

Christ my hope is Risen

Infant of Prague Catholic Church & School

Marine Blvd, Jacksonville, NC

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil - 5:00PM

Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:30AM, 12:30PM, Misa en Espanol

FIRST SATURDAY MASS – 10:00AM

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday – 12Noon

Thursday – 9:00AM, Thursday – 7PM (Spanish)

RECONCILIATION:

Friday 10:30AM-12Noon, Saturdays 2:00 - 4:00 PM or by Appointment

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MISSION STATEMENT: Called by our Baptism and empowered by the Holy Spirit, Infant of Prague Catholic Church and School celebrates our Unity in God through worship, sacraments and adoration. We educate in faith, embrace stewardship and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

PARISH MOTTO: "Be Christ-like in all we say and do."

Compassion, *Honesty*, *Reverence*, *Integrity*, *Service*, *Trust*

PARISH REGISTRATION: We welcome new parishioners to share fully in our Parish life. As new members you bring vitality and growth to our parish. Registration forms are available in the clear magazine racks in each of the entrances of the Church. You may call the Parish Office to have a registration form mailed to you or stop by and complete a registration form at the Parish Office. You may also use the Parish web site iopnc.org to register online, **please call to confirm that your online registration was received.**

BAPTISM: Parental Attendance at a Preparation Class for the first child to be baptized is mandatory. The Baptism class takes place at 1:30PM in the Parish Hall on the last Sunday of the month and in Spanish on the **1st Wednesday of the month at 7PM** in the Library of the Parish Hall. **If you are requesting the baptism be in Spanish you will be required to attend the Spanish Baptism Instruction Class.** Pre-registration is not required. To have your child baptized you must meet the following requirements (1) *be a registered parishioner for at least three months* (2) *be practicing the faith* (3) *have obtained the signed Godparent Eligibility form and returned them to the Parish Office.* Please check the bulletin monthly for possible changes of class dates. Parents planning to have children baptized in the near future can contact the Parish Office in advance to obtain Godparent Eligibility Forms, these forms will need to be returned to the Parish Office before any baptism date will be scheduled.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements must be made with a Parish Priest at least six months before your requested date. *To be married at Infant of Prague you must be a registered member of our Parish for at least six months.*

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: If you have a loved one who is in the hospital, a nursing home or homebound and in need of anointing please notify the Parish Priest at 910-347-4196 after hours please call 919-622-2659 member we cannot make visitations to people when we are unaware of their situation.



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Easter 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I wish each of you a Blessed Easter filled with the promise and joy of our Risen Lord!

Today we are united with the universal Church in celebrating the victory of Jesus Christ over sin and death. How blessed are we to know that our Lord has turned suffering into glory and death into life.

As Catholics in the Diocese of Raleigh, we are especially blessed to welcome the light of Christ this Easter during the 100th year. We must not keep this Good News to ourselves! Just like the first disciples of the Risen Lord, we are called to go forth and to be His witnesses. We must remind the world that our Lord offers a love that is beyond what this world offers. Let us work together to spread the Love of the Risen Lord to every corner of eastern North Carolina and the world.

Please also join me in joyfully praying for all those who will be baptized and confirmed and welcomed into our Catholic faith this Easter.

May the Risen Lord abundantly bless you on Easter and always with the peace that only He can give.

In Christ,

† Luis Rafael Zarama, J.C.L.
Bishop of Raleigh



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Pascua 2024

Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

Les deseo una feliz y bendecida Pascua de Resurrección, llena de la promesa y la alegría de Jesús Resucitado.

Hoy, nos unimos a la Iglesia universal para celebrar la victoria de Jesucristo sobre el pecado y la muerte. ¡Qué bienaventurados somos al saber que nuestro Señor ha convertido el sufrimiento en gloria y la muerte en vida!

Como católicos en Raleigh, nos sentimos especialmente bendecidos por acoger la luz de Cristo en esta Pascua durante nuestro centenario diocesano. No debemos guardarnos esta Buena Nueva. Al igual que los primeros discípulos de Jesús Resucitado, estamos llamados a salir y a ser sus testigos. Debemos recordarles a todos que nuestro Señor Jesús ofrece un Amor que sobrepasa lo que este mundo ofrece. Trabajemos juntos para difundir el Amor de Jesús Resucitado a todos los habitantes del este de Carolina del Norte, y del mundo entero.

