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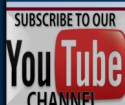
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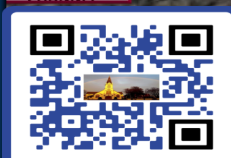
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*Continuing
the Legacy of
163 years*



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
Saturday: 5:00 PM (Live)	Monday - Friday
Vietnamese 9:00 PM	7:00 AM
Sunday: 7:30 AM	9:00 AM (Live)
9:30 AM (Live)	Saturday
Family Mass 11 AM	9:00 AM (Live)
12:30 PM	5:00 PM (Live)
Spanish 5:00 PM (Live)	

Adoration: Monday to Saturday 9:30 AM-3 PM
Every Monday, except in July and August:

Adoration, Rosary & Scripture Study at 7:30 PM
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 9:30 AM Mass. **(Live)**

Mass in Spanish at 7 PM

Every First Saturday:

Rosary Meditation at 8:25 AM. **(Live)**

Holy Hour at 6 PM. To 7 PM

May 14, 2023, Sixth Sunday of Easter

Responsorial Psalm
**Let all the earth
cry out to God
with joy.**



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 of the month 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, with confirmation from Rectory. 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 3:30 pm & 5:00 pm
Saturday 11:30 am, 1:30 pm & 3:00 pm
Sundays 3:30 pm

Anointing of the sick : *After the 9:30 am Mass on the second Sunday of every month, and upon request.*

Parish Staff Directory

CLERGY

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RECTORY OFFICE: 931-0056 ;
*Monday to Friday 9:00 AM - 12 noon & 1:00 PM - 5 PM **
Saturday : Closed; Sunday: 9:00 AM - 2 PM.
** Evenings by appointment only.*

Parish Secretary: Mrs. Joan Della Ratta;
 931-0056 Ext.117; *jgdellaratta@optonline.net*
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Departments

<p>ADULT FAITH FORMATION: Deacon George A. Mais. Jr.; 931-0056 Ext.140;</p>	<p>BUSINESS OFFICE: Mrs. Jeanne Calhoun; 931-0056 Ext.118;</p>	<p>MUSIC DIRECTOR: Maribel Pacific; 931-0056 Ext.116;</p>	<p>BULLETIN EDITORS: Mrs.Nancy Bollmann Mrs. AnsyMary</p>
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Fr. Jacob Varughese : (516) 935-8846
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Office Hours:
 Monday 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM,
 Tuesday & Thursday 9:30 AM - 12 Noon
 & 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: COORDINATOR : Mrs. Nivia Soto
 935-6873 Ext.126; *nsoto.silre@gmail.com.*

ADMIN ASSISTANT : Mrs. Barbara Malerba Ext.127;
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Office Hours: From September to June.
 (July and August - Closed.)
 Sunday & Friday : Closed.
 Monday: 10AM to 3PM.
 Tuesday & Thursday : By appointment only.
 Wednesday: 3:30 PM to 8:30 PM
 Saturday: 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Stewardship: Please call the Rectory;
 931-0056

Maintenance Supt.: Tony; Ext.125

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Joseph Malerba
 Edward Sottile
 Michael Tuzzolo
 Diane Pramberger
 Juan Medrano
 Peggy Gill
 Migdalia Vasquez
 Kevin Reyes
 Joseph Del Priore
 Diane Del Priore
 Elizabeth Fitzgibbon

DIGITAL EVANGELISM & COMMUNICATIONS
 Mrs. AnsyMary Antony

EMERGENCY CONTACT

In times of serious illness, the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is highly recommended to offer strength and healing. It is the greatest gift you can offer to your sick brethren.

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

TRUSTEES:
 Erika Aldana
 Mike Krummenacker

FINANCE COMMITTEE
 Sr. Karen Lademann
 Joseph Panarelli
 Luisa Adames
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 David Fantry
 Marianne Wallitch

Nourishment by Word of God and Body

Sunday, May 14, 2023, Sixth Sunday of Easter, Mother's Day

Readings 55: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17, 1 Pt 3:15-18, Jn 14:15-21

Fr. Francis 7:30 AM Parishioners of St. Ignatius Loyola

Fr. Jacob 9:30 AM Ralph Pignataro

Angela Vitrano

Michael Lee

In Thanksgiving to Divine Mercy

Fr. Shibi 11 AM John Moyer

Fr. Reid 12:30 PM Frances Thomas

Fr. Cesar *Mass in Spanish* 5 PM

Monday, May 15, 2023, St. Isidore

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

7 AM Gloria and Stephen Scover

9 AM Catherine and Joseph Gill

Tuesday, May 16, 2023

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

7 AM Rev. Jacob Varughese, OIC (Living)

9 AM Doreen Kathleen Lesmeister

Wednesday, May 17, 2023

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

7 AM Ruth A. Frescott

9 AM Joseph Cunningham

Fr. Jacob 7 PM Bilingual Vigil Mass

Thursday, May 18, 2023, The Ascension of the Lord

Holy Day of Obligation

Readings: 58 Acts 1:1-11, Eph 1:17-23, Mt 28:16-20

Fr. Francis 7 AM Ann Swift (Living)

Fr. Shibi 9 AM Christopher/Rosann Keiterer (Living)

Fr. Shibi 12:10 PM Lucia Perrotta

Friday, May 19, 2023

Readings: 295: Acts 18:9-18, Jn 16:20-23

7 AM Mary and Dominic Sanzoverino

9 AM Fiorentino Oliva

Saturday, May 20, 2023, St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest

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

9 AM Chinnamma Varghese

Fr. Jacob 5 PM Deceased Members of Suchan and Cheslock Families

Sunday, May 21, 2023, Seventh Sunday of Easter

Readings 59: Acts 1:12-14, 1 Pt 4:13-16, Jn 17:1-11a

Fr. Francis 7:30 AM * Multiple Intentions

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

Fr. Shibi 11 AM Margarita and Gerard Lemoine

Fr. Reid 12:30 PM Juan Rodriguez

Fr. Cesar *Mass in Spanish* 5 PM

**** Priest schedules are subject to change ****

*** 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 in Loving Memory of**

Chinnamma Varghese

From

Joseph and Family

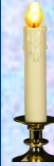


**Jesus, Light of the World, lead us to
eternity. Amen**

**The Candles this week
are in Loving Memory of
Chinnamma Varghese**

From

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Sacrificial Giving



Sunday, May 7, 2023 \$ 12,353

* Goes directly to the diocese

* Catholic Elementary Schools \$ 1,825

Sunday, May 8, 2022 \$ 10,413

**Thank you for your generosity.
God Bless you all!**

For May

**For church movements
and groups**



PAPAL INTENTION

**We pray that Church movements and
groups may rediscover their mission of
evangelization each day, placing
their own charisms at the service of
needs in the world.**

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¶



We Pray...



