



Opening Song

OPEN THE EYES OF MY HEART (Baloche)

Open the eyes of my heart,
Open the eyes of my heart
I want to see You, I want to see You

To see You high and lifted up,
shining in the light of Your glory
Pour out Your power and love,
as we sing Holy, Holy, Holy.....

Holy, Holy, Holy
Holy, Holy, Holy
Holy, Holy, Holy, I want to see You...

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer,
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

First Reading

Acts 1:1-11

In the first book, Theophilus, I dealt with all that Jesus did and taught until the day he was taken up, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. He presented himself alive to them by

many proofs after he had suffered, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. While meeting with them, he enjoined them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for “the promise of the Father about which you have heard me speak; for John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.”

When they had gathered together they asked him, “Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?” He answered them, “It is not for you to know the times or seasons that the Father has established by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, throughout Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” When he had said this, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their sight. While they were looking intently at the sky as he was going, suddenly two men dressed in white garments stood beside them. They said, “Men of Galilee, why are you standing there looking at the sky? This Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven will return in the same way as you have seen him going into heaven.”

The Word of the Lord.....Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

R. (6) God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

All you peoples, clap your hands,
shout to God with cries of gladness,
For the LORD, the Most High, the awesome,
is the great king over all the earth.

R. God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

God mounts his throne amid shouts of joy;
the LORD, amid trumpet blasts.

Sing praise to God, sing praise;
sing praise to our king, sing praise.

R. God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

For king of all the earth is God;
sing hymns of praise.

God reigns over the nations,

God sits upon his holy throne.

R. God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

Second Reading

Eph 1:17-23

Brothers and sisters: May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, give you a Spirit of wisdom and revelation resulting in knowledge of him. May the eyes of your hearts be enlightened, that you may know what is the hope that belongs to his call, what are the riches of glory in his inheritance among the holy ones, and what is the surpassing greatness of his power for us who believe, in accord with the exercise of his great might, which he worked in Christ, raising him from the dead and seating him at his right hand in the heavens, far above every principality, authority, power, and dominion, and every name that is named not only in this age but also in the one to come. And he put all things beneath his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, which is his body, the fullness of the one who fills all things in every way.

The Word of the Lord.....Thanks be to God.

Alleluia

Mt 28:19a, 20b

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Go and teach all nations, says the Lord;
I am with you always, until the end of the world.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Mk 16:15-20

Jesus said to his disciples: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved; whoever does not believe will be condemned. These signs will accompany those who believe: in my name they will drive out demons, they will speak new languages. They will pick up serpents with their hands, and if they drink any deadly thing, it will not harm them. They will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover."

So then the Lord Jesus, after he spoke to them, was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God. But they went forth and preached everywhere, while the Lord worked

with them and confirmed the word through accompanying signs.

The Gospel of the Lord....Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Offertory Song

WORTHY IS THE LAMB (MANALO)

Worthy is the Lamb that was slain
to receive honor and glory.

Worthy are the ones who believe
to receive the goodness of God.

1. Worthy are you, O Paschal Lamb.

Wisdom and strength belong now to you.

You laid down your life and died upon the cross:
we've become a people of hope.

2. Worthy are you, O Bread of Life.

Salvation and joy belong now to us.
By conquering death and rising to new life,
we've become a people of praise.

3. Worthy are you, O Risen Christ.
Wonders and signs, revealing your might.
Your power and glory shine upon our lives:
we've become your light for the world.

Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Memorial Acclamation

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.

Our Father

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil. Amen.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory
are yours now and for ever.

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away
the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of
God you take away the sins of the world, grant us
peace.

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter un-
der my roof, but only say the word and my soul
shall be healed.

Communion Songs

WE ARE MANY PARTS (HAUGEN)
We are many parts. we are all one body,
and the gifts we have we are given to share.

May the Spirit of love make us one indeed;
one, the love that we share, one,
our hope in despair, one, the cross that we bear.

