

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

March 29, 2026 | Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord



While we know after the fact that the day Jesus chose to enter Jerusalem was going to be special, Jewish people "coming up to Jerusalem" was always a festive event. It brought commerce to the people of Jerusalem and those around the perimeter. Those who came to Jerusalem brought even more excitement as they felt that this particular Passover was going to include something special centering around Jesus. While they were wrong about how things would end, that year's Passover was sacred, unique, and filled with every emotion.

MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	TUESDAY
09:00am	11:30am
11:00am <i>(Spanish)</i>	

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DOMINGO DE RAMOS
PALM SUNDAY ©LPI

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HOLY WEEK

OUR MISSION

Catholic Church of the Resurrection is a diverse Christian Community of faith that:

- is centered in the Eucharist and the Word of God
- proclaims the Good News of Jesus
- seeks, welcomes, and serves all in His name

OUR CLERGY

Pastor – Rev. John M. Zimmerman

Parochial Vicar – Rev. Francis Bakongo Mfesao

Parochial Vicar – Rev. David Michael

Deacon – Deacon James Collins (843) 902-4833

MASS INTENTIONS

March 29 *Palm Sunday*

09:00am + **Benjamin Moody** (*Brad & Kristine Moody*)

11:00am + **Deceased Parish Members**
Spanish

March 31 **NO Mass** - *Priests at Chrism Mass in Charleston*

April 2 *Holy Thursday (bilingual)*

06:00pm + **Luanne McDonld** (*Terry & Sue Youmans*)

April 4 *Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil (bilingual)*

08:02pm + **Theresa Allen** (*Joe & Sue Allen*)

April 5 *Easter Sunday*

09:00am + **Loraine Collins** (*Dcn. Jim Collins*)

11:00am + **Deceased Parish Members**
Spanish

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Jack Rafferty	Adam Green	Abigail Pike
Tim Smith	Victor Cocco	Nancy Lanni
John Matraszek	Jonathan Gorneault	Fischer Family
Maria Mendoza	Victor Cocco	David Nelson
Lena Risser	Larry Walsh	Terry Savino
Jim Carroll		

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

The Resurrection of the LORD

Next weekend's readings are either about the morning of Jesus' Resurrection from the Gospel of John or Matthew. While this event has variations from the other Gospels, they all include Mary Magdalene going to the tomb with spices, only to find the tomb empty and then rushing to inform the Apostles, but only Simon Peter and the Beloved Disciple go. Two Gospels mention the presence of angels and a message, but they all mention the concern of how to open the tomb. God provided. We all have tombs that we create for and entomb ourselves. As Jesus is LORD of the living and the dead, He has freed us from sin and the gloom of death, but we need to free ourselves by placing our trust and have faith in Him over the power of our sins and guilt. Are we like the two Apostles who left the Upper Room to check out Jesus' tomb or more like the others who remained in fearful hiding?

STEWARDSHIP

"With the LORD's Resurrection and glorified Body providing Jesus and the Apostles a new way of being, Easter provides us the opportunity for a new way of being also - if we choose to recognize it and integrate it into our lives. We can deepen our faith that, if Jesus can raise a dead man from the tomb including Himself, what can He not do? As we have received the Holy Spirit - which the Apostles hadn't yet, we should have the courage and faith to do great things in our lives that Jesus is with us. Will He not continue to provide for us if our stewardship testifies to the faith that He will continue to bless and provide if we trust Him and share with others what we have already received?"

PASTOR'S LETTER

Dear brothers and sisters,

Happy Palm Sunday! As we enter Holy Week, the staff of every parish, clergy and lay, remember how much work goes into the liturgies during the Holy Triduum of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, the Easter, Vigil, and Easter Sunday. We only do this once a year and it is the climax of the liturgical year as we enter the Paschal Mystery of our LORD Jesus Christ.

