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May 22, 2022, Sixth Sunday of Easter

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WE BELIEVE

For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life. (Jn.3:16)

WE WELCOME

With joy we welcome all to worship God. Let us lift up our minds, hearts and spirits to our loving and merciful God, from whom all good things come, and thank and praise Him.

WE WORSHIP

Weekend Mass Schedule **Weekday Masses** Monday - Friday Saturday:5:00 PM (Live) 7:00 AM Sunday: 7:30 AM

> 9:30 AM (Live) 9:00 AM (Live)

11 AM Saturday 12:30 PM 9:00 AM (Live)

5:00 PM (Spanish) (Live) 5:00 PM (Live) Adoration: Monday to Saturday 9:30AM-3PM

Every Monday, except in July and August:

Adoration, Rosary & Scripture Study at 7:30PM **Every Friday:**

Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3 PM. (Live)

Every First Wednesday:

Rosary to St. Joseph at 8:25 AM. (Live)

Every First Friday:

Holy Hour after 9:30AM Mass. (Live)

Every First Saturday:

Rosary Meditation at 8:25 AM. (Live) Holy Hour at 6 PM. To 7PM

Responsorial Psalm

"O God, let all the nations praise you!."



WE SERVE

Confessions: Saturday 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm (English) Every First Saturday: 6 pm to 6.30 pm (English) Every First Sunday and Sundays of Lent: after the 9:30 am Mass till 10:55 am (English)

Every First Sunday: 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm (Spanish) or by appointment

Baptism: Celebrated twice monthly (usually on the second and fourth Sunday). Call the Rectory Office for dates to register. Baptism preparation for new parents is on the 3rd Sunday of the month, following 12:30pm Mass. Please plan well in advance.

Marriage: Arrangements for weddings should be made at least 6months in advance, and prior to make reception arrangements. Pre-Cana Sessions are required for all couples planning to marry.

Wedding times: Fridays 3:30pm & 5:00pm

Saturday 11:30pm, 1:30pm & 3:00pm

Sundays 3:30pm

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Only after office hours, & exclusively for the anointing of the sick: (516) 728—3177

> Please do not call this number for any other purpose.

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Nourishment by Word of God and Body of Christ...

Sunday, May 22, 2022, Sixth Sunday of Easter

Readings: 57: Acts 15:1-2,22-29, Rv 21:10-14,22-23, Jn 14:23-29

Fr. Francis 7:30 AM Judith Sebastiano, First Anniversary in Heaven

Fr. Reid 9:30 AM Parishioners of St Ignatius Loyola

Fr. Shibi 11 AM Raymond Morris-Birthday Remembrance

* (Multiple Intentions)

Fr. Benjamin 12:30 PM Patricia McGee Fr. Cesar 5:00 PM Mass in Spanish

Monday, May 23, 2022

Readings: 291: Acts 16:11-15, Jn 15:26-16:4a

7 AM Rev. Francis Samuel (Living)

9 AM Rose Marie Curley

Tuesday, May 24. 2022

Readings: 292: Acts 16:22-34, Jn 16:5-11

7 AM Living and Deceased Members of the Paul Kirdaby Family

9 AM Kevin McKiernan

Wednesday, May 25, 2022, St. Bede, The Venerable, Priest, Doctor of the Church, St Gregory VII, Pope, St Mary Magdalene de Pazzi

Readings: 293:Acts 17:15,22-18:1, Jn 16:12-15 Vigil:58: Acts 1:1-11,

Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23, Lk 24:46-53

7 AM Thomas Brennan, Jr.

9 AM Rose Marie Curley

Fr. Shibi 7 PM Timothy Mulligan

Thursday, May 26, 2022, The Ascension of the Lord

Readings: 58: Acts 1:1-11, Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28, 10-19-23,

Lk 24:46-53

Fr. Benjamin 7 AM Jeanine Swift (Living).

