

# MAY 11, 2025 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

## Mass Intentions

**Saturday, May 10 ~ 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter/Vigil/Mothers**  
5:30 PM Agnes Ferrone, Dave Barbuti

**Sunday, May 11 ~ 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter/Mothers Day**  
9:30 AM Rose Wall, Humphrey P. Brosnan

**Monday, May 12**  
9:00 AM The People of the Parish

**Wednesday, May 14**  
9:00 AM Jean Woodruff, Diane Hriniak

**Friday, May 16**  
9:00 AM

**Saturday, May 17 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter/Vigil**  
5:30 PM Agnes Ferrone

**Sunday, May 18 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**  
9:30 AM Ann Leote

## Ministers of the Word

**Saturday, May 17 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter/Vigil**  
5:30 PM Jen Zupetz

**Sunday, May 18 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**  
9:30 AM Tom Troy

## Eucharistic Ministers

**Saturday, May 17 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter/Vigil/Mothers**  
5:30 PM Connie Polos (a), Joe Herschel (c)

**Sunday, May 18 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter/Mothers Day**  
9:30 AM Colleen Wall (a), Marie Barnett (c)

## Pray For Those Who Serve

Alexandria Baker-Bonitz (*Navy*) Dylan Bonitz (*Navy*)  
Juan Gonzales (*Navy*)

Kaila McGowan (*Marines*) Joseph Ruize (*Navy*)  
Robert Pape-Laucella (*Marines*)

Pasko Shkreli (*Army*) Carissa Tironi (*Army*)  
Nicholas Turner (*Army*) Elliott Weidel (*Marines*)

## Pray For the Infirm

Marion Andersen, Bridget Auer, Joanna Bach, Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, S.C., Brian Cross, Nicole Dawson, Quinn Desibia, John & Lorraine DiCicco, Anna DiMare, Marie DiMare, Marie Elena DiMare, Michael DiMare, Walter Earl, Anna Gallo, Rocco Gallo, Kurt Haarklau, Margaret Hale, Diane Hriniak, Nicole Langer, Lou & Louis, Fr. Joe Komonchak, Mark, Bob Mangieri, Julia Oparski, Marianna Oparski, Carol Orlando, Frank Orlando, Sal Rappo, Richard, Helen Ryan, Fran Salewski, Arthur Seaman, Deacon & Fran Trapani, Kevin Uffelman, Terry Waterson, Jean Woodruff

## Pray For Facility Residents

Barbara Ceriale, Brad Ceriale, Gina Lempka, Rosemary Osborn, Regina Parthesius, Fran Salamone, Sue Schmaus, Elissa Zahn, Vicky Zedda

## Looking Ahead

**A.A. Meetings**  
Thursday 6:30 PM Sunday 3:30 PM

**Monday, May 12**  
Parish Council Meeting ~ 7:00 PM

**Tuesday, May 13**  
Final Class for Religious Education  
6:30-7:30 PM  
*Classes Will Resume in September*

**Wednesday, May 14 ~ 1:30 to 3:00 PM**  
“Journey Through the Grief of Aging as Pilgrims of Hope” ~ Session #3 of 6

**Saturday, May 17 (during Mass)**  
**Baptism: Avereigh Hoffman**  
Child of Mr. & Mrs. Brian Hoffman

**Wednesday, May 21**  
Ladies Guild Meeting ~ 1:00-3:00 PM

**Wednesday, May 21 ~ 1:30 to 3:00 PM**  
“Journey Through the Grief of Aging as Pilgrims of Hope” ~ Session #4 of 6

**Monday, May 26 ~ Memorial Day**  
**No 9: AM Mass ~ Office Closed**

**Wednesday, May 28 ~ 1:30 to 3:00 PM**  
“Journey Through the Grief of Aging as Pilgrims of Hope” ~ Session #5 of 6

**Saturday, May 31 ~ 10:00 AM**  
Morning of Prayer, Song,  
Reflection & the Sacrament of the Anointing  
of the Sick, followed by a light luncheon