For our Sick

Jennifer Lentini, Carolyn Fitzgerald, Antonio Esposito, Austin Contreras, Maryanne Goldberg, James Keough, Maria Lucas, Jeff Clark, Marie Vesely, Robert Lambe, Lorraine Mierzejewski,, Barbara Martucci, Pedro Janampa, Barbara Family, Lynn Schweitzer, Terry Jenkins, Don Glass, Gloria Viruet, Cathy Jansen, Kenneth Romeo, Greg Scavetta, Aidan Lyons, Eleanor Sharp, Michael Pitonza, Johnny Martin, Angela Funef, Corinne Clark, Katherine Yorke, Valarite Sferrazza, Richard Burgos, Matthew Kwas (WTC 9-11 First Responder), John Huber, Anna Silvestre, Robert Grossman, James Kenna

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 Birthday celebrants especially especially Fr. Jacob, Deacon George Mais, Jr., and Wedding celebrants of the month of May, and for all mothers.



May God bless you all.

For Our Dearly Departed



Jessy Antony

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

Sgt First Class. Matthew Loheide	Major Edward A.McGoldrick,US Army	Atan Lisa Olynk, USN
MSgt. Kevin J. Hennelly –USAF	Steven Orbon,1 st Lt., U.S.Army	PO3 Hunter Morales, US Navy
CDR. Jonathan W. Lang—USN	1st Lt. James Michael Vaz, U.S. Army	HM3 Morrigan Hayes, US Navy
CDR.. Jeanine A. Lang	Pvt Ryan Blazo	SA Peter Cavallo, US Navy
SPC Justin T. Sikorski	PVT Lorenzo LaPlaca, US Army	Oscar Martinez—Marines
Col. Paul J. Laughlin	Pvt. Daniel Sullivan, US Army	PFC Jim Arbelaez, US Marine
M Sgt. Michael Marascia	PVT Lorenzo LaPlaca, US Army	Major. Joseph Whittaker, USMC
Sgt. Stephen L. Emlaw	Tech Sgt. Peter F. Clark, USAF	SSGT Michael J. Mc Ilwrath, USMC
Lt. David Jacobs	Adam Cespo—Air Force	Gunnery Sgt. Brian Moran, USMC
Pvt. Thomas Wright	Airman First Class Gianinna Roldan (USAF)	Pvt.Joseph Gergely,USMC
Sgt. Dustin Lusby	LTJG Christopher Medford,USN Navy	Major Patrick O. Kelly, USMC
Cpt. Richard Macchio	LTJG Alie Disher, U.S.N.	2nd Lt. Thomas P. McLoughlin, USMC
PVC Andrew Hughes	LTJG John Patrick Orr, USN, C.E.C.	Sgt. William J. White, USMC
Sgt. Lotachukwu Okoye	P.O Third Class E-4 Kyle A.Kamer Mayer	Robert Van-Horn US Air Force
Paul Vermillion US Marines	Navy	

We pray for all mothers, especially mothers for whom we are requested to pray for in our Mother's Day Novena Masses

Wishing you all the love and happiness you so deserve. May God bless you all for all that you do and may this special day be as lovely as you.

Lucy Sassone, Mary Grossi, Edward Smith, John and Rita Smith, Joseph and Margaret McGuire, Emila Macalino, Valeria Egan, Alma Krummenacker, Rosalie Badalamente, Rosemary Loheide, Elizabeth Loheide-Rupes, Regina Fuller, Koreen Cassiero, Christina Cassiero, Angela Mauri, Margherite Marinelli, Nataline Greci, Angelina DelManew, R. Hymes-Loheide, Elizabeth Hymes, Fay Nunziata, Jean Portelli, Rose Marie Curley, Elizabeth Fitzgibbon, Elizabeth Towey, Patricia Adragna, Mary Frances Horan, Maureen Fitzgibbon, Peggy Rooney, Rita M. Bergin, Bridget Carnivale, Kaitlin Santos, Bernadette Sullivan, Laura Fitzgibbon, Margaret Moldovak, Catherine Gill, Peggy Gill, Maureen Schneider, Denise Woodcheke, Eleanor McKenna, Maureen, Lourdes, Kristie Harkins, Denise and Jean Keane, Rosemary Punzi, Elizabeth Goldsmith, Maria L. Hernandez, Anne Ayres, Grace Proffe, Nellie Cavanaugh, Catherine Stengl, Loretta Barry, Evelyn Mirro, Maura Suarez, Elvia Abeles, Hannelore Stadler, Rose Monti, Maira Zull, Carol Riccio, Manuela Smith, Rosemarie Longo, The Family of Benny Joseph, Edna Fitzgerald, Nellie Barbera, Elizabeth Mulligan, Hortense Crocker, Theresa Meyer, Celia Torres Rodriguez, Marie Pellegrino, Lee Forovito, Mary Lotito, Olga Rybak, Lucia Macam, Benigna Zoleta, Ruth Muller, Rose Himmelstoss, Eileen Viola, Betty Mast, Mariano Kessler, Helen Hogan, Nunziata M. Commisso, Cateaina Mazzaferry, Cecelia Moneta, Margaret Flanagan, Magdalena Moneta, Pauline Bagley, Evelyn Sohn, Loretta Smith, Frances Murray, Rita Martin, Mary Czczil, Edna Belanich, Milka Simicic, Adele Lemke, Agnes Zimmermann, Elizabeth Lang, Elizabeth McGunnigle, Mary Lang, Wanda Lekowski, Lottie Semerau, Anna Lekowski, Margaret Warner, Marion B. Ficke, JoAnn/Suzanne Ficke, Koreen Cassiero, Christine Cassiero, Catherine McNickelson, Gertrude Mais, Jane V. Delaney, Louise and Alice Clark, Gertrude Smith, Jeanine Stender, Claudette Crowley, Christine Clark, Diana Clark, Maureen Clark, Marie Vesely, Kate Vesely, Kristen Clark, Bernadette Pazzcidsi, Genevieve Vesely, Beatrice Ambrosios, Shauna Clark Marietta Swift, Joan Curran, Marjorie Douglas, Victoria Steers, Anastasia Recupero, Giuseppina DiGirolamo, Laura DiGirolamo, Sally O'Rourke, Jane Horan, Sister Mary Jane Fitzgibbon, Mary Jansen, Ethel Butler, Florence William, Madeline Marrone, Nellie Duffy, M. Kremler, Gloria Scover, Mary Heimerle, Family of Jose Huezos, Sgnes Cavaliere, Laura Perfetti, Louise Orlando, Arcangela Donovan, Donatangela Ruligliano, Family of Roy Tringali, Maruion Haliasz, Clementine Balnis, Eleanor M. Sommers, Filippa Verde, Elaine Tildcn, Rose Lucito, Catherine Radonic, Marie Maglietta, Marian Smith, Smith Girls, Marie Gerolemon, Mary Guarasci, Minnie Ricci, Lillian Sullivian, Evelyn Schmitt, Bridget Cunningham, Theresa Arrigali, Mary Ciarlone, Flor Ramirez, Irene Aitken, Josephine Danowski, Irene Blader, Mary Danowski, Mary Subowinski, Malmquist, Carrera, Kaletcher, Brengel, Geraldine Pagnozzi, Diane Richardson, Palma Magliari, Grace Portaro, Olvida Bandiola, Teresita Manalastas, Emily Bairg, Lea Schell, Irma Pauano, M. Rosaria Martello, Josephine Walters, Nancy Joseph, Helen Cleary, Josephine Maino, Ellen White, Carol White, Margaret Gaj, Arline Basso, Mary Pickard, Regina McLean, C. McClare, Mary Stigliano, Anna Loiola, Mariana Alavar, Digna Hernandez, Margarita Jones, G. Pascucci, G. Tomeo, Ella Shaternik, Elizabeth Kaminek, Fastura Aleixo, Benny Joseph Family, Ethel Starin, Catherine Dodd, Madeline Amontgelis, Mary Paradiso, Kathleen Maier, Rose Cunningham, Julia Sandy, Anna Sebastiano, Elizabeth DellaRatta, Marion B. Kraly, Mattia Leggio, Gertrude Schleith, Josephine Hupp, Elvira Serano, Francisca Melgar, Family of Jorge Cruz, Carmela Doucette, Margaret Ferraro, Veronica Kenny, Patrice Davidson, Mary Thomas, Colleen O'Hara, Eileen Walter Rosemarie Walter, Beatrice Kenny, Rhoda Lyons, Carol Lyons, Dorothy J. Willant, Pelagia Wilantowicz, Carmen Rodriguez, Cesira Vinciguerra, Anette Sullivan, Rosa Eppich, Karolina Sehne, Lucy Mize, Anna Triolo, Helen Mize, Jean Bolman, MaryAnne Mize, Ang Meyer, Jeannette Grossi, Christine O'Grady, Stella Batycki, Ann Gass, Clem DeMartino, Barbara Tuohy, Susan Beabant, Noreeen Timpano, Lil Angus, Doris Fiorenza, Nora Tuohy, Madeline Wyman, Margaret Serzo, Joann Lentini, Helen Lupski, Anna Lupski, Ada Murray, Mary Clare Leahy, Ceciia Marchione, Eleanor Grasso, Dolores and Jean Pirozzi, Fanny Montovano, Peggy Ryan, Jennifer Perez, Martina Doherty, Ellen McNicholas, Winifred Doherty, Louise Lang, Helen Pidcoe, Grace Patton, Catherine Doyle, Virginia Mott, Ruth Heaney, Esther Murphy, Anna Sitar, Anna Ferto, Juliette Dealy, Catherine McElheaney, Ellen Harkins, Carmela Garofolo, Josephine Ingariola, Felicita Guevara, Eneldia dd la Madre, Manie Tereza Villalobas, Eneldiadela Madre, Maria Rodriguez, Eneldiadela Madre, Marina Navarro, Edencio Abeso, Loretta Barry, Eileen Sprague, Rose Marie Curley, Josephine Kluck, Josephine Lavella, Alice Aiello, Regina E. Peragallo, Mildred L. Dittko, Marie and Regina Kraus, Ana Palewski, Laura Power, Jenny Kraus, Karen Sparacio, Margaret Stolz, Libby Lang, Teodorica Mercado, Lourdes Reyes, Wena, Roselyn, Joy, Elena, Jollie, Baby, Dely, Winnie, Irene, Sheila, Melody, Mary Agnes McGovern, Grace Puerta, Lilli Fueust, Claire Philpitt, Flavia Musollimo, Florence Philpitt, Gertrude Greulich, Antoinette Mussollimo, Susanne Philpitt, Jessy Antony, AnsyMary Antony



