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MASSSES: SAT EVENING 5:00 P.M.
SUNDAY MORNING 8:00 & 10:30 A.M.
TU, WED, FRI: 8:00 A.M.
THURSDAY: 6:00 P.M.
ADORATION: FRIDAYS, 8:30 A.M.-7:00 P.M.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:
TUES, WEDS, FRI: 7:30-7:45 A.M.
THURSDAY: 5:00-5:45 P.M.
SATURDAY: 3:45-4:45 P.M.

PASTOR: FR. DAVID HUNECK
OFFICE HOURS: TUES-FRI 8:30-NOON & 1:00-4:00
CLOSED ON MONDAYS

WELCOME! WE EXTEND OUR HANDS AND HEARTS TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE WITH US, WHETHER
LONGTIME RESIDENT OR NEWLY ARRIVED IN THE PARISH. WE THANK GOD THAT YOU ARE WITH US

The Week Ahead

May 15, 2021

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Lector: Tom Andreas

Eucharistic Minister: Leanna Andreas

Ministers of Hospitality: Vance & Dillon Reed

May 16, 2021 Sixth Sunday of Easter

Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Lector: Becky Beery

Eucharistic Minister: Melinda Woll

Ministers of Hospitality: Jeff Gibson, Steve Schmitt

Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Lector: Mike McClain

Eucharistic Minister: Ingrid McClain

Ministers of Hospitality: Volunteers

Sunday 12 noon**The 12 noon Mass will be discontinued as of June 6th**

COLLECTIONS FOR WEEK OF May 2, 2021

IN PEW COLLECTION:	\$2,619.00
Loose	1,312.47
Repair:	323.00
Candles	49.00
Religious Ed	145.00
Food Pantry	15.00
Total in pew:	\$ 4,463.47
Home Missions	10.00
Catholic Charities	30.00
Pentecost	50.00
ONLINE COLLECTION:	\$ 3,640.00
Repair	492.00
Total Online:	\$ 4,147.00
Online & In Pew	\$ 8,610.47



May, the Month
of Mary

"Whatever you ask in the Rosary
will be granted".

During the month of May the church traditionally honors and venerates Mary, the Mother of God through the recitation of the holy rosary and the May Crowning ceremony. Our Holy Father has set an example by praying the rosary and showed us how this piety can help us to meditate on the Mystery of Salvation. Remember to honor Our Blessed Mother this month by praying the rosary.

MASS INTENTIONS

May 8/9 Sixth Sunday of Easter

5:00 p.m. Kenneth Rock

8:00 a.m. Duane Wood

10:30 a.m. Parishioners

May 10 No Mass

May 11 Tuesday/ Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. Karen Fries

The office will be closed

May 12 Wednesday/Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. Rosemary Riemen

May 13 Thursday/Easter Weekday

6:00 p.m. Beverly Sorey

May 14 Friday/ Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. Lucy Watters

Adoration: 8:30-7:00 p.m.

May 15/16 Seventh Sunday of Easter

5:00 p.m. Becky Jo Reed

8:00 a.m. Parishioners

10:30 a.m. Jane Goble & Theo Goble

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

WOMEN'S EVENING

Mark your calendars: Women's Evening Friday, June 11th from 7pm to 9pm. We will look at Mother Theresa's reflection on the crucifix. The following day, Saturday, June 12th, join us for Nature's Stations of prayer at the St Clair home from 11:30-2:00pm. Reflection is on Mother Theresa's "I thirst". All are welcome!

Mission 25 Donations

We are still collecting canned goods, paper products and household cleaning supplies. The Collection box is in the narthex.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast



The Knights of Columbus will have a breakfast next Sunday, May 16th from 8 a.m. to 1 in the Deacon Joe Community Center. Come enjoy a great meal while supporting our Knights.

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER DAVID

Dear Parishioners,

This weekend you will notice that we opened up more pews. Every pew in the east and west sections are now open. This will allow more people to be seated in the church during our busier Masses. The two middle sections will continue to have every other pew roped off. The diocese has not released any new information regarding the dispensation, social distancing, and mask guidelines.

Now that we have completed all of our training/retraining sessions for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, and Lectors it is time for them to be blessed and commissioned. I will bless the lectors during all Masses on May 22-23, the Solemnity of Pentecost. The blessing will occur after the Prayers of the Faithful and I will ask all lectors present to remain standing at their pews for the blessing. I will commission the EMHC during all Masses on June 5-6, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi. The commissioning will occur at the end of the homily and I will ask all EMHC present to stand at their pews during the rite. The diocese asks that we bless and commission our lectors and EMHC every year. If you will be out of town that weekend let me know and you can receive it another time.

