

# EASTER SUNDAY

## ST JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC CHURCH

315 N. Main Street Woodstock, Virginia 22664

April 5th, 2026

Parish Office

Monday—Friday  
9:00am - 2:00pm

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### Easter Sunday

#### HOLY MASS SCHEDULE / MISAS

#### *Saturday*

Vigil at 5:00pm

#### *Sunday*

7:30am

9:30am

En Español a las 12:00, mediodía

#### **Weekday Masses:**

6:00pm Mondays & Wednesdays

8:30am Tues, Thurs, Fri, Sat

### Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday at 9:00am - Thursday 8:30am

### Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Immediately following Daily Mass

### Confessions

Wednesday at 6:30pm

Saturday after Morning Mass and at 3:30pm  
Or by Appointment - contact the Parish Office

### Our Lady of The Shenandoah Mission

Parochial Vicar

Father Robert Ruskamp

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\*Please use SJB mailing address.

#### **Mass Schedule**

Vigil Mass for Sunday: Saturday at 5:00pm

Confessions: Saturday 3:30pm-4:30pm

Sunday Mass: 8:30am

**Daily Mass: Mon, Wed & Friday at 8:30am**

**Tues & Thurs at 6:00pm**

Adoration: Wednesdays 5:00pm-7:00pm

Community Holy Hour: Wednesdays 7:00pm

Novena to Our Lady  
of Perpetual Help Thurs 6:30pm

## La Comida compartida

**Dom, 19 de abril**

*inmediatamente después de la misa del mediodía  
a la 1pm, en Hanley Hall*

Por favor, vengan, ¡traigan a su familia y un plato para compartir!

Este evento se repite cada dos meses. Si no puedes acompañarnos este mes, te esperamos el 21 de junio!

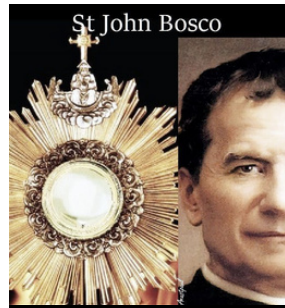
### **Bulletin Deadline**

Bulletin blurbs for the April 19<sup>th</sup> Bulletin are due **Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup>**.

Please send to [music@sjbwoodstock.org](mailto:music@sjbwoodstock.org)  
*All burbs are subject to editing and approval.*



**Needles & Threads** will now be meeting on once a month on the 4th Thursdays from 2:00pm-4:00pm in the St Francis Room. We make prayer shawls and prayer quilts for the sick, homebound & grieving. Attendance at the meetings is not required. Projects may be done at home & brought to the Office. For more information contact Kathy Chunta at [jazkat36@gmail.com](mailto:jazkat36@gmail.com)



St John Bosco  
Perpetual Adoration  
9am Tuesdays -  
8:15am Thursdays

We are always looking for substitutes.  
If you are available please contact  
Lee & Peggy Santos at  
[leeandpeg@gmail.com](mailto:leeandpeg@gmail.com)

### **Prayer Requests for/Oremos Por**

- + Matilde Gomez
- + Nohemi Torres
- + Darlene Beaune



### **Military & Their Families Prayer Request**

Captain Galen Rohr  
Please keep all our military in prayer.

### **Tabernacle Candle**

Javier & Megan Carreno

*By donating \$10, the Tabernacle Candle will be lit for an entire week in honor of or in memory of your loved ones.*



## **Parish Office**

The Lord is Risen! Truly He is Risen! Alleluia.

May the Risen Lord continue to bless you and kindle in your soul His Spirit. May you continue to celebrate this Easter Season not simply as an event but truly is the reality of our faith. May this reality of our faith manifest in our thinking, acting and daily living. May it motivate each one of us who encounters the Risen Lord at the Breaking of the Bread as of the two disciples on the way to Emmaus or Mary Magdala at the empty tomb and that we can return to share with our loved ones and others about the resurrection of our Lord Jesus.

God bless,  
Fr Augustine.



## **Easter Flowers 2026**

In Memory of:

Margaret & Ed Markel

Doris & Don Biers

Anthony Montes Moreno

Luis Primero Moreno

Nohemi Torres

Gudelia Resendiz

Eunice Taylor

Jackson Palmer



## **Religious Education**

### **Important Dates:**

- April 05 Easter Sunday - No Classes
- April 11 First Holy Communion Retreat (Mandatory)
- April 12 All Classes
- April 19 All Classes
- April 26 All Classes

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- May 02 First Holy Communion Mass & Reception
- May 11 Confirmation Mass & Reception
- May 17 Last Day of Classes



Easter 2026

Pascua 2026

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Jesus Christ is truly risen, Alleluia! It is with great joy that I wish you a blessed Easter.

On that first Easter morning, the angel asks the women who had come to the empty tomb: “*Why do you seek the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen*” (Luke 25:5). This proclamation continues to echo in the word today. These words remind us that Christ is alive and present, enlightening every darkness.