He will give you another Advocate to be with you always...

You are never alone. Never, Ever. If you are a Christian, then God is always with you. More than that, He is *in* you through the indwelling presence of the Holy Spirit. “*And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you*” (John 14:16-17).

Jesus makes this promise to His disciples immediately following an important announcement. He would soon be leaving them in order to build and furnish their heavenly home, but they would remain here (John 14:1-15). However, He assures them, “I will not leave you as orphans” (John 14:18). Jesus would never think of abandoning His followers. Instead, He promises to give them “*another Helper.*” This title refers to one who comes alongside to exhort or encourage. But Jesus assures them that the Holy Spirit would not only be *with* them, but *in* them. This means they would not only be able to count on the Spirit’s presence at certain times or for certain purposes, but *always*, in every place, *forever*. How is this possible? The Spirit would indwell them. He would actually take up residence within their physical bodies. What a comforting promise this must have been for them—and is for you, too!

“Compatibility”, update, upgrade are few common words in modern world. Compatibility refers to be a state in which two things are able to exist or occur together without problems or conflict. It is the capacity for two systems to work together, without having to be altered to do so. Eg. A computer which has a Windows 98 Operating System (the very old version) will not be able to support many of the latest programs and softwares.. It is because of a “compatibility” issue. This compatibility issue can also appear in our spiritual life... When we are not in proper terms with God, we fail to understand many of His plans for us. When we are not in line with God’s Will, we lose out on grasping many of His aspirations for us. When our system is in compatible with the latest applications the system will ask us to update or upgrade our system.

The disciples were unable to grasp the meaning of the words of the Lord. They looked lost and seemed confused. They appeared bewildered and their thoughts were not “compatible” with the thoughts of the Lord. Their understanding was not “compatible” with the wisdom spoken by the Lord. And so Jesus says that one would fail to understand heavenly things, if one fails to even understand the earthly things. “If I tell you about earthly things and you do not believe, how will you believe if I tell you about heavenly things?” (Jn 3: 12) The disciples were overwhelmed. They felt like life has handed them more than they can handle or that they have been called to accomplish more than they can. Their system was incompatible with new ‘application’ offered by Jesus. That is why Jesus is promising an updating of their system in John 15:26 and John 16:7. Jesus promised to send the Holy Spirit to his disciples. In these verses, the Holy Spirit is referred to as the Comforter, Advocate, Helper, or Counselor depending on the Bible translation you are reading.

How often is our life also, not “compatible” with the requirements of Jesus, and His Gospel! Our thought-pattern often fails to be “compatible” with the teachings of the Church. Our relationship with others, often fails to be “compatible” with the command of love of all...Our personal following of Jesus, often fails to be “compatible” with our dual mind of seeking also the pleasures of this world....A great deal of “incompatibility” is often experienced by us, in the spiritual realm. Let us seek to “update” our lives with the love and power of the Holy Spirit. Let us pledge to “upgrade” our lifestyles with the convictions and truths of the Holy Gospel. The role of the Holy Spirit is all-encompassing. He is our Comforter, Counselor, Helper, Advocate, Intercessor, Strengthener, and Standby. What a joy and relief to know that we do not have to labor through life because God is always with us, and our victory is secure in Him! Let us ‘update’ or upgrade our spiritual system by receiving the Holy Spirit.

Fr. Jacob

Parish Mission Statement : We Believe, We Welcome, We Worship, We Serve.