Blessings,
Fr. David

It is very fitting that we celebrate Mother's Day during the Marian month. As we honor the Mother of God, our spiritual mother, we also honor our earthly mothers. On Mother's Day, we remember with gratitude and affection our mothers, not only through material gifts, flowers, or cards, but also, and more importantly, by our prayers for them. We thank God for the gift of our mothers who conceived and gave birth to us, who cared for us, protected us, taught us, and loved us. Many passed on the precious gift of faith to us. We remember all our mothers, living and deceased. We thank them for their generosity and self-giving love.



The Knights of Columbus Blood drive will be next **Sunday, May 16th** from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM in the church hall. Donors from our last drive in March are eligible to donate again. If you have never donated, please consider donating for the first time. Individuals sixteen years of age and older are eligible to donate. Your forty minutes of time could save the lives of three people.

The Red Cross would like **ALL** donors to sign-up online. Please sign-up online @redcross.org or use the Blood Donor App. Get the free Blood Donor App by texting BLOODAPP to 90999 This will make signing up and filling out your rapid pass the day of your donation very simple. Pick up an information card at the posting in the Narthex.

If you have any question or need help, please feel free to call John Herrmann @ 260 229 5499. Donation times have been filling up just before our drives, so sign up now to get your preferred time slot. Future drives for 2021 are **September 12, and November 7th**.



"Please mark your calendars for our Volunteer Appreciation Supper on **Thursday, June 17th, 2021** at 7:00 p.m. in the Community Center. The meal will include smoked meats, salad, baked beans, vegetables, rolls, adult beverages and dessert! An RSVP should be made to Sarah Walter via phone, text, or email by Sunday, May 23, 2021. Sarah can be contacted at 260-503-1166 or sarahwalter894@gmail.com. Please let her know if you'd like to bring a guest!"

Seven Sisters Apostolate

We would like to form a second Seven Sisters Apostolate group here at St. Paul of the Cross. A group was formed on behalf of Fr. David Huneck last July shortly after his arrival and we would like to be able to do the same for Fr. Gary Sigler. The Apostolate consists of 7 or more women who take a day of the week and pray for one hour for the assigned priest. Ideally, it would be good to begin on or near June 11th. If you are interested in joining our already established apostolate or to learn more about it, please contact Anita Senesac at anitasenesac@yahoo.com.

7th Grade Religious Education Teacher/Assistant Needed for the next academic school year. The 7th grade class meets on Sunday evenings from 6 - 8 pm. If interested or to ask about the position, please contact Anita at anitasenesac@yahoo.com or at 260-312-6836. Thank you for your prayerful consideration of helping our young people in their faith formation!

MAY 2021 MINISTER SCHEDULE

<u>Lector</u>	<u>EMHC</u>	<u>Min. of Hospitality</u>
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Sat. May 1
5:00 p.m.
Tom Andreas

Danielle Smethers

Vance Reed
Dillon Reed

Sun May 2
8:00 a.m.
Sam St. Clair

Sara St. Clair

Dave Leininger
Steve Schmitt

Sun. May 2
10:30 a.m.
John Gilles

Nicole Alles

Volunteers

<u>Lector</u>	<u>EMHC</u>	<u>Min. of Hospitality</u>
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Sat. May 8
5:00 p.m.
Kevin Rupp

Riza Crump

Andrew Herber
Volunteer

Sun. May 9
8:00 a.m.
John Herrmann

Roxy Herrmann

Bonnie Crowe
Tony Crowe

Sun. May 9
10:30 a.m.
Don Neff

Tonia Weigold

Volunteers

<u>Lector</u>	<u>EMHC</u>	<u>Min. of Hospitality</u>
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Sat. May 15
5:00 p.m.
Tom Andreas

Leanna Andreas

Vance Reed
Dillon Reed

Sun. May 16
8:00 a.m.
Becky Beery

Melinda Woll

Jeff Gibson
Steve Schmitt

Sun. May 16
10:30 p.m.
Mike McClain

Ingrid McClain

Volunteers

<u>Lector</u>	<u>EMHC</u>	<u>Min. of Hospitality</u>
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Sat. May 22
5:00 p.m.
Kevin Rupp

Vance Reed

Andrew Herber
Volunteer

Sun. May 23
8:00 a.m.
Rob Muratori

Dick Buchanan

Dave Leininger
Mike Sands

Sun. May 23
10:30 a.m.
John Gilles

Kristine Straub

Volunteers

<u>Lector</u>	<u>EMHC</u>	<u>Min. of Hospitality</u>
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Sat. May 29
5:00 p.m.
Tom Andreas

James Schmitt

Vance Reed
Dillon Reed

Sun May 30
8:00 a.m.
Christopher Morgan

Melissa Fearnow

Jeff Gibson
Steve Schmitt

Sun. May 30
10:30 a.m.
Don Neff

Nicole Alles

Volunteers

