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**St. Martin de Porres Church  
Bulletin  
Easter Sunday  
4/20/2025**

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**Weekly Calendar/Mass/Intentions**

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<p><b>Funerals:</b> Please call the Pastor immediately upon the death of a loved one.</p> <p><b>Marriage:</b> Need at least 6 months of preparation. Please call the office for more information.</p> <p><b>Special Prayer Requests –</b>  <b><u>For the sick of the parish</u></b>  Charles Armstrong, Kenneth Brown, Anna Marie Caputo, Claudia Castillo, Gustavo Chaves, Mildred Chojnacky, Glenn and Josceline d’Costa, Chuck Dover, Jr., Jim Eixenberger, Matthew Frellson, Lisa Gallegos, Teresa Garcia, Refujio Gonzalez, Ed Gray, Huu Pham, James Hallman, Katherine Hodkin, Dick &amp; Marie Holmes, Thomas Judd, Daniel Jurado, Renee Iola Lujan, Townsend Lee McCarthy, Albert Martinez, David Matyasik, Lenore Mille, Kozette Nowell, Jerrie Ortiz, Carolyn Osterman, Valentina Paddock, Dennis &amp; Jenny Palm, Cabrini Riddle, Margret Roberts, Shonda Roberts, Maria Rueda, Jose and Edith Sanchez, Elaine Schilling, Susan Schilling, Georgina Sehara, Peter Sorensen, Glenn Stastny, Mary Trigger, Michael Vitere, Ron Vatsend, Steve Walker</p> <p>Thank you for all your prayers. God bless you.</p> <p><b>Collections for 4/13/25</b></p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Mass Collections</td> <td>\$7,029.08</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Baptism</td> <td>30.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Bingo</td> <td>2,664.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Building Fund</td> <td>490.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mass Stipends/Exchange</td> <td>430.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Votive Offerings</td> <td>24.25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Easter Flowers</td> <td><u>120.00</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Total</b></td> <td><b>\$10,787.83</b></td> </tr> </table> <p><b><u>St. Vincent Soup Kitchen Ministry</u></b>  St. Martin de Porres helps serve the poor and homeless every 1st Thursday of the month from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm. The address is 437 West 200 South, Salt Lake City. Please contact Dave Mullen at (801) 414-9713 if you are interested in helping with this ministry</p>	Mass Collections	\$7,029.08	Baptism	30.00	Bingo	2,664.50	Building Fund	490.00	Mass Stipends/Exchange	430.00	Votive Offerings	24.25	Easter Flowers	<u>120.00</u>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$10,787.83</b>	<p>9:30 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</p> <p><b><u>Saturday – April 26th</u></b>  3:00 pm Confessions  5:00 pm English Mass/Intention: <b>Fr. David Farrugia, O.P.</b> requested by Fr. Dominic Briese, O.P.</p> <p><b><u>Sunday – April 27th</u></b>  9:00 am English Mass/Intention: <b>Mario Bonello (RIP)</b> requested by Thomas and Mary Lou Judd  <b>***(Mention: Anthony Richard Proctor (RIP))</b> requested by sisters: Katheryn, Janet, Diana, Elizabeth, and Cynthia  11:00 am English Mass/Intention: <b>Fr. Dominic Briese, O.P.</b>  1:00 pm Spanish Mass/Intention: <b>Para la gente de la parroquia</b></p> <hr/> <p><b><u>Council of Catholic Women (CCW)</u></b>  The next meeting will be April 23, 2025, at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall.</p> <p><b><u>From the Knights of Columbus:</u></b>  The next meeting will be in the downstairs classroom on Wednesday, May 7, 2025, at 7:00 pm.</p> <p><b><u>From the Respect Life Committee:</u></b>  FREE EVENT - Suicide Prevention presentation on Saturday, May 3 from 10 am- noon in the parish hall. The featured speaker is Carol Ruddell, Administrator of Crisis &amp; Suicide Prevention Programs for the State of Utah—light refreshments.</p> <p>Our next meeting will be Wednesday, May 14, at 7 pm in the parish hall.</p>
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**Pastor’s Message**

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Happy Easter! It is truly a joyful day for us to be together celebrating the Resurrection of our Lord! Let us roll away the stone that has kept us separated and emerge from our tombs into the glory of creation and our Creator.

We are excited to welcome our RCIA candidates into our family of faith. These people have spent time every week learning about our faith and journeying together towards the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Communion. They will now join our community as fully initiated Catholics. Let us welcome them with joy and be inspired by the faith that we all share. Let us pray for them, their families, and our RCIA team.

Let us live the lives of Resurrection people: We are not supposed to lie buried in the tomb of our sins, evil habits, dangerous addictions, despair, discouragement, or doubts. Instead, we are expected to live joyful and peaceful lives, constantly experiencing the living presence of the Risen Lord Who loves us in all the events of our lives and amid the boredom, suffering, pain, and tensions of our day-to-day lives.

