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April 9, 2023 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

OUR EASTER DEBT OF GRATITUDE

As part of the celebratory mood of Easter, here are a couple of humorous anecdotes. An old pastor finished his Easter morning homily by announcing, "Brothers and sisters in Christ, as I'll probably not see many of you till next Easter, may I take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!" The other story tells of a man who criticized his pastor: "I've been coming to this church for three years now and each time the homily is always about the same topic! Doesn't Father have anything

else to talk about?" Yes, this man had been attending Mass for three years alright; but he only came on Easter Sunday, and so only heard a homily on Jesus' resurrection. On a more serious note, however, both stories raise a disturbing question: Why do otherwise good Catholics miss coming to Sunday Mass all year long, as the third commandment commands?

The Paschal Mystery of Jesus' Death and Resurrection that we celebrate today records His last words on the cross as **"It is finished**," which is translated from the Greek word "*tetelestai*." What does "*tetelestai*" refer to? A few years ago archaeologists in the Holy Land dug up a tax collector's office which was almost intact, including all the tax records. There were two stacks of tax records; one had the word "*tetelestai*" on the top, translated as "paid in full." These people no longer owed anything! And so, when Jesus said, "It is finished," what is finished? It's the debt we owe God by our sins that's been paid in full. Jesus often spoke of sin as debt, and forgiveness as a cancellation of debt. He told the parable of the unforgiving servant in terms of debt, and taught us to say, "**Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.**" He clearly used the language of commerce to describe our spiritual relationship with God and with our neighbor. So, on the cross, when He says "*tetelestai*," "paid in full," our sins are completely forgiven. Our debt is finished.

Today on Easter Sunday how do we respond? What do we have to do? All we have to do is say, "Amen...so be it," and to believe these words apply to us personally, no matter how great our sin. Our debt has been paid in full and cancelled, no matter how huge the amount. All we have to do is to say "Thank you, Jesus" and show it all our lives. That's why we go to church every Sunday, to offer the Eucharist, which means "thanksgiving," and that's why we avoid sin. If Jesus has paid all the debt that we owe to God, we must ensure that we don't accumulate more debt by the sin of missing Mass.

Let's make every Sunday an Easter Sunday!

~Fr. John Cuff

MASS SCHEDULE

St. Barbara Chapel
Tuesday/Thursday/Saturday: 8 a.m.
St. Barbara Church
Saturday: 5 p.m.
Sunday: 6 a.m./9:30 a.m.
Indonesian: 2nd Sunday: 11:30 a.m.
DEVOTIONS
First Saturday Healing Mass
St. Barbara Chapel: 8 a.m.
The Rosary

Sunday 5:30 a.m. Before 6 a.m. Mass

St. Therese Chinese Catholic Church Monday/Wednesday/Friday: 8 a.m. Sunday: 8 a.m./10:30 a.m.

Cantonese: 1st Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Mandarin: 2nd Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (TBA) 4th Sunday: 12:30 p.m.

DEVOTIONS

Mondays with Sisters of the Missionaries of Charity: 4-5 p.m. Rosary and 5-6 p.m. Holy Hour First Friday Holy Hour: After the 8 a.m. Mass



St. Barbara Worship Site

Sunday, April 9th | Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

- 6:00 a.m. + Anne Kaminski by Payton Family
 - + Ron Freeman by Janet Ropke
 - + Deceased Members of the Ropke & Bertucci Families by Janet Ropke
 - + Rosemary Gleeson Naponiello by Janet Ropke
 - + Czeslaw Garbien by Janet Ropke
 - +Tom Snooks by Janet Ropke
 - + Gina Battaglia by Janet Ropke
 - + Joseph F. Anello by Janet Ropke
 - + Anthony "ToTo" Giglio by daughter Josephine and Peter Laco

9:30 a.m. Health Blessing for Diane Rzasa

- + Teresita Holcomb by King Family
- + Lawrence S. Pusateri by Family
- + Ed Glabicki by wife