1. God of all, we look to you,
we would be your servants true,
let us be your love to all the world.
2. So my pain is pain to you,
in your joy is my joy, too;
all is brought together in the Lord.
3. All you seekers great and small,
seek the greatest gift of all; if you love,
then you will know the Lord.

FRAGRANCE PRAYER (BOOTH)

Dear Jesus, help me to spread Your fragrance eve-
rywhere that I go...

Dear Jesus, flood my soul with Your Spirit and
Your Love...

1. Penetrate and possess my being,
so utterly that all my life may,
only be a radiance of You...
2. Shine through me and be so in me,
that every soul I come in contact,
with may feel Your presence in my soul...
3. Let them look up and see no longer,
me but only You my Jesus,
stay with me and then I shall begin,
to shine as You shine so to shine
as a light to all...

Recessional Song

ALLELUIA! SING TO JESUS!

1. Alleluia! sing to Jesus! His the scepter, his the
throne;
Alleluia! his the triumph, His the victory alone;
Hark! the songs of peaceful Zion, Thunder like a
mighty flood;
Jesus out of ev'ry nation Has redeemed us by his
blood.
2. Alleluia! not as orphans Are we left in sorrow
now;
Alleluia! he is near us, Faith believes, nor questions
how;
Though the cloud from sight received him, When

Ascension of the Lord

the forty days were o'er,
Shall our hearts forget his promise? "I am with
you evermore!"

3. Alleluia! Bread of Angels, Here on earth our
food, our stay!

Alleluia! here the sinful Flee to you from day to
day:

Intercessor, friend of sinners, Earth's redeemer,
plead for me,

Where the songs of all the sinless Sweep across the
crystal sea.

4. Alleluia! King eternal, You the Lord of lords we
own;

Alleluia! Born of Mary, Earth your footstool,
heav'n your throne:

You within the veil have entered, Robed in flesh,
our great high priest;

Here on earth both priest and victim In the Eu-
charistic feast.

5. Alleluia! Alleluia! Glory be to God on high;
Alleluia to the Savior Who has won the victory;
Alleluia to the Spirit, Font of love and sanctity;
Alleluia! Alleluia! To the triune majesty.

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The Hyde Amendment and other sim-
ilar laws have protected taxpayers
from funding elective abortion.

There is a possibility that without the
Hyde Amendment, billions of dollars in
healthcare funding could go to abortion. To re-
spond to this, the USCCB is asking parishes and
dioceses across the country to take part in the
"No Taxpayer Abortion" campaign. For more
information, visit [https://
www.notaxpayerabortion.com/](https://www.notaxpayerabortion.com/).

May 16, 2021

PREVENT AND PROTECT STL

The Archdiocese of St. Louis has developed a
Safe Environment Program called Prevent and
Protect STL and IHM is required to be in compli-
ance with this program. All volunteers of any kind
and employees who minister or work with or near
minors and/or vulnerable adults are required and
asked to register in the new system. **If you have
not yet registered, please do so ASAP.**

1) It is mandatory

2) It is free to you

**3) IHM will pay for your background
check**

To register, please go
to www.preventandprotectstl.org. Enter passcode
stlprotect when prompted and complete all of
the modules to be approved. Step by step instruc-
tions are located at the end of the bulletin.

Thank you so much for your cooperation. Please
contact Karen Hall ([safe.environment@ihm-
stl.org](mailto:safe.environment@ihm-stl.org)) at the rectory for assistance.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

THANK YOU THANK YOU for your donation to
the Annual Catholic Appeal! Many families and or-
ganizations benefit from your contribution.

If you were not able to pick up your card at the Fa-
ther Keaney Center it will be mailed out in the next
couple of weeks. Please complete and return it to
the rectory regardless if you can make a donation or
not. The Appeal appreciates your response.

Thank you again for your
generosity, kindness and
updated information.