Plans are made for the Lenten Season before Lent begins and many other things are planned for Holy Week and Easter weeks beforehand. Music directors and choirs are practicing, maybe even learning new music for weeks prior to the arrival of Holy Week. Staff are ordering items such as the Paschal Candle, candles for the Easter Vigil, palms for Palm Sunday, among other things. The Washing of the Feet on Holy Thursday followed by a Eucharistic procession after the Mass where Eucharistic Adoration occurs till Midnight more or less. As Jesus was arrested and held away from the public until His Trial, the Eucharist is reserved in a different location than the other 363 days a year. We are invited to spend some time in prayer and Adoration after the Holy Thursday Mass.

Good Friday strives to lead us into a deeper, more melancholy feeling so as to appreciate what Jesus did for us. While we know that He is risen, we try to enter into the sadness of His disciples so as to appreciate better what they experienced. We are able to focus on His Resurrection whereas they could not help but witness His torture and Crucifixion. We cannot help but take this somewhat for granted as we were not there and we know how it ended. The disciples did not - despite how many times Jesus tried to prepare them.

Let us try to spend some time at the end of Holy Week to worship as members of God's family, thanking Jesus for all that He did that we might have salvation. Have a blessed Holy Week! +

In Christ's Peace,

Fr. John



QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"True reverence for the LORD's passion means fixing the eyes of our heart on Jesus crucified and recognizing in Him our own humanity."
--Pope St. Leo the Great

LORIS LENTEN ECUMENICAL SERVICE

12:00 PM Noon

This Wednesday, April 1st

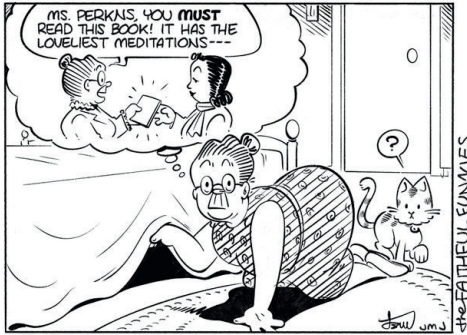
**Catholic Church of the Resurrection
204 Heritage Rd, Loris**



OFFERING COUNTERS

We are in need of more **VOLUNTEER COUNTERS** to provide accurate, consistent, confidential and timely processing of all donations and monetary gifts to the church. Background and Credit Checks are required. **Please see Jean if interested.**

"Why couldn't the grandma find her prayer book?"



"She forgot it was **Lent.**"



FUN FACT! The 40 days before Easter are also known as "Lent," where we focus on praying, fasting, and giving alms. One could also lend books during the 40 days, though.

We will pray the "Our Father" in Latin at all Masses during Lent.

Rezaremos el "Padre Nuestro" en latín en todas las misas durante la Cuaresma.

PATER NOSTER

Pater noster, Qui es in caelis:
Sanctificetur Nomen Tuum:
Advéniat Regnum Tuum:
Fiat Voluntas Tua,
sicut in Caelo et in terra.
Panem nostrum quotidianum
da nobis hodie:
Et dimítte nobis débíta nostra,
sicut et dimíttimus debitóribus nostris.
Et ne nos indúcas in tentátionem,
sed libera nos a malo.
Amen.

Catholic Trivia - Just for Fun

Question: In addition to St. Sebastian, who is the patron saint of police officers?

Answer: St. Michael the Archangel.

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ARE YOU CALLED?



Deacons are ordained as a sacramental sign to the Church and to the world of Christ, who came "to serve and not to be served."

The Diocese of Charleston currently has 246 permanent deacons — 182 are active and 42 are retired; 102 of them are age 70 or older. The formation program for aspirants lasts five and a half years, with a new class beginning every two years.

For information on exploring a vocation as a deacon in the Diocese of Charleston: charlestdiocese.org/diaconate.
Email Deacon Brian Justice, Director of Formation: bjustice@charlestdiocese.org.



