

Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church
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Rev. Maurice Emelu, Sacramental Priest

| MASSES | | |
|--------------------------|---------|-----------------------|
| Saturday | | Sunday |
| (Vigil) Daylight Time : | 5:00 pm | 9:00 am and |
| (Vigil) Standard Time: | 4:00 pm | 11:00 am |
| CONFESSIONS | | |
| Saturday: Daylight Time— | 4:00 pm | Standard Time—3:00 pm |

Bernice Trojahn, Parish coordinator 245-2276

Parish Mission Statement

We, the members of Our Lady of the Snows Church, are a community of Christian believers, empowered by the Holy Spirit and nourished by Word and Sacrament. We dedicate our time, talents and gifts toward the growth of God's love to others. We celebrate our unity with the Body of Christ. We acknowledge that our Love of Christ urges us to seek Spiritual growth and respond to the needs of all: especially the sick, elderly, poor and lonely. We shall accomplish this on-going mission through faith, pray, service and trust in God.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

A preparation class is held for those with infants to be baptized. These classes will meet on the second Sunday of the month after the last Mass. The Sacrament of Baptism will be on the last Sunday of the month after the last Mass. The preparation class must have been completed prior. Please schedule with Father.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Sacrament of Anointing shows the concern the Lord has for the physical and spiritual welfare of the sick. Anyone who is sick, elderly, or preparing for medical treatment may request this Sacrament.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

If you are planning to celebrate the Sacrament of Marriage, please contact Father at least four months in advance of the intended date of your wedding.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Confirmation II class meets Sundays at 10:00 am. Mass attendance is required.

First Communion and primary classes are at 10:00 on Sundays. Mass attendance is required.

AVE MARIA PRAYER GROUP

This group meets the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Tuesday after the 9:00 am Mass. Everyone is invited to join in. The Rosary and Divine Mercy are presented in prayer for all sick and deceased on prayer list.

PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS

Bulletin
Bernice Trojahn 245-2276
Eucharistic Ministers

Finance Council
Matthew Hintlian 245-2330
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Bernice Trojahn 245-2276
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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 7 – St. John Baptist de la Salle, Priest
5:00 pm – For the Ewa Lee & Family by the Skibicki Family

Sunday, April 8, Divine Mercy; St. Junia Billiard, Virgin

9:00 am – Mass – For the People of the Parish

11:00 am – Mass – For aborted babies and Souls in Purgatory by Karen Engels

Monday, April 9, Annunciation of the Lord

9:00 am – No Mass –

Tuesday April 10, St. Fulbert

9:00 am – No Mass –

Wednesday, April 11, St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr; St. Gemma Galgani, Virgin

9:00 am No Mass -

Thursday, April 12, St. Julius, I, Pope

9:00 am - No Mass –

Friday, April 13, St. Martin I, Pope, Martyr

9:00 am – No Mass –

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Saturday, 5:00 pm Mass:

Eucharistic Minister:

Vince Dobradenka

Lector:

Sandy McElhenney

Usher:

The Bever Family

Sunday, 9:00 am Mass

Eucharistic Minister:

Robert Hale

Lector:

Bernice Trojahn

Usher:

Robert Hale

Sunday, 11:00 am

Eucharistic Minister:

Joy Gonzalez

Lector:

Rick Polanco

Usher:

Sacrificial Giving

April 1- \$1,618.00

Easter - \$1,526.00

Give to the Most High as He has given to you,
Generously, according to your means.

Sirach 35:9

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

April 8, 2018

Offertory Counters this week:

Rick & Michelle

MASS SCHEDULE: .

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT WE NEED MORE USHERS – ESPECIALLY AT THE 11:00AM MASS

We would be happy to see more volunteers for all the Masses – remember it takes a community to build the church

PRAY FOR:

Christine Spryka is again in the hospital – please keep her in your prayers.

NEW PRIEST:

This weekend we welcome Fr. Julian Policetti to our parish.

The next Knights of Columbus meeting will be on Saturday, April 21st, at 9:00 am in the church hall.

THE RETURN OF EASTER

The return of Easter should be to the Christian life the call of a trumpet. It is the news of a great victory. It is the solution of a great perplexity. It is the assurance of a great triumph.

—Frederick Temple

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Sometimes children acquire nicknames in childhood that stalk them through adulthood: “Pinky,” “Boo-boo,” and the like. This Sunday was once called “Low Sunday,” a step down from Easter glory, and an unfortunate nickname since Easter rejoicing goes on for fifty days. Traditionally this is the day when the newly baptized put away their white baptismal robes and returned to their everyday life after a week of intense celebration. Of course, the goal was to take up everyday duties with a very new point of view.

A long title for the day was *Dominica in albis deposito*, or “The Lord’s Day for Putting Away the Albs,” so no wonder the nickname “Low Sunday” arose. In the old calendar it was also called “Quasimodo Sunday,” after the first word of the opening chant, *Quasimodo geniti infantes*, or “As newborn infants,” a reference to the newly baptized taken from the Epistle of Peter. Victor Hugo’s bell-ringing hero in *The Hunchback of Notre Dame* was abandoned as an infant on the threshold of the cathedral of Paris on Low Sunday, 1467, and named “Quasimodo” for the feast.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26; Ps 34:2-9; Jn 3:16-21
Thursday: Acts 5:27-33; Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20; Jn 3:31-36
Friday: Acts 5:34-42; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Jn 6:1-15
Saturday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6:16-21
Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-9; 1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

THANK YOU:

All parishioners for your continued support of our parish. John Fuess for the GREAT stand for our Easter fire. Michelle Maga for decorating the church, etc. All ushers, lectors and Eucharistic ministers for your continuing support.