Fr. Francis 9 AM Fr. Andres Fernandez Lopez Pelaez

Fr. Shibi 12:10 PM Jean and Christian-Many Blessings on your

Fifth Wedding Anniversary

Fr. Jacob 7PM Mass in Spanish

Friday, May 27 2022, St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop

Readings: 295:Acts 18:9-18, J n 16:20-23

7 AM Mary Elizabeth Dubon

9 AM Evelyn Wallick - First Anniversary in Heaven

Saturday, May 28, 2022

Readings: 296: Acts 18:23-28, Jn 16:23b-28

9 AM Intentions of Lucille Bafundo, Judith Salerno (Living)

Fr. Shibi 5 PM Werner Busch

Sunday, May 29, 2022, Seventh Sunday of Easter

Readings: 61: Acts 7:55-60, Rv 22:12-14,16-17,20, Jn 17:20-26

Fr. Benjamin 7:30 AM Bienvenido Juan

Fr. Francis 9:30 AM Steven Brady, Second Anniversary in Heaven

Fr. Sean 11 AM Parishioners of St. Ignatius Loyola

Fr. Jacob 12:30 PM Peggy Ryan

* Multiple Intentions

Fr. Cesar 5:00 PM Julian Chavez Avelino—Mass in Spanish

* If you see a Mass listed in the bulletin with no intention and you wish to remember a loved one (living or deceased) for their Birthday, wedding or anniversary of their passing, please call the rectory office to secure that date and time.

Jesus, The Bread of Life, nourish us. Amen.



The Bread and Wine this week are offered for Patrice Davidson From Bocce Club

Jesus, Light of the World, lead us to eternity. Amen



The Candles this week are offered for Patrice Davidson
From
Bocce Club



Sacrificial Giving



Sunday, May 15, 2022 \$13,397

Sunday, May 16, 2021 \$11,246

Thank you for your generosity.

God Bless you all!

Pope Francis Intention for MAY

Faith-filled Young People

We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.

Parish Hymn - After Communion

¶ Jesus! my Lord, my God, my all!
How can I love Thee as I ought?
And, how revere this wondrous gift,
So far surpassing hope or thought?
{ Sweet Sacrament! we Thee adore!
O,make us love Thee more and more!}*2¶



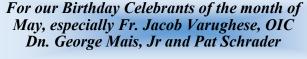
For our Sick

Jennifer Lentini, Carolyn Fitzgerald, Antonio Esposito, Austin Contreras, Eleanor Sharp, Lou Ellen Klints, Aidan Lyons, Jane D'Amico, Mary Ann Goldberg, Angelique Cudarr, Magdalen Cesare, James Kough, Maria Lucas, Jeff Clark, Virginia and Jim Todd, Patty Ambrosio, Marie Vesely, Robert Lambe, Cathy Stengl, Lorraine Mierzejewski, Maureen Devlin, Barbara Martucci, Pedro Janampa, Barbara Family

Heavenly Father, we lift up all who are going through various sickness. Have compassion on them, and lay Your healing hands on them. We pray that You would restore their health, soothe their pain and ease their worries. Give them Your peace and comfort them as they wait. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Get well soon...

Names will be kept on the Prayer for the Sick List for three weeks, unless a family member calls to extend the time.





For our dearly departed Manuel J. Alfaro Nick Oswald Uzuegbunam (Chiko) (Fr Ben's nephew) Jessy Antony **Beatrice Rose**



Jesus died and has risen again, so through Jesus, God will bring with Him those who have fallen asleep; and so also in Christ will all be brought to life.

Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon them.

May the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

We pray for their mourning families also. Merciful Father, comfort all those whose hearts overflow with grief, as they face this sense of loss. May they know the consolation of Your love. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



For our Military.



Almighty Father, give them courage and strength against all enemies, both spiritual and physical. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they do to protect this land and us. Keep them safe in Your loving hands . We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Tech. Sgt. Shawna Clark, US Air Force

Major Edward A.McGoldrick,US Army
Steven Orbon, 1stLt., U.S.Army
1st Lt. James Michael Vaz, U.S. Army
Pvt Ryan Blazo
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Sgt. Lotachukwu Okoye

Paul Vermillion US Marines

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Clergy Corner

My dear St. Ignatius faith family,

The tensions in the life of the Church is nothing new. Today's first reading (Acts 15: 1-29) mirrors such a tension at the time of the Apostles.



Acts Chapter 15 outlines the deliberations of the Council of Jerusalem, which took place around A.D. 50. Prior to the gathering, certain disciples of Jesus in Antioch claimed that "unless you are circumcised according to the custom of Moses, you cannot be saved." Paul and Barnabas, Luke says, had a passionate debate with them. Ultimately, the issue was brought to Jerusalem to be decided by the apostles and the elders, guided by the Holy Spirit. And the decision of the council was that being circumcised was not necessary for salvation.

This must have shaken many of the early Jewish Christians. However, the peace of Christ prevailed. What must bind the church together throughout its differences is the realization that the Holy Spirit is present among the disciples of Jesus. Christ connects the giving of the Holy Spirit to the giving of his peace to the disciples.

