

April 21, 2024



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*Pastor*

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**Office Hours:** 9:00 am—4:00 pm M-Th  
9:00 am—12:00 pm Fri

#### WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 4:00 pm (and on [Facebook](#))  
Thursday: 11:00 am (followed by Holy Hour unless there is a funeral)



## APRIL 21 — FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### SACRAMENTS & MINISTRIES

**Reconciliation:** Thursday following 11:00 Mass to 12:30 or by appointment.

**Funerals:** Call Diane Burakow at 202-359-8335, email [dkburakow@gmail.com](mailto:dkburakow@gmail.com).

**Mass Intentions:** Call the Parish Office or go to <https://www.resurrectioncatholic.org/index.php/e-giving>

**Baptisms:** By appointment. Preparation is essential, and registration in the Parish is recommended.

**Weddings:** Please contact the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to setting the wedding date. Preparation is important.

**Youth Faith Formation:** Sundays at 5:15 pm September-May (as scheduled)

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA):** Please contact Julie Pietrocarlo at [julie@resurrectioncatholic.org](mailto:julie@resurrectioncatholic.org)

**Pastoral Council Members:** Joe Shannahan (Chair), Diane Lohr, Carrie Oesmann, Hannah Rogan, Mike Santone, Doug Skinner, Dave Wilmesher, Devlin Cox (Youth Representative)

**Finance Council Members:** Matt Doyle (Chair), Joe Baylor, Bob Flynn, Dave Lohr, Jerry Mallen, Linda McDonnell, Roberta Wallace

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*New to the Parish? Please pick up a yellow **Registration Form** (wall bin near main entrance)*

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8:00 am and 11:00 am Sundays,  
Reconciliation: Wednesdays 5:45-6:45pm

**Francis of Assisi, Rocky Mount** 540-483-9591  
4:30 pm Saturdays, 8:00 am Sundays  
Reconciliation: Saturdays 3:45-4:15

Submit information to [bulletin@resurrectioncatholic.org](mailto:bulletin@resurrectioncatholic.org) by Tuesday.



## THIS WEEK AT RESURRECTION

### **Saturday, April 20**

10:30 Garzia Funeral Mass & Reception  
4:25 Rosary  
5:00 Mass

### **Sunday, April 21**

4:00 Mass  
5:15 Faith Formation

### **Monday, April 22**

10:00 AFF: The Chosen (Morrow Hall)  
6:30 Healing Prayer (Virtual)

### **Tuesday, April 23**

8:00 Tuesday Group & Joyous Junque  
9:00 [Morning Prayer via Zoom](#) PW: pray  
1:00 SVDP Quarterly Meeting (Library)  
7:00 AA (Morrow Hall)

### **Wednesday, April 24**

9:00 [Morning Prayer via Zoom](#) PW: pray  
9:30 WWG (Classroom 5)

### **Thursday, April 25**

9:00 [Morning Prayer via Zoom](#) PW: pray  
10:20 Rosary  
11:00 Mass followed by  
Holy Hour & Eucharistic Adoration  
1:00 FF&E Meeting (Classroom 5)  
1:30 Cemetery Board Meeting (Library)  
3:00 Renovation Committee Mtg (Morrow Hall)

### **Saturday, April 27**

4:25 Rosary (Chapel)  
5:00 Mass

### **Sunday, April 28**

4:00 Mass  
5:15 Youth Faith Formation



*Be strong and take heart,  
all you who hope in the Lord.  
~Psalm 31:24*

## PRAYERS & PRAISE

**Pray for:** Sandy Ball, George Bower, Harry Briggs, Moira Doyle, Helen Gillen, Liz Griffin, Judy Ochal, Christine Patane, Irene Schaible, Julie Vallimont

*Call the Parish Office to add and/or remove names.  
Names will remain on the list for **four weeks**.*

*If you would like to request a confidential prayer to the  
Healing Prayer ministry, send an email to  
[prayers@resurrectioncatholic.org](mailto:prayers@resurrectioncatholic.org).*

### **SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

#### **Offertory for April 13 & 14**

Sat/Sun	\$3,290
Mail/drop-off	\$2,511
Online	\$3,350
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$9,159</b>

*Approximately \$11,000 is needed each week to  
meet our operating expenses.*



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**This week's Special Collection: Haiti**

### **SPECIAL SALE!**

Resurrection will host a sale of hand-carved olive wood items from **Bethlehem Christians** to support **Christians in the Holy Land**. The sale will take place **April 27 & 28** in our Commons area.



