

Pentecost Sunday May 23rd at 11:00 a.m.

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INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

The phrase "being filled with the Holy Spirit" may summon forth images that are a bit too intense for some folks. They may conclude that when one is filled with the Holy Spirit that they immediately begin speaking in tongues, loudly praise God, sing alleluia from the roof tops, and do other demonstrative things. In reality, being filled with the Holy Spirit means being filled with the fullness of God's life and in touch with the power and wonder of God's presence. It is the Holy Spirit that draws us together as a community of faith, inspires us with wisdom and right judgment and turns us from the darkness of sin to the virtues that bring life. We live in a world where it is hard to discover truth. The Holy Spirit, through the ministry of the church, quides us to truth and shows us the way to be the graced human beings God made us to be. Come, Holy Spirit, and fill our hearts!

St. Peter's Rummage Sale

Coming In July! Watch the bulletin for days and times.



We want to give you this update!

This is now the number of parishioners who stepped forward to become new lectors! We are grateful to Ardie Arnold, Robert Tolomeo, Andrew Hommowun and Eleanor Murphy! Still, we need more help in this very important ministry. If you love the Word of God and if people listen to you when you speak, please call Fr. Joe at the parish offices.



COVID-19 PREVENTION

Please be aware that Governor Pritzker's Bridge Phase auidelines do not apply to Sacramental gatherings. Sacramental gatherings include, but are not limited to: all Masses, baptisms, weddings, funerals, First Holy Communions, Confirmations, Confessions and Adoration.

On May 14th, the maximum attendance at all indoor sacramental gatherings was increased to 75% of capacity space, maintaining as much physical distance as possible and continue wearing masks, hand sanitizing and disinfecting facilities after every use. While 75% of St. Peter's capacity would be around 150, that number would not allow for adequate distancing. Therefore, we will increase the number of worshippers to 115 and should more people come than expected, Fr. Joe will gladly add another Mass to better maintain all quidelines and keep parishioners and guests safe and comfortable.

Anyone wanting to read the bishop's directives firsthand, you are welcome to visit the diocesan website at www.rockforddiocese.org.



MEMORIAL DAY Since the earliest ceremonies in small American towns following the Civil War, we have gathered on Memorial Day to honor and remember those who made the ultimate sacrifice in service to our Nation. As in those early days of laying wreaths and placing flags, our national day of

remembrance is often felt most deeply among the families and communities who have personally lost friends and loved ones. This national holiday may also be the unofficial start of Summer, but all Americans must take a moment to remember the sacrifice of our valiant military service members, first responders and their families.

> Please join us for a Memorial Day service beginning at 9:00 am on Monday, May 31st at Horse Fair Park.

2021 Diocesan Stewardship - Last year, 33.1% of our 635 registered families participated in the Diocesan appeal.

It would be great if more Catholic families live the biblical law of tithes and support the work of the Church, but unfortunately, only 21.1% of our families have made a pledge or payment to this year's Appeal. As we prepare the budget for the new fiscal year, you would be helping your Finance Council a great deal if you mail in your donation as soon as possible. Call the office if you misplaced yours, or make a gift at www.rockforddiocese.org/donate or even simpler yet, click on the "Bear Much Fruit" banner on the top of our parish website.

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We recognize the following parishioners who have made their pledge in support of this year's Diocesan Stewardship Appeal. Your generous donations will bear much fruit through our parish programs, Catholic schools, seminary tuition, diaconate formation and the important work of Catholic Charities.

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In 2017, Illinois Democrats and Republicans worked together to pass a comprehensive education funding bill called the Invest in Kids Act. This law includes a provision for tax credit scholarships - *a 75% tax credit to individuals and businesses, supporting non-public school scholarships!* The scholarships are for students of working class families whose income is no greater than 3X's the poverty level, in order for them to attend the school of their choice.

The Invest in Kids program has proven to be a resounding success! Over 20,000 children in Illinois, from diverse racial and religious backgrounds, have been able to access 650 different schools of their families choice. Participating schools have provided excellent education to these students, even during the pandemic, through in-school, high quality instruction. Still, the needs are greater! Already this year, over 25,000 more students are waiting in line for scholarships, a testament to the need to expand this program. *Unfortunately, Governor Pritzker is wanting to severely cut this program.*

For the benefit of Catholic schools and educational opportunities for all working class families, we need everyone to call our state legislators and urge them to oppose the Governor's plan to cut the Invest in Kids programs and instead, support efforts to extend and improve the Invest in Kids Scholarship Tax Credit.

