ST. VALENTINE'S PARISH, PHILADALPHIA, PA

SUNDAY MARCH 30th EASTER SUNDAY, (GOLD)

SOLMEN PROSESSION, Mass of Resurrection, Blessing of Easter Baskets...

9:30AM Mass for the soul of the departed Stanley Nocgorski; from All Souls List.

MONDAY APRIL 1st MONDAY OF BRIGHT WEEK, (GOLD)/HOLY DAY

APRIL FOOLS DAY

7PM Mass for the soul of the departed Prime Bishop Francis J. Hodur; to mark his Birthday

TUESDAY April 2nd TUESDAY OF BIRGHT WEEK, (GOLD)

NO MASS TODAY

WEDNESDAY APRIL 3rd WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK, (PURPLE)

8AM Mass for Increase of Vocations.

THURSDAY APRIL 4th WEDNESDAY OF BRIGHT WEEK, (GOLD)

8AM Mass for the intentions of our Parish Family

FRIDAY APRIL 5th FRIDAY OF BRIGHT WEEK, (GOLD)

8AM Mass for the health of the sick

SUNDAY APRIL 7th 2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER/ LOW SUNDAY, (WHITE)

LESSON: Acts 4:32-35 **LESSON:** 1st John 5:1-6 **GOSPEL:** St. John 20:19-31

9:30AM Mass for the soul of departed Walter D. Sucharski; from All souls List

MARK YOUR CALENDERS: MAY 10th Mother's Day

BRIGHT WEEK: We refer to this being Bright Week. Meaning that Jesus rose from the dead, all the world is bright and shining because our sins were taken away.

SACRED VOCATIONS: Please pray for an increase of vocations to the Priesthood and Diaconate.

JESUS IS RISEN: INDEED HE IS TRULY RISEN! The long dark says of Lent are over, now we celebrate the raising of Jesus from the dead. He died upon the cross so that we could have eternal life with Him. Imagine you are at the tomb on that first Easter Morning and find the body of Jesus is gone. What would have thought? How sad you would have felt. But then He comes and greets you. How great you would feel seeing the Risen Lord in Glory. it is the glory the Apostles saw at the Transfiguration. We were present in the women who stood at the tomb. As they went to tell everyone what had happened, we are to do the same. Greet everyone you see this week with the words, "Christ is Risen! Indeed He is truly Risen!" Hopefully you have made the most of this Lenten Season. If not today will be no more than an egg and slice of ham on a plate. As Jesus came down to earth to raise us to where He is in heaven. Greet everyone with the words I just gave to you. On behalf of Pani Matka Pat and myself I wish you a blessed and Happy Easter.

IN NEED OF PRAYER: Joan Pianka.

