Two thousand years later, we still sense the unspeakable emotion that overcame them when they heard the Master's greeting: "Peace be with you."

Christ's Resurrection is the strength, the secret of Christianity. It is not a question of mythology or of mere symbolism, but of a concrete event. It is confirmed by sure and convincing proofs. The acceptance of this truth, although the fruit of the Holy Spirit's grace, rests at the same time on a solid historical base. On the threshold of the third millennium, the new effort of evangelization can begin only from a renewed experience of this Mystery, accepted in faith and witnessed to in life.... Pope John Paul II

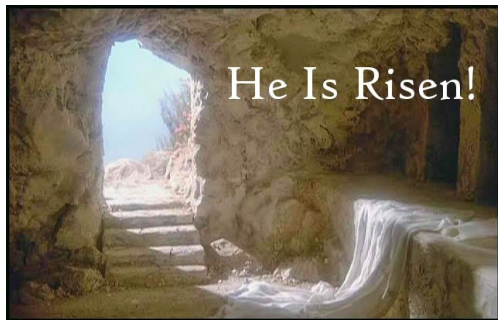
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A Blessed Easter to you and your family.



MAY 2017

	MAY 7 FOURTH SUNDAY of EASTER	MAY 14 FIFTH SUNDAY of EASTER	MAY 21 SIXTH SUNDAY of EASTER	MAY 28 SEVENTH SUNDAY of EASTER
5:00 p.m. (Vigil)	Raquel Ormasa Joyce Buendia	Madelyn Agoncillo Letty Dvi-Vardhana	Agnes Golingay Herman Golingay	Glenda Rosales Joy DeGuzman
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In the Church's liturgical year, Easter is far more than just a one-day celebration. Easter is actually a seven-week season that begins at sundown the evening before Easter Sunday and lasts for six more Sundays until Pentecost. Signs of Christ's new life fill the Church during this season, such as the color white, representing Christ's victory over death; and a large Easter candle reminding us that Christ is the light of the world.

Easter is a time of new promise, new life and new energy. If we look around at the beauty of nature in spring, we are reminded again of the glorious resurrection of Jesus. The dark, cold, days of winter are giving way to green grass and eventually, flowers. Easter is truly a time of newness in our Church and in our world.

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