In today's Gospel, Jesus says: "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." Christ's peace is unique. It is not comparable to that of shaky political allegiances, but to the steadfastness of God. In Jesus' use of the word, we must consider the Hebrew concept of "shalom" as I mentioned in my previous column. It can mean health, the well-being of the whole person and friendship, as well as the absence of war. All of these must certainly be considered as aspects of peace. However, two other important senses of shalom come closer to Jesus' deepest meaning of peace. For shalom can indicate divine grace in general and, in particular, the salvation Jesus Christ brings.

Christ's peace, however, does not inoculate us from the reality of the world and its suffering. It does not protect us from physical or psychological pain. The peace of Christ gives us grace to carry on our crosses with a purpose. Ultimately, the peace of Christ is the gift of eternal life (John 10:28). It is the gift of joy (John 15:11) that transcends the vicissitudes and losses of this life, because it offers the deepest joy of salvation, which God only can give.

In fact, a kind of healthy struggle or healthy suffering is good for us. Let me give you an example. A certain man was a collector of moths. One day, while walking in a park, he saw the cocoon of a rare moth hanging from a tree twig. He clipped the twig and took the cocoon home. A few days later he saw movement inside the cocoon, but the moth didn't emerge. The next day he saw movement again, but again nothing happened. When it happened a third time, he lost his patience, took a knife and slit the cocoon. Yes, the moth crawled out. But to the moth collector's dismay, it was undeveloped and soon died.

Later a biologist friend explained why. He said that God has arranged it in such a way that a moth must struggle to escape its cocoon. It's this struggle that causes it to develop and makes it strong enough to survive the hostile environment. When the moth collector tried to make it easy for the moth, he destroyed its chances to grow and develop.

Something like that happens with us. God programs struggle into our lives. It is His way of helping us grow physically, psychologically, morally and spiritually. And all the while we are struggling, God is close at hand. God knows that it is for our own good that we struggle for a while. For it is through this kind of struggle, that we grow and develop spiritually—grow into mature Christians! Shalom.

Fr. Francis



May 22, 2022 | Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 | Rev 21:10-14, 22-23 | Jn 14:23-29

Written by
THE
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DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

In the reading from John's Gospel today, Jesus eases into the message he has for his disciples - a message he knows they don't want to hear: He has to leave them. But Jesus tells his disciples that if they love him and keep his commandments, he and the Father will "make their dwelling" within them. He then assures them they will not be alone: The Advocate will come to not only remind them of all he taught them, but also teach them everything they need to know in the future. Finally, he offers them peace, the peace that comes only through the Spirit and draws them closer to God. Though Jesus knows they are broken-hearted that he is leaving, he tells them to rejoice if they love him, for he is returning to his Father. Jesus' words to the first disciples ring true for every disciple throughout the ages. He does not leave anyone who loves him alone. He sends his Spirit to dwell in us, to teach and remind us of his love and how to love one another. The Spirit guides us, encourages us, and sustains us always. We are never alone.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

The first Christians, guided by the Holy Spirit, shared this message with the Gentile communities to whom they were ministering: "It is the decision of the Holy Spirit and of us not to place on you any burden beyond these necessities." This is a profound moment in the Church as it shows first, the power of the Holy Spirit working in and with the Apostles; and second, the importance of faith (not ritual circumcision, or other human laws) for salvation. The Gospel is intended for all, without exception, and the Holy Spirit is our help and our Advocate in our own lives of faith, and in our sharing of that faith with others. Let us seek the counsel of the Holy Spirit in all we do, that we might be a blessing, not a burden, for everyone seeking the glory of God's light.

The Acts of the Apostles is an amazing account of how Jesus' followers grew from a small group of frightened people into the courageous and zealous missionaries who founded his Church. Read the *catechism* from 687-747 to learn more about the Holy Spirit and pray for the grace to let him work in and through you for the salvation of all who seek him.

QR Code for this Sunday's Readings & our Parish Prayer Book. Weekend liturgy with reflection & prayer available on our website also.

Thought of the week

You will never go wrong obeying God.

Saint quote ...

"Those whose hearts are pure are temples of the Holy Spirit."
- St. Lucy

SCAN ME

Mark Your Calendars

Please tune in to our You Tube Channel and subscribe for notifications of live streamed events.

