

APRIL 13 - SATURDAY Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

Vigil Readings: See Sunday

4:00 PM – English - Fr. Jim – Manfred Scherzinger

6:00 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

**APRIL 14 - SUNDAY** 

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

9:00 AM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

11:00 AM - English - Fr. David - In Thanksgiving

12:30 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

APRIL 15 - MONDAY

Acts 6:8-15; Jn 6:22-29

**APRIL 16 - TUESDAY** 

Acts 7:51 - 8:1a; Jn 6:30-35

7:00 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

**APRIL 17 – WEDNESDAY** 

Acts 8:1b-8; Jn 6:35-40

7:00 PM – English – Fr. Luca – Robert Jones

**APRIL 18 – THURSDAY** 

Acts 8:26-40; Jn 6:44-51

7:00 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

**APRIL 19 - FRIDAY** 

Acts 9:1-20; Jn 6:52-59

9:30 AM - English - Fr. Rudy - Michael Murnan

**APRIL 20 - SATURDAY** 

Acts 9:31-42; Jn 6:60-69

**Vigil Readings:** See Sunday

4:00 PM - English - Fr. Jim - Paul Roemer

6:00 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

**APRIL 21 - SUNDAY** 

Acts 4:8-12; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

9:00 AM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

11:00 AM – English – Fr. David – Intention of

Jean McMahon

**12:30 PM** – *Spanish* – Fr. Rudy

English Mass Ministry Schedule: April 20-21

Lectors:

4:00 PM - S. Heidemann

11:00 AM - C. Roosa

**Eucharistic Ministers:** 

4:00 PM - T. LeSaint/ S. Terschak

11:00 AM - L. Washam

Servers:

4:00 PM - Z & M Nintrup

11:00 AM - H. Loyd

Offertory Family:

4:00 PM: LeSaint

**11:00 AM:** N/A

FROM THE FINANCE COMMISSION

Last Week's Collection: \$7,945 Offerings received to-date: \$335,888 Amount needed to catch up: \$9,113

Our Weekly Goal is \$8,000

Thank you for your generosity.

Make it easy on yourself. Use our direct debit

**system for your Sunday Stewardship offering.** To take advantage of this convenience, please call

513-541-1563.

**FOUR GRAND CLUB:** Congratulations to our Week 33 winners: Ryan Erickson, Steve Anello, and Sue Hartmann. Each won \$25.

**CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:** 

Paul Beyer (15), Cindy Prasse (15), Cathy Fioresi (15), Jane Menke (16), Patricia West (16), Trey Wermes (16), Ann Stigler (17), Bill Burns (17), Mike

Cannon (17), Lillian Currens (17), Matt McKenrick (18), Dale Hader (19), Tom Koprowski (19), John Gelly (20), Cynthia Trabish (20), Aaron Finke (20).



Fr. Rudy Coaquira-Hijale, MCCJ, pastor

## FR.RUDY'S

REFLECTION: Today is the Third Sunday of Easter, and we are presented with a Gospel that many consider a masterpiece within a masterpiece. It is an excerpt from the twenty-fourth chapter of Luke that describes Jesus, after meeting two disciples on the road to Emmaus, appears to His apostles, all

together, for the first time. As the apostles learn about the disciples encountering Jesus on the road, He enters their midst, and they circle around Him. It is a scene of great joy, astonishment, and perhaps fear, for He is now in front of them with these calming words: "Peace be with you." Imagine this startling scene and how these men must have reacted. In this heightened anxiety, is it any surprise their first thought would be he was an apparition—not real, not alive, a ghost?

Jesus' resurrection following His suffering and crucifixion was indeed real and the culmination of all that was promised by God throughout Hebrew scripture. With compassion, mercy, and forgiveness for all He endured, He presented Himself as a living, breathing human being these men could touch, see, and recognize that everything had now been made good. In a very literal way, He commissions these men, and truly all of us, to be His witness, to go forth and be like Him, loving God, each other, and ourselves. He has stated "Peace I leave you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives." (John 14:27). We as His followers must believe He is the One who can transform lives for the greater good. It is with loving hearts we come to know this path, and if we become hesitant, we must ask Him to guide us there. It is in His life, death, and resurrection all things are possible, and through His grace, we will find the ultimate peace and joy.

WE HAVE OUR FAMILY NAME! I thank God for the Easter celebrations; we felt the presence of God in many ways in our family of parishes. We move to the future with trust and hope in the Risen Lord. Just before Holy Week, the Archbishop through the Chancellor has named our S-12 Family of Parishes as OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE. I thank the leadership teams of each parish for this accomplishment. As you know "Our Lady of Guadalupe is the patron of Mexico, the United States, and all the Americas, as well as the protector of unborn children. Our Lady of Guadalupe continues to inspire poor and oppressed people worldwide (USCCB website)."

OUR NEW PAROCHIAL VICAR IS HERE! Meet Fr. Samuel Yacob Langena. For the time being, he is visiting the five parishes and greeting the communities. He has been meeting people here at St. Boniface as well as and St. Therese Little Flower, and will be meeting parishioners at St. Joseph, Holy Family, and St. Leo over the next couple of weeks. Afterwards, he will be assigned to celebrate some of the weekend Masses, as well as learning Spanish.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: will hold its election in June. Council meets every other month with the mission of assisting the pastor by presenting him with suggestions and proposals that enrich the parish and its community. To be eligible to run, you must be 18 years of age and an active parishioner at St. Boniface. If interested in running, please submit a profile including full name, reason for declaring yourself a candidate and as how experience/background would contribute to the council and the parish. Please include a picture, if possible. Submissions will be accepted through May 17th and should be submitted using the parish email account: parish@stbonifaceschool.net Please put Parish Council Election in the subject line. If you do not have access to email, please drop your paper submission at the Parish office.

> Make a long-lasting difference! Leave a Legacy by remembering St. Boniface Church in your Will.