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Monday through Thursday
8:30am to 3:30pm

**Easter Sunday of the
Resurrection of the Lord**
~ April 4, 2021 ~



Mass Schedules and Sacraments

~ **Weekend Masses** ~

Saturday Evening

4:00pm at Saint Theresa

Sunday Morning

8:00am at Saint Theresa

9:30am at Saint Christopher

11:00am at Saint Theresa

~ **Weekday Mornings** ~

Monday through Wednesday

8:00am at Saint Theresa

Thursday

8:00am at St. Christopher

Holy Day Masses & Holy Hour

As Announced

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday afternoons 3:30pm at Saint Theresa
or by Appointment. Please call the Parish Office

Sacrament of Baptism

By Appointment ~ Please call the Parish Office

First Friday

We will begin Mass at Brookdale

Friday, April 9, 2021 at 9:30am.

There will be no 1st Friday visits at this time.



Welcome to our Parishes! St. Theresa & St. Christopher Parishes welcome you to join our parish and become an active member. Please call or visit the Parish Office located at 265 Stafford Rd. (401) 624-8746 or visit our website www.sstandctiverton.org where you can print the parish registration form to register you and your family as members of our Parish. Drop off your completed form at the Parish Office, collection basket at church or by mail. If you would like more information, or if you have questions, please do not hesitate to call us. Office hours are Monday-Thursday 8:30am-3:30pm.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, April 3rd ~ Holy Saturday
7:30pm + **At St. Theresa Church**
For The Parishes

Sunday, April 4th ~ Easter Sunday
of the Resurrection of the Lord

8:00am + **For the Parishes**

9:30am + **For the Parishes**

11:00am + **For the Parishes**

Monday, April 5th

8:00am + **Monica Silvia**
(by Bob & Rose Marie Paul)

Tuesday, April 6th

8:00am + **Agnes & Andrew Lima**
(by Dottie Midura)

Wednesday, April 7th

8:00am + **Bertha & Edward Girza**
(by Joan & Matt Landock)

Thursday, April 8th

8:00am + **Diniz Cabral**
(by Louis & Joan Cabral)

Friday, April 9th ~ Confirmation

6:00pm **At St. Theresa Church**
For all Faith Formation Students

Saturday, April 10th

4:00pm + **Mary Jane Comeau**
(by Doald Comeau & Family)

Sunday, April 11th

8:00am + **For the Parishes**

9:30am + **Benny Beaudoin ~ Birthday Remembrance**
(by Family)

11:00am **At St. Theresa Church - 1st Communion**
For all Faith Formation Students



Daily Readings

**Easter Sunday
of the Resurrection of the Lord**

Sunday Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8;
Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or, at an afternoon or evening
Mass, Lk 24:13-35

Monday Acts 2:14, 22-33; Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35

Thursday Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48

Friday Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15



**EASTER SUNDAY OF THE
RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**

First Reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Peter discusses Jesus' life of preaching and healing. Jesus was crucified, then he rose up and was seen by his chosen witnesses. Peter also mentions the importance of all the disciples bearing witness to what they saw, so that many people would believe in Jesus, and have their sins forgiven through him.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

Paul asserts that we must pay attention to higher realms rather than earthly concerns. Our life is not yet completely known to us, until Christ appears and we are raised to glory in him.

Gospel: John 20:1-9

When Mary Magdalene discovered Jesus' tomb was open, she told Simon Peter and another disciple. They ran to the tomb and Peter went inside. He found the burial wrappings on the ground, with the head covering separate from the rest. The other disciple came in and they believed what they saw, although until then they had not understood the Scripture's message of Jesus' resurrection.

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

Easter Vigil

Saturday, April 3, 2021

7:30pm St. Theresa
Lector (1): Don Comeau
Lector (3): Diane Santos
Lector (5): Madge Thombs
Epistle: Barbara Hayes

Confirmation

Friday, April 9, 2021

6:00pm St. Theresa
Lector: Students

Saturday, April 10, 2021

4:00pm St. Theresa
Lector: Michele Reynolds

Sunday, April 11, 2021

8:00am St. Theresa
Lector: Peter Moniz

9:30am St. Christopher
Lector: Ellen Sheil

11:00am St. Theresa
1st Communion
Lector: Students

Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 4, 2021

8:00am St. Theresa
Lector: Charlene Andrade
9:30am St. Christopher
Lector: Justin Katz
11:00am St. Theresa
Lector: Doreen Gendreau



Rev. Clifford Cabral	Steven Laquerre	Kevin Destremps
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Please remember in your prayers, all those listed here and whose names are in the prayer box in St. Christopher sanctuary, all the sick of our parishes, and those at home in the hospitals, and nursing facilities.