May 14, 2023 | Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17 | 1 Pt 3:15-18 | Jn 14:15-21

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

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

I know a few people whose method of book buying is to read the last few pages of a book first. They want to know if buying, or reading, the book is going to be worth it. As an avid bibliophile I find this to be something I could never do, but I understand their impulse. After all, it makes sense to want to have some kind of assurance that the journey one is taking – whether physical, spiritual, or literary – has a decent “payoff,” as it were. In today’s Gospel, Jesus promises his disciples that when he leaves he will provide “another Advocate” for them. We see this truth in action in the first reading, as with the laying on of hands by the apostles, those who had been baptized in Jesus’ name “received the Holy Spirit.” Christ’s life, death, and resurrection not only conquered death and brought us new life, it made way for the Holy Spirit who has come to dwell among and within us. The Lord has not left us alone. So while we may have a sense of what the sequel to our journey is, we trust the author of our story to help us write the ending of this one.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

The love of God and the gift of faith from the Holy Spirit brought the earliest disciples, and us, to the journey – to our own story of a life of discipleship. And while the Bible is indeed “a book,” it is also a compilation of books, letters, and events, and more, that give words to a living history of salvation that began before time and is outside of time and eternal. The Good News cannot be contained in pages – it must be lived, shared, and loved. And yes, it is good to know how it ends, but even that pales in relation to the joy and worthiness of the reading and living of the Word. That is for us to experience, and to share! As much gratification as there is in sharing our favorite new bestseller, we need to double and revamp our efforts when it comes to the Gospel. Give it away freely, to everyone, and shout out the ending. Jesus Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! And the Holy Spirit sets us free to love him and one another.

STUDY In order to truly live the Word and spread it to others as Jesus commanded, we must be familiar with the Scriptures. The *Word on Fire Bible*, featuring the Gospels only, is well-designed and includes commentary from Bishop Robert Barron as well as Church Fathers and recent saints and Catholic authors.

Gospel in a nutshell

And I will ask the Father,
and he will give you
another advocate to help you
and be with you forever.
John 14:16

**I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU AS
ORPHANS; I WILL COME
TO YOU.
– JOHN 14:18**



**QR Code for our Parish Prayer Book, Bible Reading Plan
Weekend Readings & Priest Schedule.**



SCAN ME

Thought of the week

*True obedience is a matter of love,
which makes it voluntary,
not compelled by fear or force.*



Saint quote ...

*“Blessed are the obedient,
for God will never permit them to go astray.”
St. Francis de Sales*



St. Ignatius Loyola **AROUND THE PARISH** Happenings



Honoring Mary

During the
Month of May

Pray the
Rosary

May is the month when we honor Our Blessed Mother. As a parish, we will honor the Blessed Mother every morning during the month of May at **8:25 a.m.** by offering the rosary to her. We invite parishioners to lead the rosary and for us to pray together as a parish family.

*If you would like to lead the rosary, please contact **Peggy Gill at 516-532-3006** to sign up for a particular day and we hope many of you will take advantage of such a wonderful way to start your day by praying together. Thank you.*

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.



HUMAN SERVICES

On behalf of all the families that we serve, I thank all the parishioners who support our food pantry every week. Human Services is open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday to help families from all backgrounds and beliefs thanks to your generosity.

Food Pantry needs for the moment.

Black beans, 1lb bags rice, peanut butter, jelly, canned fruits, pasta sauce, mayonnaise, ketchup, dish detergent, laundry detergent, toilet paper, paper towels and soaps.

We have plenty of green beans; we do not need any for the moment.

Unfortunately, we are still not accepting clothes at this time. May God bless you

The office of Human Services (516) 935-8846

*Don't miss
the ^{Bulletin}
Deadline*

Please submit all bulletin materials at least 10 days prior to the date of the bulletin in which you want it to come. The materials will be published based on time sensitivity and on a First Come basis. Thank you for your understanding.

Stewardship

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Bulletin Reflection: In today's Gospel, Jesus tells His disciples that He will send the Holy Spirit to remain with them and guide them.

Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Prayer: As Catholics, we should make a habit out of praying to the Holy Spirit for guidance. When we pray to the Spirit, we are asking God to help us make the right decisions in life. If you ever feel stressed or don't know what to do in your life—ask the Holy Spirit for guidance!



We welcome into the Family of God and to our Parish Family here at St. Ignatius Loyola, the following new members baptized April:

Sunday, April 30, 2023

Genesis Yamelith Benavidez Reyes

We invite...



Mark Your Calendars

UPCOMING EVENTS



<p>May 14 to May 21</p>	 	<p><i>Daily Rosary to honor our Blessed Mother at 8:25 am (Live) (Page 40 of our Parish Prayer book)</i></p>
<p>May 14 Sunday</p>	 	<p><i>Special Mother's day blessings at ALL Masses</i></p> <p><i>BABY SHOWER hosted by CDA at ALL the Masses in conjunction with our Spiritual Adoption program.</i></p> <p><i>Anointing of the sick after the 9:30 am Mass.</i></p> <p><i>May Crowning at the 11 am Mass. (Live)</i></p> <p><i>For more information, please check the next page of the bulletin</i></p> 
<p>May 15 Monday</p>		<p><i>Divine Mercy Chaplet, Rosary, and Gospel Reflections for the coming Sunday by St. Anne's Prayer group in the Adoration Chapel at 7:20 pm</i></p>
<p>May 16 Tuesday</p>		<p><i>Rosary Making meeting in Room B of the Old School Building from 3pm to 5pm</i></p> <p><i>Bible Study with Dn. George from 7:30 pm to 9 pm in Room B in the Old School Building</i></p> 
<p>May 17 Wednesday</p>		<p><i>Bilingual Vigil Mass of the Feast of The Ascension of The Lord at 7 pm</i></p>
<p>May 18 Thursday</p>		<p><i>Feast of The Ascension of the Lord - Holy Day of Obligation</i></p> <p><i>Holy Masses in English at 7 am, 9 am (Live) and 12:10 pm</i></p>
<p>May 19 Friday</p>		<p><i>Novena to Holy Spirit from May 19th to 27th in anticipation of Pentecost on May 28th soon after the 9 am Mass on weekdays and after the 7:30 am Mass on Sunday</i></p> <p><i>Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3 pm (Live) (Page 15 of our Parish Prayer book)</i></p> 
<p>May 20 Saturday</p>		<p><i>The Patriotic Rosary will take place at 8am in the Church.</i></p> <p><i>All parishioners are invited to attend. Let us sing patriotic songs and continue to pray that we will all live together in peace and harmony and bring an end to this violence and hatred here and abroad. We also pray for all the leaders of the world to come together and embrace world peace.</i></p> <p><i>We must also pray for America, the land that we love and call home.</i></p>
<p>May 21 Sunday</p>		<p><i>Family Mass at 11 am</i></p>



Join Us for Our Annual

May Crowning

Sunday, May 14, 2023

11:00 a.m. Mass (Live)
St. Ignatius Loyola Church,
Hicksville

Children who will receive their First Holy Communion this year are invited to attend dressed in their Communion dresses and suits.

All are welcome to join us in honoring Our Blessed Mother Mary!