Recemos en unísono y con alegría por todos aquellos que serán bautizados y confirmados y bienvenidos a nuestra fe católica esta Pascua.

Que Jesús Resucitado los bendiga abundantemente con la paz que sólo Él puede dar, ahora, en esta Pascua de Resurrección, y siempre.

En Cristo,

† Luis Rafael Zarama, J.C.L.
Obispo de Raleigh



ONE IN FAITH BOOK
#998 (Vigil) / 1009 (Easter Sunday)



Weekend of March 30 & 31

Sat.	8:30PM	Pro Populo
Sun.	8:00AM	Pro Populo
	10:30AM	Pro Populo
	12:30PM	Pro Populo
Monday	12:00PM	+Anne Marie McNamara
Tuesday	12:00PM	+Betty Donohue
Wednesday	12:00PM	+Michael Lamon
Thursday	9:00AM	+Dennis Pallang
	7:00PM	Intentions of Ximena Reyes Leon
Friday	12:00PM	

Weekend of April 6 & 7

Saturday	5:00PM	+Dennis Pallang +John & Mildred Greska
Sunday	8:00AM	People of the Parish
	10:30AM	+Geraldine Wilson +Irineo Salazar Casado, Sr.
	12:30PM	+Salvador Zaragoza

FINANCIAL NEWS:

**NEXT WEEKENDS SECOND COLLECTION:
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS**



The IOP Parish Office, IOP Outreach Center and the IOP Thrift Store will be closed Thursday, March 28 through Monday, April 1st.



IOPCS Reverse Raffle - Saturday, May 4, 2024

Reserve your tickets online by visiting the iopnc.org website, under the communications tab click New & Events! This year we will have 200 regular board tickets and 50 high roller tickets available. Reserved tickets can be picked up at the IOPCS Elementary office: 501 Bordeaux St, Jacksonville.

Vacation Bible School
July 29-Aug 2, 2024

Open to participants from Kindergarten to 5th grade, and volunteers from 6th grade to adult. Registration is free. We invite you to consider donating \$5 per child to help offset the cost. Visit iopnc.org/vbs to register.

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR:
APRIL 6 & 7, 2024**

READERS:

SAT. 5:00PM	Sharon Henderson
SUN. 8:00AM	David Ratte
10:30AM	Judy Itable

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

SAT. 5:00PM	Ofelia Abel, Jamie Andrade, Robbie Hilton, Immanuel Israel, Andrea Sopko, Tim Weber
SUN. 8:00AM	Kris Burritt, Wyonia Chevis, Richard Dodson, Bradford Duross, Brian Hazel, Theresa Misko
10:30AM	Jennifer Correro, Jerry Gray, Caroline Martin, Mary Beth Poole, Lori Ready-DiGiovanni, Katherine Selleck

BULLETIN ARTICLES: All bulletin items must be submitted to the Parish Office in writing or e-mailed to psecretary.iop@gmail.com no later than **10:00AM** on **Monday**. If Monday falls on a holiday items still need to be submitted by 10AM.