### **RENOVATION PROJECT UPDATE**

This past week Father Nixon received Bishop Knestout's approval to proceed with implementation of RCC's renovation project based on the construction drawings presented to the diocesan Building and Renovation Commission (BARC) on March 7. Bids for construction are under review and a selection of a general contractor will be made within the next few weeks. Project mobilization will commence shortly thereafter. Updates regarding the expected start up of construction will be provided as soon as the general contractor agreement has been signed and approved by the diocese. Father Nixon and the Renovation Committee appreciate the assistance and consideration received from RCC parishioners in support of our project.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, April 20

5:00 Joseph Lombardo, John Madura

### Sunday, April 21

4:00 Phyllis Chauvin, Patrick Kelly

### Thursday, April 25

Virginia Van Leer, Joshua Skinner

### Saturday, April 27

5:00 People of Resurrection Catholic Church &  
Holy Name of Mary

### Sunday, April 28

4:00 Hedy Jaracz, Donna Frances

## READINGS

### April 21

Acts 4:8-12  
Psalm 118:1,8-9,21-23,26,28,29  
1 John 3:1-2  
John 10:11-18

### April 28

Acts 9:26-31  
Psalm 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32  
1 John 3:18-24  
John 15:1-8

**Have you had an opportunity to look at our new website?** Just go the [www.resurrectioncatholic.org](http://www.resurrectioncatholic.org) to see what the new site has to offer, including:

- Calendar showing scheduled events
- Easy-to-find Mass times and directions
- Information on our councils and numerous ministries
- Sacramental information
- Bulletins and Flocknotes
- Cemetery and Funeral Information
- Daily Readings from USCCB
- Links to Catholic Virginian, Livestream, Donate online
- Lots more!

We will continue to add content and "grow" the site.

### DID YOU KNOW?



The cost for fresh flowers to adorn the cremated remains is between \$250-\$300? The Funeral Ministry made a request to our Wednesday Women. They asked Mary Hodges, who has been involved with the Craft Fair for over 30 years, to create four arrangements for us: spring/summer, fall, winter, and patriotic. Families will be able to use these flowers at no cost.

Many heartfelt thanks and appreciation to the Wednesday Women who **gifted** these flower arrangements to the Funeral Ministry.

**Empty Bowls**, Trinity Ecumenical Church's fundraiser for hunger relief, hosted by the Hunger, Poverty, Action Group, will be held on **Saturday, April 27**, from 11:30 to 1:30. A small number of tickets are still available (for a suggested donation of \$20). Each guest will have the opportunity to select a hand-crafted pottery bowl, enjoy a lunch of soup, homemade bread, and dessert, and bid on beautiful ceramic or wood items in the Silent Auction (donated by members of the Blue Ridge Pottery Guild and SML Woodturners). All proceeds will benefit Lake Christian Ministries, God's Provision Food Bank, and Heavenly Manna Food Pantry. Please contact [trinityemptybowls@gmail.com](mailto:trinityemptybowls@gmail.com) if you would like a ticket.



### STEBENVILLE CONFERENCE FOR YOUNG ADULTS (AGES 18-30)

FRANCISCAN UNIVERSITY OF STEBENVILLE  
Power & Purpose Conference, June 14-16 weekend will include Young Adult socials as well as a breakout session speaker *just for you!* Check out the [Steubenville Adult Conferences](#) for schedules, keynote speaker lineups, and registration.

### JOYOUS JUNQUE UPDATE



**NOTICE:** the Joyous Junque drop off shed will be **locked and closed on April 30** to avoid any interference with the renovation project and to allow us ample time to prepare for the sale June 8 and 9.

Joyous Junque sale **Saturday June 8 and June 9** from **8 am to 3 pm**. Please mark your calendars! Plan to shop!

The Busy Bees widows group will meet for lunch at Vinny's on **Tuesday, April 23** at **11:45 a.m.** with a short presentation on safety tips from an officer from Franklin County. Any widow interested in attending, please contact Nancy at 703-969-7941.



### Prayer for Fr. Nixon

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our pastor, Fr. Nixon.

Through him, we experience your presence in the sacraments.

Help Fr. Nixon to be strong in his vocation. Set his soul on fire with love for your people.

Grant him the wisdom, understanding, and strength he needs to follow in the footsteps of Jesus.

Inspire him with the vision of your kingdom.

Give him the words he needs to spread the Gospel.

Allow him to experience joy in his ministry.

Help him to become an instrument of your divine grace.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest

Amen





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