May 23rd to May 28th



Holy Rosary to our Blessed Mother at 8:25 am followed by Mass at 9am(Live)

May 23 Monday

An hour of praying the Rosary and Gospel Reflections for the coming Sunday in front of the Blessed Sacrament at 7.30pm



May 25 Wednesday



Vigil Mass at 7 pm (Live)

May 26 **Thursday**

The Ascension of the Lord—Holy Day of Obligation. Holy Mass at 7 am, 9 am (Live), 12:10 pm & 7 pm (Spanish(Live)) which will be followed by adoration till 9pm

May 27 **Friday**

Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3 pm (Live)



May 28 Sunday

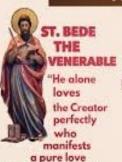


Holy Rosary to our Blessed Mother soon after the 7:30 am Mass (Live)

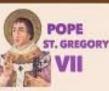
Family Mass at 11 am with Fr. Sean, Vocations Director of our diocese (Live)





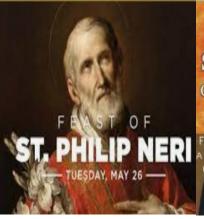


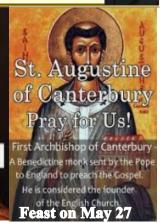
for his neighbor."



"I have loved righteousness and hated iniquity. and therefore I die in exile."









We thank all who have already submitted the questionnaire. Those who have not yet done, please visit Our website or scan the QR Code and participate in the Synodal Questionnaire.



Offer your mother a spiritual bouquet Mass for Mother's Day. Throughout the month of May, our priests will offer all of the weekend Masses for all those mothers honored or remembered by their family members. Envelopes received will be placed in a basket near the altar.

St. Ignatius Loyola



Happenings

Confirmation held on Saturday, May 14

Peter (Peter) Agapito
Ealeen (Elizabeth) Alarcon
Ashley (Felicity) Alvarez
Aidan (Bond) Brady
Valeria (Abigail) Carbajal-Fuentes
Nicholas (James) Cassata
Aster (Rose) Cayabyab
Payton (Gianna) Charan
Gustavo (Gustavo) Cocuyo
Michael (Patrick) Collins
Daniella (Cecilia) Confessore
Andrea (Anne) Cortez-Juarez
Marjorie (Maria) Cortez-Juarez
Christina (Christina) D'Costa
Christopher (Thomas) Devaney

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Courtney (Veronica) Flanagan

Emanuel (Joseph) Garcia

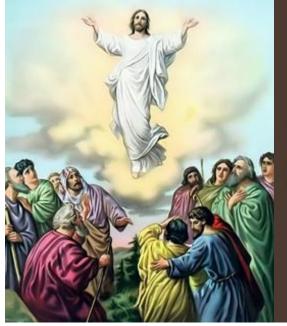
Fanny (Mary) Garcia

Sadi *(Marie)* Huaman

Matthew (Joseph) Lee Melissa (Isabella) Lee Alyssa (Elizabeth) Lombri Anthony (Anthony) Lopez Alyssa (Catherine) Luna Julia (Teresa) Malerba Lauren (Cecilia) Mason Dillon (Joseph) Minutillo Emil (Patrick) Pacic Kaylee (Elizabeth) Palermo Joe (Jose) Penaranda Louis (Michael) Pinto Christian (Raphael) Poveda Thomas (Joseph) Pramberger Jake (Michael) Ranga Juliana (Teresa) Reyes Christopher (Christopher) Reyes Aguilar Fatima (Joan) Rivas John (Vincent) Schiffer Xaria (Estrella) Talavera Diego (Diego) Trejo Hailey (Maria) Treminio Nicholas (Paul) Zike



Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord



"The Ascension exhorts us to lift our gaze toward heaven, in order to return it immediately to the earth, to implement the tasks that the Risen Lord entrusts to us."

(Pope Francis, May 13, 2018)

The Solemnity of the Ascension of Our Lord is a Holy Day of Obligation for Catholics around the world. On this day, the Catholic Church commemorates the Ascension of Jesus Christ to the right hand of the Father 40 days after the Resurrection, as recorded by Mark 16:19, Luke 24:51. According to tradition, the Ascension took place at Mount Olive near Bethany. Thursday will mark forty (40) days after the Resurrection. Depending on where you live, will determine whether you will celebrate

Ascension Thursday or Ascension Sunday. In the United States, only the ecclesiastical provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Omaha, and Philadelphia continue observing Ascension Thursday as a Holy day of Obligation. In many places, the feast day is observed on Sunday instead of Thursday in order to allow Christians to gather properly, since it is not a civic holiday in secular culture.