Barbara Vineyard,
ACA chairperson



I thought you should know – May 16, 2021

I am excited to announce that we start a new homily series today, and a homily series preparing for **something big**. “Dedicated” is a homily series about dedicating ourselves, our homes, and our families to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. When we dedicate our ourselves to Jesus, we say “Yes” to his desire to make us part of his plan and saving work. In the weeks ahead, we’ll learn about how dedicating our ourselves to Jesus defends us against our spiritual enemies, gives us power to bear witness to God, and opens us a greater gift of the Holy Spirit. We’ll introduce a good way to dedicate ourselves to Jesus: consecrating our families to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and enthroning—that means putting somewhere special—in our homes an image of Jesus and Mary. As we dedicate ourselves to God, we live out in the humble life of our homes God’s great purposes.

All this prepares for the feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, our parish feast day, on June 12. On that day, we hope many people in our parish dedicate their homes to the Sacred and Immaculate Hearts. We’ll invite everyone to do that at Mass on the weekend June 12-13, and we’ll also have a big celebration, with treats after all the Sunday Masses! :) This weekend will be a great weekend to invite your family to join you for Sunday Mass here at IHM.

As part of our preparation for the feast day and consecration of our homes, we’ll have not only this “Dedicated” homily series, but also other special events, too. After all the Masses on May 29-30 we’ll have time for questions and answers with me after Masses. I love good questions, so bring your questions about consecrating your home to Jesus and Mary, or any faith topic that interests you. Before and after Masses on June 5-6 we’ll have confessions available with me and also some visiting priests.

Please pray for the success of our parish feast day celebration, including good weather! Most of all, please pray for spiritual success of our feast day, that is, many people giving their hearts and homes to Jesus and Mary on that day.

The last installment of our “Share What You Have” homily series is below. God bless you!

For me, Mother’s Day is important to help me remember. It’s hard even to hold in my mind all that my mom taught us, her years of care for us, and her countless gifts of affection and service. And I’m going to make mom take some of the blame that, because it seems like every time I see mom I carry away with me another example of how she really does love us by sharing with us her time and attention and home and cooking and prayer and insights, by sharing her life with us. It really hard to remember all her earlier gifts when she keeps put fresh beautiful new one on the top of the pile! All joking aside, I want to tell my mom this weekend thank you for your good example and please don’t stop. It really helps me.

That’s why I think this Mother’s Day weekend is the perfect weekend to conclude our “Share What You Have” homily series. The big idea for this series was that what unites us deeply gives us a foundation for deep sharing. When a woman becomes a mother by childbirth, or by adoption, or by spiritual motherhood—I mean, by a deep, lasting, steady commitment to someone else’s growth and good—that moment of becoming a mother makes a deep bond uniting mother and child. St. Angela Merici said, “Mothers of children, even if they have a thousand, carry each and every one fixed in their hearts and because of the strength of their love they do not forget any of them.” We have such good reason to praise each woman who builds on that deep bond a life of deep sharing.

Sisters and brothers, today we heard Jesus say, “This is my commandment”, that is, the one that is uniquely his. He goes on, “Love one another”, that is, help one another and share with one another, and offer costly goods to each other, “as I have loved you”. “As I have loved you”: this is the part of the commandment which the commandment uniquely his. Then he reminds us what his love for us was like: “No one has greater love than this, to lay down one’s life for one’s friends.”

Why did the Son of God become a little one cell human in the womb of Mary? Why did the same Son of God, grown up as Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Mary, teach us and call us his friends? Why did he lay down his life for

us? He told us why today. As you listen to his words again, notice how they connect sharing and unity: “so that my joy may be in you, and your joy may be complete.”

For the good news is that as a good mother loves her child, so also the Triune God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, loves you. As a good mother shares deeply with her children because of her deep unity with her children, so Jesus shares deeply with us, because he is united to us in his humanity and his passion and his resurrection. If your relationship with your mom is hard, there is so much hope for you and your mom, because Jesus is committed to your good with a love that steady and generous and faithful. Maybe you’ve never known a love like that, or maybe it’s hard to feel it right now, but God says, “Can a mother forget her infant, be without tenderness for the child of her womb? Even if she should forget, I will never forget you”.