Call the number below if you know anyone in need of prayers and you would like to remember them in the bulletin. Their name will remain for one month of prayers.

Call: Parish Office, Mondays 9am- noon (401-624-8746)



ETERNAL REST PRAYER OFFERING

We offer our prayers and condolences to the families and friends of Jean Cameron. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

WORSHIP AIDS

~ **Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord ~ April 4, 2021 ~**

Reading I

Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Peter proceeded to speak and said:
 “You know what has happened all over Judea,
 beginning in Galilee after the baptism
 that John preached,
 how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth
 with the Holy Spirit and power.
 He went about doing good
 and healing all those oppressed by the devil,
 for God was with him.
 We are witnesses of all that he did
 both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem.
 They put him to death by hanging him on a tree.
 This man God raised on the third day and granted that he be visible,
 not to all the people, but to us,
 the witnesses chosen by God in advance,
 who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead.
 He commissioned us to preach to the people
 and testify that he is the one appointed by God
 as judge of the living and the dead.
 To him all the prophets bear witness,
 that everyone who believes in him
 will receive forgiveness of sins through his name.”

Responsorial Psalm

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad., This is
 the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad

Reading II

I Cor 5:6b-8

Brothers and sisters:
 Do you not know that a little yeast leavens all the dough?
 Clear out the old yeast,
 so that you may become a fresh batch of dough,
 inasmuch as you are unleavened.
 For our paschal lamb, Christ, has been sacrificed.
 Therefore, let us celebrate the feast,
 not with the old yeast, the yeast of malice and wickedness,
 but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

Gospel

Jn 20:1-9

On the first day of the week,
 Mary of Magdala came to the tomb early in the morning,
 while it was still dark,
 and saw the stone removed from the tomb.
 So she ran and went to Simon Peter
 and to the other disciple whom Jesus loved, and told them,
 “They have taken the Lord from the tomb,
 and we don’t know where they put him.”
 So Peter and the other disciple went out and came to the tomb.
 They both ran, but the other disciple ran faster than Peter
 and arrived at the tomb first;
 he bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in.
 When Simon Peter arrived after him,
 he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there,
 and the cloth that had covered his head,
 not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place.
 Then the other disciple also went in,
 the one who had arrived at the tomb first,
 and he saw and believed.
 For they did not yet understand the Scripture
 that he had to rise from the dead.

Opening Hymn: Worthy Is The Lamb

Refrain: Worthy is the Lamb that was slain
 to receive honor and glory.
 Worthy are the ones who believe
 to receive the goodness of God.
 Worthy are you, O paschal Lamb.
 Wisdom and strength belong now to you.
 You laid down your life and died upon the cross:
 we've become a people of hope.

Communion Hymn: The Supper of the Lord

Refrain: Precious body, precious blood,
 seen as bread and wine;
 here the Lord prepares the feast divine.
 Bread of love is broken now, cup of life is poured;
 Come share the supper of the Lord.

This is the bread of God
 Coming down from heav’n,
 Giving life to us, to all the world

Communion Hymn: Proclaim The Message

Refrain: Proclaim the message: “behold our Savior’s risen!”
 Rejoice, again I say rejoice, rejoice!
 For on the last day we shall rise again
 and see the face of God. Rejoice, rejoice!

Recessional Hymn: Alleluia, Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise

Alleluia, alleluia! Let the holy anthem rise,
 and the choirs of heaven chant it in the temple of the skies.
 Let the mountains skip with gladness and the joyful valleys ring,
 with hosannas in the highest to our Savior and our King.

Gloria

Refrain: 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 almighty Father.

**(Refrain)*

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.

**(Refrain)*

For you alone are Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone, are
 Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God
 the Father. Amen.