**BUS TRIP TO WIND CREEK CASINO,
BETHLEHEM, PA
HOSTED BY CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS
OF THE AMERICAS, HICKSVILLE, NY**

- When:** Tuesday, May 23, 2023
Cost: \$50 per person, which includes the driver's tip
Give back: \$35 slot play.
Time: Please arrive at 8:30 am—Return approx. 8:30 pm
Parking: # 999 So. Oyster Bay Road (dead end)
Reservations: call **Barbara at (516) 935-5576**

Please make checks payable to "CDA".

**The first to pay is the first on the bus, etc. **

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
REGISTRATION
IS NOW OPEN**

Please go to the **Religious Education page** of our website at stignatiushicksville.org

to register your child(ren) to ensure he/she will have placement in a classroom. Registrations completed online can only be paid by credit card. If you prefer to pay by cash or check, you may contact the office at **516-935-6873** to pay in person. Please note that all outstanding balances for the 2022-2023 school year must be paid in full before re-registration for the 2023-2024 school year will be accepted. Please note that registrations received **after July 1st**, will incur a **\$25.00 late fee**. The form can be downloaded from our website. Thank you for your cooperation.

Have a safe and enjoyable summer and we look forward to welcoming you back in September.

Mrs. Nivia Soto *Coordinator*
Mrs. Barbara Malerba *Administrative Assistant*

Confirmation Sunday Picture



For more pictures, please visit the Photogallery section of our website or scan the QR Code .



Holy Mass for Healing

Sunday May 21st 2023

2 - 5:30 pm

St. Therese of Lisieux Church

67 South Essex Street | Montauk, NY 11954

~ Booklets to assist you in preparing for Holy Mass will be provided ~

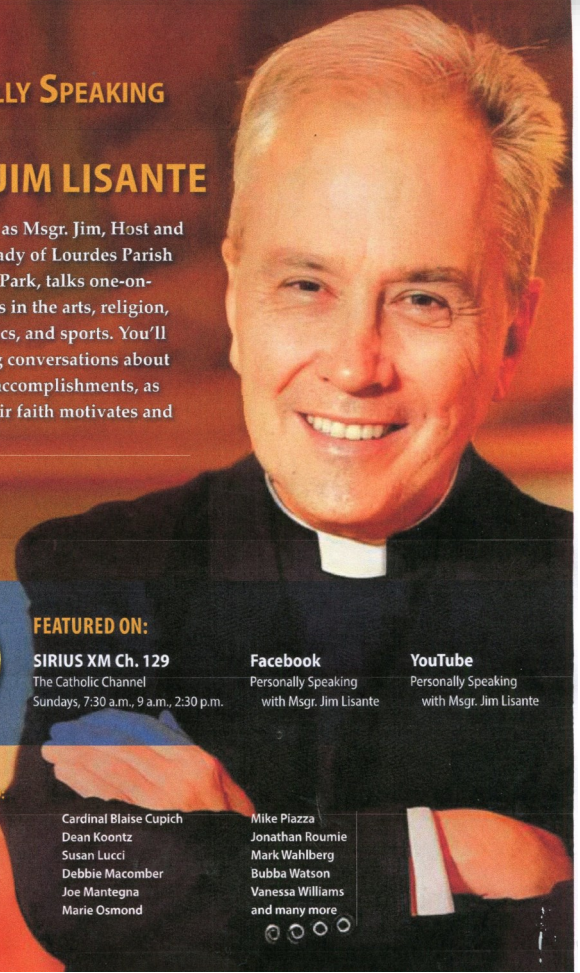


PERSONALLY SPEAKING

WITH

MSGR. JIM LISANTE

Tune in weekly as Msgr. Jim, Host and Pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish in Massapequa Park, talks one-on-one with leaders in the arts, religion, literature, politics, and sports. You'll hear captivating conversations about their lives and accomplishments, as well as how their faith motivates and supports them.



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William Barr
Bishop John Barres
Pat Boone
Drew Brees
Kristen Chenoweth
Harry Connick, Jr.

Cardinal Blaise Cupich
Dean Koontz
Susan Lucci
Debbie Macomber
Joe Mantegna
Marie Osmond

Mike Piazza
Jonathan Roumie
Mark Wahlberg
Bubba Watson
Vanessa Williams
and many more



Meet Super Shane, an 11 year old boy, who in early 2021, was diagnosed with T cell ALL Leukemia, with CNS (central nervous system) involvement. In August of 2021, Shane suffered a serious brain injury caused by the toxicity of the chemotherapy and radiation. As a result, Shane's cognitive and motor skills have been seriously impaired. Shane continues to receive chemotherapy as well as extensive physical therapy. Shane has 3 siblings ages 12, 12 and 8. On May 7, 2023, Holy Family CYO will hold its annual CYO vs Cancer car wash fundraiser at Holy Family School in Hicksville, from 8:30am-1pm. The rain date is May 21. All proceeds will benefit Shane and his family.



If you are interested in helping this family please consider attending the car wash, volunteering to wash cars or making a donation. To donate please make your checks payable to **Jenn Lang** and mail to **Ed Hebron at 2 Mitchell Court Hicksville, NY 11801**. You can also **venmo @Ed-Hebron**.

If you have any questions please call or text **Ed Hebron at 516 761 6647**. Thank you in advance for your kindness and support.



Is God Calling You to Serve As
A DEACON?

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!

Meetings are being offered conveniently at four locations in our diocese.

- 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 23 – Our Lady of Victory, Floral Park, 2 Floral Parkway
 - 7:00 p.m., Thursday, May 25 – Our Lady of Lourdes, Massapequa Park, 855 Carmans Road
 - 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 31 – St. Joseph, Ronkonkoma, 45 Church Street
- with a Sunday Morning option,
FOLLOWING THE 11:00 AM MASS, to be held at
- 12:00 p.m., Sunday, June 4 – St. Anthony of Padua, East Northport, 20 Cheshire Place

RSVP AS SOON AS POSSIBLE 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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Honor Roll

The following students have exhibited academic excellence for the Third Quarter of the 2022-2023 academic year:

- Our Lady of Mercy Academy
- Monica Joseph & Hailey Becker
- St. Antony's High School
- Joshua Jorgge, Lena Martorana
- Aidan Merk & Blake Pasqualone

Congratulations and God bless !

DIOCESAN
Holy Hour
for
Vocations
with Adoration, Live Music, Confessions, Dodgeball & Food

Friday, May 19
at 7:30 P.M.

AT THE SEMINARY OF THE
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION IN HUNTINGTON



with Guest Preacher
Fr. Sean Magaldi



Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Queen of Angels is Hosting a **BABY SHOWER** at **ALL** the masses on **May 13th and 14th** in conjunction with our Spiritual Adoption program.

Help welcome our spiritually adopted babies due in June—nine months from the start of this program. **All donations will benefit the Life Center of Long Island and Birthright, to assist mothers in need.**

Items most needed: formula (Enfamil Regular and Similac Advance), jarred baby food, boxed baby cereals, diapers, baby wipes, Desitin, baby shampoo, diaper bags, and clothing for infant sizes and up to size 4T.