Easter is the fulfillment of God’s promise. Through his passion, death and resurrection, our Lord has opened the way to new life. The cross reveals the depth of God’s love and the empty tomb reveals God’s saving power. No burden is too heavy, no wound too deep, that our Lord cannot divinely heal and so transform our lives.

Easter, of course, is not a single day but a sacred season. I encourage you to begin each day with renewed faith. He is alive and with you and will lead, guide and protect you. With abiding trust, commit your life to him and consistently and enthusiastically practice and live your holy Catholic faith.

May Our Risen Lord Jesus bless you with his peace throughout the Easter season and always.

Sincerely in Christ,

  
Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge  
Bishop of Arlington

Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo,

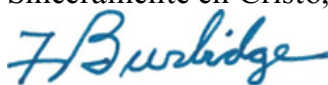
¡Jesucristo ha resucitado verdaderamente, aleluia! Con gran alegría les deseo una bendecida Pascua.

En aquella primera mañana de Pascua, el ángel pregunta a las mujeres que habían ido al sepulcro vacío: «¿Por qué buscan entre los muertos al que está vivo? No está aquí, ha resucitado» (Lucas 24, 5). Esta proclamación continúa resonando en el mundo de hoy. Estas palabras nos recuerdan que Cristo está vivo y presente, iluminando toda oscuridad.

La Pascua es el cumplimiento de la promesa de Dios. Por medio de su pasión, muerte y resurrección, nuestro Señor ha abierto el camino hacia una vida nueva. La cruz revela la profundidad del amor de Dios y el sepulcro vacío manifiesta su poder salvador. No hay carga demasiado pesada ni herida demasiado profunda que nuestro Señor no pueda sanar divinamente y así transformar nuestra vida.

La Pascua, por supuesto, no es un solo día, sino un tiempo sagrado. Los animo a comenzar cada día con una fe renovada. El está vivo, está con ustedes y los guiará, conducirá y protegerá. Con confianza perseverante, encomienden su vida a El y practiquen y vivan su fe santa católica con constancia y entusiasmo.

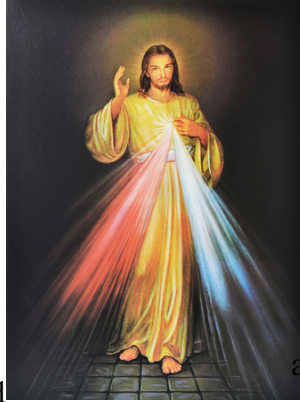
Que Nuestro Señor Jesucristo Resucitado los bendiga con su paz durante el tiempo pascual y siempre.

Sinceramente en Cristo,  
  
Monsenor Michael F. Burbidge  
Obispo de Arlington

## Divine Mercy Holy Hour

Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, at 3:00pm  
at St John Bosco Church

“Encourage souls to say the Chaplet which I have given you...Whoever will recite it will receive great mercy at the hour of death. When they say this chaplet in the presence of the dying person, not as the just Judge but as the Merciful Savior...Priests will recommend it to sinners as their last hope of salvation. Even if there were a sinner most hardened, if he were to recite this chaplet only once, he would receive grace from My infinite mercy. I desire to grant unimaginable graces to those souls who trust in my mercy...Through the Chaplet you will obtain everything if what you ask for is compatible with My Will.” (687, 1541, 1731)



## Hora Santa de la Divina Misericordia

Domingo, 12 de abril a las 3:00pm  
en la Iglesia Católica de San Juan Bosco.

“Reza incesantemente esta coronilla que te he enseñado. Quienquiera que la rece recibirá gran misericordia a la hora de la muerte...Cuando recen esta coronilla junto a los moribundos, Me pondré entre el Padre y el alma agonizante no como el Juez justo sino como el Salvador misericordioso...Los sacerdotes se la recomendaran como la ultima tabla de salvación. Hasta el pecador mas empedernido, si reza esta coronilla una sola vez, recibirá la gracia de Mi misericordia infinita. Deseo que el mundo entero conozca Mi misericordia...A través de ella obtendrás todo, si lo que pides esta de acuerdo con Mi voluntad.” (681, 1541, 1731)

Holy Hour  
Chaplet of Divine Mercy  
Divine Mercy Praises

Hora Santa  
Plática sobre la Divina Misericordia  
Las Alabanzas a la Divina Misericordia

**The Novena to Divine Mercy begins on  
Good Friday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2026.**

**La Novena a la Divina Misericordia comienza  
el Viernes Santo, 03 de abril, 2026**

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion - inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.

Oh Dios Eterno, En quien la Misericordia es infinita y el Tesoro de compasión inagotable, vuelve a nosotros Tu mirada bondadosa y aumenta Tu misericordia en nosotros, para que en momentos difíciles no nos desesperemos ni nos desalentamos, sino que, con gran confianza, nos sometamos a Tu santa voluntad, que es el Amor y la Misericordia Mismos. Amen.