We pray for these mothers also for whom prayers are requested in our Novena Masses.

M. K. Kremler, Allion Koertge, Jean Levine, Elizabeth Mulligan, Hortense Crocker, Carmela Tulin (Mom), Ann Verrilli (Sister), Catherine Maggio

ST. IGNATIUS GOLF CLASSIC

The St. Ignatius Loyola annual golf classic will take place on

Tuesday May 31,2022 at the **Town of Oyster Bay golf course**. The cost is **\$185 per person**, which gets you an entrance to play golf, golf cart, driving range, breakfast, lunch, cocktail hour and dinner. If you wish to have cocktails and dinner only, the cost is \$75 per person.

This will be the 25th year that the golf classic is being held and it's a major fund raiser, raising approximately \$12,000 for the parish.



CHAIRPERSON NEEDED to takeover in 2023

Don Cleary has been the chairperson of the golf classic for many years. He will retire as the chairperson after this year, however he will remain on the golf committee.

We are looking for someone or even two people to co-chair and takeover in 2023.Don will be available to help and guide the new chairperson throughout the year.

Anyone having any interest, please contact the Rectory Office as soon as possible to get on board with the 2022 outing.

This weekend, members of the Golf Committee will be outside the church after all the Masses selling early bird raffle tickets for a chance to win three cash prizes of \$250.00, \$150.00 and \$100.00. The cost is \$10 per ticket, 3 tickets for \$20, and 6 tickets for \$30. You do not have to be present to win. All proceeds from the Golf Classic go to the support of our Parish.

Help Us to Restock Our Pantry



We continue to thank all of you who have been so generous with your donations to the Pantry.

Human Services is always in need of food. Our pantry is low on these items:

We are desperate for bags of rice!! Cans of tuna are always welcome, as are jellies, canned soups, canned vegetables including green beans, kernel corn, mixed vegetables, tomato sauces and cans of black beans and kidney beans. We are especially low on spaghetti and pasta sauce!

Donations can be left in the baskets located in the vestibules of the church or brought directly to us at Human Services on Mondays, Tuesdays or Thursdays between 9:30 am and 5 pm (we're closed for lunch from 12 noon to 1 pm on those days). Your donations help to feed some of our neighbors!

We are currently looking for a volunteer who could pick up fresh goods from a local bakery and deliver them to Human Services. Please call us at (516) 935-8846 for details.

Again, thank you so much for your generosity.

Joe Samodulski



Congratulations

Winners

May 2022 Drawing

First Prize \$100 – John Aryres

Second Prize \$75 – Tom Murphy

Third Prize \$50 - Georgette Basso

For information please call Diane (917) 923-1541



W e Celebrate Our Sacraments

Marriage Banns

Michael Smith, Church of St Aidans, Williston Park Caroline Urbielewicz. Our Lady of Czestochowa REMEMBER TO BRING
IN THOSE FILLED
BABY BOTTLES THE
WEEKEND OF
JUNE 4TH AND 5TH





BRUCE A. BLAKEMAN

County Executive Bruce Blakeman Encourages everyone to participate in a

MOMENT TO REMEMBER

Observe 50 Seconds of Silence at 12 Noon & 6:00pm on Memorial Day as a moment to remember our fallen Veterans.

Memorial Day | Monday, May 30th 12:00 Noon & 6:00pm



Nassau County has announced two
County-wide 50-second moments of
silence on Memorial Day, May 30th to
honor the men and women who laid
down their lives in service to our nation.
The first moment of silence will be at 12
Noon, followed by the second at 6:00
pm. During those 50 seconds at 12 Noon
and 6:00 pm on May 30th, Fire
Departments, Police Cars, and
Volunteer Ambulance Corps will sound
their sirens and horns to remind
residents to pause and remember our
nation's fallen heroes.

Please dedicate the Angelus at 12 Noon and 6:00 pm on May 30th to the prayerful memory of our deceased servicemen and women, especially in gratitude for their defense of our religious liberties.

Are You Being Called to Serve?

By virtue of our Baptism, we are all called to holiness—
the lay faithful as well as Bishops, priests, and deacons.
But have you felt called to serve in a much deeper and committed way?
If you are a man between the ages of 30 and 60, who feels that
you are being called to ordained ministry as a deacon in the Church,
you are invited to come for an Evening of Prayer and Discernment
with other men of faith to discuss and explore that very question.
There is no cost to the evening—just your time and openness.