Please bring unwrapped gifts to Mass and place them on the altar. Monetary donations (checks payable to "Catholic Daughters") are also welcome.

Questions? Call **Tina** at **516-702-2434**.
We thank you in advance for your generosity!



Las Hijas Católicas de las Américas, Corte Reina de los Ángeles será el anfitrión de un **BABY SHOWER** parroquial en todas las misas del sábado 13 de mayo y del domingo 14 de mayo en conjunción con nuestro programa de Adopción Espiritual.

Ayudanos a recibir a nuestros bebés adoptados espiritualmente en junio. Son los nueve meses desde el inicio de este programa.

Todas las donaciones beneficiarán el Centro de Vida de Long Island y Derecho de Nacer, para ayudar a las madres necesitadas.

Los productos que más se necesitan: fórmula (Enfamil y Similac Advance Regular), comida de bebé embotellada, cereales para bebés en caja, pañales, toallitas húmedas, Desitin, champú para bebés, bolsas de pañales y ropa de talla de bebés y hasta la talla 4T.

Por favor traiga los regalos sin abrira la Misa y colóquelos en el altar. Las donaciones monetarias (cheques a nombre del "Catholic Daughters") también son bienvenidos.

¿Preguntas? Llame **Tina** a **516-702-2434**.
Le damos las gracias de antemano por su generosidad!



*We Celebrate Our Sacraments
Marriage Banns*

*Thomas Cerchione, St. Bernards
Allison Sottile, St. Ignatius Loyola*

*David Olivia
Ewelina Mieszczak
Church of the Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary*



CHAMINADE HIGH SCHOOL

COME VISIT US!

Tours are offered weekdays during and after school. Scan the QR code or visit www.chaminade-hs.org/admissions to sign up!



Creciendo en la Fe

Descubriendo esperanza y gozo en la fe católica.

Mayo de 2023

Meditaciones breves

Actúen en confianza

Jesús no quiere que nos preocupemos por asuntos de este mundo. "Mi paz les doy" (Juan 14:27). Cuando se dé cuenta de que empieza a preocuparse o a agitarse por una situación (o persona) difícil, ponga en práctica su creencia de que sus plegarias por una solución serán contestadas. Sustituyan los pensamientos negativos por pensamientos positivos y alegres. Dios está a cargo.



Su cambio cuaresmal

La Cuaresma es el tiempo en el que realizamos cambios que nos acercan a Dios. Durante la Cuaresma muchos de nosotros nos abstenemos de consumir nuestra comida o bebida favorita y llegamos a la Pascua un poco más ligeros de espíritu y de cuerpo. No olviden que un cambio cuaresmal puede continuar más allá de la Pascua. Piensen en extender su ayuno cuaresmal todos los viernes del año, o una semana al mes, por ejemplo. Hallen modos de hacer permanente su cambio cuaresmal.

Descansen y relájense

Dios cuenta con que no dejemos de descansar. "Vengan a mí los que van cansados, llevando pesadas cargas, y yo los aliviaré" (Mateo 11:28).



Den la bienvenida a todos los hijos de Dios

Dios ama a cada uno de nosotros exclusiva y apasionadamente, sea cual sea nuestra procedencia y nuestro aspecto. Los que lo seguimos sabemos que no sólo es importante que nos amemos mutuamente. Es la ley de Dios.

Celebren la diversidad. Inviten a su casa o a su iglesia a extranjeros o a gente que sea diferente a ustedes. Jesús fue extranjero en

tierra extraña y agradeció la hospitalidad que recibió. En la Comunión de los Santos hay gran diversidad.

Practiquen la paciencia. Puede ser difícil escuchar a alguien con un trastorno del habla o un acento marcado. Pero imaginen lo agradecida que estará esa persona cuando le presten su atención.

Tal vez les ayude imaginar el rostro de Cristo en el rostro que contemplan.

Aconsejen al ignorante. Alguien de otro país, ambiente, o con habilidades distintas a las de ustedes podría comportarse de un modo que parece desconsiderado por ignorancia o por limitaciones. Podría apreciar que le informaran.

Hablen. No se callen cuando vean prejuicio y hablen positivamente sobre la diversidad si sus amigos o familiares

critican la fe, la cultura o las habilidades de los demás.

Obren con amor. El Dios del amor se entregó para que podamos reunirnos con él. Compartimos ese amor cuando damos por sentado lo mejor en los demás y buscamos el bien en todos los hijos de Dios.



¿Por qué hacen eso los católicos?

¿Por qué celebran la Ascensión los católicos?

La Ascensión de Jesús a la gloria celestial es una buena noticia. San Pablo explica que en la Ascensión, Jesús, el Sumo Sacerdote, entró en el templo celestial para orar por nosotros con el Padre (Hebreos 9:24). En segundo lugar, desde su trono celestial Jesús nos

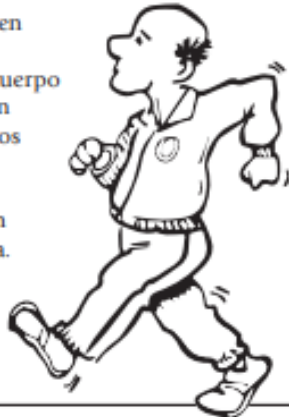


envía al Espíritu Santo que sigue conectado a él, especialmente en la Eucaristía. Finalmente, como Cristo entró en la gloria eterna, nosotros como miembros de su cuerpo, la Iglesia, podemos esperar seguirlo si permanecemos fieles a él.

Cúidense bien. Son de Dios

Cuidarnos a nosotros mismos puede convertirse en algo de menor importancia en medio de otras obligaciones. Sin embargo, el cuidado de nuestro cuerpo y nuestra mente es una obligación que tenemos con Dios. Nos necesita fuertes y sanos para que podamos contribuir a la construcción de su reino.

Cuerpo: Lo que ponen en su cuerpo es más importante incluso que lo que ponen encima. Adopten medidas para que su dieta sea más sana y más nutritiva. Eviten las drogas o el alcohol en exceso. Los médicos insisten en la necesidad de ejercicio diario y de ocho horas de sueño cada noche.



Mente: Sean exigentes también con el alimento que le dan a su mente. Lo que ven, leen y escuchan influye en su forma de contemplar el mundo. La evidencia muestra que es difícil ver con regularidad programas y películas violentas y seguir siendo una persona tranquila y feliz. Los programas y las películas que retratan la infidelidad o la promiscuidad como comportamientos aceptables terminan por insensibilizar nuestro sentido del pecado. Nutran su mente con imágenes positivas y centradas en el Evangelio que los formen y les inspiren. Rodéense de personas que hagan lo mismo.

de las **E**scrituras

Juan 20:19-23, "Reciban al Espíritu Santo"

Este pasaje evangélico nos da una idea de cómo pasaron los apóstoles el primer Domingo de Pascua, escondidos en una habitación cerrada con llave. Les aterrizzaba que los romanos los encontraran y los ejecutaran. Para su sorpresa y alivio, Jesús se les apareció en toda su gloria y les dirigió palabras de paz. Les mostró sus heridas gloriosas como "prueba viviente" de su resurrección.

