

"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." - Mt 28:19

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.	May 31	8:30am	+ Bruno Borin Req. by George & Diane Erbacher

Wed. June 2 12 Noon + Helen Oleszkowicz

Req. by Deacon Jim & Sue Hensel

+ Judy Canfield Req. by Carmen Calleja

Thurs. June 3 8:30am Healing for the Ray Morris Family

Req. Friends

Fri. June 4 8:30am + Angie Lane Req. by Peggy Fox

Sat. June 5 4:30pm + Larry Chwalek Req. by Jerry & Marlene Chwalek

+ Joe Zupancic Req. by Patricia Godvin + Edward Urbanski Req. by Rob Urbanski

+ Stanley Stankiewicz Req. by wife, Marie & Family

+ **John Dunklee** Req. by Cathy Dunklee & Rosemary Rodak

Sun. June 6 9:00am + Bruno Borin Req. by George & Diane Erbacher

11:00am + John A. Kronk Req. by Mary C. Braczyk



Evangeline Kabacinski

Betty Gable

Mike Ienna

Susan Kelly

Joan Klein

John Kolar

Lucy Kollar

John Krokosky

Julianne Lister

Patricia Lickman

Marion Kiras

John Kaminsky

Bob & Dolly Kluba





The Parish office will be closed on Monday, May 31st in observance of Memorial Day. The office will reopen on Tuesday at 9:00am.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

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If there are any names that can be <u>removed</u> from our Prayer List, please let us know by calling 734-425-4421.

OUR ACTIVE DUTY SERVICE MEMBERS

CPT Joey Saunders, U.S. Marines; Joseph David Onadia, U.S. Navy; PVT Marcus Rodriguez, U.S. Army

Parish Mission Statement

The Parish of St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy, inspired by Mary's "Yes" and led by the Holy Spirit, strives to be a faith-filled community, joyfully welcoming all to witness and to celebrate the Gospel.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FR. SHAFIQUE!

Thursday, June 3rd

We pray that God will protect you and shine his glorious light on your path as you travel through another year of life. Happy birthday blessings!

NOTES FROM PAUL

In today's Gospel (Mt 28:16-20), Jesus teaches the remaining 11 apostles how to baptize the faithful. He also tells them that they must continue their relationship with the newly baptized, "teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you." It doesn't matter if the newly baptized person is an adult or a baby, they need people to help them understand, and live out the Gospel message. As a father, and a godfather, I question how effective I have been in doing this. For my children, I have daily contact, but with some of my godchildren I have not seen some of them in years. COVID has not helped, but life had already separated us by many miles. My prayer is that there are good people, like many of you, around each of them who are teaching them how to live like good Christians.

I am not claiming I have figured out how to do this myself, but I try to do my best. I hope that you do too. For most of us it is easy to remember not to murder people, and follow most of the Ten Commandments. It can be harder to follow the corporal and spiritual works of mercy by feeding the poor and forgiving offences. Hopefully there are enough of us trying that it encourages not only the newly baptized, but also those of us who think of ourselves as followers of Christ. If we do a good enough job, maybe it will also bring more people into our Church. I will pray for you, your children, and godchildren. I ask that you do the same for me.

God Bless, Paul Zbytowski Pastoral Associate Evangelization and Christian Service Coordinator

Queen's Quotes from Religious Formation

Greetings and Salutations,

Today, we celebrate the Most Holy Trinity, God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. 3 persons in one God may be hard to think about and understand, that is why we call it a mystery. In early elementary grades, we use an apple to explain and give the youngster's a visual to help understand the trinity; an apple is one with 3 parts the peel, flesh, and core. We know that God the Father is our creator, he created us in love. God the Son died for us; because he loved us that much to insure us heaven. God the Holy Spirit loves us so much he is with us daily. Today is a reminder of God's amazing love!

What are the symbols of God's amazing love in your life?

On this Memorial Day Weekend, we pray for those who courageously laid down their lives for the cause of freedom. May the examples of their sacrifice inspire in us the selfless love of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Bless the families of our fallen troops, and fill their lives with Your strength and peace.

Blessings to all!
What kind of jam cannot be eaten?
A traffic jam! LOL!!!

Have a great week, Sabrina Queen



SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING:

This is why you must now know, and fix in your heart, that the LORD is God in the heavens above and on earth below, and that there is no other. (Dt 4:39)

PSALM:

Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own. (Ps 33)

SECOND READING:

Those who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you received a Spirit of adoption,

through whom we cry, "Abba, Father!" (Rom 8:14-15)

GOSPEL:

"And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." (Mt 28:16)

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OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 30, 2021

Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity

Monday: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Memorial Day

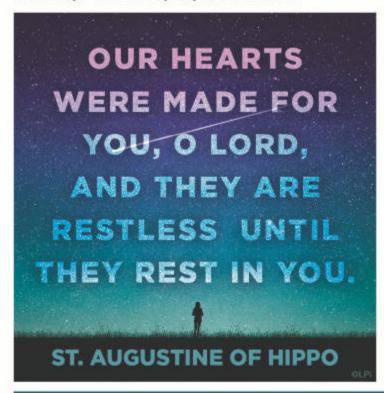
Tuesday: St. Justin, Martyr

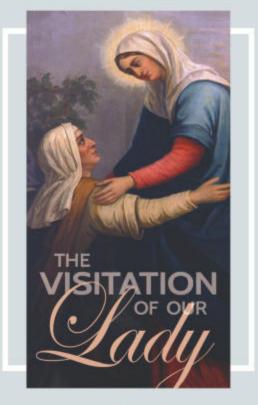
Wednesday: Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs

Thursday: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

Saturday: St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

Next Sunday: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ





REFLECT

FIRST READING

In the closing remarks of the speech delivered to the Israelites in the desert. Moses reflects on God's fidelity and love for them. In return for God's favor, the Israelites are instructed to keep God's statutes and commandments. Why do you think so many people are resistant to this divine expectation?