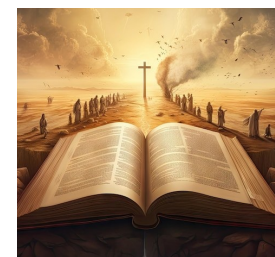
**Wednesday, June 4 ~ 1:30 to 3:00 PM**  
“Journey Through the Grief of Aging as Pilgrims of Hope” ~ Session #6 of 6

## Today's Scripture Readings

Acts 13:14, 43-52

Revelation 7:9, 14b-17

John 10:27-30



## LIVING THE LITURGY The Call of the Shepherd



Shepherding is still a way of life for many around the world and there is a special relationship

between the sheep and their shepherd. The sheep trust their shepherd, they know and follow the shepherd's unique voice as they are led to green pastures and away from danger. But notice in the Gospel Reading for today that it is not the sheep but the shepherd who knows the sheep and calls them out. We are God's people, the sheep of his flock, and the voice we hear belongs to the one who knows us and feeds us. It is him who we follow.

The Second Reading points out a peculiar aspect of our Shepherd, Jesus. He, the Lamb, is also our Shepherd. Both are sacrificial goals: as Lamb, he gives over his blood for our salvation and washes us clean; as Shepherd he lays down his life for us. This is not how normal flocks of sheep work, but Jesus surpasses all our human divisions. His love makes him willing and able to be everything for us.

Today, our Church is in great need for vocations to the priesthood; the need for dedicated men to serve as priests is becoming ever more pressing. The Shepherd calls deep within our hearts, leading us to a life full of love, faith, dedication, and service. He calls some to the religious life, and some to the priesthood. How do you hear the voice of Jesus?

*What parts of following Jesus are easy for you?*

*What parts present a real challenge in your life?*

*Are you ready to place these challenges into His hands?*

## Pray the Rosary



On Sunday morning, May 18, Religious Ed parents and their children will be praying together the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary. Everyone is invited to participate. They will gather at 8:45 AM in the Meditation Garden (weather permitting) or in the

Church and will begin praying The Rosary no later than 9:00 AM. Questions? Contact Chris Herschel, Robin Masiero or Gary Texter.

## A Call for Tickets

Please start to gather new scratch-off Lottery Tickets for the large display that will be raffled off at the Chicken Barbecue this summer. You may place them in an envelope marked “Lottery” and put them in the Collection Box. Tickets will be sold at Wurtsboro Founder's Day, Pine Bush Tractor Supply, and other local venues.

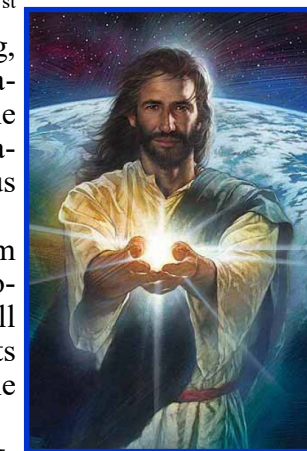


## Morning of Prayer, Song, Reflection & the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

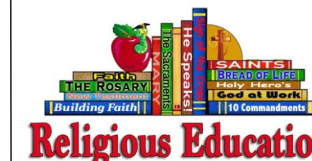
Join us on Saturday, May 31<sup>st</sup> for a morning of prayer, song, reflection and communal celebration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, S.C. will join us to help facilitate the day.

Gather in the Church from 9:30 AM to 10:00 AM. The program will begin at 10:00. It will be followed by light refreshments and informal discussion in the Parish Center lower level,

Call the Church office to register to attend, or use the registration coupon that will be in next week's bulletin. All are most welcome!

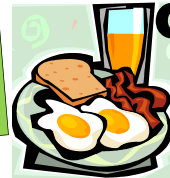


## Have You Registered Yet?



**Religious Education** If you have not yet registered your child(ren) for the next R.E. term that commences in September, please see Robin Masiero, R.E. Coordinator, as soon as possible or call her at 845-733-1518. We need the early registration to determine how many new books, and it helps us receive a discount when ordering early.

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