The belief in the real presence of the Risen Lord with us, within us, and all around us enables us to lead disciplined Christian lives. This conviction of Faith will help us to control our thoughts, words, behaviors, and actions. Our belief that the loving presence of the Risen Lord dwells in all those we encounter should encourage us to respect them and to render them loving, humble, and selfless service. We need to radiate the Risen Lord around us through selfless love, mercy, compassion, and a spirit of humble service. Each time we try to practice Christian charity, mercy, and forgiveness, and each time we fight against temptations, we share in the Resurrection of Jesus.

Alleluia! He is risen indeed!

We will be hosting Father Dominic's Farewell Open House next Sunday, April 27th, from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. We are delighted to be able to send him off with gratitude, well wishes, and, of course, our prayers. So that things run smoothly, please note the following:

We expect many people to attend, and the parish hall cannot hold everyone at once.

Please remember this is an Open House where you may drop in to see Father, have a light meal, and then leave seating for others arriving at various times throughout the evening.

Parking may be challenging. There will be availability in the parking lot, in the open field in the back, and across the street at the school. **PLEASE DO NOT PARK WHERE THERE ARE PAINTED RED LINES!** This is a safety issue, and Taylorville police may ticket violators.

There will be a basket available for those who would like to drop off cards for Father. There will also be a Venmo code available and credit card machines if you would like to make donations to Father's Travel Fund in any of those ways.

Please do not bring gift items as Father has limited space as he travels to Seattle, as well as limited space in his new home.

Thank you all ahead of time for sharing this day and for everyone's efforts in putting this together.

Saint Martin de Porres, pray for us! - Fr. Dominic

### **Mensaje del pastor**

Queridos hermanos y hermanas,

¡Felices Pascuas! Es un día verdaderamente gozoso para nosotros celebrar juntos la Resurrección de nuestro Señor. Qitemos la piedra que nos ha separado y salgamos de nuestras tumbas hacia la gloria de la creación y de nuestro Creador.

Nos emociona dar la bienvenida a nuestros candidatos al RICA a nuestra familia de fe. Estas personas han dedicado tiempo cada semana a aprender sobre nuestra fe y a caminar juntos hacia los sacramentos del Bautismo, la Confirmación y la Sagrada Comunión. Ahora se unirán a nuestra comunidad como católicos plenamente iniciados. Recibámoslos con alegría e inspirándonos en la fe que todos compartimos. Oremos por ellos, sus familias y nuestro equipo del RICA.

Vivamos la vida de quienes viven en la Resurrección: No debemos quedar enterrados en la tumba de nuestros pecados, malos hábitos, adicciones peligrosas, desesperación, desánimo ni dudas. En cambio, se espera que vivamos con alegría y paz, experimentando constantemente la presencia viva del Señor Resucitado, quien nos ama en todos los acontecimientos de nuestra vida y en medio del aburrimiento, el sufrimiento, el dolor y las tensiones de nuestra vida diaria.

La creencia en la presencia real del Señor Resucitado con nosotros, dentro de nosotros y a nuestro alrededor nos permite llevar una vida cristiana disciplinada. Esta convicción de fe nos ayudará a controlar nuestros pensamientos, palabras, comportamientos y acciones. Nuestra creencia de que la presencia amorosa del Señor Resucitado habita en todos aquellos con quienes nos encontramos nos debe animar a respetarlos y a brindarles un servicio amoroso, humilde y desinteresado. Necesitamos irradiar al Señor Resucitado a nuestro alrededor mediante el amor desinteresado, la misericordia, la compasión y un espíritu de servicio humilde. Cada vez que intentamos practicar la caridad, la misericordia y el perdón cristianos, y cada vez que luchamos contra las tentaciones, participamos de la Resurrección de Jesús.

¡Aleluya! ¡Verdaderamente ha resucitado!

Organizaremos la jornada de puertas abiertas de despedida del Padre Dominic el próximo domingo 27 de abril, de 17:00 a 20:00 h. Nos complace despedirlo con gratitud, buenos deseos y, por supuesto, nuestras oraciones. Para que todo transcurra sin contratiempos, tengan en cuenta lo siguiente:

Esperamos la asistencia de mucha gente y el salón parroquial no puede acoger a todos a la vez.

Recuerden que se trata de una jornada de puertas abiertas donde pueden visitar al Padre Dominic, disfrutar de una comida ligera y luego dejar asientos para quienes lleguen en distintos momentos de la tarde.

Estacionar puede ser complicado. Habrá plazas disponibles en el estacionamiento, en el descampado trasero y al otro lado de la calle, frente a la escuela. ¡NO ESTACIONEN DONDE HAYA LÍNEAS ROJAS PINTADAS! Esto es un asunto de seguridad y la policía de Taylorville podría multar a los infractores.

Habrá una cesta disponible para quienes deseen dejar tarjetas para el Padre Dominic. También habrá un código Venmo disponible y máquinas para tarjetas de crédito si desean hacer donaciones al Fondo de Viajes del Padre.

Por favor, no traigan regalos, ya que el Padre tiene espacio limitado durante su viaje a Seattle y en su nuevo hogar.

Gracias de antemano a todos por compartir este día y por el esfuerzo de todos para organizarlo.

¡San Martín de Porres, ruega por nosotros! - Padre Dominic