COME PREPARED to LISTEN to PRAY to REFLECT to DISCERN where God is calling you!

The evenings are being offered conveniently at three locations in our diocese.

7:00PM, Tuesday, June 7 — St. Rose of Lima, Massapequa, 2 Bayview Avenue

7:00PM, Wednesday, June 8 — St. Mary Manhasset, 1300 Northern Boulevard

7:00PM, Thursday, June 16 – St. Joseph, Ronkonkoma, 45 Church Street

with a Saturday Morning option to be held at

10:00AM, Saturday, June 18 — Ss. Peter & Paul, Manorville, 781 Wading River Road

RSVP by Friday, June 3rd, to 631-423-0483 Ext. 179 or by email to

diaconateformation@drvc.org

We thank you and look forward to being with you.



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Formation: Look back to Easter Sunday. From Easter Sunday till now, how have you grown in your faith? Ask the Holy Spirit to make you aware of certain areas of your life

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Toward a Pro-Life Future in the Empire State

A statement by the Catholic Bishops of New York State

Humanity's salvation history was forever changed when a poor, devout Jewish girl from Galilee affirmatively said yes to life and set in motion the birth, ministry, sacrificial death and resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Mary's fiat ("Thy will be done.") was a gift of love to humanity, given freely in spite of her inability to know all that would entail, but with more faith in the Lord than fear of the unknown. In this month of Mary, we have an opportunity to reflect on her example, even as Americans grapple with gathering societal unrest over the issue of abortion.

"Any woman – regardless of age, religious belief or affiliation, marital status or immigration status – who is pregnant and in need, can come to the Catholic Church and we will give you the services and supports you need to carry your baby to term, regardless of your ability to pay."

Since the 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decision in Roe v. Wade effectively opened the door to abortion on demand throughout the land. an estimated 63 million unborn babies across the country have been killed in the womb before they could even draw their first breath of air. As we await a decision on Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization, the recently argued Supreme Court case that could potentially overturn Roe, we pray for a positive outcome even as we acknowledge that abortion in New York would continue unfettered, and even be actively promoted as a social good by many elected officials. Sadly, New York, which legalized abortion three years before the Roe decision, has long been the abortion capital of the country, a tragic and sobering distinction.

Through the years, advocates for legal abortion have skillfully framed the narrative as one of "choice," and "reproductive freedom," completely ignoring the biological reality of what abortion is: the intentional killing of an innocent child in the womb. Even as sonogram technology and advances in neonatal medicine clearly show us the truth that what is being "terminated" is a human life, the pro-abortion movement refuses to address the science. The

abortion industry has been so successful in its messaging that the right to abortion has become inextricably linked to the notion of women's rights and equality for a significant portion of the country, which is why the prospect of a nation without Roe has led to fear and anxiety for many people.

Millions of our fellow Americans – even, it must be said, many of our fellow Catholics – have succumbed to this false notion, and we must respond to it in charity and with sensitivity, but with clarity. The fears and anxieties of a young woman faced with an unplanned pregnancy are valid. She is likely terrified. She may be overwhelmed with a plethora of legitimate questions: How will she provide for her other children with another baby on the way? Will the father abandon her? Will she be able to continue her education? Where will she and her family live? Who will provide childcare when she goes back to work? For many, abortion seems the only way out.

These feelings are real, and the challenges of an unplanned pregnancy are difficult. This presents a pastoral challenge for bishops, clergy, Church leaders and, indeed, for all faithful Catholics. Often, the Catholic Church is unjustly accused of being more concerned with the baby in the womb than with the mother and child once the infant has been born. As false as this notion is, it is incumbent upon us as shepherds to acknowledge and address that misperception.

As far back as the 1980s, the late John Cardinal O'Connor, a giant of the pro-life movement, made a pledge that we reaffirm today: Any woman - regardless of age, religious belief or affiliation, marital status or immigration status - who is pregnant and in need, can come to the Catholic Church and we will give you the services and supports you need to carry your baby to term, regardless of your ability to pay. Furthermore, we will not abandon you and your baby after delivery, but, rather, we will see to it that you have the resources that you and your child both need and deserve. No one will be turned away from life-affirming care. If you have had an abortion that you regret, whether recently or in the distant past, please come to us as well, so that we may offer you services to help you to heal.

We ask every Catholic parish, every Catholic Charities program, every Catholic health facility, every Catholic school, every Catholic college and university, and every religious community in our state to proactively engage with us in this pastoral effort. Together, through the New York State Catholic Conference, we have gathered a list of many of the available resources at www.nyscatholic.org/HelpForMoms. You can also find a map to all Catholic parishes, schools and Catholic Charities agencies in the state at www.nyscatholic.org/places.