Tuesday, April 11th | Tuesday within the Octave of Easter

8:00 a.m. Blessings for Parishioners & Benefactors

Thursday, April 13th | Thursday within the Octave of Easter

8:00 a.m. + Nick Koclanis, 8 year Anniversary, by M. Korso

Saturday, April 15th Saturday within the Octave of

Easter

8:00 a.m. + Birthday Remembrance, Mickey (Dominic Barbaro) by Family

Saturday, April 15th Vigil | Divine Mercy Sunday

5:00 p.m. + Kim D'Amico by Joe & Rena

+ Joyce, sister and John Fockler, husband by Jane Fockler

Sunday, April 16th | Divine Mercy Sunday

6:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m. + Teresita Holcomb by King Family + Mary Diaz DeLeon by Family

LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

St. Barbara

Saturday, April 15th:
5p.m. Lectors: B. Pienta, B. Hudren Eucharistic Minister: C. Sokolowski
Sunday, April 16th:
6a.m. Lectors: J. Bertucci Eucharistic Minister: G. Vanderford
9:30 a.m. Lectors: H. Alonzo, A. Alonzo, III Eucharistic Minister: A. Alonzo

St. Therese Worship Site

Sunday, April 9th | Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

- 8:00 a.m. + Annie Lee Yong by Daughter
 - + Peter Yuan by Yuan Family
 - + Lawrence S. Pusateri by Family
 - + All Deceased Family Members of Marion Roti by Marion
 - + Cookie & David Jarzyna by Marion
 - + Carmen Prescia by Marion
 - + Ena, 78th Anniversary Remembrance by daughter Marion
 - + All Deceased Members of the Zito & D'Amico Families by Joe & Rena
- 10:30 a.m. + Chin Shee Lee by Patti Lee
 - + John Gornick by Darlene
 - + Diane Marie Chan by Darlene

Monday, April 10th | Monday within the Octave of Easter

8:00 a.m. + Chan Sim Wong & Loung Lee by Rose Lee & Family

Wednesday, April 12th | Wednesday within the Octave of Easter

- 8:00 a.m. + All Forgotten Souls in Purgatory by Dominic Barbaro
 - + Rose Capinegro, Birthday Remembrance by Marion

Friday, April 14th | Friday within the Octave of Easter

8:00 a.m. Blessings for Parishioners & Benefactors

St. Therese

Easter Sunday, April 16th:
8:00a.m. Greeters: N. Lowe, J. Lowe Lectors: A. Romallosa St. Michael Ministry:
10:30a.m. Greeters: C. Lee, J. Yee, D. Lowe Lectors: C. Pon, C. DiFranco
Eucharistic Ministers: TBA (Altar) TBA(Choir) St. Michael Ministry: Pat

CONGRATULATIONS and THANKS

Congratulations to the following School and Religious Education Program students who celebrated their First Reconciliation last Saturday. Thanks to their teachers and parents for accompanying them on their faith journey.

Fr. Francis Li PASTOR

Aryanna Eng Mabel Ho Cielle Rodriguez Anthony Sciammarella Emily Fiedor Isabella Ponce Andrea Sanchez Miya Zangara

Thanks to our 7th and 8th Grade classes for leading us with the Living Stations on Friday, March 31st at St. Barbara and on Sunday, April 2nd at St. Therese. Special thanks to **Joe Delfin, Sabina Lilly, Christine Delfin, Elisa Wong and Matthew Henties** for their leadership and assistance to get our students well prepared.



PASCHAL JOY

After the Lenten season of penance and sacrifice, we are ready to embrace and celebrate the Easter life and joy. The proclamation of Easter reminds us, "**Be glad, let earth be glad, as glory floods her, ablaze with light from her eternal King, let all corners of the earth be glad, knowing an end to gloom and darkness.**"

We know what "gloom and darkness" look like in our world. Easter calls us to renew our faith in Christ, the light of the World. At the heart of Easter is about love and joy.

The Easter Vigil is the "Mother of All Vigils" and Easter Sunday is the greatest of all Sundays. The season of Easter is the most important of all liturgical times, which Catholics celebrate as the Lord's resurrection from the dead, culminating in his Ascension to the Father and sending of the Holy Spirit upon the Church. The octave of Easter comprises the eight days which stretch from the first to the second Sunday. It is a way of prolonging the joy of the initial day. There are 50 days of Easter from the first Sunday to Pentecost. It is characterized, above all, by the joy of glorified life and the victory over death expressed most fully in the great resounding cry of the Christian: Alleluia! All faith flows from faith in the resurrection: "If Christ has not been raised, then empty is our preaching; empty, too, is your faith." (1 Cor 15:14) See Easter | USCCB

We also rejoice because the following brothers and sisters in our parish will celebrate their Sacraments of Initiation or complete one of the Sacraments at Easter Vigil. What a blessing to celebrate with them on this special night!