Please don't delay. Contact...

Senator Craig Wilcox 105-D State Capital Building Springfield, IL 62706 (217) 782-8000 SenatorWilcox@gmail.com Representative Tom Weber 209-N Stratton Office Building Springfield, IL 62706 (217) 782-1664 Weber@ilhousegop.org



Our congratulations and prayerful best wishes go to Jordan Blanton, who was confirmed in the faith and received Holy Eucharist for the first time at the 11 o'clock Mass last Sunday, May 16th! Jordan faithfully participated in this year's RCIA process but unfortunately, was not able to be confirmed with his fellow

candidates at the Easter Vigil Mass because he had been diagnosed with Covid. Now fully recovered, he is fully received into the Catholic Church and we couldn't be happier to welcome him into the fold! His wonderful wife, Caitlin, attended RCIA classes with him and Jordan couldn't have a better sponsor!

Prayers and Squares Meeting Thursday, June 10 at 1 pm in the Parish Hall

During the pandemic, many of us have been isolated in our homes. We have been crocheting, knitting or looming, to help time pass by, but now it is time to get back together and restart our monthly meetings. At the meeting the current guidelines will be adhered to: masks and no food or drink, other than what is brought for personal consumption. Fleece is available for blankets and newly donated yarn for all. *Please try to join us.*

There are many shawls and blankets that are layered with prayers and need a home. If anyone would like one for themselves or someone else, please contact Elaine at 815-678-9932.



Our Sanctuary Lamp burns from May 23rd through June 5th for

† Clarence Shastal

May this light which reminds us of Jesus'
True Presence in the Sanctuary
Welcome them into eternal peace.

PRAYER REQUESTS!

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, we place into your hands, all fellow parishioners we know and love, who are ill or injured and in need of Your healing touch.

Be with them all, especially:

Dominick Adduci Gina Adduci Stephen Bonner Rita Chinni Debra Cooke Deacon Eugene Damian Rob Darmofal Sandy Devine Norman Dolsky Dolores & Irv Éllefesen Rick Evans James Formeller Michael Frer **Donald Gagnon** Glenn Geske Richard Graf Anthony Hodnick Diana Kattner Ed Kattner Ronald Klein Mark & Natalie Kluts Chuck Krueger

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The names above will appear on the prayer list May 1st through July 31st

If you or a loved one would like to continue to be on the prayer list, please contact the Parish Office. 815-675-2288







FOR THE WEEKENDS OF 5/22 - 5/30/2021

The Mass			For	From				
Pentecost Sunday								
Confessions offered on Saturday's, 3:00 - 3:45 p.m. Father will be in the first classroom as you enter the school								
Sat	4 pm	†	Clarence Shastal	Mildred Shastal				
Sun	7 am	†	Les Barycki	Rygiel Family				
	9 am	†	Jack Schmitt	Fritz Family				
	11am	†	Donald Wray	Preschool Friends				
Tue	8 am	†	Peter Keim	George & Georgene Keim				
Wed	8 am	†	Baby Faith Brown	Ken Brown				
Thur	8 am	†	Michael Lukaczyk	Miroslaw & Alina Lukaczyk				
Fri	8 am	†	Stanley & Genevieve Stack	Diane				
The Most Holy Trinity								
Confessions offered on Saturday's, 3:00 - 3:45 p.m. Father will be in the first classroom as you enter the school								
Sat	4 pm	†	Diane Brandstetter	Brandstetter Family				
Sun	7 am	†	Les Barycki	Dennis & Cyndee				
	9 am	†	Anna Lukaczyk	Miroslaw & Alina Lukaczyk				
	llam	†	Donald Wray	Faith Formation Friends				

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	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Ushers				
Pentecost Sunday							
Saturday 5/22 4:00 pm	Nettie Toms	Kathie Toms	Chad Franckowiak George Gemberling Mike Rygiel				
Sunday 5/23 7:00 am	Cyndee Wehrheim	Dennis Wehrheim	David Smid Tom Sullivan				
9:00 am	Steve Besetzny	DeAnne Besetzny	Ben Leali John Jindra				
11:00 am	Aimee Thomas	Susan Straley	Andy Hommowon Mike Gordon				
The Most Holy Trinity							
Saturday 5/29 4:00 pm	Elaine Brandstetter	Elvira Duffey	Andy Hommowon Phil Webb Mike Rygiel				
Sunday 5/30 7:00 am		Mary Seil	Dennis Wehrheim Scott Hastings				
9:00 am	Karyn Leali	Paul Leali	Paul Leali Ben Leali				
11:00 am	Peggy Mack	Mike Rygiel	Chad Franckowiak Zack Rygiel				



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Registration for St. Peter's Pre-school is now OPEN!

