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# EASTER SUNDAY

*Christus Resurrexit!-- Christ is risen!*

Weekend Mass Schedule

Sat. Vigil	7:30pm
Sun. Mass	8am, 10:30am
Children Mass	1pm (English)
Youth Mass	2:30pm (English)

Daily Mass Schedule

Tue. and Thu.	7:30pm
Wed. and Fri.	7:30am
Reconciliation	30min prior to mass

Educational Programs

Sunday School	Sun 2pm
K-6thgrades	
Youth Group	Sun 1pm
Jr/Sr High	
Catechism	Sun 1pm
Korean School	Sat 9:30am

Sacrament

Anointing of the Sick  
By appointment

Infant Baptism  
First Sat of Apr, Aug & Dec

Pre marital Counseling  
3 mos before wedding

Visitation of Sick  
First Fri of every month

Other request  
contact the church office

► Easter message from Fr. Yang *(Translated)*

Happy Easter!

Today is a wonderful day, Jesus has risen! As I observe the nature's beauty in the new spring leaves that are tenderly growing in the warm sunlight, I would like to share the Easter good news with you.

I thought to myself, what would happen, in the fall, if trees had the choice onto their leaves. wouldn't be able leaves. I think that about letting go have. They shed knowing that in the new life from God.



not to let go, but hold Then, in the spring, we to see the new budding trees don't think twice of everything that they their leaves with joy spring they will receive

The empty tomb that the disciples discovered today gives evidence to Jesus' resurrection. The empty tomb shows us that Jesus is not dead, but has risen. He has risen and is alive in our hearts. But, if our hearts were filled with hatred, anger, envy and other unclean things, how could resurrected Jesus dwell in us?. If you want to meet our risen Lord and have him remain in you, then we need to become self-less persons with a pure hearts.

My dear brothers and sisters, I pray for you, all the youths and young adults of the Holy Korean Martyrs Church, that you will be filled with the new resurrected life and love of our risen Lord Jesus Christ. Alleluia!

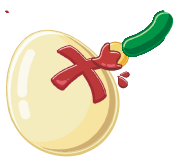
Fr. Paul Yang

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# Did You Konw..?

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## ► WHAT IS EASTER?



Easter is the celebration of Jesus Christ's resurrection after his crucifixion. It is usually celebrated on the first Sunday after the full moon following the first day of spring, which can be any Sunday between March 22 and April 25. According to the scriptures, Jesus tomb was empty three days after his death and his disciples saw him and talked to him after this. We, Christians, therefore believe that we too can receive new life after death.

## ► NAMES OF EASTER



Easter was called Pesach (Passover in Hebrew) by early Christians. Today, the name for Easter in many cultures in Europe is similar to the word Pesach.

For example :

France - Paques, Holland - Pasen  
Spain - Pascua, Greece - Pascha  
Italy - Pasqua, Sweden - Pask  
Albania - Pashke,  
Norway - Paaske

## ► HOW DID EASTER GET ITS NAME ?

Before Christianity in early England, the people celebrated the vernal equinox with a feast honoring Eastre, the goddess of spring. When the early English Christians wanted others to accept Christianity, they decided to use the name Easter for this holiday so that it would match the name of the old spring celebration. This made it more comfortable for other people to accept Christianity. Some believed that the word Easter came from an



early German word "eostarun", meaning dawn and white. Newly baptized Christians wore white clothes as a sign of their new life on Easter.

<http://www.kiddyhouse.com/Holidays/Easter/>

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# Announcement

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► Mar 23rd -Easter Sunday  
[ Lifeteen Park Day @ Fair Oaks Park ]

- » Mass - 9 am sharp!
- » Food - 11am
- » Fun - 12 - 3

► April 19th  
[ Jr High Beach Day ]

- » Registration is \$15 and Permission slips will be available online (on the church website)
- » and at church starting Easter Sunday during Lifeteen Mass
- » registration will end April 6th
- » for 7th and 8th grade only

► Mar 23rd -Easter Sunday  
[ K-6 Sunday School @ Orchard Garden Park ]

- » Leave for Park 11:00 am
- » Lunch 11:30 am
- » Egg Hunt 12:20 pm
- » Mass at Church 1:00 -2:00 pm



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# New Beginning

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**H**ello!