OCIA Candidates: Frances Z. Xu Lee, Christina Lopez, Ricky Yong, Gordon Tam, Shaopan Lin, Yu Mary Xiao, and Liqin William Zheng

Students: Joy Chen, Kaley Chen, Winnie Chen, Xinyue Chen, Abrahm Gutierrez, J'zalia Valdez, Jordan Valdez, and Samantha Franco

Finally we extend our warmest welcome to our parishioners, especially to those who have joined us in-person for the first time since the Pandemic and to all of our visitors.

May the Risen Lord fill you and your loved ones with abundant peace, love and joy. Happy Easter!

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Total as of 04/03/2023: \$8,665

EASTER DONATIONS at ST. BARBARA Easter Donations as of 04/06/2022 Thank YOU to all who contributed!

| Christine & Othon Encina | 50 |
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| Elizabeth Rosado | 10 |
| Marion Roti | 100 |
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Total as of 04/06/2023: \$420





will be celebrated on Sunday, April 16th. Chaplets of the Divine Mercy will be prayed after the 8:00am Mass at St. Therese and after the 9:30am Mass at St. Barbara.

All are welcome!

Jesus, I trust in you.



April 15-May 15 Special Schedule:

Mondays with the Sisters of the Missionary of Charity: 4pm-5pm Street Rosary and 5pm-6pm Adoration at St. Therese Church. All are welcome.

Good Shepherd Catechism for children 3 to 7 years takes place on Sundays at 10:30am at St. Therese.

Apr. 16---Presentation of Confirmandi at the 10:30am Family Mass at St. Therese;

Divine Mercy Chaplets Prayer after the 9:30am mass at St. Barbara and after the 8am mass at St. Therese; 11:30am Indonesian Mass at St. Barbara

Apr. 17----8am St. Therese Campus Mass, 10am Staff Meeting & 6:30pm PPC meeting

Apr. 18---8am St. Barbara Campus Mass in Church

Apr. 19---Vicariate III meeting

Apr. 23---Confirmation at the 9:30am mass with Bishop Kevin Birmingham at St. Barbara;

12:30pm Mandarin Mass at St. Therese

- **Apr. 24**---6:30pm Finance Council Meeting at St. Barbara
- Apr. 28----Living –Well Speaker Series
- Apr. 30---12pm Evangelization Meeting
- May 2---1pm All School May Crowning Mass at St. Barbara Church
- May 3---6pm School Board Meeting
- May 6----1st Communion Retreat
- May 7----12pm SMI Mass
- May 8----6:30pm Liturgy Meeting
- May 10----8:00am St Therese Campus Mass
- May14---Mother's Day & 11:30am Indonesian Mass at St. Barbara

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Quote from Pope Francis:

The Way of the Cross alone defeats sin, evil and death, for it leads to the radiant light of Christ's resurrection and opens the horizons of a new and fuller life. It is the way of hope, the way of the future.

DMI SURVEY

If you completed a paper copy of the Disciple Maker Index, please turn it in to the parish office by Monday, April 10. Thank you!

MUSIC / CHOIR NEWS



A heartfelt Thank You to our Parish musicians for your hard work toward a beautiful Triduum and Easter celebration! There will be no choir rehearsal this week. The next rehearsal will take place Tuesday, April 18, 7pm, at St. Barbara

Church.

HOLY NAME NEWS



Holy Name next meeting is Friday, April 14th in the mobile unit at St. Barbara. We will have delicious pizza from a neighborhood shop, chef Jeff will be out of town.

The 100 Club tickets are available for \$1 in the back of St. Barbara church. Split the pot tickets are all sold for April's drawing.

The date for the Elvis Night of dinner and music is September 9th. Ticket prices and availability will be coming later this month.

All men aged 18 and up are welcome to come join Holy Name as we strive to support our Parish and our neighborhood community.