**Flowers have been placed in the Sanctuary this Easter
In Loving Memory Of:**

Podovil Family
Betty Turner
David Brandt
Cheryl J. Hollis
Edward & Sabrina Blizard
Kevin & Robert Carr
Wanda Lee Holden
Sean Carmody
Homer Burns, Dee & Don Long
Waslicki & Dus Families
Pallang & Almanza Families
Alicia Navarete, Doris Higginbotham
Russ & Margorie Forney, Dale & Lillian Lund
Shirley & Agnes Marsicano
Doug LaMora, Monique LaMora White
Brittany Reilly, Coffeey & Reilly Families
Caalina Almanza, Walter Kitko, Sr., John Paul Kitko
Vincent & Alma DiPaola, Elias & Rosalia DiPaola
David Degeberg, Claudine Yates
Merbedone, Hudson & Sheepwash Families
Mary, Easton & Zettie Powers, Betty Taylor Dukes, Lorenzo Taylor
Ronald Biedenbach, Biedenbach & Morrone Families
Dan Flynn, Charles & Agnes McGuckin, John & Peg Flynn, Eileen Megown
Dennis Wilt, Bettie & Roan Bodenhamer, Berenice & Charles Wilt
Robert & Frances Wilman, Stephen & Jeannette Maguire, Steven Wilman
Freddie Rausch, Sr., Camille Rausch, Maxim Hurst
James A. & Anna M. Fitzgerald, Ellen Mulcahy, Francis Kelly, Kathleen D. Pinto, Albert A., Daniel F. & Leon M. Fitzgerald
Greiner & Fleshman Families, Candy Parent, Charlie Wetzell, Lois Lupp
Rene & Antoinette Tremblay, Mack & Marie Bright, Arthur & Carmeline Rivard, Oscar & Jeanette Gilbert, Laurentine Conrad
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Luis & Ma. Eugenia Gamio, Harriet O. O'Bday, Ana Maria & Victor Sanjines, Olga S. de Sanchez
James Yantorn, Jack & Carmela LaMonica, Vincezo & Rosa Mula, Albert & Lillian Yantorn, Eileen Megown
William A. Hollis, Sr., Cheryl J Hollis
William & Inez Heimberger, Thomas & Rita Larkin, Rita Marie Larkin
Christopher DeFivo, Christopher Chapuck
Mr & Mrs Don Stoddard, Mr & Mrs Elmer DuRoss, Steven Briggs, Jr.
Michael P. Carr, Michael E. Carr, Joshua Samson
Catherine & Patricia Brodniak, Florence VonDriska
Greenwell, Hertz, Pfab, Paulsen, Schultz, Gatkendit, Goff Families
Peter Murray, Marjorie Brooky, Helen, Bernard, Bernie & Stan Martin
Adoracion Keves, Wayne Smith, Vern & Nellie Steiner
Michael & Marion Sullivan, Victor & Norma Onesios, Danny Gibson
Bohemian Style Kitchen Tile Stickers Stephen & Anna Sopko, Sopko & Olszewski Families
Agustin & Jorge Mora, Jr., Agustin & Alicia Mora, Hector & Emma Fernandez, Robert & Henry Fernandez, Baldemar Saldiva
Charles, Nick, Mary & Gerry Franchina, Filomena & Frank Romano
John & Cecilia Caskey, John & Veronica Kroll, Tom & Pearl Kuras, Henry & Stella Caskey, All Priest & Religious John &
Helen Sherrok, Evelyn Margolis, Milton Sander, James & Mildred Lynch



Diane & Roy Hinman, Chris Nilson, Mary Goodwin, Toby Keith
 Charles & Margaret Kay, Bruno & Jean Anderson, Fr. Robert Wilken, Fr. Casimir Sabol, David Kay, David Kay, Jr.
 Boehm, Bramlage & Wasyluk Families
 Ron & Bruce Rang, Louise & Edward Kubilus
 Carey Family, Kent Humphrey
 Dominic & Mary Cuoco, Paul & Margie Hetter
 Ralph Christopher Luna, Ida & Odel Sanders, Anita Hart
 J & G. Dabkowski, Emile & Soraya Mazzawi, Souad Mazzawi, David Mazzawi
 Erin Sopjes, Mr Thomas Guillot, Mr & Mrs S.
 Caroline Phillips, Ralph Gardner, Anna Chenaults, William Gardne Family, Mary Boner & Family, Mary Thompson, Nancy Taharr
 David & Margaret Schnepf, Friz & Eileen Herber, Joseph, Warren & Lou Ellen Farrell, Bert & Jean Landy, Eileen, Jerry and Debbie Landy, Fr. Marcin Zahuta, Fr. Dale, Fr. Lamb, Baby Megan, Baby Paul, Baby Reeve
 Bernard & Florence Dixon, Bernadette Muritori, Amelia Cornn, All the Unborn, Albert, Pete, Sr. & Pete Massiatte, Frances, Elena & Jesus Martinez
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 Luis Martinez, Maria Waslicki, Carmen Coris, Maria Coris, Harry & Elaine Blakewood, Fred & Luise Blakewood, B. Alway
 Vicki Frugoli, Marie Enos, Isabel Harrell
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 Phyllis & Charles Wallace, Anne Graham, Neitha Lovelace, Arthur & Daphne Massey
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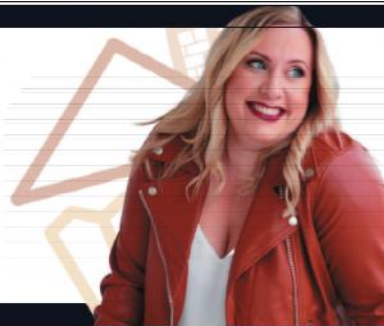
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