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"Do you believe in life after death?" the boss asked one of his employees.

"Yes, Sir," the new employee replied.

"Well then, that makes everything just fine," the boss went on to say. "After you left early yesterday to go to your grandmother's funeral, she stopped in to see you!"

Throughout this pandemic, the quarantine has unfortunately strained many marriages.

Yet for some couples, it has enhanced their relationships! Deacon Greg, for example, is fortunate to have the most loving wife. Just last night, he woke up in the middle of the night while she was holding a pillow tightly over his face to protect him from COVID-19.

Readings for the Week

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 23RD

Sunday: Pentecost Sunday

<u>Vigil</u>: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or J1 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30

[cf.30]; Rom 8:22-27;

Jn 7:37-39

<u>Day</u>: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 [cf.30]; 1Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-23

or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14;

Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34 Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 and 23

Tuesday: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-6 [23b]; Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17;

Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [Sir 36:1b];

Mk 10:32-45

Thursday: Sir 42:15-25;

Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [6a];

Mk 10:46-52

Friday: Sir 44:1, 9-13;

Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b

[cf.4a]; Mk 11:11-26

Saturday: Sir 51:12cd-20; Ps 19:8, 9, 19, 11

[9ab]; Mk 11:27-33

Next Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity

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

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1:00 - 5:00 pm

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PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, May 23rd - PENTECOST SUNDAY

- Benediction & Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6:45 am
- K of C Breakfast To-Go After 7 am & 9 am Masses Only!

Monday, May 24th Tuesday, May 25th

• K of C - Planning Meeting - Parish Hall - 7:00 pm

Wednesday, May 26th Thursday, May 27th Friday, May 28th Saturday, May 29th

- Adoration After the 4:00 pm Mass until 6:45 am Sunday, May 30th - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
- Benediction & Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6:45 am



Magnificat Breakfast Saturday, June 26, 2021

9:00 a.m. - (Seating at 8:30 a.m.)

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Join us for this special morning to enjoy a delicious breakfast, fellowship, and vibrant praise music from our

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For ten years, Mark served as the representative for all Angleophone African countries on the International Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services office in the Vatican. He spent 6 months on the Island of Malta for his discipleship training school with the International Catholic Program of Evangelization in 1990. After his training, he spent two years as a lay missionary in Uganda, East Africa doing ministry to people with HIV/AIDS.

Mark's lively relationship with the Holy Spirit is infectious and his zeal for God's heart inspiring. You will NOT want to miss this prayer/praise celebration led by this talented and devoted evangelist/musician. Get your tickets NOW!

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Tickets cannot be purchased at the door without prior reservation.

Tickets can also be purchased through Wednesday, June 23 at The Little Way Bookstore in Crystal Lake

> 50 Brink St., Crystal Lake, IL 60014 (815) 455-4877



PARISH INFORMATION

BAPTISMS Msgr. Jarmoluk is eager and happy to baptize children whose parent(s) are practicing the Catholic faith and registered members of St. Peter's Parish. Please call the Parish Office for additional requirements and information.

MARRIAGES Please contact Father before you set a date, at least six months in advance.

HOLY COMMUNION Parishioners confined to their homes, for an indefinite length of time due to illness or advanced age, may call the Office and request that the Holy Eucharist be brought to them on Sunday mornings.

REGISTRATION New members should register by either calling the Parish Office or visiting us online at StPeterCatholicChurch.org

HOSPITAL VISITS If you wish Father to visit during your stay in the hospital, please call him at the Parish Office and he will be happy to do so. Likewise, if you wish to be added to our Prayer Chain, let us know by calling (815) 675-2288

FUNERALS Arrangements are to be made in consultation with Father.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK If you or someone you know is sick, injured or being admitted to a hospital and would like to receive the Anointing of the Sick, call the Parish Office without delay.

Should there be an emergency after normal business hours, please call (815) 675-2339

Knights' Corner

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