Luego Jesús les dio una misión: "Los pecados serán perdonados a los que ustedes se los perdonen, y serán retenidos a los que ustedes se los retengan", estableciendo el sacramento de la Penitencia (Juan 20:23). Les dio el Espíritu Santo, anticipando la



festividad de Pentecostés. Así, con la autoridad de perdonar los pecados, los Apóstoles y sus sucesores podrían continuar la obra de Jesús después que él regresara al Cielo.

La aparición de Jesús a sus Apóstoles revela la plenitud de la misericordia de Dios. Les envió también al Espíritu Santo. Descendió con todo su poder en Pentecostés, el cumpleaños de la Iglesia. Ese mismo Espíritu se nos entrega en el Bautismo y vive en nuestras almas. Pidán al Espíritu Santo que les revele el amor de Dios y les ayude cada día a parecerse más a Cristo.

Fiestas y celebraciones

3 de mayo – Santos Felipe y Santiago (siglo I). San Felipe nació en Betsaida y siguió a Juan el Bautista antes de seguir a Cristo. Tras la Ascensión, san Felipe predicó en Asia Menor donde fue martirizado. Santiago, hijo de Alfeo, era también uno de los doce Apóstoles.

10 de mayo – San Juan de Ávila (1569). Hijo de padres ricos y piadosos, san Juan abandonó su carrera de abogacía en ciernes para hacerse sacerdote. A petición del obispo trabajó y predicó para renovar la fe de los católicos en Andalucía.

18 de mayo – Festividad de la Ascensión

del Señor (siglo I). Esta festividad marca la culminación de la misión salvadora de Jesús y su entrada triunfal en el Cielo. *Nota: En muchas diócesis, la celebración de la Ascensión ha sido trasladada al siguiente domingo.*

25 de mayo – Santa María Magdalena de Pazzi (1607). Nacida en el seno de una distinguida familia florentina, Catalina de Pazzi se hizo monja carmelita. Tras pronunciar los votos experimentó éxtasis y se convirtió en mística y sanadora.



P & R ¿Qué significado tiene la Medalla Milagrosa?

La Medalla Milagrosa, entregada a santa Catalina Labouré en 1830, fue diseñada por la Madre Bendita para enseñarnos tres cosas:

María reza por nosotros: En la parte delantera de la medalla se lee: "Oh María, sin pecado concebida, ruega por nosotros que recurrimos a ti". Nosotros no le rogamos, ¡es ella quien ruega por nosotros! Nosotros podemos recurrir directamente a Jesús en cualquier momento, por supuesto. En realidad, el papel de María es acercarnos a Jesús con la mayor rapidez y seguridad posibles.



El mal puede ser derrotado: María es representada aplastando la cabeza de Satanás, lo que recuerda la profecía de su derrota (Génesis 3:15). El humilde "sí" de María a Dios sentó las bases para la victoria de Cristo sobre la muerte, el pecado y el mal. Cuando le damos a Dios nuestro "sí", la victoria de Cristo fructifica en nuestras vidas.

La gracia siempre está disponible: Santa Catalina preguntó por qué sólo algunas de las piedras preciosas en los anillos de María emitían rayos de luz. ¿La respuesta? Las gemas tenues simbolizan "las gracias que las almas se olvidaron de pedir". La gracia de Dios está siempre disponible. Sólo tenemos que pedirla.

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*Clergy Corner***Él nos dará otro Partidario para que esté siempre con nosotros...**

Nunca estás solo. Nunca jamás. Si eres cristiano, entonces Dios siempre está contigo. Más que eso, Él esena través de la presencia interior del Espíritu Santo. “Y yo pediré al Padre, y les dará otro Partidario, para que esté con ustedes para siempre, incluso el Espíritu de la verdad, a quien el mundo no puede recibir, porque no lo ve ni lo conoce. Ustedes lo conocen, porque él mora contigo y estará en ti” (Juan 14:16-17).

Jesús hace esta promesa a sus discípulos inmediatamente después de un anuncio importante. Pronto los dejaría para construir y amueblar su hogar celestial, pero ellos permanecerán aquí (Juan 14:1-15). Sin embargo, Él les asegura: “No los dejaré huérfanos” (Juan 14:18). Jesús nunca pensaría en abandonar a sus seguidores. En cambio, Él promete darles “otro Ayudante.” Este título se refiere a alguien que se acerca para exhortar o animar. Pero Jesús les asegura que el Espíritu Santo no sólo estaría con ellos, sino en ellos. Esto significa que no sólo podrían contar con la presencia del Espíritu en ciertos momentos o para ciertos propósitos, sino siempre, en cada lugar, para siempre. ¿Cómo es esto posible? El Espíritu los habitaría. De hecho, tomaría residencia dentro de sus cuerpos físicos. ¡Qué promesa tan reconfortante debe haber sido para ellos, y lo es también para ti!

Compatibilidad y actualización son pocas palabras comunes en el mundo moderno. Compatibilidad se refiere a un estado en el que dos cosas pueden existir u ocurrir juntas sin problemas o conflictos. Es la capacidad de dos sistemas para trabajar juntos, sin tener que ser modificado para hacerlo. Por ejemplo, una computadora que tiene un sistema operativo Windows 98 (la versión muy antigua) no podrá admitir muchos de los programas y software más recientes... Es debido a un problema de "compatibilidad". El problema de la compatibilidad también puede aparecer en nuestra vida espiritual... Cuando no estamos en términos apropiados con Dios, no entendemos muchos de Sus planes para nosotros. Cuando no estamos en línea con la Voluntad de Dios, perdemos la comprensión de muchas de Sus aspiraciones para nosotros. Cuando nuestro sistema es incompatible con las últimas aplicaciones, el sistema nos pedirá que actualicemos nuestro sistema.

Los discípulos no pudieron captar el significado de las palabras del Señor. Parecían perdidos y parecían confundidos. Parecían desconcertados y sus pensamientos no eran "compatibles" con los pensamientos del Señor. Su entendimiento no era "compatible" con la sabiduría hablada por el Señor. Y por eso Jesús dice que uno no podría entender las cosas celestiales, si no logra entender las cosas terrenas: "Si les digo de cosas terrenales y no creen, ¿cómo creerán si les digo de cosas celestiales?" (Jn 3, 12). Los discípulos estaban abrumados. Sintieron que la vida les ha dado más de lo que pueden manejar o que han sido llamados a lograr más de lo que pueden. Su sistema era incompatible con la nueva 'aplicación' ofrecida por Jesús. Es por eso que Jesús está prometiendo una actualización de su sistema en Juan 15:26 y Juan 16: 7. Jesús prometió enviar el Espíritu Santo a sus discípulos. En estos versículos, se hace referencia al Espíritu Santo como Partidario, Ayudador o Consejero, según la traducción de la Biblia que esté leyendo.