Or, if you have a good mom who loves you, you have one of the biggest gifts in the world, and one of the biggest helps to understand how Jesus loves us. Or, if your mom has left this life for eternal life, this moment is one of the good parts of Mother’s day. For Jesus truly present in the Eucharist is united to you and united to your mom, and though we can’t see it with our eyes, you and your mom are one right now, united through Jesus in praise of the Father together in the unity of the Holy Spirit.

I thought about a lot of different invitations I could extend to you for this week, things you could carry away with from this homily for the week ahead. I thought about inviting you, if your mom is a good mom, to be like your mom and like Jesus and look for times this week when you can lay down your life for a friend. Or, I thought about inviting you, if your relationship with your mom was hard, to pray for your mom today, because in Jesus’ deep unity with us, he can heal even our deepest wounds and deepest regrets. Or, I thought about just inviting you right now, to take in and let out deep breath, and to remember that you mom is with you right now, and she is glad you are here.

But though I thought about giving you those invitations, I’m going take this in a different direction and to give you a different invitation instead, because there is an order of operations here that is important, and a foundation we need to clear of rubble if we are going to build something beautiful that lasts. So I want to invite you to ask yourself something that I’m thinking about for myself. Is there some pattern in my life, something I keep doing, or something I keep neglecting, that’s pushing Jesus and his love away from me by sin, a pattern of sin that making me weaker in sharing with other? And if you see something in your life like that, I want to encourage you to go to Jesus with so much hope and trust, and ask him, “Lord, help me with this. Please give me wisdom. Show me what to do; give me wisdom on how to change; help me, Lord. I need you.” For the order of operations is that *first Jesus loves us*, then we remain in him, and then we can share deeply, and the foundation for building something beautiful is what Jesus said in the Gospel today. “As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you. Remain in my love.”

For we all need a love that unites us, and in Jesus Christ, we all have it.

—Fr. Aaron Nord

“Word of the Lord” Missals

Since we have returned to Mass in person, we have eliminated the use of missalettes and have been printing songs and readings on the bulletin. However, we realize that some would like to have a Missal. If you would like to purchase a “Word of the Lord” Missal, we have samples that you can view at the rectory. You can purchase one online at www.ilpmusic.org or by calling 1-888-898-SONG. If you have any questions, please contact Debbie at 314-481-9385.


Celebrate the Feast of the
Immaculate Heart of Mary
with us!

Takes place after all the masses on June 12-13

Treats after all the Masses

Everyone is invited to dedicate their homes and families to the Immaculate Heart of Mary and the Sacred Heart of Jesus at any of the Masses that weekend.

**Questions? Talk to
Alma Bright (314-353-2372)
or Fr. Aaron**



DRUM ROLL PLEASE

The Immaculate Heart of Mary New-To-You "Rummage Sale" is back!

So.....Mark your calendar for the weekend of
September 25 and 26 2021!
More details to follow!

In light of this awesome, marvelous, wonderful, fabulous announcement.....
we are continuing to accept your precious treasures!

So, since you have your calendar out, anyway...Save These Dates
for the next scheduled **Monday** drop-offs.....**June 14, July 12, and August 9**
Time: 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 5 to 7 p.m.

Continuing with our COVID 19 precautions, movement of your precious treasures will continue as follows:

1. Items should still be brought to the school building through the doors across from the rectory.
2. Donors are asked to wear masks during their drop-off.
3. One donor will be able to drop off items at a time. Please remain in your vehicle, and a volunteer will unload the items for you.
4. Subsequent donors are asked to wait in their vehicles until a rummage sale committee member can assist them.
5. Rummage sale committee members will be masked. They will be moving your precious treasures directly from your vehicle to the drop-off room.
6. If you have furniture or large items, special arrangements will need to be made to drop these off.

For more specific information about these drop-off dates or procedures,
call or text Chris Verplancke at 314-481-5353 or via e-mail at camlverp@gmail.com
or to volunteer, call
Elizabeth Cassmeyer at 314-832-0541
or via e-mail at ramflor@sbcglobal.net

Oh, and have we said thank-you recently for all of the lovely items you have donated thus far? You well know that the success of the sale
is only possible through the treasures you share!
So...THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!!!!