Carnival Corner

We will be hosting our first Carnival as a unified Parish. This is a huge event, and the only Carnival in our area. It is exciting to see Throop Street and the Parking lot transformed into an amusement park. It also takes a lot of volunteers to help make it a huge success. We will be hosting a meeting in which all are invited. Please watch here for more details. *Mark your calendar for May 18-21, 2023*. Feel free to join St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish's annual Carnival Page on Facebook (St. Barbara Church Carnival 2023). Thank you! ~Wendy Kaput.

RESPECT LIFE

QUOTE:* "Like us, Christ entered the world through the womb of a woman. He willingly experienced the fullness of human suffering. He breathed his last on the Cross at Calvary in order that He might save us. Therefore, 'God is the foundation of hope: not any god, but the God who has a human face and who has loved us to the end." — USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Respect Life Reflection: Christ Our Hope in Every Season of Life" (Pope Benedict XVI, Spe salvi © 2007, Libreria Editrice Vaticana.)

Our Prayers – * For all those receiving hospice care: May the care they receive bear witness to the gift of their lives; *We pray to the Lord:* * May the glory of the Resurrection inspire lasting hope in all who work to protect human life; *We pray to the Lord:*

WEEKLY COLLECTION—APRIL 2, 2023

| | | | St | t. Barbara | | : | St. Therese |
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| Sunday Envelopes | | | \$ | 1,465.00 | | \$ | 1,420.00 |
| Sunday Loose | | | \$ | 421.00 | | \$ | 824.00 |
| Give Central | | | \$ | 637.00 | | \$ | 505.00 |
| Total Collection | | | \$ | 2,523.00 | | \$ | 2,749.00 |
| | | YTD | | Weekly | _ | YTD | Weekly |
| Actual | \$ | 81,095.00 | \$ | 2,523.00 | \$ | 92,154.00 \$ | 2,749.00 |
| Goal | \$ | 108,000.00 | \$ | 2,700.00 | \$ | 108,000.0 \$ | 2,700.00 |
| % of Goal | _ | 75% | | 93% | | 85% | 102% |
| | _ | | \$ | | | \$ | |
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Please pray for those who are ill, homebound, hospitalized and in need of continued prayers.