Cuántas veces nuestra vida tampoco es "compatible" con las exigencias de Jesús y su Evangelio. Nuestro patrón de pensamiento a menudo no es "compatible" con las enseñanzas de la Iglesia. Nuestra relación con los demás, a menudo no es "compatible" con el mandato del amor a todos... Nuestro seguimiento personal de Jesús, a menudo no es "compatible" con nuestra mente dual de buscar también los placeres de este mundo... A menudo experimentamos una gran cantidad de "incompatibilidad" en el ámbito espiritual. Busquemos "actualizar" nuestra vida con el amor y el poder del Espíritu Santo. Comprometámonos a "actualizar" nuestro estilo de vida con las convicciones y verdades del Santo Evangelio. El papel del Espíritu Santo lo abarca todo. Él es nuestro Consejero, Ayudador, Intercesor, y Fortalecedor. ¡Qué alegría y alivio saber que no tenemos que trabajar toda la vida porque Dios siempre está con nosotros y nuestra victoria está segura en Él! 'Actualicemos' nuestro sistema espiritual al recibir el Espíritu Santo.

P. Jacob

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Evangelio según San Juan (Jn. 14, 15-21)



EN aquel tiempo, dijo Jesús a sus discípulos: «Si me amáis, guardaréis mis mandamientos. Y yo le pediré al Padre que os dé otro Paráclito, que esté siempre con vosotros, el Espíritu de la verdad. El mundo no puede recibirlo, porque no lo ve ni lo conoce; vosotros, en cambio, lo conocéis, porque mora con vosotros y está en

vosotros. No os dejaré huérfanos, volveré a vosotros. Dentro de poco el mundo no me verá, pero vosotros me veréis y viviréis, porque yo sigo viviendo. Entonces sabréis que yo estoy en mi Padre, y vosotros en mí y yo en vosotros. El que acepta mis mandamientos y los guarda, ese me ama; y el que me ama será amado por mi Padre, y yo también lo amaré y me manifestaré a él».

Palabra del Señor / Gloria a ti Señor Jesús

Reflexión

«Al que me ama, lo amará mi Padre, y yo también lo amaré y me revelaré a él» (Jn 14, 21).

Estas palabras, que Jesús dirigió a sus discípulos la víspera de su pasión, son hoy para nosotros una invitación urgente a proseguir por este camino de fidelidad y amor. Amar a Cristo es el fin último de nuestra existencia: amarlo en las situaciones concretas de la vida, para que se manifieste al mundo el amor del Padre; amarlo con todas nuestras fuerzas, para que se realice su proyecto de salvación y los creyentes lleguen en él a la comunión plena. ¡Que jamás se apague en el corazón este ardiente deseo!

[...] No tengáis miedo: abrid de par en par las puertas de vuestro corazón a Cristo salvador. Él os ama y está cerca de vosotros; os llama a un renovado compromiso de evangelización. La fe es don de Dios y patrimonio de incomparable valor, que hay que conservar y difundir. Para defender y promover los valores comunes, estad siempre abiertos a una colaboración eficaz con todos los grupos étnico-sociales y religiosos, que componen vuestro país. Que todas vuestras decisiones estén animadas siempre por la esperanza y el amor.

María, Madre del Redentor, os acompañe y proteja, para que podáis escribir nuevas páginas de santidad y de generoso testimonio cristiano en la historia... Amén.

San Juan Pablo II—Homilía, Bucarest, 09-05-1999 : Amar a Cristo

MISA EN ESPAÑOL

CADA DOMINGO 5:00PM

Invita un amigo, un familiar, un vecino.

¡Dios te bendice y te espera!

SERVIMOS A DIOS

PASTOR: Rev. Shibi Pappan OIC

PASTOR ASOCIADO: Jacob Varughese, OIC

(Orden de la Imitación de Cristo)

DIACONADO: Antonio & Aura Gordon

CONFESIONES

PRIMER DOMINGO DE CADA

MES en la Iglesia.

DE 4:00 PM

A 4:45 PM



BAUTIZOS

Las charlas serán impartidas los segundos y terceros Martes de cada mes, a partir de las 7:00pm

Favor de contactar a
Roberto y Rosa Romero (516) 749-5135



(Bautizos son celebrados el
CUARTO DOMINGO DEL MES
A LAS 2:00PM)



Cada Domingo antes de la Santa Misa

Empezando a las 4:45pm

Jesús, en ti Confío!

La liturgia dominical está
diponible en nuestro sitio web:
www.stignatiushicksville.org/



Felicidades a todas las madres!!



MISA Y ADORACION EN HONOR AL SAGRADO CORAZON DE JESUS

Viernes 2 de Junio a las 7:00PM

Iniciamos con el Santo Rosario a las 6:30PM

“Venid a mí todos los que estáis fatigados y sobrecargados, y yo os daré descanso.” Mt. 11, 28

Oración a la Virgen de Fatima

Querida Madre, intercede por todas nuestras madres. Pídele a tu Divino Hijo que les dé la gracia del amor rendido para que puedan unirse contigo en dar su propio “Fiat”. Que encuentren la fuerza diaria para decir sí a la llamada al amor sacrificial, corazón mismo de la vocación de la maternidad. Amén.



El Apostolado de la Divina Misericordia

te invita este

17 de Mayo a las 7:00 PM

A la Santa Misa y Cenáculo Eucarístico iniciando a las 6:30PM con el rezo del Santo Rosario.



SACRED HEART OF JESUS Youth Group



Join us every third Sunday of the month at 3:00PM in the art Room of the School building

HAVE FUN WHILE GROWING IN FAITH AND LEARN TO LIVE THE HOLY MASS WITH JOY

EL GRUPO DE ORACION CARISMATICA SAN IGNACIO DE LOYOLA



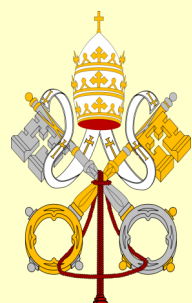
Les invita a tener un encuentro de amor con Dios a través de oraciones, alabanzas y enseñanzas que nos alientan y fortalecen en medio de las luchas de cada día. Te esperamos!

Dia: Todos los Viernes (excepto primer viernes del mes) Lugar: Sótano de la Escuela Hora: 6:00PM



CONECTATE CADA DIA

A LA LINEA DE ORACION PARA QUE JUNTOS OREMOS POR LA PAZ, POR LOS ENFERMOS Y POR TODAS LAS NECESIDADES DE NUESTRA COMUNIDAD. TODOS LOS DIAS DE LUNES A SABADO REZAMOS A LAS 3:00PM LA CORONILLA A LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA Y EL SANTO ROSARIO PARA CONECTARTE SOLO DEBES MARCAR (425) 436-6301 PIN 736657# LA ORACION CON FE TODO LO PUEDE!!



Intenciones del Papa Francisco para el mes de Mayo 2023 Por los movimientos y grupos eclesiales



Yo Soy Emaús



SI VIVISTE LA EXPERIENCIA DEL RETIRO DE EMAUS, NO TE PIERDAS DE REUNIRTE CON NOSOTROS EL SEGUNDO Y CUARTO LUNES DE CADA MES A LAS 7:00PM EN EL SOTANO DE LA ESCUELA.

Jesucristo ha resucitado!