### Comunidad Hispana

#### ¿Te gustaría aprender mas Sobre la palabra de Dios?

El grupo Nueva Esperanza te hace la invitación cada viernes, en el Hanley Hall. Se impartirán temas interesantes que nos, ayudarán a seguir caminando con Jesús. 7:45p: Todos son bienvenidos

Temas:

- 10 abr San Juan 20, 19-31 La Paz este con ustedes
- 17 abr San Lucas 24, 13-35 Cenaron juntos y reconocieron a Jesus al partir el pan.
- 24 abr San Juan 10, 1-10 Jesus es el buen Pastor que concede la vida plena

“Vengan y lo verán”  
Jn 1,39

### The Father Dobbins Theatre Troupe

Tickets go on  
sale early May!

# MARY POPPINS

Performances:

Thursday, June 25<sup>th</sup> \*no Dinner\*

Fri, June 26<sup>th</sup> Sat, June 27<sup>th</sup>: Sun, June 28<sup>th</sup>

#### Upcoming Rehearsals:

No Rehearsals Holy Week

- Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm I.1,2,5,6 & 9
- Tuesday, April 7<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm TBD
- Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm All Cast

**SJB MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF**

April 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Monday	6:00pm	+ Christine Sratori
Tuesday	8:30am	+ Carmela Rao
Wednesday	6:00pm	+ Dick Cronin
Thursday	7:00pm	+ Dom Donnelly Sr.
Friday	8:30am	Sarah Cox
Saturday	8:30am	+ John Kenneth Feeny
Saturday	8:30pm	Our Parish Family
Sunday	7:30am	+ Eileen Ieda
Sunday	9:30am	+ Darlene Beaune
Domingo	Mediodía	+ Nohemi Torrez

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April 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026

*No Mass Intention Requests for this week.*

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Sunday, April 5<sup>th</sup>**

Parish Social Hour (HH) 8:30am-11:30am

**Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup>**

Martial Arts Group (SJEH) 9:30am-11:30am

OCIA (SFR) 6:30pm-8:00pm

ESL (SJEH) 6:30pm-8:00pm

FDTT Rehearsal (HH) 7:00pm-9:00pm

**Tuesday, April 7<sup>th</sup>**

Legion of Mary (HH) 12:15pm-1:45pm

FDTT Rehearsal (HH) 7:00pm-9:00pm

KofC Officers' Meeting (HH) 7:00pm-9:00pm

**Wednesday, April 8<sup>th</sup>**

Praise & Worship (MC) 5:00pm-5:45pm

Children's Choir Rehearsal (SFR) 4:00pm-5:55pm

Trail Life (HH) 6:00pm-9:00pm

**Thursday, April 9<sup>th</sup>**

Women's Bible Study (HH) 9:00am-11:30am

Legion de Maria (HH) 6:00pm-7:00pm

Adult Choir Rehearsal (MC) 7:00pm-9:00pm

**Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup>**

OCIA (SFR) 4:00pm-6:30pm

Nueva Esperanza (HH) 7:00pm-9:00pm

Spanish Choir Rehearsal (HH) 7:00pm-7:45pm

RE- Spanish Supplement (SFR) 7:30pm-9:00pm

**Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup>**

FDTT Rehearsal (HH) 6:00pm-9:00pm

**Lit Schedule for April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**Divine Mercy Sunday**

	5:00pm	7:30am	9:30am	Mediodia
<b>Lectors</b>	Wester	S. Tully	McGlynn A. Hatke	Blanca C. D. Montes
<b>Servers</b>	Cosby ???	Andrews Andrews ???	Brayden Bryce Gabriel	Oscar Joel Leo
<b>EMHCs</b>	P. Pegues	E. Long	McGlynn N. Beaune	Tellez- Ramos
<b>Ushers</b>	Granier Boyle	Hassett Don J.	R. Schmitt Anthony B	Bautista Gonzales

*Liturgical  
Ministers*

New Schedules will be available next weekend. Please check the bulletin board.

A big thank you to all the Altar Servers, Lectors, Ushers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and other lay ministers that helped make this year's Holy Week Liturgies blessed and holy. We appreciate your time, talent and dedication towards our parish and our community. Happy Easter

12 Parish Pancake Breakfast

12 RE Resumes All Classes

12 Bautismo Clase de Espanol

12 Divine Mercy Holy Hour

12 URS: Bosco Ball

21 Catholic Charities Mobile Outreach Van

21 KofC Membership Meeting

22 KofC Blood Drive

23 Needles & Threads

25 Diocesan Bash Trip

26 URS: Regular Meeting



03 COR Monthly Meeting

03 Spanish Baptism Class

05 KofC Officer's Meeting

06 KofC Bosco Fest Meeting

10 Parish Pancake Breakfast

10 Spanish Baptism Class