SECOND READING

Paul sees the Holy Spirit as integral to our identity as "children of God" and "joint heirs with Christ." How do you sense our Triune God at work in your life?

GOSPEL READING

We hear today the closing words in the Gospel of Matthew — Jesus' final commissioning of the disciples to evangelize and baptize in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. What insights to the nature of God does this divine relationship offer?

<u>Offertory</u>	#of Gifts	Α	ctual	Bı	<u>udget</u>	V	<u>ariance</u>
05/16/21	204	\$	9196	\$	10,000	\$	(804)
05/09/21	227	\$	10172	\$	10,000	\$	172
05/02/21	192	\$	8,481	\$	10,000	\$	(1,519)
04/25/21	198	\$	7,392	\$	10,000	\$	(2,609)
F	iscal Year	<u>A</u>	ctual	Bı	<u>udget</u>	V	<u>ariance</u>
FY 20-21		\$ 4	38,099	\$ 4	11,812	\$	6,288
ſ	Y 19-20	\$ 4	10,439	\$ 4	82,240	\$	(71,801)

CSA 2021 Update							
Total Pledges	Parish Families	Participation Rate	Pledge Amount				
103	795	13%	\$40,055				
Total Goal: \$93,181							
Percent Pledged: 43%							
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CLASS OF 2021 CALLING ALL GRADUATES

If you are graduating from either high school or college this year, or if you are aware of someone who is, your Parish Community would like to honor ALL GRADUATES. Our graduate Mass will be held on: Sunday, June 13 at the 11am Mass

If you or someone you know is interested in participating, please fill out this form and drop it in the collection basket, mail it in or call the Parish Office at 734.425.4421. Names need to be submitted by Monday, June 7th. Graduate names will be printed in the bulletin.

Name of Graduate:	
Phone:	
Email:	
School of Graduation:	
Degree earned:	

Eucharistic Exposition

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Wednesdays 12:30—3:00pm

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Come and Pray the Rosary with us!

Wednesday Evenings at 7pm in the church. Bring your family. Invite a friend! Next Rosary will be held **Wednesday**, **June 2nd**

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY MINISTRY

The Immaculate Heart of Mary Ministry's mission is to spread the devotion to Mary and preserve Filipino religious traditions. Join us for FIRST SATURDAY Rosary and prayers to the Immaculate Heart at 4pm and Mass at 4:30pm **Saturday**, **June 5th**. All Masses are in English.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL (CSA)

Thank you to those of you who have already mailed your CSA pledge cards as this ensures we Fuel the Mission to witness Christ. Fr. Shafique is asking all parishioners to join him in contributing to this year's Catholic Services Appeal. If we all give, we will easily meet St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy's 2021 CSA target of \$93,181, which is our parish share of the support of more than 170 CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services.

Any gifts we receive over our target will be returned to our parish in full. If, however, we do not meet this target, we will have to make up the shortfall from our general fund. If you are still prayerfully considering your CSA pledge, you may mail your completed pledge card in the preaddressed envelope that was provided you. You may also pledge your gift to our parish's campaign online at givecsa.org

PRAYER FOR AN END TO THE CORONAVIRUS CRISIS

Loving God, We come before you in our time of need. We lay before you our concerns and fears over the spread of the coronavirus. We know that you are mightier than all our fears and that the name of Jesus is the name above all other names. We ask, in the name of Jesus, that you stop the spread of the coronavirus. In your mercy, heal those who are sick and lead those who have died into your heavenly kingdom. We ask this in the mighty name of Jesus. Amen.



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Monday and Wednesday: 9am-4pm Tuesday and Thursday: 9am-12 Noon

Friday: Closed

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Mass Schedule

 MON, THURS & FRI
 8:30 am

 WED
 12:00 Noon

 SAT
 4:30 pm

 SUN
 9:00 am

 11:00 am

Confession Saturdays: 3:30pm

Baptisms

Please call our Parish Office during regular business hours. Parish membership and preparation class required.

Marriage

Arrangements must be made by registered parishioner at least six months in advance to allow sufficient time for instructions and preparation.

Anointing of Sick and Ministry to Homebound

Our pastor is available to visit upon request.

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Readings for the week of May 30, 2021

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Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22 [12b]/Rom 8:14-17/Mt

28:16-20

Monday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [6]/Lk 1:39-56

Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14/Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9 [cf. 7c]/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [1]/Mk 12:18-27 Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1a]/Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Tb 11:5-17/Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10 [1b]/Mk 12:35-37 Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Tb 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8 [1b]/Mk 12:38-44

Next Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 [13]/Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16,

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MEMORARE

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, we fly unto thee O Virgin of virgins, our Mother. To thee do we come. Before thee we stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in your mercy hear and answer us. Amen.

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

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