



7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 12, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 11 5:30 PM **7th Sunday of Easter**
Bill & Lena Thompson, Agnes Ferrone

Sunday, May 12 9:30 AM **7th Sunday of Easter**
Virginia Steinback, Judy Jackman

Monday, May 13 9:00 AM
Agnes Ferrone

Wednesday, May 15 9:00 AM
NO 9 AM MASS—
Rodriguez Funeral at 10:00 AM

Friday, May 17 9:00 AM
The People of the Parish

Saturday, May 18 5:30 PM
Dave Barbuti, Jr., Rocky Gallo

Sunday, May 19 9:30 AM

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, May 18 ~ 7th Sunday of Easter/Vigil
5:30 PM Joe Herschel

Sunday, May 19 ~ 7th Sunday of Easter
9:30 AM Alice Cross

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, May 18 ~ 7th Sunday of Easter/Vigil
5:30 PM Jen Zupetz (a), Kim Grzybek (c)

Sunday, May 19 ~ 7th Sunday of Easter
9:30 AM Marie Barnett (a), Denise Turner (c)

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SERVE

Alexandria Baker-Bonitz (*Navy*) Dylan Bonitz (*Navy*)
Sarah Bowen (*Navy*) Juan Gonzalez (*Navy*)
Kaila McGowan (*Marines*) Joseph Ruize (*Navy*)
Robert Pape-Laucella (*Marines*)
Pashko Shkreli (*Army*) Carissa Tironi (*Army*)
Nicholas Turner (*Army*) Elliott Weidel (*Marines*)

PRAY FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOMES

Barbara Ceriale, Gina Lempka,
Rosemary Osborn, Regina Parthadius, Elissa Zahn

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Marion Andersen, Pat Arlotta, Bridget Auer, Joanne Bach,
Rob Brosnan, Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, Barbara Ceriale,
Brad Ceriale, Jimmy Coraci, Brian Cross, Nicole Dawson,
John & Lorraine DiCicco, Anna DiMare, Marie DiMare,
Ray Drainville, Anna Gallo, Joe Gallo, Margaret Hale, Mike Hurd,
Julie Oparski, Marianna Oparski, Carol Orlando, Frank Orlando,
Helen Ryan, Frances Salewski, Sue Schmaus, Chris Strobl,
Joanne Trumball, Terry Waterson

LOOKING AHEAD

Helping Hands Food Pantry
Every 1st, 3rd & 5th Saturday by Appointment.
Call 845-733-1477

AA Meetings
Sunday 3:00 PM ~ Thursday 6:30 PM



Mothers Day ~ Sunday, May 12
Immediately following Mass
All are invited!

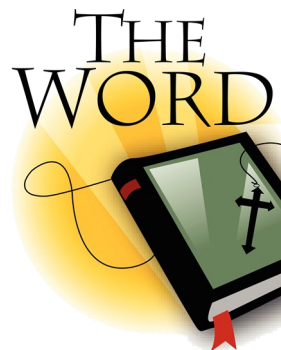
Monday, May 13
Parish Council Meeting ~ 7:00 PM

Wednesday, May 15
NO 9 AM Mass
10:00 AM Funeral Mass for Hector Rodriguez

Our Lady of the Assumption
LADIES' GUILD

Wednesday, May 15
1:00-3:00 PM

Tuesday, May 21
Knights of Columbus
Membership Meeting



Today's Scripture

7th Sunday of Easter

Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26
1 John 4:11-16
John 17:11b-19

LIVING THE LITURGY:

Empty Time, Empty Space

These ten days between the Ascension of the Lord and Pentecost Sunday invites us into a space and time where we must rely on our trust in God. Liturgically, we are living in an in-between time, in an unknown place. Jesus has ascended into heaven, but the Holy Spirit has not yet come down upon the Church. How are we to act? Who are we to be during this time of waiting? Really, what does come next?

Doing this final week of Easter, the church calls us to trust God's abiding presence among us. Throughout the Easter Season we have focused on the Resurrection of the Lord Jesus and how he has changed the world. The celebration of the Eucharist on Sundays, the gathering as a community in prayer: these actions echo what the first members of the Church during this in-between time. As they gathered, listened, and broke bread, they knew that the Risen and Ascended Lord was with them.

The important thing is to remember how Jesus is with us even now, and the love of God is near at hand whenever we do as the first members of the Church did. We gather, listen to the Scriptures, pray, receive the Eucharist, and prepare for the time when we are sent out for the mission of the Church. In all these things, we see that God is with us always.

Recall how you spent Lent and Easter this year. Where have you seen God's kindness?

How has God called you away from sin and into freedom?

How might you offer back praise and thanks to God?

MOM

"My Mother's Day Prayer:
I love you, Mom. I love your aliveness,
your joy in living, your listening,
your understanding, your giving.
And what I love best of all is that you love me.
God of all Mothers,
thank you for my Mom!

Mass Attendance/Collection

At Mass on May 4 & 5: 159
Weekend Collection: **\$2,538**



Please! We Need Lottery Tickets

We are asking all parishioners to please contribute new scratch-off Lottery Tickets for our large display that will be raffled off at the Chicken Barbecue this summer. Place them in an envelope marked "Lottery" and put them in the Collection Box. We will sell chances to win at the Wurtsboro Founder's Day and other community venues. Everyone's help to make it successful as a parish fundraiser is greatly appreciated!



What Happens at Mass?

Why is Mass so important to us? Why do we do what we do at Mass? For those wishing to explore these questions and more, please join us!

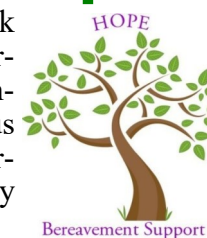
The Mass ~ A Deeper Understanding
2 Sessions

Saturday, June 8 & Saturday, June 15
9:30-11:00 AM

Please sign up in the Gathering Area

Bereavement Group

We are considering offering a 6-week Bereavement Group to help in your journey toward healing. To express your interest in being a part of this group, let us know by signing the sheet in the Gathering Area. Please direct questions to Gary Texter, Alice Cross or Bridget Auer.



SAVE THE DATE!!

OLA DINNER DANCE

FRI., SEPTEMBER 27

6:30-10:30 PM

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