The newsletter staff would like introduce the newsletter. The objective for this newsletter is to help facilitate sense of faith and community amongst our youth and young adult members of our Holy Korean Martyrs Church in San Jose. We would like to deliver fun and faith sharing content that's focused on our loving God and you based on a monthly theme.

We are searching for few of you who like to write or be involved in the newsletter to help. And if you want to learn, we have professionals that can help as well. So if you are interested please let us know. Happy Easter!

## Editorial Staff

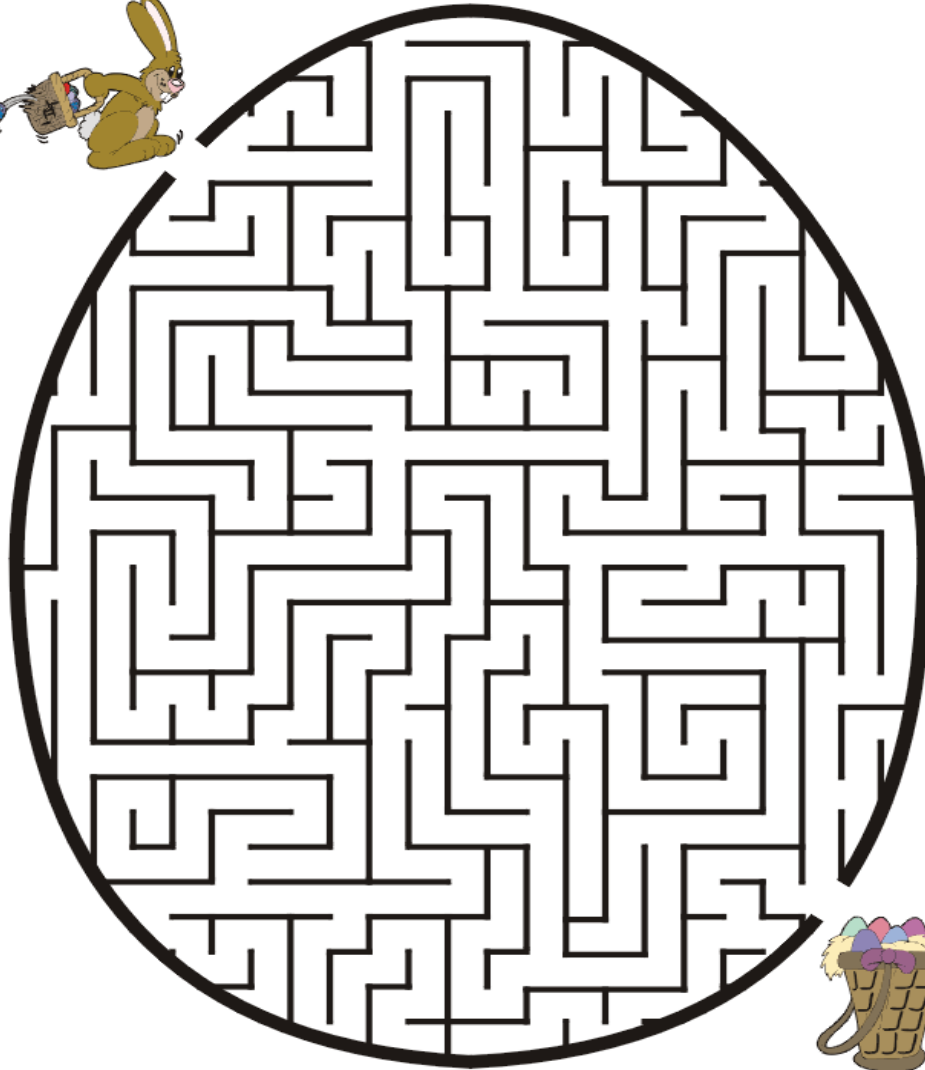
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Help the Easter Bunny find his way through the maze to find a new basket for delivering the Easter eggs

**Saints of the Week -**

Celebrate your Feast day! Happy Feast Day!

**March 23**

St. Fidelis  
St. Felix

**March 24**

St. Epicharis  
St. Mark & Timothy

**March 25**

St. Edmunds  
St. Harold

**March 27**

St. Alexander  
St. Augusta  
St. John of Egypt

**March 28**

St. Alexander  
St. Venturino of Bergamo

**March 29**

St. Mark  
St. Ludolph

**March 26**

St. Theodore  
St. Montanus & Maxima