PERMANENT DIACONATE

ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES

Communion to Homebound, Hospital, Nursing

Dcn. Jim Collins (843) 9024833, Joe Allen (843) 450-4942 or Donna Kennedy (843) 267-7875

Food Closet Sharon Bedard (843) 877-9738

Prayer Network Kat Knowles (843) 877-3592

Children's Faith Formation (Aug-May) Sun: 9:45am
Jean O'Rourke (843) 902-1310

Ladies Guild (Sept-May) 2nd Thursdays: 12:00pm
Sharon Francis (267) 718-3412

Knights of Columbus 3rd Tuesdays: 7:00pm
Victor Cocco (908) 403-1794

Columbiettes 3rd Wednesdays: 12:00pm
Kat Knowles (843) 877-3592

Bautismo, Quinceañeras, Matrimonios
Miriam Schaefer al (843) 663-0091

Divine Mercy Novena Start

On the solemn day of Good Friday, we are called to begin the Divine Mercy Novena, a nine-day journey of prayer requested by Our Lord Jesus Christ to Saint Faustina Kowalska. Jesus promised, "I desire that during these nine days, you bring souls to the fountain of my mercy"

Please pick up a copy of the Novena on the desk in the gatherin space or see Donna Kennedy.



Sunday, April 12, at 3:00 PM
Please bring your Rosary Beads.



Resurrection is seeking parishioners to serve on the Pastoral Council.

Pastoral Council Purpose (abbreviated):

- To further the fulfillment of the mission of the Church within our Parish;
- To serve as an advisory/consultative body to the Pastor;
- To act as a communicating liaison between the clergy, laity and the various ministries;
- To promote and ensure the Parish Mission and Parish Vision are visible in all aspects of Parish Ministry as well as throughout the Parish community as a whole

Some of the responsibilities of membership in the Catholic Church of the Resurrection Pastoral Council include:

- Attending monthly Council meetings (Approximately 10 meetings per year);
- Being willing to have your contact information on parish webpage and printed in the parish bulletin;
- Attending Parish activities;
- Communicating monthly with other ministry leaders (to include ministry leader meetings);
- Greeting and reaching out to new parishioners (as well as Catechumens, newly baptized, etc.) by phone, email, etc.;
- Participating in strategic planning and initiatives, understanding that not everyone can be pleased all the time.

YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULE

April 2026

- April 5th:** NO Youth Group - Happy Easter!
- April 7th:** Service Hour Opportunity (Pasta Supper Clean-up) 5:30-6:30pm @SJC
- April 12th:** Youth Group (6-7:30pm) @PH
- April 17th:** Bonfire/Movie Night (5:30-9pm) @CCOR
- April 19th:** Service Hour Opportunity (Community Breakfast Clean-up) 11:30am -12:30pm @SJC
- April 19th:** Youth Group (6-7:30pm) @PH
- April 26th:** Youth Group 12:15-1:45pm @CCOR
- April 28th:** Bible Study (5:30-6:30pm) @PH

SJC: Saint John Center
1048 Sea Mountain
Hwy. North Myrtle
Beach, SC 29582

PH: Parish Hall
at Our Lady
Star of the Sea

CCOR: Catholic Church
of the Resurrection
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March 22 Offertory

Mass	Offertory	Weekly Budget	Variance	Attendance
9:00 am	\$2,360.70	\$2,788.46	\$ 379.24	9am - 192
11:00 am	\$ 807.00			11am - 138

YTD Offertory	YTD Budget	YTD Variance
\$ 106,772.72	\$ 103,173.02	\$ 3,559.70

Second/Other Collections	March 15	March Total
Building Fund-9am	\$ 24.41	\$ 778.64
Building Fund-11am	\$ 0.00	\$ 312.00
Black & Indian-9am	\$ 0.00	\$ 15.00
Black & Indian-11am	\$ 0.00	\$ 7.00
HTC Catholic Schools-9am	\$ 5.00	\$ 218.65
HTC Catholic Schools-11am	\$ 17.00	\$ 279.00
Catholic Appeal-9am	\$ 0.00	\$ 55.00
Catholic Appeal-11am	\$ 0.00	\$ 8.00
Catholic Relief Services-9am	\$ 55.00	\$ 205.00
Catholic Relief Services-11am	\$ 0.00	\$ 247.00
Eastern Europe-11am	\$ 0.00	\$ 3.00

SECOND COLLECTIONS

There is no second collections today, March 29.

Today, Match 29, is ***the last day to turn in*** your **EASTER FLOWER ENVELOPES**. The **EASTER FLOWER ENVELOPE** is behind the Easter SUNDAY envelopes in your boxes