Saint of the Week



Saint Paschal Baylon

Saint of the Day for May 17

Saint Paschal Baylon's story

In Paschal's lifetime the Spanish empire in the New World was at the height of its power, though France and England were soon to reduce its influence. The 16th century has been called the Golden Age of the Church in Spain, for it gave birth to Ignatius of Loyola, Francis Xavier, Teresa of Avila, John of the Cross, Peter of Alcantara, Francis Solano, and Salvator of Horta.

Paschal's Spanish parents were poor and pious. Between the ages of seven and 24 he worked as a shepherd and began a life of mortification. He was able to pray on the job and was especially attentive to the church bell, which rang at the Elevation during Mass. Paschal had a very honest streak in him. He once offered to pay owners of crops for any damage his animals caused!

In 1564, Paschal joined the Friars Minor and gave himself wholeheartedly to a life of penance. Though he was urged to study for the priesthood, he chose to be a brother. At various times he served as porter, cook, gardener, and official beggar.

Paschal was careful to observe the vow of poverty. He would never waste any food or anything given for the use of the friars. When he was porter and took care of the poor coming to the door, he developed a reputation for great generosity. The friars sometimes tried to moderate his liberality!

Paschal spent his spare moments praying before the Blessed Sacrament. In time, many people sought his wise counsel. People flocked to his tomb immediately after his burial; miracles were reported promptly. Paschal was canonized in 1690 and was named patron

of eucharistic congresses and societies in 1897.

Reflection

Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament occupied much of Saint Francis' energy. Most of his letters were to promote devotion to the Eucharist. Paschal shared that concern. An hour in prayer before our Lord in the Eucharist could teach all of us a great deal. Some holy and busy Catholics today find that their work is enriched by those minutes regularly spent in prayer and meditation.

Saint Paschal Baylon is the Patron Saint of:

Eucharistic Congresses and Societies
Shepherds

Let's Talk about Faith

It can be intimidating to bring up your faith to family or friends. Those little voices tell us "I don't know enough about the Bible or doctrine to speak to others, I might be rejected, I do not know how to express myself, I don't want people to make fun of me or call me a 'Holy Roller.'" Let's really think about those statements. Do you think that's The Holy Spirit talking to you or is that coming from negativity from your past, thoughts that keep you from sharing what you have experienced with Jesus. Someone in your life took the risk. Pray about following their footsteps. The Holy Spirit is in each of us. Ask "Who do You want me to talk to? What do You want me to say? I want to help, I want to say the right words. Gonna need your help Lord!! I'm willing, but afraid of not saying things the way You want me to. I am putting my trust in you. Lead me Lord." From that moment you can relax, the Spirit will guide you. Listen and pray. It doesn't have to be a sermon or anything grandiose. It could be as simple as a smile at just the right timing, a kind word, sharing how your faith has helped you....it will be as varied as all the beautiful flowers our planet. But it will be YOU growing as a disciple and helping to grow disciples for Jesus. You've got this! Amen.

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Celebration of the Holy Mass

Saturday 4:30 p.m. (Sunday Vigil)
 Sunday 7:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
 Weekdays Monday-Friday 8am Mass (Church)
 1st Saturday of the Month 8:00 a.m. (Church)
 Holydays As announced inside bulletin

Eucharistic Adoration

1st Saturday of the month following 8:00 a.m.
 Mass until 11:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Sacraments

Please call the Rectory to inquire about receiving the Sacraments.

Care for those who are homebound, hospitalized, or in nursing home. Please call the Rectory to arrange for Communion to be brought to any parishioner who is unable to come to Mass. Please inform the Rectory as soon as any parishioner is admitted to any hospital or nursing home.

New Parishioners

Please call the rectory to register as soon as possible.

PARISH NEWS

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
 — LIVE STREAM —

**IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY LIVE STREAMING
 YOU SPOKE, WE LISTENED!**

We are now Live Streaming our Sunday 10 a.m. Mass.