Amalia Agins, Austin Agins, Bernadette Agins, Joyce Agins, Stephen Agins, Mary Aguirre, Angeleo Alonzo,, Debbie Annoreno, Amy Averet, Kimberly Babe, Geraldine Baldwin, Judith Beaudry, Christine Bertucci, Joseph 'Joey' Bertucci, Lonnie & Theresa Bertucci-Falls, Jennifer Bond, Jeff Bowman, Andrea Brongiel, Mary Camarda, Anthony Capone Sr., Laverne Connolly, Joe Cruz, Patti Cuchetto, Paul DeGrazia, Henry Diaz De Leon, Kathy Egle, Nenita Feliciano, Jerry Felske, Minnie Ford, Natalia Francone, Bill Frank, Darlene Frost, Harold Frost, Paul Gadomski, Ray Gadomski, Lily Ann Galloway, John Gasca, Bernadette Glabicki, Ed Glos, Pat Grieco, Koen Guest, Jose P. Gutierrez, Kellar Harris, , Jasmine Henson, Barbara Herr, Denise Holland, Gwen Holub, Morris Humphrey, Michaeline Hunter, Ted Hunter, Suzanne Ivester, Jennifer Janson, Maryann Januszewski, Chester Jendryczka, Dr. Joe, John Kaput, Dorothy Kawalerski, Rose Kisielowski, Anna Kolendo, Christine Krupa, Janice Kutansky, Craig Labudda, Sunny Labudda, Baby Kinsley Paige Leschinsky, Kiera Litwin, Lenny Loretto, Richard Lyznicki, Nancy Mallory, John Mangan, Kayle Marth, Paul Martinez, Bill Marczuk, Zena Masi, Maria Mawgwi, Lil' Joe Michalak, Cindy Moore, Dr. Mike, Tony Mrgan, Cydney Muti, Stephanie Nicks, Deacon Jack O'Leary, Allison Pakula, Virginia Pakula, Eva Castillion Parcon, Josie Petkus, Michael Petruck, Theresa Pickens, Dolores Pienta, Mitchell Pienta, Ellen Pietrzak, Beverly Pirelli, Megan Pirelli, Ray Polakowski, Barbara Rekar, Josephine Richardson, Sandra Rios, Joel Rivera, Jose Rodriguez, Jose C. Rodriguez, Mila Rolon, Dolly Roti, Ellen Ryan, Therese Ryndak, Maria Saludo, Kennedy Shepski, Anthony Sinople, Adeline Skokal, Raymond Smolinski, Gary Solverson, Sharon Solverson, Diane Spata, Joanne Stewart, Lauren Stronczek, Rose Stronczek, Shirley Synal, Robert Synal, Baby Zachary Synal, Emily Rose Thomas, Norbert Trojanowski, Bill Ufferman, Dolores Ufferman, Dave Ulczycki, Christine Vanderford, George Vanderford Sr., George Vanderford Jr., Juan Vargas, Joyce Vogt, Ava Walczak, Sadie Walker, Barbara Webb, Bill Webb, Sylvia Wiertel, Madison Young, Eugene & John Zabek, Evelyn Zaleski, Virginia Zawacki*** Ken Barber, Hu Bin, Jose Cardinal, Joseph Caruso, Roberta Cheong, Kim Chiu, Brian Cook, Sister Noel Devine, Jimmy Distasio, MAD & Rose Marie Donato, Mark Donato, Mia Rose Faciana, Kerry Fluder, Gyna Gazzi, James Gemkow, Roseann Gurgone, Michael Howley, Frank Karagianes, Levi Kirkland, Angela Lasillo, George Lee, David Leung, Shiu Wah Leung, Felina Li, James Longo, III, Matthew Mantia, Phil Maraldi, Jerry McCarthy, Barbara McElroy, Xue Ying Mou, Lucy Moy, Mina Preysler Munoz, Cita Orendain, John Paleoik, Anne Pataka, Rose Perez, Gerard Phillips, Ali Powers, James Rak, Victor Roa, Phyllis Robinson, Joseph Rubin, Amelia Lorraine Schroeder, Karl Schroeder, David Sero, Richard Shew, Kay Siani, Nicholas Tobar, Richard Tobar, Anthony Valentino, Luz Whitehead, Luke Williamson, Bai Xue, Ching Shiu Yau, Lan Ying Yee, Ramona Zavala, Susan Zibricky, Sonny Furmanek, Juliana, 蔡宏恩, Jimmy Distasio, Kate Lynch, Josephine Laco, Dolores Becatti, Michele Young, Charles Corbett, Rick Deleon, Shirley Mendoza, Judy Lukwinski, Gary Leverence, Diane Rzasa, MingYing Liu, FanYa Zhang, Diana Cardinal,

***Please review the above Prayer List to identify if there is a name that should be removed OR inform us if there is someone that needs to be added. Please call the rectory to make changes. Thank YOU!

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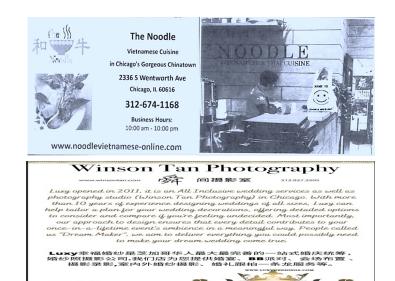
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Communion Calls: Please contact the Rectory when someone who is homebound or in the hospital wishes a visit to receive Holy Communion or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. The Anointing of the Sick is for anyone seriously sick and not only for those near death.

Confessions: Saturdays, 4:15-4:45 p.m. at St. Barbara Church or by appointment.

Ministry of Care: Eucharistic Ministers are available to visit, pray with, and bring Holy Communion to those who are sick and unable to attend Mass.

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St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Easter Egg Hunt & Brunch with the Easter Bunny

Sunday, April 9th • St. Therese Worship Site

Mass 8am Easter Egg Hunt 9:15-10:15am Mass 10:30am Brunch approx. 11:45am

Suggested donation for Brunch-\$5 per person at the door



We pray for Ukraine and Russia and for all our brothers and sisters living in fear and for all victims of war. Lord, Raise up peacemakers, so that violence and war can end.