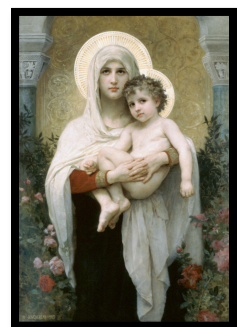


May 10, 2020

**Fifth Sunday of Easter**



Scripture Readings: Acts 6: 1-7;  
Psalm 33:1-19; 1 Peter 2:4 -9; John 14:1-12  
“The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.” (1 Peter 2:7)

Every person has been given gifts from the Holy Spirit. These are called “charisms” and they are used to build God’s kingdom on earth. While many people are able to recognize their natural talents and abilities, they may be unsure of their charisms. If you know someone who is struggling for a direction in life, give them a little encouragement. Help them discern their charisms and how God is calling them to use them. Remember - no gift is too small or insignificant in God’s salvation plan.

**Liturgical Assignments  
May 16-17**

	Lector	Extraordinary Minister
4:30 p.m.	Susan Przybylski	
9:00 a.m.	Shane McDonald	
	<b>Altar Servers</b>	
4:30 p.m.	Kohen Sumpter / Jude Stewart	
9:00 a.m.	Chris & Teddy Barnes	
Weekday		

**Money Counters:** Elizabeth Marek / Jeanie Waggoner

**Sacrificial Offerings to God**

May 3 Envelopes	\$ 12,243.00
Plate	0.00
Votives	0.00
Repair/Utility Fund	625.00
Misc.	140.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$13,008.00</b>

Average Weekly Offertory Needed **\$14,360.00**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

This weekend the second collection will go to the repair fund.

Next weekend the second collection will be taken up for the diocesan **Tomorrow’s Priest Fund**.

Happy 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary to  
**Dr. Anthony and Joan Ingino – May 14<sup>th</sup>!**

**STAY CONNECTED!**

**St. James Parish and School Facebook Page**

Father Totton will be posting daily updates and Sunday Masses at 9AM.

All videos posted to Facebook will also be available through the parish website [www.saintjamessaintjoseph.org](http://www.saintjamessaintjoseph.org).

**Seminarian Garrett King will be ordained to the transitional diaconate on Sat., May 23.** His ordination will be limited to just his immediate family at this time. Please consider joining in his celebration by sending a card or note of congratulations to Garrett King, 12499 Canterbury Ct., Country Club MO 64505. Thank you so much!



*Mother’s Day Memorials*

- Mary M. Conaway by Gale Conaway*
- Frances McCullough by Rich & Shelia McCullough*
- Elaine Lehne by Rich & Shelia McCullough*
- Mary Pickernel by Margaret Pickernel*
- Fern Filbert by Margaret Pickernel*
- Nell View by Toni View*
- Jennifer Chavez by Jacob & Stephanie Mollus*
- Patria Newmann Clark by Paul & Melissa Cox*
- Agnes Murawski by John & Karin Murawski*

*In Honor of:*

- Rose Reichman by Margaret Pickernel*
- Stephanie Chavez by Jacob & Stephanie Mollus*
- Linda Chavez by Jacob & Stephanie Mollus*
- Mary Cox by Paul & Melissa Cox*
- Joann Zolaneck by Rich & Faith Girard*
- Virginia Girard by Rich & Faith Girard*

We are in need of ushers, lectors, and servers for the added Mass times. Please call the parish office if you can help.

**THIS WEEK AT ST. JAMES**

Sunday, May 10	Mass at 7AM Confessions – 8AM Mass at 9AM (livestream on Facebook) Latin Mass at 11:30AM
Mon.	Confessions – 7:30 to 8AM Chaplet of Divine Mercy – 3PM, Church
Tues.	Confessions – 7:30 to 8AM Chaplet of Divine Mercy – 3PM, Church Rosary/Chaplet of Divine Mercy -5:30PM Holy Hour/Confessions – 6PM
Wed.	Confessions – 7:30 to 8AM Chaplet of Divine Mercy – 3PM, Church
Thur.	Confessions – 7:30 to 8AM Chaplet of Divine Mercy – 3PM, Church
Fri.	<b>Office Closed</b>
Sat.	Confessions – 2PM Mass at 3PM (subject to change) Mass at 4:30PM
Sunday, May 17	Mass at 7AM (subject to change) Confessions – 8AM Mass at 9AM (livestream on Facebook) Latin Mass at 11:30AM

**LET YOUR VOICE COUNT AS WE ENVISION THE BRIGHT FUTURE OF THE ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOLS.**

In the ongoing pursuit of being schools of Vitality, the four Catholic schools of St. Joseph have been working this school year to create a dynamic strategic vision and proactively address all areas of growth. In partnership with the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph and our process facilitator, Bernard Dumond of Development Innovations 360, a steering committee of pastors, principals, faculty, parents and community members have been gathering key data, listening to stakeholders and offering key solutions to most pressing challenges facing our schools.

Now it is time to share our plans with you and WE NEED YOUR VOICE! On Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m., you are personally invited to the Virtual Vision & Vitality Summit with Bishop James V. Johnston as our special guest. Join us as we share our goals and invite your input and valued feedback.

To sign up for this meeting and receive the link, please contact Bernard Cell 337-412-9110 Email - [bdumond360@gmail.com](mailto:bdumond360@gmail.com)

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse: 1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and 2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and 3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or [crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org](mailto:crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org), if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph. The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or [chastain@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:chastain@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.



The Medal of the Immaculate Conception, commonly called the Miraculous Medal, was manifested to Sister (now Saint) Catherine Labouré, a spiritual daughter of St. Louise de Marillac and St. Vincent de Paul. This took place in the chapel of the Motherhouse of the Daughters of Charity, 140 rue du Bac, Paris, France.

Sister Catherine, during her novitiate days, received extraordinary favors from God, such as visions of the heart of St. Vincent and manifestations of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. In 1830 she was blessed with the apparitions of Mary Immaculate to which we owe the Miraculous Medal.

Sister Catherine's description of the apparition of Our Lady on November 27, 1830 makes it clear that the Medal originated with the Mother of God herself. 'Her feet rested on a white globe... I saw rings on her fingers.. Each ring was set with gems.. the larger gems emitted greater rays and the smaller gems, smaller ray .... I could not express.. what I saw, the beauty and the brilliance of the dazzling rays.' Catherine heard an interior voice: 'These rays symbolize the graces I shed upon those who ask for them. The gems from which rays do not fall are the graces for which souls forget to ask'.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, May 11**

**Easter Weekday**

8 a.m. - *Rev. Evan Patrick Harkins* ✚

**Tuesday, May 12**

**Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs**

8 a.m. - *Russell Stevenson* ✚

**Wednesday, May 13**

**Our Lady of Fatima**

8 a.m. – *Mrowczynski & Czekalski Families* ✚

**Thursday, May 14**

**St. Matthias, Apostle**

8 a.m. – *Drew Arnett*

**Friday, May 15**

**St. Isidore**

8 a.m. - *Raymond Pankau* ✚

**Saturday, May 16**

**Vigil Mass**

3:00 p.m. – *Katie Gomeck* ✚

4:30 p.m. *Arturo Mejia* ✚

**Sunday, May 17**

**Sixth Sunday of Easter**

7:00 a.m. – *Pro Populo*

9:00 a.m. – *Michael & Frances Hernandez, Mary Ann Ellis* ✚

11:30 a.m. (Latin)

*Sr. Mary Fideles*

(A cross indicates that the Mass intention is for a deceased loved one.)