Special Holy Days & Other Events

Please consult bulletin and website for specific schedule

HOW TO WATCH

Go to www.ihm-stl.org and **CLICK ON the
 LIVE STREAM BUTTON** on main page

Live Stream will start right at 10 a.m. on Sundays

We look forward celebrating Mass with our parishioners at home. Since this is a new technology for our church, please be patient if we experience any technical difficulties during our upcoming live streaming.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

TUES May 18 8:30 am Exercise Class **FKC**
FRI May 21 8:30 am Exercise Class **FKC**

MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING REQUIRED.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday through Thursday
 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.**

**SACRAMENT and SPECIAL
 OCCASION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

What a blessed time of year!!! We are happy to announce these special occasions and others in the bulletin. Please feel free to contact our bulletin editor Heather at htsieve@gmail.com about any Baptisms, First Communions, Confirmations, Weddings, special birthdays or anniversaries.



Ascension of the Lord Mass for the Intentions Week

Mon.	5/17	8:00 a.m.	Margaret Mackey
Tues.	5/18	8:00 a.m.	Rich Kage
Wed.	5/19	8:00 a.m.	Joan Altadonna
Thurs.	5/20	8:00 a.m.	Bernard Wahoff
Fri.	5/21	8:00 a.m.	Al Book
Sat.	5/22	4:30 p.m.	Fred Garcia
Sun.	5/23	7:30 a.m.	Our Parish Family
		10:00 a.m.	Deniss Vineyard



LORD HEAR OUR PRAYER

Pray for those who are sick and their caregivers. Pray for Eileen Book (mother of Gerre Book), Peggy Phillips (mother of Peggy Kuehner), Holly Grybas (niece of Rosalyn Oldenber & Cindy Schmaltz), Marilyn Harris (sister of Judy Bruegger), Jan Cattaneo, Beth Bujnak, Beverly Engler (aunt of Kelly Cato), Norbert Groppe, LaRita Heet (daughter of Judy Bruegger), Jerry Yudt, Ted Shear (husband of Therese), Gayle Mohr, Andrew Freeman (Grandson of Jim and Roxanne Wolfslau), Jerry Brendel (husband of JoAnn, father of Jason), Sandy Ceriotti, Steve Baum (nephew of Jean Provaznik), Bob Simmons, Frank Sandrowski, Dorothy Seper, Rosemary Young, Kathleen Moody (daughter of Charlie & Julie), Deacon Jack Burke (brother of Joan Mowery), Stephanie Hagan (wife of Barry), Anna Corson, Nick Corson and those who are homebound, those no longer living in their homes, and all in our Prayer Book. May our Lord Jesus bring them comfort and healing.

If someone has been left off the prayer list or if you would like to add someone, please contact the rectory office.

ROSES FOR EXPECTANT MOMS!!!



If you are expecting a child, we as a Parish would like to pray for you throughout your pregnancy. There are red roses on the table in front of the Blessed Mother's statue in the back of Church. Please write the parents-to-be names and due date on the card attached to one of the roses asking for prayers until the delivery. After baby(ies) arrive, please call Kathy at 314-832-6553. We will then share your blessing in our bulletin.

Keep the following couples in your prayers:

Kim & Scott	June
Michael & Kat	July
Katie & Brad	August

God Bless, Immaculate Heart of Mary Pro-Life

May 16, 2021

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

LECTORS

May 15/16th

4:30 p.m.	Darlene Kustra
7:30 a.m.	Mike Kuhlman
10:00 a.m.	Maureen Lampert

May 22/23rd

4:30 p.m.	John Ruzicka
7:30 a.m.	Glenn Mertens
10:00 a.m.	Rita Springer

May 29/30th

4:30 p.m.	Barb Vineyard
7:30 a.m.	Mike Kuhlman
10:00 a.m.	Lynn Granda



We are going to update our sick list. If there is a name that has been removed that should be added back on, please contact the rectory office. Also, if you have a loved one that you would like to be added, please let us know.



REST IN PEACE

In your charity please pray for
Jerry Guelker
(father of Kyle)

May he join his loved ones in joyful reunion with Jesus.



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