But our state and local governments must do their part as well. Elected officials constantly fall over themselves in rushing to announce new initiatives to ever expand abortion in order to garner votes. New York has long been one of the few states to require taxpayers to fund abortion through Medicaid. Planned Parenthood and other abortion providers have access to endless state funding streams. Perhaps the most egregious piece of abortion expansion legislation anywhere was the 2019 Reproductive Health Act. Championed by our previous governor, this act legalizes abortion on demand through nine months of pregnancy, declares abortion to be a fundamental right, allows non-physicians to perform abortions, and even removes criminal penalties for forced or coerced abortions. This year, our current governor codified a provision in the state budget requiring all health insurance plans to cover abortion, with virtually no exemptions for religious employers. Most recently, significant taxpayer funds were redirected to increase abortions in New York State.





Meanwhile, programs to support women who make the choice to keep their babies, to the extent that they exist at all, are starved for funding and are not well promoted. Yet many political leaders typically cater more to abortion providers and advocates than to women who might well make a different choice, if only they were aware of and had other options.

We understand full well that no Supreme Court decision will reduce the availability of abortion in New York. With that reality as a backdrop, state government has nothing to lose and everything to gain by working toward reducing the rate of abortion. There is common ground to be found, even in a state like New York. The recent state budget provision dramatically expanding postpartum Medicaid eligibility is proof of this. But why not work together to do more?



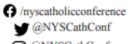
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- We envision a New York where a woman in a crisis pregnancy is never made to feel that she has no choice but to abort.
- We envision a New York where parents, husbands or partners, as well as society at large, do not put undue pressure on a woman to abort her child.
- We envision a New York where access to quality prenatal care and healthy birth outcomes are the same whatever your ZIP code, the color of your skin or your country of origin.
- We envision a New York where employers and educational institutions fully accommodate the needs of pregnant women and new mothers so that they can carry their babies to term without fear of negative financial, professional or academic consequences.
- We envision a New York where public policies promote adoption through tax credits and other incentives for both birth mothers and adoptive parents.
- We envision a New York where tax policies aimed at reducing poverty, like an expansion of the Child Tax Credit, enable single mothers and poor families to provide for the basic needs of their children.
- We envision a New York where no mothers or children fall through the cracks of the social safety net, and quality health care is guaranteed for all.
- We envision a New York where quality childcare is affordable and accessible for all.
- We envision a New York where marriage between one man and one woman is promoted as a societal good geared toward the stable raising of children.
- We envision a New York where boys and men are taught to respect women and to

- accept and embrace the financial, physical, and emotional responsibilities of fatherhood.
- We envision a New York where post-abortive women who are suffering emotionally are given the services they need to heal, and the acknowledgment that their pain is real.
- We envision a New York where religious organizations can provide needed services to pregnant women and moms while remaining true to the tenets of their faith.

All of these goals can come to pass, even in a state like New York. Let us not put our trust in mere judges, legislators, governors, or presidents. Rather, let us put our faith in God, for whom nothing is impossible. Politicians can change policies and laws, but only God can convert hearts and minds.

So, in this month of Mary, mother of Jesus and mother of us all, let us pray through her intercession for an end to abortion in our lifetime and let us work toward making New York a state where even if abortion is not illegal, it will one day be unthinkable.

May 12, 2022

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VI Domingo de Pascua—Ciclo C

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Evangelio del Sexto Domingo de Pascua (Jn 14, 23 — 29)



En aquel tiempo, dijo Jesús a sus discípulos: «El que me ama guardará mi palabra, y mi Padre lo amará, y vendremos a él y haremos morada en él. El que no me ama no guardará mis palabras. Y la palabra que estáis oyendo no es mía, sino del Padre que me envió. Os he hablado de esto ahora que estoy a vuestro lado, pero el Defensor, el Espíritu Santo, que enviará el Padre en mi nombre, será quien os lo enseñe todo y os vaya recordando todo lo que os he dicho. La paz os dejo, mi paz os doy; no os la doy yo como la da el mundo. Que no tiemble vuestro corazón ni se acobarde. Me habéis oído decir: "Me voy y vuelvo a vuestro lado." Si me amarais, os alegraríais de que vaya al Padre, porque el Padre es más que yo. Os lo he dicho ahora, antes de que suceda, para que cuando suceda, sigáis crevendo.»

