



MONUMENTAL FAITH

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF THE SACRED HEART

APRIL 9, 2023 - THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD



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Welcome Home



BY FATHER BISMARK CHAU

Dear Family,

Welcome to the Parish family of the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart.

Whether you are a long-time parishioner or just recently joined us, I pray that you find in our community unconditional belonging. At our parish we strive to offer a life-changing encounter with Jesus and to grow deeper into a relationship with Him. We provide inspiring Liturgies and the celebration of the Sacraments to worship God both in spirit and in truth. We respond to the Father's love by recognizing that even the simplest of breaths can be an act of devotion. We cannot do the work of God alone, we need Disciples. We are constantly looking to provide new ways to empower our parishioners to grow in their faith and to be ready to share it with others. And lastly, we cannot remain enclosed inside the walls of our beautiful Cathedral, but we must go out and serve. We must become living stones for our Cathedral by sharing the gifts we have received from God. We must share our Monumental Faith!

Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 9

- 8:30AM + Alice M. Bryant
10:00AM + Elivis Lavayen
12:00PM + Florence Ferraro

Monday, April 10

- 7:30AM + Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, April 11

- 7:30AM + Palma Celiano
5:30PM + Rev.Msgr. Joseph J.Granato

Wednesday, April 12

- 7:30AM + Mary Fontoura
5:30PM + Tania Morales Santos

Thursday, April 13

- 7:30AM + Michelet Dickenson
5:30PM For the increase in Holiness
of all the priests of the world

Friday, April 14

- 7:30AM + Donna Valenti
5:30PM + Pauline Roman

Saturday, April 15

- 9:00AM + Delena Soltero
5:00PM + Lucy Mae Brown

Sacraments

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

WEDNESDAYS & FIRST FRIDAYS

6:00PM - LADY CHAPEL

RECONCILIATION

SATURDAYS 11:30AM -12:30PM

WEDNESDAYS 6PM -7PM

BY APPOINTMENT AT ANY TIME

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

CONTACT PARISH OFFICE

BAPTISM

SUNDAYS AT 1:30PM

SACRAMENT SPOTLIGHT



89 RIDGE ST NEWARK NJ 07104

RECEPTION (OFFICE) HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY: 9:00AM - 7:00PM

SATURDAY: 9:00AM - 4:00PM

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Parish Life



This past Palm Sunday, The Cathedral Basilica presented 'No Greater Love' a vibrant musical drama that celebrated the passion, death and resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ. This was performed by The Xavier Company in drama, song and dance. The passion of Our Lord was transformed from a play into a prayer; entertaining, inspiring and spiritual. People from all over the Archdiocese of Newark and beyond experienced this wonderful event.

The Cathedral was bursting with people who opened their hearts and minds to the Lord's passion. It was heartwarming to witness people crying, singing, and being moved by this event. It is gatherings like this that bring us together as a community. We examine our hearts and minds and are inspired by God's Love for us.

Extensive preparation went into this event, and we want to thank all the volunteers that assisted. We also thank all those who attended making this program an outstanding success.

Congratulations to the Newly-Initiated

We welcome to the Catholic Faith:

Angie Jazmin Chuquirima Lugo
Christopher Josue Fajardo
Diego Junior Elliot
Edwin Herrand
Freddy Abimael Pineda

Leonel Sebastian Vizhnay
Adrian Tobias Paguay
Rebecca Tchieuku
Reinalis Ayala
William Louise



Our Parish community rejoices this Easter as we grow in the number of believers. May you remain faithful to the faith you have professed in Christ Jesus our Lord!

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA) (Part I)

By Sister Josefa Gonzalez, Director of Religious Education

"By the sacraments of Christian initiation, freed from the power of darkness, buried and risen with Christ, we receive the Spirit of the children of adoption and we celebrate with all the people of God the memorial of the Death and Resurrection of the Lord" (Rite of initiation Cristina, NCCB/USCC)

RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, it is a communal process for the formal initiation of new members into the Catholic Church. Rite of Christian Initiation refers to adults (7 years and older) who begin a formation process with a vision of fostering a mature Christian life.

It is a process of study, exploration, faith participation, and faith formation with specific liturgical rites for those seeking or exploring joining the Catholic Church. These people are unbaptized adults who want to be fully initiated into the Roman Catholic Church and/or baptized Christian adults who want full communion in the Roman Catholic Church. This program is walking in a gradual process within the community of the faithful before the unbaptized.