

28 May 2023

SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

Sunday Mass: Anticipated Sat. 4PM/Sun.8AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass
9:30 (Live-streamed) 11 AM

Confessions: Wed. & Fri. 6:30-6:55PM/Sat. 7:30-7:55 AM
Sat. 2:30-3:30 PM & 6:30-7:30 PM

THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Mon. 29 May BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, Mother of the Church
8 AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass
For: Special Intention

Tue. 30 May Sts. Basil & Emmelia, Parents of 4 Saints
8 AM For: Andrew McCauley+
Req: Frances McCauley
Holy Rosary for the Preborn & Newborn

Wed. 31 May THE VISITATION OF THE BL. VIRGIN MARY
7 PM For: Jeremiah Anderson+
Req: The Anderson Family

Thu. 1 June ST. JUSTIN, Martyr
8 AM For: David Bovi+
Req: Margaret Bovi

Fri. 2 June STS. MARCELLINUS & PETER, Martyrs
7 PM For: Scott Greenman+
Req: Charles Anderson

Sat. 3 June STS. CHARLES LWANGA & COMPS. Martyrs
8 AM For: Special Intention

4 PM For: James & Janet Cavanaugh
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Robert Blehar

Sun. 10 June SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
8 AM For: Mary Kucharzyk+
Req: Mark Falzinski
9:30 AM For: The Parishioners of OLGCC
11 AM For: Marcus Finn+
Req: Renee Kelly & Family

THREE CONFIRMATIONS THIS SUNDAY

On this wonderful Feast of Pentecost, three of our parishioners will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Bishop Lucia has delegated the Pastor to confirm Mary Catherine Murnane, Joseph Murnane and Paul Covino in the traditional rite of Confirmation. Please remember these new soldiers of Christ in your Mass and prayers today.

ST. JOSEPH SOCIETY MEETING: THU. 1 JUNE 7 PM

We will be electing new officers for the coming year, as well as making plans for the Corpus Christi Procession, so we hope all of our members will join us. This will be the last meeting until fall.

FIRST FRIDAY AND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and so is an ideal time to begin making the nine First Fridays, if you have never done so. Our Lord said to St. Margaret Mary Alcoque: "I promise you, in the excessive mercy of My Heart that my all powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the first Friday for nine consecutive months, the grace of final repentance; they shall not die in My disgrace nor without receiving the Sacraments: My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in that moment."

And, the Mother of God promised Sister Lucia, the seer of Fatima, in 1925, that she would "assist at the hour of death, with the graces necessary for salvation, all those who on the first Saturdays of five consecutive months confess, receive Holy Communion, pray a Rosary and keep me company for a quarter of an hour meditating on the fifteen mysteries with the intention of offering reparation."

Rosary Society Members are asked to sit together in a body at the 8 AM Mass on First Saturday, 7 June.

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS

SUNDAY 11 JUNE: THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI

We will have our customary Procession with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament down the main street of the village. In this time of "Eucharistic Revival" show your faith in and love for Jesus in the Sacrament of the Altar by joining us after the 11 AM Mass.

SUNDAY 20 AUGUST: 12 Noon until ????

The most spectacular and ultimate parish picnic. Set that Sunday aside for our family gathering and enjoy our beautiful grounds at the Rectory, good conversations with fellow parishioners, and picnic foods that will send you over the moon!

HOW CAN LAY CATHOLICS HELP THE CHURCH IN THIS TIME OF CONFUSION?

Bishop Athanasius Schneider answers:

- Through intense, persevering, and confident personal prayers, and united in a wide-reaching prayer crusade, imploring the end of the crisis in the Church and a divine intervention.
- Through a diligent and zealous study of Catholic truths according to proven Catholic catechisms, especially the Catechism of the Council of Trent and the Baltimore Catechism, which are surer and clearer in their content.
- Through a personal witness in professing and spreading those truths which, in our days, are mostly denied or distorted. Here the internet provides very helpful technical means.
- Through theological, pastoral and liturgical conferences and symposiums in which the clear and perennial truths of the Catholic Church are stated, explained and defended.
- Through public manifestations, such as marches, processions, and pilgrimages, in order to manifest and proclaim the integrity and beauty of the Catholic faith.
- Through acts of reparation and expiation for sins against the Catholic faith and for sins against the divine commandments, especially against the following sins:
 - Against the first Commandment (“Thou shalt not have strange gods before Me”), because of the relativism and indifferentism regarding the uniqueness of the faith in Jesus Christ.
 - Against the fifth Commandment (“Thou shalt not kill”), because of the horrendous machinery of the mass murder of unborn children and even of newly born children, and the killing of sick or elderly people through so-called euthanasia.
 - Against the sixth Commandment (“Thou shalt not commit adultery), because of the epidemic of divorce, of the social and governmental propaganda on behalf of degrading sexual immorality such as homosexual acts and pornography, and the moral corruption of innocent children through a cruel sexual education and indoctrination with an anti-natural gender theory.
- _Through acts of reparation for the most grievous sin and evil of our time, that is, the horrendous sacrileges, desecrations, and trivializations of Our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

(Christus Vincit: Christ's Triumph over the Darkness of the Age, Bishop Athanasius Schneider, in Conversation with Diane Montagna, Angelico Press, 2019).