**(Refrain)*

**(Additional refrain markings used when sung)*



EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Faith Formation Sacrament Rehearsal Dates

Wednesday, April 7, 2021

1st Communion Rehearsal: 6:30-7pm ~St. Theresa Church

Thursday, April 8, 2021

Confirmation Rehearsal: 6:30-7pm ~St. Theresa Church

(With Sponsors)

~~~~SACRAMENTAL DATES~~~~

Sacrament of Confirmation:

Friday, April 9, 2021 6pm

Sacrament of First Eucharist:

Sunday, April 11, 2021 11am



Both celebrations will take place at St. Theresa Church.



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THANK You to everyone who came out to support our Clam Chowder and Clam Cakes To Go event this Lenten season. And a great big thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make this event possible.

Thank you **EASTER THANK YOU**

We express our gratitude to all who have helped us to celebrate this year's Sacred Triduum and Easter celebrations. Our Music Ministry-Cantors, choir members, & instrumentalists. Our Liturgical Ministers--Lectors and Altar Servers. Our Hospitality Ministers. All who prepared our Churches and all who gather here-our parishioners, friends and visitors. Happy Easter!

PRAY FOR PRIESTS

Each week we will post a small list of some of the priests in our Diocese. Each week the list will consist of a different group of names. Together, let us pray for our priests. The lists will include both active and retired priests.

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| Rev. Msgr. William J. McCaffrey | Rev. George B. McCarthy |
| Rev. Edward J. McGovern | Rev. John T. McNulty |
| Rev. Farrell E. McLaughlin | Rev. Michael J. McMahon |

Prayer for Priests - St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus

O Jesus, Eternal Priest, keep your priests within the shelter of your Most Sacred Heart, where none can touch them. Keep unstained their anointed hands, which daily touch your Sacred Body. Keep unsullied their lips, daily tinged with your Precious Blood. Keep pure and unworldly their hearts, sealed with the sublime mark of the priesthood. Let Your Holy Love surround and protect them from the world's contagion. Bless their labors with abundant fruit, and may the souls to whom they minister be their joy and consolation here, and their everlasting crown in the hereafter. Amen.



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Food Collection

*Thank you & Happy Easter
Women's Guild*

PARISH FINANCES

Collection Report for March 27-28

St. Theresa:

March 27 - March 28

Budget Envelopes:	129	\$ 4,359.00
EFT:	9	\$ 217.50
Total:		\$ 4,576.50
Weekly Budgeted Expectations:		\$ 5,865.00
Second Collection: Operation Rice Bowl		\$ 1,196.00
Easter Flowers collection:		\$ 1,193.00

St. Christopher:

March 27 - March 28

Budget Envelopes:	67	\$ 1,905.00
Loose collection:		\$ 297.00
Total:		\$ 2,202.00
Weekly Budgeted Expectations:		\$ 3,044.00
Second Collection: Operation Rice Bowl		\$ 300.76
Easter Flowers collection:		\$ 346.00

Thank You for your continued support of your parish.

A Special thank you to all parishioners who have continued to make their donations during this difficult time.
May God bless you all.

WORSHIP AID

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen



We are so happy to be back in our churches! To keep everyone healthy & safe, please observe all safety signage and markings. It is up to each of us to protect each other. Below is a list of health & safety guidelines:



- Face-coverings/masks are to be worn in and around the church (except for those under 2 years old).
- Remember to sit 6-feet-apart. Those living in the same household may sit together without distancing. (Be mindful of markings and closed sections/areas)
- Use your bulletin for readings and hymns for Mass. These bulletins are for one-time use ONLY. They may not be reused. Bring it home with you or discard.
- Holy Communion, single file, keeping 6-feet apart, MAIN AISLE ONLY. Return by the side aisles.
- Holy Communion: NO GLOVES. Receive in hand only. Remember to use your hand sanitizer. Wear your mask. Remove it just before receiving, then replace.
- Collection baskets will not be passed in the pews. A collection basket is provided at the back of the church.
- Recessional & Dismissal: To avoid large numbers leaving at the same time, we will dismiss parishioners one section at a time. Thank you for your patience and cooperation!
- To help stop the spread of the virus, use hand sanitizer or wash your hands regularly. Avoid touching your face and avoid touching surfaces unnecessarily. Before & after every Mass, all commonly used surfaces in the church & hall will be sanitized.
- Anyone who is ill, has a high temperature, cough, etc., please, stay home and take good care of yourself to keep the whole community healthy.

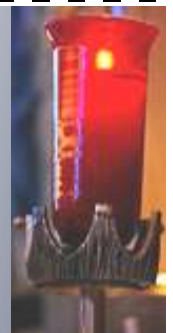
Sanctuary Candle

The Sanctuary Light in Saint Christopher Church burns to the Honor and Glory of God this week for the intentions of David G. McLaughlin



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