Palabra del Señor / Gloria a ti Señor Jesús



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DIACONADO: Mario y Dora Gómez José y Judith Contreras.

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Rincón de Clero

Mi querida familia de fe de San Ignacio,

Las tensiones en la vida de la iglesia no son nada nuevo. La primera lectura de hoy (Hechos 15: 1-29) refleja tal tensión en el tiempo de los Apóstoles. El capítulo 15 de Hechos describe las deliberaciones del Concilio de Jerusalén, que tuvo lugar al-

rededor del año 50 d. C. Antes de la reunión, ciertos discípulos de Jesús en Antioquía afirmaron que "a menos que seas circuncidado según la costumbre de Moisés, no puedes ser salvo". Pablo y Bernabé, dice Lucas, tuvieron un debate apasionado con ellos. Finalmente, el asunto fue llevado a Jerusalén para que lo decidieran los apóstoles y los ancianos, guiados por el Espíritu Santo. Y la decisión del concilio fue que la circuncisión no era necesario para la salvación.

Esto debe haber sacudido a muchos de los primeros judíos cristianos. Sin embargo, la paz de Cristo prevaleció. Lo que debe unir a la iglesia a través de sus diferencias es la comprensión de que el Espíritu Santo está presente entre los discípulos de Jesús. Cristo conecta el don del Espíritu Santo al don de su paz a los discípulos..

En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús dice: "La paz les dejo, mi paz les doy". La paz de Cristo es única. No es comparable a la de las lealtades políticas inestables sino a la firmeza de Dios. En el uso que hace Jesús de la palabra, debemos considerar el concepto hebreo de "shalom" como mencioné en mi columna anterior.

Puede significar la salud, el bienestar de toda la persona y la amistad, así como la ausencia de guerra. Todos estos deben ser considerados ciertamente como aspectos de la paz. Sin embargo, otros dos sentidos importantes de shalom se acercan más al sentido más profundo de Jesús de paz. Porque shalom puede indicar la gracia divina en general y, en particular, la salvación que trae Jesucristo.

La paz de Cristo, sin embargo, no nos inocula de la realidad del mundo y su sufrimiento. No nos protege del dolor físico o psíquico. La paz de Cristo nos da la gracia para llevar nuestras cruces con un propósito. Al final, la paz de Cristo es el don de la vida eterna (Juan 10:28). Es el don del gozo (Juan 15:11) que trasciende las vicisitudes y pérdidas de esta vida, porque ofrece el gozo más profundo de la salvación, que sólo Dios puede dar.

De hecho, nos conviene una especie de lucha sana o de sufrimiento sano. Déjame darte un ejemplo. Un hombre era un coleccionista de polillas. Un día, mientras caminaba por un parque, vio el capullo de una rara polilla colgando de la rama de un árbol. Cortó la ramita y se llevó el capullo a casa. Unos días después vio movimiento dentro del capullo, pero la polilla no emergió. Al día siguiente volvió a ver movimiento, pero tampoco pasó nada. Cuando sucedió por tercera vez, perdió la paciencia, tomó un cuchillo y cortó el capullo. Sí, la polilla se arrastró fuera. Pero para consternación del coleccionista de polillas, no se desarrolló y pronto murió. Más tarde, un amigo biólogo explicó por qué. Dijo que Dios lo ha dispuesto de tal manera que una polilla debe luchar para escapar de su capullo. Es esta lucha lo que hace que se desarrolle y lo hace lo suficientemente fuerte como para sobrevivir en un entorno hostil. Cuando el recolector de polillas trató de ponérselo fácil a la polilla, destruyó sus posibilidades de crecer y desarrollarse.

Algo así sucede con nosotros. Dios programa luchas en nuestras vidas. Es su forma de ayudarnos a crecer físicamente, psicológicamente, moralmente y espiritualmente. Y mientras luchamos, Dios está cerca. Dios sabe que es por nuestro propio bien que luchamos por un tiempo. Porque es a través de este tipo de lucha que crecemos y nos desarrollamos espiritualmente, ¡convirtiéndonos en cristianos maduros!

Shalom,

Padre Francisco



"He aquí el Corazón que ha amado tanto a los hombres, que no se ha ahorrado nada, hasta extinguirse y consumarse para demostrarles su amor. Y en reconocimiento no recibo de la mayoría sino ingratitud."

(Palabras de Jesus a Sta Margarita Maria de Alacoque) **Misa de víspera en honor al**

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